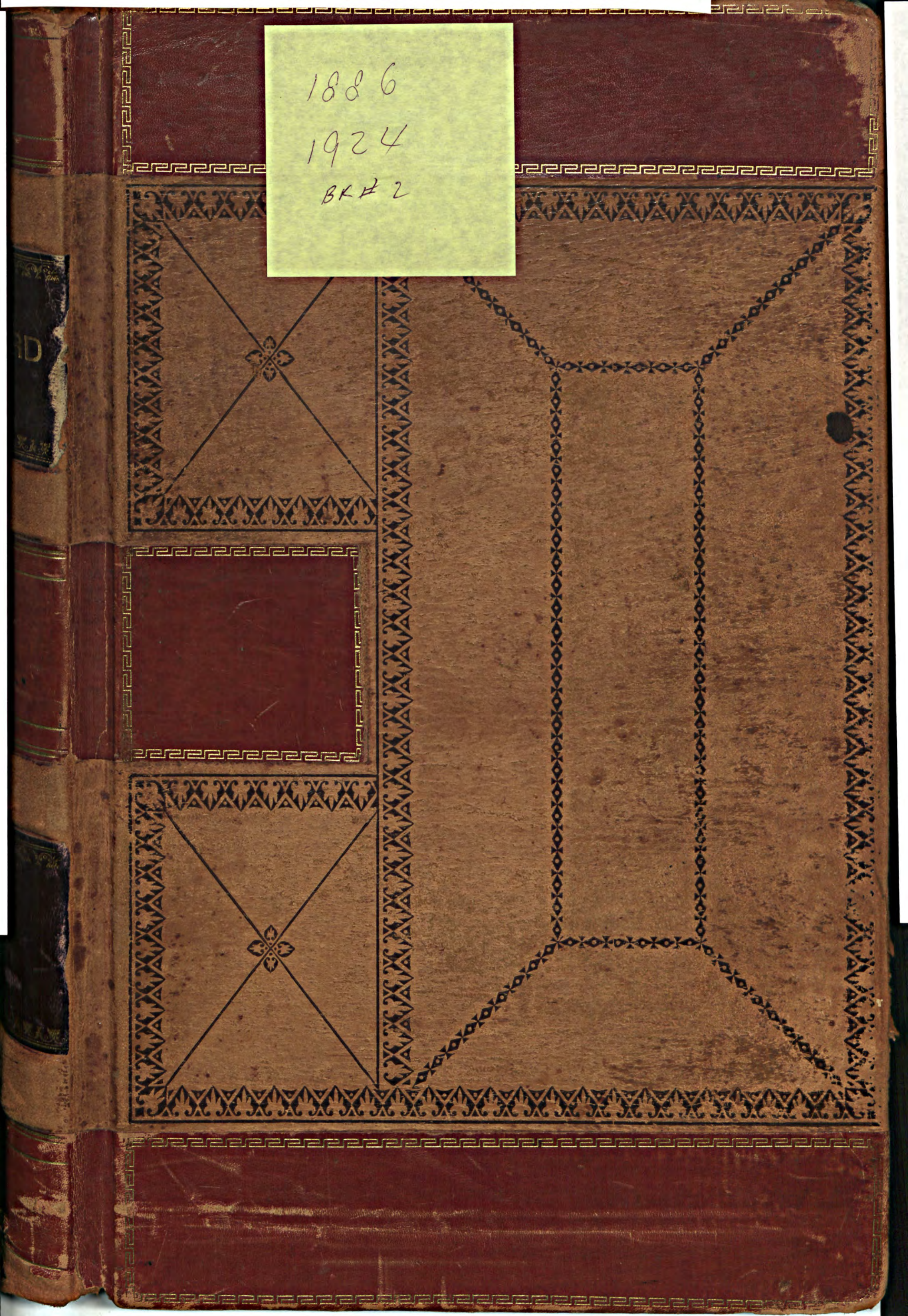


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Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Review - June 29, 1885.

Board met at the Town Hall, reviewed the assessment, and made the following changes -

John Sachs,	E 1/3 Lot 106, & 107, & 108, Sec 5,	Raised from \$800 to \$1000
Jacob Barringer,	N. W. 1/4	" " " " \$4200 " 4600
John Sprecher,	W 1/2 S. E. 1/4	" " " " 1900 " 2000
P. Lemmon	S 1/2 S W 1/4 Less 15 C.	" 12 Reduced " 800 " 700
Jerde	E 1/2 W 1/2 N. W. 1/4	" 13 Raised " 450 " 600
H. K. Spring	N 1/2 S. W. 1/4	" 25 Reduced " 1500 " 1400
Mrs. L. G. Todd	N. W. - N E 1/4 N W 1/4	" 30 Raised " 1600 " 1800
N. Brechtel	E. W. - N E 1/4 N W 1/4	" 16 Reduced " 230 " 200
Same	N. W. - N E 1/4	" " " " 1900 " 1800
C. T. Nixon	S. W. corner N E 1/4	" 17 Raised " 4000 " 4275

The following Bills were audited and orders drawn for the same.

No. 5.	John Plaum Bal. due out Highway Appr. No. 9.	\$150
" 6.	Van Waylan Work on " " " "	450
" 7.	R. N. Frost Services as Assessor	60.00

The Board appointed Geo. Smith constable for the town of Blooming Grove,
Filed and recorded July 4, 1885.

Wm. Dempsey,
Town Clerk.

Minutes of the meeting of the Town Board
of Audit, Dec. 1st, 1885.

No. 8.	Mal Conlin,	To work on McFarland Rd.	Appropriation \$9.00	
" 9.	Mick Conlin	" " " " " "	" "	9.00
" 10.	Thos. Conlin	" " " " " "	" "	6.00
" 11.	John Vondran	" " " " " "	" "	9.00
" 12.	Henry Henzie	" " " " " "	" "	9.75
" 13.	Henry Gogaman	" " " " " "	" "	7.50
" 14.	Hans Johnson	" " " " " "	" "	12.00
" 15.	Ole Johnson	" " " " " "	" "	7.50
" 16.	Andrew Parzante	" " " " " "	" "	4.50
" 17.	C. Horstman	" " " " " "	" "	5.25
" 18.	Henry Marks	" " " " " "	" "	6.00
" 19.	Ole Mold	" " " " " "	" "	1.50
" 20.	John Plaum	" " " " " "	" "	8.00
" 21.	James Nolan	" " " " " "	" "	9.00
" 22.	Mick Mahoney	" " " " " "	" "	6.00
" 23.	Jos. Tompkins	" " " " " "	" "	4.50
" 24.	Sever Thompson	" " " " " "	" "	8.00
" 25.	Mons. Thompson	" " " " " "	" "	8.00
" 26.	C. Hunnemi	" " " " " "	" "	5.25
" 27.	Ed. Weisinger	" " " " " "	" "	9.00
" 28.	F. Eighmy	To Lumber and Posts		15.88
" 29.	M. Madden	Work on McFarland Rd. Appr.		7.50
" 30.	Andrew Parzante	Mowing weeds on Stark W. Road		1.50
" 31.	Wm. Dempsey	Stationery		3.40
" 32.	Thomas Mason	Lumber and Nails		83.76
" 33.	S. L. Sheldon	Three Road Scrapers		24.00
" 34.	Eugene Eighmy	Nails		1.07
" 35.	Nand Ogden	Mowing and cleaning T. Hall yard		1.00
" 36.	Wm. Dempsey	Making out Rd. Warrants		4.00
" 37.	C. Grov Fire Ins. Co.	Insurance on Town Hall		1.60
" 38.	Wm. Dempsey	Cash Paid for Record Book		4.50
" 39.	P. A. Frost	Bal. due for Assessing		15.00
" 40.	Andrew Gillick	Tifty load of gravel for Pdd No 13,		8.50
" 41.	B. J. Williamson	Improving Rd No 12		75.00
" 42.	Fred Horstmeier	Services as Supervisor		15.00
" 43.	Carl Cundenire	Repairing Rd. No 4,		1.50
" 44.	C. R. Anmol	Rd. Scraper for No. 2,		1.35
" 45.	Christ Kleine	Services as Supervisor		21.00
" 46.	Nau. Bechtel	" " " "		17.00
" 47.	Fred Horstmeier	Repairing Nine Spring Bridge		9.00

Recorded Dec. 2nd, 1885-

Wm. Dempsey,
Town Clerk.

Meeting of the Town Board of Supervisors.

The Board met at the Clerk's Office, March 30, 1886, and settled with the Treasurer and audited and allowed the following bills.

No. 48	John and Peter Pflaum, Labor on Starkweather rd.	\$ 4.00
" 49	Michael Madden To " " " " " "	4.00
" 50	John Vondran " " " " " "	4.00
" 51	Fred Horstmeier " " " " " "	4.00
" 52	Wm. Barringer " " " " " "	2.50
" 53	Andrew Anjinson " " " " " "	4.50
" 54	Andrew Barzante " " " " " "	1.50
" 55	Tom Johnson " " " " " "	1.50
" 56	Dan Doyle " " " " " "	1.50
" 57	Tom Nolan " " " " " "	1.50
" 58	Wm. Dempsey To Services as Town Clerk	60.00
" 59	Jacob Barringer To five cord of stone	20.00
" 60	Dan Drechtel " Services as Supervisor	4.50
" 61	Christ Kleine " " " " " "	4.00
" 62	Fred Horstmeier " " " " " "	8.00
" 63	Dan Doyle " Cleaning Cemetery	6.00
" 64	Ed. Weisinger To 1/2 cord Stone, for Bridge, Rd. No. 4.	1.00
" 65	Henry Henzie " Use of filow, on The Farland Rd.	.75
" 66	Heath Brothers " Gravel for Road Dis. No. 6.	20.80

Recorded March 31st. 1886.

Wm. Dempsey,
Town Clerk.

Minutes of The annual Town Meeting held at the Town Hall in the town of Blooming Grove. The 6th day of April 1884.

The clerks were sworn by by the Chairman and the inspectors by the clerk. Polls opened by proclamation at about 9:30 o'clock.

Order of Business as follows.

Reading of annual report at one o'clock P.M.

Election of Overseers of Highways.

Miscellaneous Business

The annual report was read by the Chairman at one o'clock and adopted.

The following persons were elected Overseers of Highways.

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|-----------|-------------------|
| Dis. No 1 | Fred Timmerman |
| " " 2 | Fred Wroster |
| " " 3 | P. N. Frost. |
| " " 4 | Henry Weisinger |
| " " 5 | Christian Rodfeld |
| " " 6 | J. P. Hirstand |
| " " 7 | Wm. Webber. |
| " " 8 | John Johnson |
| " " 9 | John Vondran |
| " " 10 | Wm. Mash. |
| " " 11 | John Neerer. |
| " " 12 | P. F. Williamson |
| " " 13 | John Sachs. |

✓ A motion was made by P. N. Frost and seconded, that the cemetery fence be repaired as soon as possible. — Carried

✓ A motion was made by Matthew Conlin and seconded, that a committee of three be appointed by the Chair, to examine the Starkweather Bridge. — Carried

Committee appointed Mat. Conlin, Henry Peters and Howard Sigglekow.

Committee reported the Bridge unsafe.

A motion was made by John Spracher and seconded - that there be built an iron bridge in place of the old one — Carried.

At five o'clock Polls closed, Poll lists compared and found to agree. Ballots counted and found to exceed one in number. One ballot was drawn from the box, and canvass made according to law.

Recorded April 7, 1884.

Wm. Humphrey,

Town Clerk.

Minutes of Judicial Election held in and for the town of Blooming Grove, Apr. 6. 1886.

Polls opened at about 9:30 o'clock A.M. closed at sundown. Poll lists compared and found to agree. Ballots counted and found to exceed one in number. One ballot drawn from the box and canvass made according to law.

Recorded April 7. 1886.

Wm. Dempsey
Town Clerk.

Statement of the result of the Municipal Election held in and for the town of Blooming Grove, in the County of Dane, State of Wisconsin, on the 6th. day of April, 1886. made by the Inspectors of Election, in and for said town of Blooming Grove. The whole number of Votes given for Municipal Judge was One Hundred and Nine (109) of which number A. B. Braley received Sixty Eight (68) and A. E. Parkinson received Forty One (41).

We certify that the foregoing statement is correct in all respects.

Dated this sixth day of April, A.D. 1886.

Daniel Bechtel }
Christ Klein } Inspectors.
J. C. Horstmeier }

Wm. Dempsey }
P. W. Brown } Clerks.

Recorded Apr. 7. 1886.

Wm. Dempsey
Town Clerk.

Statement of Inspectors, of result of Election at town meeting.

County of Dane }
Town of Bl. Grove }

The following is a statement setting forth the whole number of votes for each office, the names of the persons for whom such votes were given, and the number of votes given to each person at the annual meeting held at the Town Hall, in said town of Blooming Grove in said county, on the 6th. day of April, A. D. 1886.

The whole number of votes given for Chairman of Supervisors was One Hundred and Eleven (111) of which number Daniel Dechtes received One Hundred and Eleven (111) Whole number of votes given for associate Supervisors was Two Hundred and Twenty Two, of which number Neils Johnson received One Hundred and Eleven (111) and Christ Klein received One Hundred and Eleven (111) Whole number of votes given for Town Clerk was One Hundred and Eleven (111), of which number John H. Sigglekow received One Hundred and Ten (110) and N. W. Tompkins received One (1).

Whole number of votes given for Town Treasurer was One Hundred and Eleven (111) of which number Knudt Holverson received One Hundred and Eleven (111) Whole number of votes given for Assessor was One Hundred and Eleven, of which number Wm. Maher received Forty Two (42) and P. W. Frost received Sixty Nine (69) Whole number of votes given for Justice of the Peace was Three Hundred and Thirty Three (333), of which number A. E. Lausing received One Hundred and Eleven (111) Ole P. Told received One Hundred and Eleven and Henry Henzie received One Hundred and Eleven (111) Whole number of votes given for Constables was Two Hundred and Twenty Two (222), of which number John Madden received One Hundred and Nine (109), Gilbert Johnson received One Hundred and Eleven (111) and T. Nolan received Two (2).

We hereby certify that the foregoing statement is correct, given under our hands at Blooming Grove this sixth day of April A.D. 1886.

Daniel Bechtel }
Christ Kleine } Inspectors
F. C. Horstmeier }

Recorded - Apr. 7. 1886.
Wm. Dempsiey,
Town Clerk.

Certificate of determination of persons elected.

County of Dane }
Town of Bl. Grove } ss.

We the Inspectors of the election held at the place and time set forth in the foregoing statement subscribed by us, do certify that we have determined that the within named Daniel Bechtel is duly elected to the office of Chairman of Supervisors of said town and that Neils Johnson and Christ Kleine are duly elected to the office of Supervisors of said town, and that John H. Sigglekow is duly elected to the office of Town Clerk and that Knudt Holverson is duly elected to the office of Town Treasurer and that P. D. Frost is duly elected to the office of Assessor and that A. E. Lansing and Ole O Vold and Henry Henzie are duly elected to the office of Justice of the Peace (to fill vacancy) and that John Madden and Gilbert Johnson are duly elected to the office of Constable.

We hereby certify that the foregoing statement is correct, given under our hands at Blooming Grove this 6th day of April, 1886.

Daniel Bechtel }
Christ Kleine } Inspectors
F. C. Horstmeier }

Recorded April 7. 1886.

Wm. Dempsiey,
Town Clerk.

Meeting of the Board of Supervisors April 12th 1886

The town board met at the town Hall on the above date, for the purpose of Levying a Highway tax for said year. It was ordered & determined, that there be a highway tax of three mills on the dollar, levied on all the taxable property of the town, agreed by the board to fix the Treasurer's Bond at Six \$6000. dollars.

Fred Harstineris was appointed Commissioner on Canada Thistles, and also appointed Overseer of road district No Eight, by reason of John Johnson ^{refusing} to serve. The following road warrants were then made out No four thirteen two ten & eight, & appointed Ole John ^{Ole John} Overseer of Road district No 7, Fred Timmerman ^{refusing to serve} & also F. A. Bird in place of Mrs Welles of road dist. No 7.

Dated this 12th day
of April 1886

John H Liggelkow
Town clerk

Minutes of the Town Board of review June 28, 1886

Board met at town hall at 9 o'clock A. M., and reviewed the assessment.

The following bills were audited & orders drawn for the same as follows

order No 1	Williams Heimes for two days labor on bridge in section 5	\$ 3.00
" " 2	Daniel Dyland mowing grass on cemetery lot	6.00
" " 3	R D Frost for part services as assessor for 1886	50.00
" " 4	John H Liggelkow making out eight R d warrants, 2 1/2 days	5.00
" " 5	Daniel Bechtel cash paid for R d warrants & printed notices for ditch	2.90

John H Liggelkow
Town clerk

Minutes of the General Election held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove, on the second day of November 1886,

The clerk & Inspectors being duly sworn, the polls were then opened by proclamation at half past nine A. M. and closed at twelve M. opened at One P. M. & closed at sun set. Poll lists compared were found to agree, ballot box opened & ballots counted found to agree with poll list, on opening ballots it was found that two ballots were folded together in one, which were then thrown out, canvass was then made without intermission according to law,

John H Liggelkow
Town clerk

Statement of the result of a General Election held in and for the town of Blooming Grove on the second day of November 1886

Whole number of votes given for Governors was
Two Hundred & fifteen 215 of which number
Jesse M. Rusk rec Nine nine 99
Silbert M. Woodward One hundred & nine 109
John M. Olin Six 6
John Cochran One 1

Whole number of votes for Lieutenant Governor was
Two Hundred & sixteen 216 of which number
George W. Ryland rec One hundred & three 113
John F. Putnam " One hundred & eight 108
Charles Alexander " Four 4
Geo A. Lloyd " One 1

Whole number of votes given Sec of State was
Two hundred & Seventeen ²¹⁷ of which number
Ernst B. Timme rec One hundred & three 113
John C. Ludwig " " " eight 108
H. M. Blackman Four 4
J. P. Gasperson One 1
John A. Johnson One 1

Whole number of votes given for State Treasurer was
Two hundred & Seventeen ²¹⁷ of which number
Henry B. Hardaw rec Eighty four 84
John G. Johnson " One hundred & twenty six 126
A. L. Merriman " Five 5
Frederick Hoerig " One 1
Jacob Esser jr " One 1

Whole number votes for Attorney General was
Two hundred & Seventeen 217 of which number
Charles E. Estabrook rec One hundred & three 113
George W. Bird " One hundred & nine 109
E. W. Chapin Four 4
John E. Thomas One 1

Whole number of votes for State Superintendent was
Two hundred & Seventeen 217 of which number
Jesse B. Thayer rec One hundred & four 114
Edward M. Laughlin " " eight 108
J. J. Blaisdell Four 4
J. K. W. Searles One 1

Whole number for Railroad Commissioners was
Two hundred & Seventeen 217 of which number
Atty Peterson rec One hundred & eight 108
James McLean " " four 114
Ole E. Pitkin " " 4
Henry Zinn " One 1

Whole number of votes for Commissioners of Insurance was, Two hundred & seventeen 217 of which
 Philip Cheek rec One hundred & five 105
 John Karel " " " Seven 107
 B. F. Parkes " " " four 4
 Britton Stephens " " " One 1

Whole number of votes Rep in Congress for the third cong- district, was Two hundred & fifteen 215 of which
 Robert M La Follette rec One hundred & nine 109
 Hugh J Ballaghes " " " four 104
 T. C. Richmond " " " two 2

Whole number of votes for members of Assembly third assembly dist in same Co was Two hundred & seventeen 217 of which
 number Richard S Frost rec One hundred & thirty six 136
 Paul Tennert " " " Seventy eight 78
 Gunders Edwards " " " 3

Whole number votes for Sheriff was
 Two hundred & seventeen 217 of which
 John M Estes rec One hundred & thirty 130
 Philip Barry " " " Eighty four 84
 O M Turber " " " 3

Whole number for register of Deeds was
 Two hundred & sixteen 216 of which number
 Geo F Rowell rec One hundred & three 103
 Ernst Mueller " " " nine 109
 L W Hays - John Hawie " " " four 4

Whole number of votes for County Treasurer was
 Two hundred & sixteen 216 of which number
 James S Baker rec One hundred & twenty two 122
 O S Norrman " " " Ninety One 91
 L W Hays " " " three 3

Whole number of votes for District Attorney was
 Two hundred & thirteen 213 of which number
 Rufus B Smith rec Ninety nine 99
 J L O. Connors " " " One hundred & ten 110
 Frank M Postes " " " four 4

Whole number for County Clerk was
 Two hundred & seventeen 217 of which number
 Jacob Essex rec One hundred & two 102
 Thomas P Boyne " " " One hundred & ten 110
 Charles O Tetterton " " " four 4
 S O Petter " " " One 1

Whole number of votes for Clerk of Circuit Court was
 Two hundred & ten 210 of which number
 John O Connell rec Ninety nine 99
 J H Buttes " " " One hundred & seven 107
 W P Stais " " " Four 4

Whole number of votes given for County Sur-
veyors, was Two Hundred & Sixteen 216 of which number
Geo W Brown rec One hundred & two 102
John Douglas " One hundred & fourteen 114

Whole number of votes for Coroner was
Two hundred & Sixteen 216 of which number
Adam Galdow rec One hundred & four 104
Robert Gray One hundred eight 108
Hall's M Brooks four 4

Whole number of votes for County Sup of Schools was
Two hundred & thirteen 213 of which number
Sylvanus Ames rec Ninety five 95
Julius Keeling One hundred & fourteen 114
Franklin Gould three 3
Adam Galdow One 1

We Hereby certify ^{that} the foregoing statement
is correct in all respects
Dated November 2, A.D. 1886

Daniel Bechtel }
Christ Klavin } Inspectors of
Neil Johnson } Election

John H Siggeth }
Preston W Brown } Clerks
of Election

John H Siggeth
Town Clerk

Minutes of the meeting of the Town Board of
Audit December 7th 1886, The following bills were
allowed and orders drawn for them as follows

Order No 6	William Hesse, for building Bridge on Sec 10	50.00
" " 7	Brittenham & Hixon for Lumber to road dist No 1	27.47
" " 8	O S Olson for nails to road " " 1	84
" " 9	Roman & Mason, Lumber & hardware	162.62
" " 10	R D Frost Bd. due for services as Assessor for 1886	25.00
" " 11	A G Estes Stone furnished for bridge on Sec 10	16.00
" " 12	Thomas Johnson work on Starkweather bridge	1.50
" " 13	S L Sheldon Scrapes for road dist No 4	6.00
" " 14	Preston Brown Services as clerk of Elections in April & Nov 1886	4.00
" " 15	Ferman Peppers work on Starkweather road	1.25
" " 16	Frank Main " " " " "	1.25
" " 17	Fred Drostes " " " " "	4.50
" " 18	Henry Hamburg " " " " "	4.00
" " 19	Fred Brockmies " " " " "	1.50
" " 20	August Vondran " " " " "	3.63
" " 21	John Neeses " " " " "	4.00
" " 22	Christ Kleine " " " " "	6.00
" " 23	Andrew Anfinson " " " " "	1.50
" " 24	John Johnson " " " " "	4.00
" " 25	Gilbert Johnson " " " " "	1.50
" " 26	Niels Johnson " " " " "	4.00
" " 27	Fred Hartmies Services as Inspector of Election	2.00
" " 28	" " " Commission on Canada Whitts	1.50
" " 29	Daniel Bechtel " as Supervisor	29.50
" " 30	Niels Johnson " " "	17.00
" " 31	John H Liggelkow " " Town clerk	50.00
" " 32	Christ Wishes Sand for bridge on Sec 10	2.50
" " 33	Christ Kleine Services as Supervisor	21.00
" " 34	Dodge & Son for lime & cement furnished	
" " 35	John Douglas Services as Surveyor	10.00

Recorded Dec 8th 1886

John H Liggelkow
Town Clerk

Meeting of Board of Supervisors at the Clerk's office
 March 29th 1887, and settled with the Treasurer, and
 Audited and allowed the following Bills

No	36	Geo Gink hauling sand for bridge in section 10	\$	6.00
"	37	John H. Liggelkow Services as Town Clerk in full		10.00
"	38	" " " " for stationary		3.40
"	39			1.00
"	40			2.30
"	41			6.00
"	42			4.00
"	43			4.00

Recorded March 29th 1887

John H. Liggelkow
 Town Clerk

Minutes of the judicial Election held in
 and for the Town of Blooming Grove, April 5th 1887
 Polls were opened at 9.30 A. M. & closed for one
 hour at noon, & closed at sun down Poll lists
 compared and found to agree Ballots counted
 and found to agree with Poll lists Canvass was
 made without intermission according to law

Recorded April 6th 1887

John H. Liggelkow
 Town Clerk

Minute of Annual Town Meeting held April 5th 1887, at the Town Hall of Blooming Grove. The Clerks were sworn by the Chairman, and the Inspectors by the Clerk. Roll were then opened by Proclamations at 9.30 O'clock A.M. order of business was read by Chairman as follows—
 1st reading of Annual report at 1.30 O'clock P.M.
 2nd Laying of Taxes 3rd Election of Overseers of Highways
 4th Miscellaneous business. Roll were closed at 12 O'clock A.M. + opened at 1.0 O'clock P.M. at 1.30 P.M. report read by Chairman + adopted, the following resolution read + adopted, (Resolved that there be levied on the taxable property of the town, a Town School Tax of two hundred + fifteen Dollars 215.00) The following Overseers of Highways were elected viz

Ole Johnson	Overseer of Road district No 1	
Christ Fishes	" " " "	2
R D Frost	" " " "	3
Henry Weisinger	" " " "	4
Christian Rodefield	" " " "	5
J R Heistand	" " " "	6
Fred Bird	" " " "	7
John M Johnson	" " " "	8
John Nordran	" " " "	9
Wm H Harnden	" " " "	10
Thomas Johnson	" " " "	11
P D Libby	" " " "	12
John Packer	" " " "	13

The following resolution read by Chairman and adopted, (Resolved that the Town Clerk of Blooming Grove shall be allowed the sum of Seventy five dollars (75.00) per year, which shall be full for all clerical services for the said Town, for the ensuing year or years)
 Roll closed at 5 O'clock P.M. ballots counted and found to agree with poll list - canvass was made according to law

Recorded April 6, 1887

John H. Siggeton
 Town Clerk

Statement of Inspectors of result of
Election of Town Meeting
County of Dane }
Town of Blooming Grove } SA

The following is a statement setting forth the whole number of votes cast for each office, the names of persons for whom such votes were given, and the number of votes for each person at the Annual Town Meeting, held April 5, 1887 at the Town Hall of Blooming Grove Dane County

Whole number of votes given for Chairmen of Supervisors was One hundred (100) of which number Daniel Bechtel rec. Ninety eight (98) Christ Fishes two (2)

Whole number of votes given for associate supervisors was One hundred & ninety five (195) of which number Nels Johnson rec (97) Christ Klein rec Ninety seven (97) Christ Fishes (1)

Whole number of votes given for Town Clerk was ninety seven (97) of which number John H. Siggethor rec. Ninety five (95) Christ Fishes (2)

Whole number of votes given for Town Treasurer was ninety seven (97) of which number Knudt Halvorson rec. Ninety six (96) Christ Fishes (1)

Whole number of votes given for Assessor was One hundred (100) of which number K. D. Frost rec. fifty five (55) Fred C. Horstmeier rec forty five (45)

Whole number of votes given for Justice of Peace was three hundred & ninety six (396) of which number Michael Maddox rec ninety nine (99) full term
Gilbert Johnson " ninety nine (99) full term
Henry Wildhagen " ninety nine (99) full vacancy
Thomas Carlin " ninety seven (97) " "

Elias Carlin one (1) Christ Fishes one (1)

Whole number of votes given for Constable was two hundred & ninety eight (298) of which number Victor Campbell rec Ninety seven (97)

Henry Weisinger " ninety nine (99)

John Backs " ninety nine (99)

Christ Fishes two (2)

Whole number of votes given for seals of weights and measures was One hundred (100) of which number John Johnson rec One hundred (100)

(100) We hereby certify that the foregoing statement is correct, given under our hands at Blooming Grove this 5th day of April 1887

Daniel Bechtel }
Nels Johnson } Inspectors
Christ Klein }

Recorded April 6, 1887
John H. Siggethor Town Clerk

Certificate of determination of persons Elected

County of Dane
Town of Blooming Grove } SS.

We the Inspectors of the election held at the time and place set forth in the foregoing Statement subscribed by us, do certify, that we have determined that the within named Daniel Bechtel is duly elected to the office of Chairman of Supervisor of said Town, and that Nils Johnson & Christ Klein are duly elected to the office of Supervisors of said town and that John H. Siggethor is duly elected to the office of Town Clerk, and that Knudt Halverson is duly elected to the office of Town Treasurer and that R. D. Frost is duly elected to the office of assessor, and that Michael Maddus & Gilbert Johnson are duly elected to the office of Justice of the Peace for the full term and Henry Oldhagen Thos. Conlin to the office of Justice of the Peace to fill vacancies, and that Victor Campbell, Henry Weisinger and John Sacks are duly elected to the office of Constable, and that John Johnson is duly elected to the office of Dealer of weights and measure.

We hereby certify the foregoing Statement is correct given under our hands at Blooming Grove this 5th day of April 1887

Recorded April
5th 1887
John H. Siggethor
Town Clerk

Daniel Bechtel
Nils Johnson
Christ Klein } Inspectors

Statement of the result of a judicial
 Election held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove
 in the County of Dane, State of Wisconsin, on the
 first Tuesday of April 1887, being the fifth day of
 said month, made by the Inspectors of Election
 in and for said Town of Blooming Grove to wit
 The whole number of votes given for Associate
 Justice of the Supreme Court, for the term ending
 on the first Monday of January A D 1898 was
 Ninety One (91) of which number Harlow J
 Ortolos received Ninety One (91) votes
 We hereby certify that the foregoing statement
 is correct in all respects
 Dated April 5th 1887

Daniel Bechtel }
 Nels Johnson } Inspectors
 Christ Kleine }

John H Liggelhow }
 Preston Brown } Clerk

Recorded April 6, 1887.

John H Liggelhow
 Town Clerk

Meeting of the Board of Supervisors
 April 9, 1887

The Town Board and Clerk met at
 the Town Hall at 9 o'clock A M on the above date
 to Levy a highway Tax, and did levy a tax of three
 mill on the dollar, on all the taxable property of the town
 and then proceeded to make out the following road warrants
 Road district No 2 and No 4 and No 5 and No 10 and No 13
 there being a vacancy in road district 6 by reason
 of R Husband refusing to serve, A A Brindle was
 duly appointed to fill said office

The Board then organized themselves into a board
 of Health, and appointed John H Liggelhow as clerk of same

Recorded April 9, 1887

John H Liggelhow
 Town Clerk

Meeting of the Board of review
the town board of review met at the Town Hall
June 27th 1887 at nine o'clock A.M. and reviewed the
assessment roll, the following alterations were
made by the board of B. Billbut - NP - 2 1/2 Sec 6 from 600 to 500, Alex Campbell Sec 10 S 6 1/4 from 4000 to 4000

A. Howard Sec 2 1/2 from 400 to 500, L. Siggethor Sec 2 1/2 MD S 6 1/4 from 160 to 200, Ole bald Sec 2 1/2 from 400 to 500, Ole Johnson from 100 to 200
the following bills were audited
and orders drawn for same

- order No 1 R. D. Frost part payment for services as assessors 50,00
 - " " 2 P. H. Harrum building bridge on sec 27 & 34 road dist No 1 35,00
 - " " 3 Charles Sundemeis on 1/4 cords of stone furnished for bridge on sec 27 & 34 6,13
 - " " 4 Preston Brown services as clerk of election April 5th 1887 2,00
 - " " 5 Coltege brove fire Insurance Co assessment 1,60
- after which the board of Supervisors appointed F. B. Horstman's
Commissions on Canada thistle

John H. Siggethor
Town clerk

Minutes of the meeting of the Town Board of Audit Dec 6, 1887

The following bills were allowed, and orders drawn for same as follows

Order No 6	Brittingham & Hixon lumber furnished Rd Dist No 10-11	\$ 18,91
" " 7	Henry Weisinger for work on Starkweather road	4,00
" " 8	Thomas Coulin " " " " "	4,00
" " 9	Michael Coulin " " " " "	1,50
" " 10	John Bondras " " " " "	4,00
" " 11	John Pflaum " " " " "	9,50
" " 12	James Nolan " " " " "	8,00
" " 13	Michael Madden " " " " "	4,00
" " 14	Herman Pippes " " " " "	4,00
" " 15	F B Horstmeier " " " " "	5,00
" " 16	Hans Christopherson " " " " "	1,50
" " 17	John H Liggelkow " Services as Town Clerk	50,00
" " 18	" " " " making out eight road warrants	5,00
" " 19	J L Sheldon " Scrapes furnished road dist No 2	6,25
" " 20	Christ Klein " Services as Supervisor	9,00
" " 21	R S Frost " Balance due for services as Assessor	25,00
" " 22	F B Horstmeier " work on Cemetery fence	8,00
" " 23	Michael Coulin " hauling lumber for Cemetery fence	2,00
" " 24	Daniel Bechtel " services as Supervisor	13,00
" " 25	Niels Johnson " " " " "	15,00
" " 26	Broman & Mason " Lumber & Nails furnished Rd districts	67,91

John H Liggelkow
Town Clerk

Meeting of Board of Supervisors at the
Town Clerk's office March 27th 1888

Board settled with Town Treasurer and audited and
allowed the following bills

No 27	John H Liggelkow balance due in full for services as town clerk	\$ 25,00
" 28	" " " " for Stationary	3,50
" 29	Niels Johnson services as Supervisor	2,00
" 30	Daniel Bechtel " " " "	2,00
" 31	Christ Klein " " " "	2,00

John H Liggelkow
Town Clerk

Minutes of Annual Town Meeting held April 3rd 1888 at Town Hall, the Inspectors were sworn by the clerk, and the clerk by the Chairman. Roll opened by proclamation at 9.30 O'clock A M order of business read by chairman as follows

- 1st Reading of annual report at 1.30 P M
- 2nd Election of Overseers of highways
- 3rd Levying Taxes
- 4th Miscellaneous business, Roll closed at 12 P M opened at 1 P M, at 1.30 reading of report moved and sec to accept and adopt report, motion carried the following persons were elected Overseers of highways

Road district No 1	Godlieb Korfmacher
"	" " 2 Henry Meyer
"	" " 3 R D Frost
"	" " 4 Henry Weisinger
"	" " 5 John Sprecher
"	" " 6 J R Hiestand
"	" " 7 J L Loomis
"	" " 8 J M Johnson
"	" " 9 Andrew Nelson
"	" " 10 Wm Nash
"	" " 11 John Keiser
"	" " 12 Thomas Williamson
"	" " 13 John Weidenbeck

moved and ^{by W D Frost} sec to levy two hundred ^{and} twenty five \$225 on town school tax motion carried, moved ^{by W D Frost} + sec to levy the sum of six hundred Dollars \$600 to be expended under the supervision of the town board, to build a new bridge across the Starkweather Creek motion carried, the following resolution was then read by w. main and an motion was carried.

Resolved, that the Board of Supervisors of the town of Blooming Grove are hereby authorized, to draw from the town funds belonging to the town, if in their judgment it is deemed advisable, a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars, to assist in the successful operation of what is known as the "Dane County Drainage Act" said sum of money so drawn as aforesaid to be refunded to said town from assessments made by the Commission appointed under said act upon lands specially benefited thereby.

Roll closed at five O'clock P M ballots counted and found to agree with roll list, canvass was made according to law

Recorded April 4th 1888

John H Liggelkow

Town clerk

Statement by Inspectors of result of Election of Town Meeting.

The following is a true and correct statement of the result of an election, at a town meeting, held at Town Hall in the town of Blooming Grove, in the County of Dane, on the 3^d day of April A D 1888, setting forth the whole number of votes given for each office, the names of the persons for whom such votes were given, and the number of votes given for each person,

The whole number of votes given for Chairman of Supervisors was one hundred and sixty four (164) of which number Daniel Bechtel rec

" " " " " " the whole number of votes given for associate Supervisors was three hundred and thirty (330) of which number Niels Johnson rec one hundred and sixty five (165) of which

" Lawrence Eighmy " " " " " " " " " " whole number of votes given for Town Clerk was one hundred & sixty five (165) of which number Frank Liggelkow rec " " " " " "

Whole number of votes given for Town Treasurer was one hundred and sixty seven of which number Christian Kleine rec Ninety (90) Henry Weisinger rec seventy six (76) and A C Barrantec rec one (1)

Whole number of votes given for Assessors was one hundred & seventy (170) of which number F O Harstmeier rec Ninety four (94) " " " " R D Frost " Seventy six (76)

Whole number of votes given for Justices of Peace was six hundred and forty eight of which number Henry Wildhagen rec one hundred and sixty two (162)

Full term
" "
fill vacancy
" "

of which number William Bages " " " " " " " " " " John Nees " " " " " " " " " "

Whole number of votes given for Constable was four hundred and eighty four (484) of which number Ed Weisinger rec one hundred and sixty (160) " " " " Henry Peters " " " " " Sixty two (162) " " " " A G Estes " " " " " " " " " " Madden " one (1) " " " " Torger Monson " " " "

Whole number of votes given for Scales of weights & measures was one hundred and sixty two (162) of which number O Lamp rec one hundred and sixty two (162)

We hereby certify that the foregoing Statement is correct given under our hands at Blooming Grove the 3^d day of April 1888

Daniel Bechtel
Niels Johnson
Christ Kleine } Inspectors

John H Liggelkow
Town Clerk

Certificate of determination of persons elected

County of Dase }
 town of Blooming Grove } SS

We the Inspectors of the Election held at the time and place set forth in the foregoing statement subscribed by us, do certify that we have determined that the within named Daniel Bechtel is duly elected to the office of Chairman of Supervisors of said town, and that Nels Johnson and Lawrence Eighmy, are duly elected to the office of Supervisors, and that Frank Liggithow is duly elected to the office of Town clerk, and Christian Kleime is duly elected to the office of town Treasurer, and that F. C. Harshmeier is duly elected to the office of Assessor, and that Henry Wildhagen and William Vages are duly elected to the office of Justice of the Peace for the full term, and John Neuser and E. Korfmaker are duly elected to the office of Justices of the Peace to fill vacancy, and that Ed Weisinger Henry Peters and A. B. Estes are duly elected to the office of Constable, and that O. Lamp is duly elected to the office of Sealer of weights and measures.

We hereby certify that the foregoing statement is correct given under our hands this 3rd day of April 1888

Daniel Bechtel }
 Nels Johnson } Inspectors
 Christ Kleime }

John H. Liggithow
 Town clerk

At a Meeting of the Town Board of Supervisors
 of said Town of Blooming Grove held at the Town
 Hall in said town on the 7th day of April 1888
 for the purpose of levying a highway tax for said
 year. It was ordered and determined that there
 be levied on all the taxable property of the
 town a highway tax of three mills on the
 dollar to be expended on the highway.
 The board organized themselves with a board of health and appointed F. L. Hartman
 health officer,
 Recorded April 7, 1888
 Frank Siggelkow
 Town clerk

Meeting of the Town Board of review
 The town board of review met at the
 Town Hall June 26th 1888 at 9 o'clock
 A. M. and reviewed the assessment roll
 the following bills were allowed and orders
 drawn for same

Order No 1	Racine Cement & pipe Co.	\$ 45.33
" "	3 Racine Cement & pipe Co.	68.66
" "	4 W. Rogers atty for Town to Drainage fund	100.00
" "	5 Christ-Klein Inspector of election	2.00
" "	6 S. L. Sheldon for newspaper	6.75
" "	7 Daniel Bechtel for freight on culverts	19.67

Frank Siggelkow
 Town clerk

Meeting of the Town Board of Supervisors
 The town board met Aug. 21st 1888
 and settled for bridge over Starkweather creek.
 The following bills were allowed
 and orders drawn for same.

Order No 2.	Wisconsin Bridge & Iron Co.	\$ 200.00
" "	8. Wisconsin Bridge & Iron Co.	182.80
" "	9. F. Shimming for gravel furnished Rd Dist No 13	12.00
" "	10 Sam H. Lerner " Building bridge in Rd Dist No 6.	10.00

Frank Siggelkow
 Town clerk

Minutes of the General Election held Nov. 8th 1888 in the Town Hall of Blooming Grove. Inspectors were duly sworn by the clerk and clerks by the Chairman. Polls were opened at 9 a.m. by Proclamation - Polls closed at 12 M for one hour - opened at 1 P.M. - closed at sundown - Poll Lists compared and found to agree, Ballots counted and found to agree with Poll lists. Canvass made according to law. Recorded Nov. 7th 1888
Frank Siggelkow
Town Clerk

Statement of the result of a General Election, held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove, in the County of Dane, State of Wis., on the Tuesday next succeeding the first Monday in November, A.D. 1888, being the Eight day of said month, made by the inspectors of election, in and for said Town of Blooming Grove, to wit:

The whole number of votes given for electors of President, and vice-president of the United States was - twenty-eight hundred, and sixty, (2860) of which no.

Lucius Fairchild's recd.	One hundred & twenty one	(121)
Syver E. Brimi	" " "	(121)
Chas. Palmer	" " "	(121)
Allen P. Harwood	" " "	(121)
A. C. Dodge	" " "	(121)
Julius Goldschmidt	" " "	(121)
John Ruch	" " "	(121)
Albert F. Hill	" " "	(121)
Oscar F. Temple	" " "	(121)
Curie G. Bell	" " "	(121)
John Finney	" " "	(121)
Nelson Dewey received	One hundred & twenty nine	(129)
Thomas Thompson	" " "	(129)
John Winters	" " "	(129)

Henry M. Ackley rec'd.	One hundred and twenty-nine	(129)
Wm P. Bragg	" " " "	(129)
Geo. J. Obermann	" " " "	(129)
John Evans	" " " "	(129)
Joseph H. Hirston	" " " "	(129)
Henry M. Butt	" " " "	(129)
John W. Bashford	" " " "	(129)
David Jennings	" " " "	(129)
B. F. Parker	received nine	(9)
Chas. Alexander	" "	(9)
J. C. Plumb	" "	(9)
T. J. Patchen	" "	(9)
J. H. Penberthy	" "	(9)
T. G. D. Ball	" "	(9)
W. Larson	" "	(9)
F. W. Cole	" "	(9)
G. W. Bowman	" "	(9)
D. P. Spoons	" "	(9)
Jas. S. Wilson	" "	(9)
Amos B. Severance	received One	(1)
John G. Riedel	" "	(1)
Geo. Geb.	" "	(1)
Black. Hewitt	" "	(1)
John Conner	" "	(1)
Otto Gallus	" "	(1)
Chas. Hatch	" "	(1)
Isaac Crawford	" "	(1)
Norris Pierce	" "	(1)
L. L. Sutliff	" "	(1)
Anton M. Munn	" "	(1)

The whole number of votes given for Governor was two hundred and fifty-nine (259)

Of which number
 J. D. Hoard rec'd, One hundred and twenty four (124)
 James Morgan " One hundred and twenty eight (128)
 E. G. Dubaut " Seven (7)

For Lieutenant Governor Two hundred and fifty (250)

of which number,
 Geo. W. Ryland rec'd, One hundred and twenty one (121) votes
 Andrew Hull " One hundred and twenty nine (129) "
 Chris Larson " Nine (9) "
 Nelson G. Allen " One (1) "

For Secretary of State

Two hundred and sixty (260) of which number
 Ernest G. Timme rec'd. One hundred and twenty one (121) votes.
 August C. Larson .. One hundred and twenty nine (129) ..
 Nelson LaDuc .. Nine (9) ..
 Wnd M. Lockwood .. One (1) vote.

For State Treasurer - Two hundred and sixty
 (260) of which number,
 Henry B. Harshaw rec'd. One hundred and twenty one (121) votes
 Theo. Kerster .. One hundred and twenty nine (129) ..
 L. W. White .. Nine (9) ..
 Alford. Manheimer .. One (1) vote.

For Attorney General Two hundred and sixty
 (260) of which number,
 Chas. G. Estabrook rec'd. One hundred and twenty one (121) votes.
 Timothy E. Ryan .. One hundred and twenty nine (129) ..
 Chas. G. Pike .. Nine (9) ..
 Kerellio Shawson .. One (1) vote.

For State Superintendent Two hundred
 and sixty (260) of which number,
 Jesse B. Thayer rec'd. One hundred and twenty one (121)
 Amos Squire .. One hundred and twenty nine (129)
 J. H. Gould .. Nine (9)
 Joseph W. Stewart .. One (1)

For Railroad Commissioner, Two hundred,
 and sixty (260) of which number,
 Atley Peterson rec'd. One hundred and twenty seven (127) votes
 Herman Haber .. One hundred and twenty three (123) ..
 E. W. Drake .. Nine (9) ..
 Frank J. Heris .. One (1) ..

For Commissioner of Insurance Two hundred
 and sixty (260) of which number,
 Phillip Cheek jr. rec'd. One hundred and twenty one (121) votes.
 Evan W. Evans .. One hundred and twenty nine (129) ..
 S. M. Pixby .. Nine (9) ..
 Britner Stephens .. One (1) vote.

The whole number of votes given for
 Representative in Congress for the 3rd Congres-
 sional District, was Two hundred and fifty seven
 (257) of which number,

Robert M. LaFollette rec'd. One hundred and twenty five (125) votes
 John B. Parkerson .. " " " " (125) ..
 G. C. Richmond .. Seven (7) ..

The whole number of votes given for State Senator for the Twenty sixth (26) Senate District, for the term commencing on the first Monday, of January, A.D. 1889, was Two hundred and fifty eight (258) of which number

Willet S. Main	rec'd. One hundred and thirty eight (138)
Michael Johnson	.. One hundred and twenty (120)
D. W. Hottle	.. Seven (7)

The whole number of votes given for member of Assembly for the First (1) Assembly District, in the County of Dane, for the term commencing on the first Monday of January, A.D. 1889, was Two hundred and fifty seven (257) of which number,

David Stephens	rec'd. One hundred and seventeen (117) votes
James M. Clancy	.. One hundred and thirty one (131) ..
J. W. Skarouse	.. Nine (9) ..

The whole number of votes given for Sheriff for the term commencing on the first Monday of January, A.D. 1889, was Two hundred and fifty eight (258) of which number

Ralph C. Vernon	rec'd. One hundred and twenty eight (128)
Wm. Agilvie	.. One hundred and twenty four (124)
R. A. Johnson	.. Six (6)

The whole number of votes given for County Clerk, for the term commencing on the first Monday of January, A.D. 1889, was Two hundred and fifty seven (257) of which number,

Jacob Esser Jr.	rec'd. One hundred and sixteen (116) votes
August Haak	.. One hundred and thirty two (132) ..
H. H. Bissell	.. Nine (9) ..

The whole number of votes given for County Treasurer, for the term commencing on the first Monday of January, A.D. 1889, was Two hundred and fifty seven (257) of which number,

Sam. S. Guide	rec'd. One hundred and seventeen (117) votes
Edwin C. Drotuing	.. One hundred and thirty one (131) ..
Clara Meyers	.. Nine (9) ..

The whole number of votes given for Register of Deeds, for the term commencing on the first Monday of January, A.D. 1889, was Two hundred and fifty three (253) of which number

Geo. F. Rowell	rec'd. One hundred and twenty two (122) votes
Chas. Glover (122) ..
Thomas Demery	.. Nine (9) ..

The whole number of votes given for District Attorney for the term commencing on the first Monday of January, A.D. 1889, was Two hundred and fifty six (256) of which number John L. Erdoll rec'd. One hundred and thirty one (131) votes.
 John H. Parkman .. One hundred and sixteen (116) ..
 Geo. Legge .. Nine (9) ..

The whole number of votes given for Clerk of Circuit Court, for the term commencing on the first Monday of January, A.D. 1889, was Two hundred and fifty seven (257) of which number John O. Connell rec'd. One hundred and twenty nine (129) votes.
 E. J. Collins .. One hundred and nineteen (119) ..
 D. C. Salisbury .. Nine (9) ..

The whole number of votes given for County Surveyor for the term commencing on the first Monday of January, A.D. 1889, was Two hundred and fifty four (254) of which number Geo. W. Brown rec'd. One hundred and twenty one (121) votes.
 John Conner .. One hundred and twenty four (124) ..
 J. P. Paine .. Nine (9) ..

The whole number of votes given for Coroner for the term commencing on the first Monday of January, A.D. 1889, was Two hundred and fifty seven (257) of which number H. H. Helms, rec'd. One hundred and twenty one (121) votes.
 Ed Ryan .. One hundred and twenty seven (127) ..
 W. W. Fisher .. Nine (9) ..

The whole number of votes given for County Superintendent of Schools, for the term commencing on the first Monday of January, A.D. 1889, was One hundred and sixty five (165) of which number Sylvanus Ames rec'd. One hundred and fifty six (156) votes.
 C. F. Cronk .. Nine (9) ..

We hereby certify that the foregoing statement is correct in all respects.

Dated November 6, A.D. 1888.

Daniel Bechte } Inspectors
 Niels Johnson }
 Lawrence Eighmy } Election
 Frank Siggelkow }
 C. Ward } Clerks of Election
 Witnessed November 8th 1888
 Frank Siggelkow
 Town Clerk

Minutes of the meeting of the Town Board of audit- Dec. 4th 1888

The following bills were allowed and orders drawn for same as follows.

Order No 11	Sam H. Lewis for mason work on starkweather Bridge	\$ 25.00
" " 12	" " " " Balance due in " " " "	20.00
" " 13	" " " " work on Bridge Road Dist No 1 in 1887	1.50
" " 14	John Walterchilo work on starkweather Road	13.50
" " 15	A. G. Estes " stone furnished starkweather Bridge	38.05
" " 16	Buttingham & Nixon for lumber furnished R. & Dist No 1	51.16
" " 17	Vorhau & Mason " " " " dists	48.28
" " 18	Ole Johnson for sand furnished Road dist No 1	17.00
" " 19	Ed Mesenger for work on starkweather Road	1.50
" " 20	John Johnson " " " " " "	1.50
" " 21	Kiel Johnson " " " " " "	4.25
" " 22	John Johnson " " " " " "	4.00
" " 23	Henry Mesenger " " " " " "	1.50
" " 24	Leis Fenrit " " " " " "	1.50
" " 25	C. R. Sleink Co. Lumber and nails furnished R. & dist No 13	18.38
" " 26	Frank Siggelkow paying assessment to 4 on town hall	1.60
" " 27	Fred Proster " work on starkweather Road	4.00
" " 28	Patrick Mahoney " " " " " "	6.00
" " 29	F. C. Hostmeier " service as assessor 1888	75.00
" " 30	Laurance Eichling " service as supervisor	15.00
" " 31	Daniel Bechtel " " " " " "	27.00
" " 32	Claraue Ward " clerk of election	2.00
" " 33	Kiel Johnson " service as supervisor	18.00
" " 34	Michael Wadden for work on starkweather road	4.50
" " 35	Frank Siggelkow " service as Town Clerk	30.00

Frank Siggelkow
Town Clerk

Meeting of the Board of Supervisors at the town clerk's office, March 20 1884

Board settled with town Treasurer and audited and allowed the following bills

Order No 37	F. C. Hostmeier putting up railing on starkweather Rd	\$ 5.00
" " 38	Ed Stridt for repairing saws	3.50
" " 39	A. G. Estes one end of stone furnished at starkweather Rd	2.50
" " 40	Frank Siggelkow for making out R. & warrant	5.00
" " 41	Frank Siggelkow for stationery for town purpose	3.00
" " 42	Frank Siggelkow " service as town clerk	40.00
" " 43	Thomas Johnson " Hauling culvert pipes	2.00
" " 44	Daniel Bechtel " " " " " "	3.00
" " 45	Kiel Johnson " service as Supervisor	2.00
" " 46	John Vonchou " work on starkweather road	1.50

Frank Siggelkow
Town Clerk

Minutes of annual town meeting held in
and for April 2 1889 at the Town Hall

Subjects were shown by the clerk and
clerk were shown by the chairman.

Rolls opened by proclamation at 9.30 a. m.
Rolls closed at 12 m. for one hour, opened at
1 o'clock p. m. at 2 p. m. report read, moved and
seconded to accept and adopt report (not in order)

The following persons were elected members of
highways.

- Road District - No 1 Godlieb Korfmacher
 2 Henry Hunsburg
 3 R. D. Pratt
 4 Henry Wissinger
 5 Mr. H. Gallagher
 6 J. R. Hestand
 7 J. L. Ferris
 8 P. C. Kossmeier
 9 John Vandron
 10 Samuel Miller
 11 John Keiser
 12
 13 Carl Griffin

Rolls closed at 5 o'clock p. m. ballots counted
and found to agree with roll lists.

Orders made accordingly to town.

Recorded April 3 1889

Pratt Siggeffron
 Town Clerk

Statement by Inspectors of result of
 Election of a town meeting
 The following is a true and correct statement
 of the result of an election at a town meeting
 held at the town hall in the town of
 Blooming Grove in the County of Lewis on the
 2 day of April 1884.

The whole number of votes cast
 for chairman of Supervisors was 134
 of which number Lawrence Eighmy received
 132 R. D. Frost 3, whole number of votes
 cast for Supervisors was 268 of which number
 Neils Johnson received 133, John W. Dickhaut
 133, whole number of votes cast for town clerk
 was 133 of which number W. W. Wahr received
 133, whole number of votes cast for town
 Treasurer was 134 of which number C. Klein
 received 80, A. E. Lanning 51, A. Barrant 4.
 Whole number of votes cast for assessor was
 134 of which number P. L. Horstmerer
 received 132 R. D. Frost 1, M. Cousin 1.
 Whole number of vote cast for Justice of Peace
 was for full term was 268 of which number
 H. Petus received 131, R. D. Frost 131,
 R. P. Pinn 3, J. W. Eddy 3 whole number of votes cast
 for Justice of Peace for this vacancy was 265 of
 which number H. Walchberger received 134,
 P. L. Horstmerer 131,
 Whole number of votes cast for constable
 was 401 of which number John Dacks received
 131, John Keiser 133, H. Spueh 131,
 G. Smith 3 J. Maddox 3.

We hereby certify that the foregoing statement
 is correct given under our hands at Blooming
 Grove the 2 day of April 1884

Daniel Bechtel
 Neils Johnson
 Lawrence Eighmy } Inspectors

For Clerk
 Siggeman
 Corn Clark

Certificate of determination of Board elect-
 County of Dane }
 Town of Blooming Grove } S.S.

we the undersigned
 inspectors of the election held at the
 time and place specified in the within
 statement by us supervised, do hereby
 certify that the within named Lemuel Eisinger
 is duly elected to the office of chairman
 of Supervisors of said town and that
 Nels Johnson and John Wiedenbeck are
 duly elected to the office of Supervisors
 of said town, That Mrs. Wahr is duly
 elected to the office of town clerk of
 said town, That Albert Klering
 is duly elected to the office of town
 Treasurer of said town, That A. L. Hostman
 is duly elected to the office of assessor
 of said town, That H. Peters and
 R. D. Frost are duly elected Justices
 of Peace for the term of two years, and
 That H. Wildhagen and A. L. Hostman
 are duly elected to the office of Justice of
 the Peace for the term of one year
 That John Dubas and John Wessner and
 H. Speck are duly elected to the
 office of constable of said town

In witness whereof we have hereunto
 set our hands this second day of April 1889

Daniel Bechtel
 Nels Johnson } Inspectors
 Lemuel Eisinger }

Frank Siggelkong
 Town Clerk

Minutes of Judicial Election held in and for the town of Blooming Grove April 2 1884.
 Poll opened at 9:30 A.M. closed at sundown
 Poll lists compared and found to agree.
 Ballots counted and found to agree with Poll list.
 Canvass taken according to Law.
 Recorded April 3 1884
 Frank Siggelton
 Town Clerk

Statement of the Result of a Judicial Election held in and for the town of Blooming Grove in the county of Deane State of Wisconsin on the first ~~second~~ day of April 1884 made by the Inspectors of Election in and for the town of Blooming Grove.
 The whole number of votes given for Associate Justice of Supreme Court was one hundred and twenty two (122) of which number John B. Cassiday received one hundred and twenty two (122)

The whole number of votes given for County Judge of Deane County was one hundred and twenty two (122) of which number James B. Carpenter received one hundred and twenty two (122)

We here by certify that the foregoing statement is correct in all respects
 Dated April 2 1884

David Bechtel
 Willis Johnson } Inspectors
 James Eighon }

Frank Siggelton
 Town Clerk

Statement of the result of a Municipal Election held in and for the town of Blooming Grove in the county of Deane State of Wisconsin on the 2 day of April 1884 made by the Inspectors of Election in and for the town of Blooming Grove.
 The whole number of votes given for Municipal Judge was one hundred and twenty two (122) of which number John H. Grouser received eighty (80) of which number Elisha W. Keys received forty two (42)

We here by certify that the foregoing statement is correct in all respects. Dated April 2 1884
 David Bechtel
 Willis Johnson } Inspectors
 James Eighon }
 Frank Siggelton
 Town Clerk

Meeting of the Board of Supervisors
 April 5th 1889
 The Town Board met at the above date at the Town Hall for the Purpose of fixing a highway tax for said year
 it was ordered and Determined that there be a highway tax of 3 mills on the Dollar be levied on all the Taxable Property of the Town The Town Board accepted Mr Christ Klaines Bond for Town Treasurer and filed with the Clerk the Clerk Collected the action of the Board to the effect of appointing a Board of Health Commissioners but no action was taken
 Done this 5th of April 1889
 Wm Ueber
 Town Clerk

Meeting of the Board of review
 June 24 1889
 The Board of review met at the Town house for the Purpose of reviewing the assessment roll for the year 1889 and made the following changes
 Geo Soelck NW 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec 4 from 900 to 1200
 Casper Stark NW 1/2 SE 1/4 13 " 1800 " 1700
 Christ Fisher E 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec 13 from 600 to 800
 James Nolan NW 1/4 NW 1/4 " 21 " 900 " 1100
 The Board Deeming the funds insufficient to meet the current Expenses it was decided to Levy an additional Tax of two hundred Dollars
 The following Bills were audited and orders Drawn
 Bill no 4 Lawrence Eighmy for Sewer Pipe 104.71
 " " 5 Erik Helgerson for work on Bridge 14.50
 " " 6 Joonas Johnson " " " " 10 50
 " " 7 John Groff " " " " " "
 " " 8 O S Olsen for Stakes for Bridge 6.95
 " " 9 Birmingham & Hixon for Lumber " " 171.24
 " " 10 Lewis G. Gumbkins for Drums Cem 9.72
 " " J J Sheldon for Drapers for Town 21.25
 " " J. E. Herstweier Part. Rept for assessing 50.00
 Wm Ueber
 Town Clerk

P.S. appointed Lever Thompson Comishner of Canada physical

The Minutes of the Board of Audit -
held on the third day of Dec 1889. the following
Bills were Examined and allowed

Order 15	John Watterschite Labor + gravel on Starkweather Road	17.50
" 16	Jared Schminning gravel furnished P. Dept - 6 + 13	14 00
" 17	John Pflaum Jr for work on Starkweather Road	5.50
" 18	John Weidentuck Services as Supervisor + Puff Bridge	13 00
" 19	Herman Puffer Work on Starkweather Road	4 00
" 20	Gus a Puffer Work on Bridge	1 50
" 21	Jacob Rhoedenfeld work on Starkweather Road	2 50
" 22	C R Stein + ced. Timber for Bridge	30 75
" 23	John Pueli Work on Bridge	1 50
" 24	Eel Weisinger Work on Starkweather Road	2.50
" 25	C A Bossante " " " "	1 50
" 26	Bringham + Hixon Lumber for Bridge	31.50
" 27	Lawrence Eighmy Lumber Spikes + nails	4 90
" 28	James Nolan Work on Starkweather Road	14 00
29	C S Olson Wire for Cemetery fence	2.40
30	Hobbes Holverson Rebuilding Bridge P. Dept	37 50
" 31	Ale Johnson Work on Starkweather Road	4.00
32	Ale S Johnson " " " "	4 00
33	Neils Johnson " " " Spikes	5 42
34	Neils Johnson Services as Supervisor	5 00
35	Michael Conlin Work on Starkweather Road	2 50
36	M M Conlin " " " "	3 00
37	Levor Thompson Services as Weed Comdr	23 00
38	Lawrence Eighmy Services as Supervisor	30 75
39	Bringham + Hixon Lumber for Bridge	5.76
40	Neils John Services as Supervisor	14 00
41	Carl Bacht - 8 cords of Stems	12 00
42	Henry Weisinger work on Starkweather Road	5.50
43	M Madelin " " " "	9 50
44	Luge Jennet " " " "	1 50
45	Jes Conlin " " " "	4 00
46	Hans Johnson " " " "	4 00
47	Andrew Nelson " " " "	4 00
48	Wm Maher making Road Worms	5 00
49	Wm Maher Services as Lumber Clerk	35 00
50	John Johnson Work on Starkweather Road	1 50
51	J W Tompkins " " " "	4 00
52	J L Horstmeier Bat for Lumber + Assessor	25 00

Wm Maher
Lumber Clerk

Meeting of the Board of Supervisors March 25th 1890
at the Clerk's office and settled with the Treasurer
after which they set auditors and drew the following
orders

order No 54 to H. C. Moulton for making Election Books \$ 13.05
 " " 55 to Ole Johnson for wood furnished for road 2.50
 " " 56 " Wm. Baker for Stationery and order book for same 5.13
 Wm. Baker
 Town Clerk

The Minutes of the annual Town meeting of the Town
of Blooming Grove held at the Town House on the
first day of April 1890 the inspectors were sworn by
the clerk and the clerks were sworn by the chairman
the Polls were opened by Proclamation at 10:30 am
at 12 o'clock all the Polls were closed for one hour
at one o'clock PM the Poll was reopened after which
the meeting was called to order and the annual report
was read and on motion was adopted
the following road overseers were elected for the
Several Districts as follows.

road District No	one	Godlieb Korfmacher
" " "	2	Daniel Bechtel
" " "	3	D. W. Jonckheer
" " "	4	Henry Weisinger
" " "	5	Wm. H. Gallagher
" " "	6	J. R. H. H. H.
" " "	7	Wm. Weber
" " "	8	Henryman Pepper
" " "	9	Gilbert F. Johnson
" " "	10	Samuel Miller
" " "	11	John Keiser
" " "	12	John Sutherland
" " "	13	Israel Schimming born gorben

a resolution was offered by G. G. Ester that the Town
Board be requested to notify the C. O. W. R. R. Co
to raise their grade and widen the same at their
crossing on in road District No 5 in the Town
of Blooming Grove

a resolution was offered as follows that it is the
sentiment of the voters of the town that there be
no license granted for the sale of intoxicating
liquor in said town except for a public house and that
be left to the discretion of the Board of

a motion was then made that there was license
granted in said town being submitted to a vote & defeat
then a Division of the House was then called for
which resulted in its Defeat there being no
further Business the Polls was Delivered again hence
at five o'clock P.M. the Polls for the voting
of town officers was closed and the Ballots
counted and found to agree with the Poll Lists
and Counters Was made according to form
number April the second 1840

Wm Maher
Town Clerk

Statement of the Inspector of Election for the
Town meeting the following is a true and correct
Statement of the result of an Election held at the
Town to all of the Town of Blooming Green held for said
town on the first Day of April, 1840 Setting forth
the whole Number of votes cast for each ~~Person~~ office
the Names of the Persons for whom such votes was given
and the Number given for each Person the whole
Number of votes given for Chairman of the Board of
Supervisors was Eighty-five of which Number Lawrence
Eighty Recused Eighty-five the whole Number of votes given
for associate Supervisors was one hundred and sixty
Eight of which Number Nels Johnson Recd Eighty
five and John Weidenbeck Recd Eighty three the
whole Number of votes given for Town Clerk was
Eighty five of which Number Wm Maher Recd Eighty
five the whole Number of votes given for
Treasurer was Eighty five of which Number
Casper H Stork Recd Eighty five the whole
Number of votes given for Assessor was Eighty
four of which Number Henry Peters Recd
Eighty four the whole Number of votes given for
Justice of the Peace for full term one hundred and
seventy of which Number Henry Willhagen Recd
Eighty five and A E Lansing Recd Eighty five
the whole Number of votes given for Justice of the Peace
to fill vacancy was one hundred and seventy of which
Number Christ Frysher Recd Eighty five and
J. L. H. Orstmeier Recd Eighty five the whole
Number of votes given for Constables was one hundred
and fifty five of which Number Daniel Bechtel
Recd Eighty five and A G Estes Recd Eighty five and
Henry Peters Recd Eighty five

we hereby certify that the foregoing statement is correct
given under our hands this first day of April 1890

Lawrence Eighmy
Niels Johnson
John Weidenbeck

Inspectors

Wm. W. W. W.

Jour. Clerk

Certificate of Determination of Persons Elected
County of Boone
State of W. Va. } S

we the inspectors of the election held at the time and
place set forth in the foregoing have determined that the within
named Lawrence Eighmy is duly elected to the office of clerk of
the Board of Supervisors and Niels Johnson and John
Weidenbeck are duly elected to the office of Supervisors and
Wm. W. W. is duly elected to the office of Jour. Clerk and
Casper H. Stork is duly elected to the office of Treasurer and
Henry Peters is duly elected to the office of Assessor and
Henry Wildhagen and C. E. Lausing are duly
elected to the office of Justice of the Peace for full term
and Christ Fisher and J. G. H. H. are
duly elected to the office of Justice of the Peace
to fill vacancy and Daniel Rechter and C. G.
Estep and Henry Peters are duly elected to
the office of Constables

we here by certify that the foregoing statement
is correct given under our hands this first day of
April 1890

Lawrence Eighmy
Niels Johnson
John Weidenbeck

inspectors

Wm. W. W.
Jour. Clerk

Minutes of the Judicial Election held at the Court House
in the Town of Blooming Grove on the first day of April
1890 the Polls was opened by Proclamation at 10:30 am
and closed for one hour at noon resumed at one o'clock
and closed at sundown and Ballots counted
and compared with Poll list

recorded this second day of April 1890

Wm. W. W.
Jour. Clerk

Statement of the Judicial Election held at the time and place set forth in the foregoing the whole Number of votes given for Judge of the Ninth Judicial Circuit in the to fill vacancy in the above named Town was Eighty of which Number Robert - G Siebecke Recd Seventy Nine and Blank one the whole Number of votes for Judge of the Ninth Judicial Circuit for full term in the above named Town was Twenty five of which Number Robert - G Siebecke Recd
 we here by Certify that the foregoing Statement is correct given under our hands this first Day of April 1890

Lawrence Eshing }
 Charles Johnson } Justices
 John Wiedenbeck } W. Maher

John Clerk

Minutes of the Board of Supervisors for the meeting held at the Town House on the Eight Day of April 1890 for the purpose of making out the Road Warrants and fixing the Tax for the ensuing year - the Board determined that would fixing a Tax of 3 mills on the Dollar on all the Taxable Property there in for to be expended on the several Road Districts for the year 1890 they audited and drew orders for the following bills

order no one	to J. L. to construct services as Clerk of Election	\$2.00
" "	2 John E. H. instance " as Ballot Clerk "	\$2.00
" "	3 J. H. Kleins " " " "	\$2.00
" "	4 W. Maher Bal for services as Town Clerk	\$40.00

after which they proceeded to make out the following road warrants District no 3 District no 4 and District no 13 dated Blooming Grove April Eight 1890 W. Maher Town Clerk

minutes of the Board of review which meet at the Town Hall on the 30th day of June 1890
 Present the Board of Supervisors Clerk and assessor at 9 o'clock they proceeded to examine the assessment roll for the year of 1890 when they made the following changes reduced W 1/2 lot 5 Sec 5 quas Rauther from 600. 55.00
 lot 109 " " Jiny Sullivan " 400. 300
 N 1/2 S W 1/4 S W 1/4 R P Spaulding " 1100. 1000
 N W 1/4 N W 1/4 Sec 21 James Alden " 1100 1000
 it was decided by a majority of the Board to grant a liquor license to Tony awatha for two months the Chairman said before the Board the matter of settling with the Person Injured on Sec 5 in the Town of Blooming Grove it was decided for the Present to take no action on the matter at Present

for State Treasurer the whole number of votes cast - 8210
 was two hundred + eighteen
 of which number Robert Jones rec Eight 8
 Albert B Gifford rec Eighty 80
 John Good " one hundred + twenty nine 129
 Alfred Manheimer rec one
 for attorney general two hundred + sixteen 216
 of which number J. J. O'Connor rec one hundred
 and thirty two 132
 James O'Keefe rec Eighty 80
 Michael Phil " "
 Byron E. Gorenstein rec four 4
 for State Supt - two hundred + nineteen 219
 of which J. Harvey rec Eighty seven 87
 Henry Linnis rec seven 7
 J. D. Stewart rec one 1
 C. E. Wells rec one hundred + twenty four 124
 for Railroad Commissioner two hundred + eighteen 218
 Belle Bishop
 John G. Block rec nine 9
 Laver E. Brimi rec Eighty-three 83
 Thomas Thompson rec one hundred + twenty six 126
 for Governor Commissioner two hundred and sixteen 216
 of which number Ches Hatch rec one 1
 Andrew Petersen rec seven 7
 W. M. Root - rec one hundred and twenty five 125
 David Schirmer rec Eighty-three 83
 the whole number of votes given for representation in
 Congress for third Congressional District
 was two hundred and twenty-two 222
 of which number Morian Ayres rec six 6
 A. P. Buehrle rec one hundred and twenty-five 125
 F. M. Sappelle rec thirty one 31
 the whole number of votes given for member of assembly
 for the first assembly District - in the County of Paul
 for the term commencing on the first Monday of January 1891
 was one hundred and eighty-eight 188
 of which number Harry E. Briggs rec one hundred and fifteen 115
 Carl Rasmussen rec sixty-eight 68
 Osmund Gundersen rec five 5
 the whole number of votes given for Sheriff for the
 term commencing on the first Monday of January A.D. 1891
 was two hundred and twenty three 223
 of which no John M. Estes rec thirty two 32
 C. W. Mead rec one hundred and twenty seven 127
 John Schuman rec four 4

the whole number of votes given for County Clerk
for the term commencing on the first Monday of January A.D. 1891
was two hundred and seventeen 217
of which No. Jacob Esper recd seventy-five 75
W.W. Fisher recd five 6

Oscar Plattauer recd one hundred and thirty seven 137

the whole number of votes given for County Treasurer
for the term commencing on the first Monday of Jan. A.D. 1891
was two hundred and fifteen 215-

of which number H. S. Grindis recd Eighty-four 84
Erick E. Fadd recd one hundred and twenty-five 125-

O. M. Turner recd six 6

the whole number of votes given for Registrar of Deeds
for the term commencing on the first Monday A.D. 1891
was two hundred and sixteen 216

of which number Ed Esperett recd forty 4

E. W. Lawrence recd one hundred and fifty one 151

Geo. J. Powell recd sixty-one 61

the whole number of votes given for District-attorney
for the term commencing on the first Monday of January
A.D. 1891 was two hundred and seventeen 217

of which number John F. Endell recd Eighty-seven 87

John W. Feary recd one hundred and twenty four 124

G. J. Martin recd six 6

the whole no. of votes given for Clerk of the Circuit-
Court for the term commencing on the first Monday
of January A.D. 1891 was two hundred and twenty one 221

of which number A. B. Campbell recd five 5

Wm. Fehleandt recd one hundred and twenty seven 127

John O. Cornell recd Eighty nine 89

the whole number of votes given for County Surveyor for
the term commencing on the first Monday in January
A.D. 1891 was two hundred and twelve 212

of which number Geo. W. Brown recd Eighty four 84

MacLellan Dodge recd one hundred and twenty eight 128

the whole number of votes given for coroner for the term
commencing on the first Monday of January A.D. 1891
was two hundred and fourteen 214

of which number Geo. Cone recd seven 7

Elou Breffs recd Eighty three 83

Samuel Lament recd one hundred and twenty four 124

the whole number of votes given for County Sub-Commissioner
for the term commencing on the first Monday of January
A.D. 1891 was one hundred and ninety two 192

of which number Sylvanus Anur recd Eighty seven 87

W. E. Lament recd one hundred and five 105

we here by Certify that the foregoing statement is correct in all respects Dated Nov 4th A.D 1890

Lawrence Eighmy } Inspectors
Niels Johnson } of
John Weidenbeck } Election

Wm Waker } Clerk
J R Estes } of Election

inclosed November the seventh 1890
Wm Waker
Treasurer

Minutes of the Board of Audit which met at the Town house in the Town of Blooming Grove on the second day of December A.D 1890

the following Bills were Examined and allowed and orders drawn for the same

order No 6	Brittingham & Hixon for Lumber furnished Town.	33.36
" " 7	J. B. Kleine Survey as Ballot Clerk	2.00
" " 8	C R Amath repairing Scrapers	2.90
" " 9	Lawrence Eighmy for Payment of assessment of Tax	1.60
" " 10	Spiegel & Knehl wine & oils	1.00
" " 11	C R Stein & Co Lumber for Town	42.72
" " 12	Ed Stridt, repairing scrapers	2.75
" " 13	Niels Johnson services as Supervisor	17.00
" " 14	John Weidenbeck " " "	15.00
" " 15	W Conlin work on Starkweather road	2.50
" " 16	Lewis Hildreth mowing Cemetery	8.00
" " 17	Lawrence Eighmy Survey as Supervisor	19.71
" " 18	John Walterscheid work on Starkweather road	5.25
" " 19	John Conlin " " "	3.00
" " 20	Peter's Barlius mowing roads on Starkweather road	.75
" " 21	Hegner's Peter's Survey as assessor	75.00
" " 22	John Peck's work on road East of 13	2.50
" " 23	Gus Peuther " " " " " "	2.50
" " 24	Carl Garben " " " " " "	6.88
" " 25	Christ Wessel labor & gravel on road in or 13	13.38
" " 26	J. E. Stianel Ballot Clerk	2.00
" " 27	John Grandrau work on Starkweather road	4.00
" " 28	Ed Weisiger " " " " " "	1.25
" " 29	Hans Johnson " " " " " "	4.00
" " 30	J R Estes Clerk of Election	2.00

order no 31	Wm Woaher	Services as Town Clerk	35.00
" " 32	" "	making out road Warrants	5.00
" " 33	" "	Stationary & Ballot Box	3.70
" " 34	Sever Thompson	Services as road Commissioner	12.00
	Wm Woaher		
		Town Clerk	

Meeting of the Board of Supervisors at the Clerk's office for the purpose of settling with the Treasurer after which they audited and drew orders for the following Purposes

order no 35	Wm Woaher	Sal for Town J. Clerk	\$ 30.00
" " 36	Wells Johnson	for Nails furnished	.60
" " 37	John Wallerscheid	work on St. Road	.75
	Preceded Apr the first 1891	Wm Woaher	
		Town Clerk	

Minutes of the annual Town meeting held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove on the seventh day of April 1891

the inspectors were sworn by the Clerk and the Clerks were sworn by the Chairman the Palls was opened by Proclamation at 9:30 AM and was at noon for one hour. at one o'clock the Palls was declared reopened. and at 2 PM the annual report of the Board of Supervisors was read. and on motion of a 9 Cetes the sum of one hundred Dollars was added to the amount recommended by the Supervisors. and that the same be expended on the Starkwehly road. after which the report was adopted the meeting then proceeded to Elect Road overseers for the several Districts as follows

1	Olle Johnson
2	Casper Storch Sr
3	D W Tompkins
4	Henry Weisinger
5	W H Gallagher
6	H H Davis
7	
8	Thos J Ellsbee
9	John Blain
10	
11	thos Johnson
12	John Nael
13	Carl Garber

there being no further Business. The Polls was Declared
 reaped and from a Clock^{PM} the Polls for the Election
 of Town officers was Declared Closed and Ballots Counted
 and found to compare with the Poll list and
 Canner made according to Law. Wm. Maher Town Clerk
 Statement of the suspicious of Town meeting of the
 Town of Blooming Grove held on the Seventh day of
 April 1891 the following is a true and correct
 Statement of the above mentioned Election setting
 forth the whole number of votes cast for each office the
 names of each person for whom such votes was given
 and the number of votes given for each person
 the whole number of votes given for Chairman was
 Eighty 80 of which number J. Eighmy Recd Eighty 80
 the whole number of votes cast for assisat Supervisor
 was one hundred and fifty four 154
 of which number Christ / Marie Recd Seventy seven 77
 and H. Olver H. Olverson Recd Seventy seven 77
 the whole number of votes cast for Town Clerk
 was Eighty one 81 of which number Wm. Maher
 Recd Eighty 80 and Daniel Bickler one 1
 the whole number of votes cast for Treasurer was
 Eighty 80 of which number G. Asper H. Storck Recd
 Eighty 80 the whole number of votes cast for
 assessor was Seventy two 72 of which number
 H. Peters Recd Seventy one 71 and J. C.
 Hornstener Recd one 1 the whole number of
 votes cast for Justice of the Peace was two
 hundred and forty two 242 of which number
 J. C. Hornstener Recd Eighty ~~and~~ 80 and Daniel
 Bickler Eighty one 81 and Lauring Recd
 Eighty one 81 the whole number of votes given for
 Constables was two hundred and thirty nine 239
 of which number H. Peters Recd Seventy nine 79
 and Jehu Patterson Recd Seventy seven 77
 and John F. Greaser Recd Eighty 80 and
 Geo. Smith Recd one 1

we hereby certify that the foregoing statement
 is correct given under our hands this 7th day of
 April 1891

J. Eighmy }
 H. O. Johnson } Inspectors
 J. Vanhosen }
 Wm. Maher
 Town Clerk

Certificate of Determination of Persons Elected
 we the inspectors of the Election set forth in the form
 going have determined that the within named
 Lawrence Eighmy is duly Elected to the office of
 Chairman of the Board of Supervisors and Christ-
 Klein and Halvor Halverson is duly Elected
 to the office associate Supervisors and that
 Wmahr is duly Elected to the office of Town Clerk
 and Casper H. Shuck is duly Elected to the office
 of Treasurer and H. Petib Sr is duly Elected
 to the office of assessor and J. C. Westmeier
 and Daniel Bechtel and A. E. Fanning are duly
 Elected to the office Justice of the Peace and
 Perry Reber Jr and John Patterson and John
 H. Meiser are duly Elected to the office of Constable

Recorded April 9th 1891 Wmahr J.C.

we the inspectors of the foregoing Election
 hereby certify that it is a correct statement
 given under our hands this Seventh day of
 April 1891

L. Eighmy } inspectors
 O. H. Johnson }
 J. F. Ventrone }
 Wmahr Town Clerk

Minutes of the Judicial Election held in
 the town of Blommy Grove on the seventh day of
 April 1891 the Polls were opened at 9:30 AM
 and closed at sundown and Ballots counted
 and found to compare with Poll list and
 returns made according to law the whole
 number of valid cast for associate Justice of
 the Supreme Court for the full term to
 commence on the first Monday in January
 1892 was seventy seven
 of which number J. H. Pimpy had sixty-three
 and E. H. Ellis had thirteen
 and blank one

we hereby certify that the above
 statement is correct given under our
 hands this Seventh day of April 1891

Lawrence Eighmy } inspectors
 O. H. Johnson }
 J. F. Ventrone }

Recorded April 9th 1891 Wmahr
 Wmahr Town Clerk

Statement of the votes cast for and against -
 Fience at the annual Town Meeting held at in and
 for the Town of Blooming Grove on the Seventh day
 of April 1891 the whole number of votes cast for and
 against Fience was Seventy Eight / 78 /
 of which number forty one / 41 / was against and
 thirty three for Fience

Recorded April 9th 1891 Wm Maher
 Town Clerk

^{sub} Certificate that the foregoing statement is
 correct given under our hands this Seventh day
 of April 1891

Lawrence E. Egan }
 Nels Johnson } Inspectors
 D F Vaukosen }
 Wm Maher Town Clerk

Minutes of the Board of review which convened at the town
 hall in and for the Town of Blooming Grove on the 29th Day of
 June 1891 there being a vacancy in the Board of Supervisors
 Ernest Sommer was appointed to fill said vacancy and was
 sworn in by the clerk after which the Board of review proceeded
 to examine the assessment roll of said town for the year 1891
 when they made the following changes viz deducting four cents
 also from the fire tax in the several fire houses in
 the town that is from 20 cents at tax to 15 cents also -
 Pernel Peckham was appointed to the vacancy in the office of road
 overseer for District no one proposed by Ole Johnson refusing to
 serve and Gilbert Bradley to fill the vacancy in said office
 for road District no 10 by reason of Wm Mack refusing to
 serve - Joseph Tomlinson was appointed to the office of
 Comptroller of various roads after which they audited and
 allowed the following bills and drew orders for the same

order	no	one	to	Birmingham & Dixon for fuel and Post	10.00
"	"	2	"	D L Sheldon & Co for road & repairs	20.25
"	"	3	"	W L Stein & Co for lumber for town	16.50
"	"	4	"	John E. Nielsen for services as Ballot Clerk	2.00
"	"	5	"	P D Gallagher " " Clerk of Election	2.00
"	"	6	"	J G. Kline " " Ballot Clerk	2.00
"	"	7	"	D F Vaukosen " " of Supervisor	4.00
"	"	8	"	Wm Maher " " Town Clerk	15.00
"	"	9	"	" " for cash paid for Fience Ballot's Press	3.90
"	"	10	"	Nels Johnson services as Supervisor	4.00
"	"	11	"	Perry Peters Jr " " Attestor	75.00

then the meeting adjourned - Wm Maher
 Town Clerk

Minutes of the Board of Audit - which Met at
the Town House in and for the Town of Blooming
Grove the Auditor and allowed and drew
orders for the following accounts -
~~order no 12 - Auditor of J. Feld~~

order no 12	A of J. Feld work on Starkweather road	8.00
" " 13	John Pfleum " " " "	6.50
" " 14	Jaco Anderson " " " "	4.50
" " 15	Jho Boulin " " " "	7.50
" " 16	M Boulin " " " "	10.50
" " 17	Nels Johnson " " " "	9.50
" " 18	Gilbert Johnson Merwin Cemetery	5.84
" " 19	Moss Johnson work on Starkweather road	6.00
" " 20	Carl Goffen work on road Dist no 13	45.46
" " 21	J F Loomis Repr Bridge in road no 7	2.00
" " 22	Jos Jonckin for work on Starkweather road	1.50
" " 23	John Gronbrun " " " "	8.00
" " 24	John Walterschue " " " "	11.00
" " 25	Brettingham & Hixen lumber for fence	28.42
" " 26	" " " " " "	27.92
" " 27	B R F & Co. " " " "	58.27
" " 28	Aug Scheibel Charges for Bridges	3.36
" " 29	Joseph Jambisar Services on land Cem	15.00
" " 30	W. Mahur " " " "	40.00
" " 31	John Conner work on Starkweather road	2.50
" " 32	Chas Vetter " " " "	4.00
" " 33	A G Estes " " " "	1.25
" " 34	B H Bensante " " " "	1.50
" " 35	A Lemery Blasting Stone or rock Dist no 5	1.50
" " 36	Herman Pieffer work on Starkweather road	4.00
" " 37	James Valene " " " "	4.00
" " 38	Lawrence Eising Services on Superior	20.00
" " 39	Sumner & Merri's Contractions	1.40
" " 40	Ernest Tomens Services on Superior	5.00
" " 41	Judson Francis work on Starkweather road	2.50
" " 42	Halow Halowen Services on Superior	13.00

There being no further Business the Board
adjourned

Resolved this first Day of Dec 1881

Wm. A. J. G.

J. G.

meeting

Minutes of the Board of Supervision which met at- Clerks office on the 29th Day of March 1892 Present the Supervisors Treasurer and Clerk at 9 o'clock they met and settled with the Treasurer after which they allowed and drew orders for the following Bales

odr 90	44	Burlington & Dixon lumber & Posts	\$ 29.16
" "	45	A 9 Esbs for one furnished Wood Dist no 5	4.00
" "	46	Whitaker for Stationery	1.41
" "	47	" " for services as Town Clerk	25.00
" "	48	" " " " Punching & Drafting 7 Books	4.00

after which they Proceed to make out the annual report
 Resolved this 2nd Day of April 1892
 Wm Wm Town Clerk

Minutes of the annual Town meeting held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove on the fifth day of April 1892 the Inspectors were sworn by the clerk and the clerks were sworn by the Chairman the Chairman opened the Polls by Proclamation at 9 o'clock and at 12 o'clock in the Polls were closed for one hour at one o'clock P.M. the Polls were resumed and remained open for talk about when the Chairman Proceed to read the annual report on motion of Daniel Bechtel the report was adopted when the Chairman Read the annual tale and on motion the Chairman was instructed to appoint a road commission as heretofore the following persons was elected overseers of Highways for the ensuing year

- Road Dis-no 1 Bernel Bechtel
- " " " 2 H. W. Myer
- " " " 3 D. W. Tompkins
- " " " 4 Henry Weiringer
- " " " 5 Wm H. Gallagher
- " " " 6 John Patterson
- " " " 7 H. B. Horiman
- " " " 8 Ole Nelson
- " " " 9 John Pflaum sr
- " " " 10 J. B. Gilbert
- " " " 11 Thos Johnson
- " " " 12
- " " " 13 Christ. Wessel

on motion of Wm H. Gallagher there was a tax of one hundred and fifty Dollars \$ 150.00 levied to be expended on the streets in the Town then being no further business the Polls were again opened at 5 o'clock the Polls were closed and Ballots counted and found to compare with Poll list and Census made according to the

The following is a true state ment of the reports and clerk of the annual town election held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove on the fifth day of April 1892 setting forth the whole number of votes cast for each office and the number of votes given for each Person the whole number of votes given for Chairman was 115 of which number H. B. Siggelkove recd 38 and Lawrence Eighmy recd 77 the whole number of votes cast for associate Supervisors was 231, of which number Ches Vetter recd 34 and Ernst Hornum recd 116 and Abel Paul 81 the whole number of votes cast for town clerk was 116 of which number Wm Mahler recd 115 and A. Johnson 1. the whole number of votes cast for Treasurer was 116 of which number John M Johnson recd 70 and A E Lawson recd 46 the whole number of votes cast for assessor was 116 of which number M. C. Scouline recd 43 and Henry Petersen recd 72 the whole number of votes cast for Justices of the Peace was 462 of which number Henry Wilchagen recd 116 and Wm H Gallagher recd 115 and Daniel Bechtel recd 116 and John Patterson recd 115 the whole number of votes cast for Constables was 348 of which number Robert Grimm recd 116 and J Eighmy recd 116 and Geo Smith recd 116
 Given under our hands this 6th day of April 1892

Lawrence Eighmy
 H. B. Siggelkove } Inspectors
 Ernst Hornum

Certificate of Determination of Persons elected
 we the inspectors of the election set forth in the foregoing have determined that the result in no case Lawrence Eighmy is duly elected ^{to the office of} Chairman and Ernst Hornum and Abel Johnson are duly elected to the office of associate Supervisors and that Wm Mahler is duly elected to the office of town clerk and that John M Johnson is duly elected to the office of Treasurer and that H. Petersen is duly elected to the office of assessor and that H. Wilchagen and Wm H Gallagher are duly elected to the office of Justice of the Peace for two years and Daniel Bechtel and John Patterson are duly elected to the office of Justice for one year

Minutes of the Board of revenue which met at the Town House in the Town of Blooming Grove on the 27th day of June 1892 for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll for said Town for the year of 1892 on which the \$5,000.00 assessed to S. J. Walbridge was stricken off for the reason that he had not any title or security and had only a contract for deed the following pieces of Land were raised

after which the Board audited and orders were drawn for the same for C. A. Daily for services as Health officer over and over \$5.00
 Wm. Mahan " " " 7 \$15.00
 after which the Board adjourned
 Sine Die
 Wm. Mahan
 Town Clerk

✓ at a meeting called to be held in the Town House of the Town of Blooming Grove on the 27th day of July 1892, for the purpose of considering the question whether or not they would grant a franchise to the Madison City Railway Co. to extend their Railroad from the city limits to the junction of Milwaukee and Maple Avenues in Elmira according to the recorded Plat of said Elmira in or as over the center of the Highway as is provided in was decided to grant the said franchise

Lawrence Eighuy
 Ernst Somers }
 Miles Johnson }
 attest
 Wm. Mahan
 Town Clerk

Dated Blooming Grove
 July 27th 1892

Minutes of the general Election held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove on the 8th day of ^{Nov} April 1892 the inspectors were sworn by the clerk and the clerks were sworn by the chairman the Polls were opened by Proclamation at 9.30 AM by the Chairman and remained open until four o'clock with out intermission at sun down the Polls were Declared closed by the Chairman Polls lists compared and found to compare Ballots counted and found to agree with Polls lists Counts made accordingly to Law

Recorded Nov. 9th 1892 Wm. Mahan
Town Clerk

State ment of the result of the general Election held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove Nov 8th 1892 Made by the inspectors of Election in and for the Town of Blooming Grove to wit the whole number of votes given for electors of President and Vice President of the United States was three thousand & Eighty four

	of which number Gustave Wallager Recd	1301
	and number thirty	1301
Robert J. McBride Recd.	" "	130
Andrew Jensen	" "	130
Michael Johnson	" "	130
John Montgomery Smith	" "	130
John Black	" "	130
Henry B. Schwie	" "	130
Ferdinand J. Fahr	" "	130
James J. Hagau	" "	130
John Wattawa	" "	130
Lewis S. Bailey	" "	130
Wm J. Cirker	" "	130
Sofas B. Miller	" Six	6
Warren C. Jones	" "	6
John C. Plumb	" "	6
Oscar H. Brown	" "	6
John " Penferty	" "	6
Wm Drake	" "	6
James W. Crawford	" "	6
" S. Thompson	" "	6
W. W. Fink	" "	6
Norman K. Brokaw	" "	6
Jacob O. Fielhou	" "	6
Therville K. Thorsdalen	" "	6

John Pritzlaff ^{Real} " one hundred & twenty one	121
Alb. Lorrson " " " " "	121
Frederick W. Coon " " " " "	121
Eli Hawks " " " " "	121
Samuel W. Pease " " " " "	121
Christian S. Otten " " " " "	121
John J. Bruss " " " " "	121
Robert J. D. Patter " " " " "	121
Justin J. Gilford " " " " "	121
Wm. H. Hatten " " " " "	121
Ed. " Winchester " " " " "	121
Freome J. Cal " " " " "	121
The whole number of vols given for Governor	
was two hundred & fifty nine	259
of which number	
Geo. W. Peck Real one hundred & thirty one	131
Thos. B. Richman ka Six	6
John B. Spooner " one hundred & twenty two	122
The whole number of vols cast for Executive Governor	
was two hundred and fifty six	256
of which number	
Chas. Jones Real one hundred & thirty one	131
Gilbert Shepard Real Six	6
John B. Kach " one hundred & nineteen	119
The whole number of vols cast for	
Secretary of State was two hundred & fifty six	256
of which number	
Thos. J. Birmingham Real one hundred & thirty six	136
E. Ford Russell " Six	6
Robert W. Jackson " one hundred & fourteen	114
The whole number of vols given for	
State Treasurer was two hundred & fifty seven	257
of which number	
John Hunter Real one hundred & thirty four	134
" G. Martin " Six	6
Atley Peterson " one hundred & seventeen	117
The whole number of vols given for	
Attorney General was two hundred & fifty seven	257
of which number	
James F. O'Connor Real one hundred & thirty four	134
Francis A. Wallis " Six	6
James O'Neil " one hundred & seventeen	117
The whole number of vols given for	
State Superintendent was two hundred & fifty seven	257
of which number	
Clair E. Wells Real one hundred & thirty three	133

the whole number of votes given for County Clerk for the term commencing on the first Monday of January A.D. 1893 was two hundred & fifty seven

of which number
 Oscar Schottbauer Recd one hundred & forty . 140
 Chas Johnson " six 6
 Henry Baker " one hundred & eleven 111

The whole number of votes given for County Treasurer for the term commencing on the first Monday of January A.D. 1893 was two hundred & fifty seven

of which number
 Erick E. Fells Recd one hundred & thirty five 135
 John Ward " six 6
 George G. Thompson one hundred & sixteen 116

The whole number of votes given for Register of Deeds for the term commencing on the first Monday of January A.D. 1893 was two hundred & fifty eight

of which number
 Edward W. Lawrence Recd one hundred & thirty eight 138
 Wm W. Bewick " six 6
 Joseph H. Barnard one hundred & fourteen 114

The whole number of votes given for District Attorney for the term commencing on the first Monday of January A.D. 1893 was two hundred & fifty six

of which number
 John W. Leary Recd one hundred & thirty three 133
 J. B. Smith " three 3
 Ernst V. Warner one hundred & twenty 120

The whole number of votes given for Clerk of Circuit Court for the term commencing on the first Monday of January A.D. 1893 was two hundred & fifty six

of which number
 Wm Fehlaelt Recd one hundred & thirty two 132
 Wm A. Short " six 6
 Chas W. Helde " one hundred & eighteen 118

The whole number of votes given for County Surveger for the term commencing A.D. 1893 was two hundred & fifty two

of which number
 Mc Clemen Dodge Recd one hundred & thirty two 132
 John A. Mcraight " one hundred & twenty 120

the whole number of votes given for corner for the
terminance on the first Monday of January A.D. 1893
was one hundred & thirty eight 138

Samuel of which number
Samuel Lamont-Rice one hundred & thirty two 132
Arion Meyer " six 6

the whole number of votes given for County Superintendent
of Schools for the term commencing on the first Monday
of January A.D. 1893 was two hundred & fifty seven 257

of which number
Geo J. Johnson Rice one hundred & thirty two 132
Otto Anderson " seven 7

John Nelson " one hundred & eighteen 118

the whole number of votes given for amendment
of to subdivision of section 31 article 4 of the constitution
twelve 12 of which number twelve 12

was for the amendment and against
we here by certify that the

foregoing statement is correct in all respects
Dated Nov 30th 1892

Laurence Eighmy }
Ernst Sommer } inspectors
Niels Johnson } of
Election

Wm. Maher
R. D. Gallagher
Clerk of Election

minutes of the Board of audit which met at the Town House on Friday Dec 6th 1892 when they audited the following bills and drew orders for the same

order no	of	A. S. Olson	for wine for cemetery fines	2.40
"	"	9 "	John Wallerscheid for work on road & $\frac{1}{2}$ cent wine	11.00
"	"	10 "	ole Wald " knowing cemetery	4.00
"	"	11 "	Fred L. Bell work on Starbuckth road	3.00
"	"	12 "	Henry Hamburg " " "	4.00
"	"	13 "	Jos Coulin " " "	7.50
"	"	14 "	Mrs J Johnson " " "	12.00
"	"	15 "	W Coulin " " "	4.50
"	"	16 "	Isaac anderson " " "	4.50
"	"	17 "	Jos Ellestot " " "	9.50
"	"	18 "	Carl Knockmeir " " "	8.00
"	"	19 "	Niels Johnson " " "	10.50
"	"	20 "	Aug Wroddrou " " "	2.50
"	"	21 "	Hans Johnson " " "	8.00
"	"	22 "	Lever Thompson " " "	5.00
"	"	23 "	Carl Knockmeir " " "	1.50
"	"	24 "	Joseph Jorffkin " " "	1.50
"	"	25 "	L. A. Barsante " " "	4.50
"	"	26 "	John Oflaun " " "	12.50
"	"	27 "	ole Wald " " "	4.50
"	"	28 "	Birmingham & Nixon Lumber & Posts	45.04
"	"	29 "	Aug Scheibel wine crails	2.65
"	"	30 "	John Hiestand services as Ballot clerk	2.00
"	"	31 "	Niels Johnson " " Supervisor	19.00
"	"	32 "	J Lighty " " "	27.00
"	"	33 "	Ernst Sommers " " "	13.00
"	"	34 "	Shesby & Smith Painting signs for Bridge	2.25
"	"	35 "	R. G. Olson Steel Spikes	2.25
"	"	36 "	Frank Siggelkone Lumber as Ballot clerk	2.00
"	"	37 "	Birmingham & Nixon Lumber for Bridge	24.02
"	"	38 "	L. R. Stein & Co " " "	1.44
"	"	39 "	A. G. Estes Nails for Bridge	6.00
"	"	40 "	Henry Pelis services as assessor	75.00
"	"	41 "	N. Fredrickson Plank & Posts	10.06
"	"	42 "	Chas better work on road	10.50
"	"	43 "	R. D. Gallagher services as clerk of Election	2.00
"	"	44 "	Wm. Maher work on Starbuckth road	12.00
"	"	45 "	" " services as town clerk	10.00

Reviewed Dec 8th 1892

357.11

W. Maher

J. E.

Minutes ^{meeting} of the Board of Supervisors which met at the clerk office on the 28th day of March 1893 the Board conversed the Treasurer Books and Vouchers and found them all correct after which they allowed and Draw orders for the following accounts

order no	one	J F Brown	Ward Comishon	20.75	
"	"	2	J. G. Krouse & son	Rep. Bond	2.60
"	"	3	F Eighmy	assessment on Town Hall	1.60
"	"	4	W. Mohr	Draws on Town Clk.	55.00
"	"	5	"	" Stationery	1.73
"	"	6	"	" Purching & Distributing Subst. 14 00	

Recorded this 28th day of March 1893

Wm Mohr
Town Clerk

Minutes of the annual Town Meeting held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove on the fourth day of April 1893 the inspectors were sworn by the clerk and the clerk were sworn by the chairman the Polls were opened by Proclamation at 9:30 o'clock a.m. at 12 o'clock M. the Polls were closed at for one hour at one o'clock P.M. the Polls were reopened and after voting for a short time the annual report was read and on motion was adopted a resolution was offered as follows resolved that the overseers of highways be Ward Comishons in their respective Districts with extra compensation other than their Road tax and that the office Ward Comishon be abolished in the Town of Blooming Grove for the current year Motion was made and second that the Supervisor prosecute any Person or Persons found shooting on or near the Bridge known as the Cutback Bridge on Motion of W. H. Gallagher one hundred Dollars was devised to be expended on the Clarksville Road the following Persons was elected overseers of the several Road Districts

Road Dist	no one	Thos. Goff		
"	"	"	2	Thos. Drucker
"	"	"	3	W. N. Bailey

over

Red Diet no 4 Henry Weisinger
 " " " 5 W H Gallagher
 " " " 6 J R Hiestand
 " " " 7 C W Crofton
 " " " 8 A C Nelson
 " " " 9 John Klamm, Jr
 " " " 10 Ernest Sommers
 " " " 11 Henry Shaul
 " " " 12 Hugh Zippel
 " " " 13 John S. Stokes Carl Gorfau

at four o'clock the Polls was closed and
 Ballots counted and found to compare with
 Ball List, -

the following is a true statement of the inspectors
 and clerks of the annual Town Meeting held on
 and for the Town of Blooming Grove on fourth
 day of April 1893 setting forth the whole
 number of votes cast for each office and
 the number of votes given for each person
 the whole number of votes cast for Chairman
 was seventy nine 79 of which number Lawrence
 Eighmy Reed seventy seven 77 and Malvern
 Halberston Reed two 2, the whole number
 of votes given associate Supervisors was
 one hundred + five nine 159 of which
 number Elias Johnson Reed eighty 80,
 and Chas. Vetter Reed seventy eight 78
 and Danie Beckler Reed one 1, the
 whole number of votes given for four clerks
 was seventy nine 79 of which number
 Wm. Mahon Reed seventy nine 79,
 the whole number of votes given for
 Treasurer was eighty 80, of which number
 John M. Johnson Reed sixty nine 69,
 and C. A. Bonson Reed eleven 11,
 the whole number of votes given for assessor
 was eighty of which number R. D. Frost
 Reed seventy nine 79 and A. E. Lauring Reed
 one 1, the whole number of votes given
 for Justice of the Peace was two hundred and
 thirty seven 237 of which number Lewis
 Breunler Reed seventy nine and Edward Weising
 Reed seventy eight 78, and Zuelser
 Francis Reed eighty 80

the whole number of votes given for Constable was eighty, 80 of which number John Pflaum Recd eighty, 80, given under our hands this fourth day of April 1893

Lawrence Eighmy
Ernst Sommer } inspectors
Miles Johnson }
Certificate of

Determination of Persons Elected
we the inspectors of the Election set forth in the foregoing have Determined that - the with in named Lawrence Eighmy is duly Elected to the office of Chairman and that Miles Johnson & Ches Better are duly Elected to the office of associate Supervisors and that Wm Mahor is duly Elected to the office of Town Clerk, and that John W Johnson is duly Elected to the office of Treasurer, and that R P Frost is duly Elected to the office of assessor, and that Louis Bruecker and Ed Weisinger and Jackson Jones is duly Elected to the office of Justice of the Peace and that John Pflaum is duly Elected to the office of constable,

Wm Mahor Town Clerk
we hereby certify that - the foregoing statement is correct - given under our hands this
fourth day of April 1893

Lawrence Eighmy
Ernst Sommer } inspectors
Miles Johnson }
Recorded this 6th day of April 1893
Wm Mahor
Town Clerk

Minutes of the Judicial Election held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove on the fourth day of April 1893 the Polls was opened at 9:30 a.m. by Proclamations and closed at noon for an hour they were reopened at one o'clock P.M. and closed at 6 P.M. and count made according to the Law the Ballots was found to be one less than the Ball list - the whole number of votes given assessor Jacko of the Inprent count was 66 - sixty six of which number 24 W Keenan and thirty two, 30 and George Metz Recd thirty 30

the whole number of votes given for County Judge was fifty-three 53, of which number J H Carpenter Recd fifty-three 53, given under our hands this fourth day of April 1893

Lawrence Eighmy
Ernst-Sommers Inspectors
Miles Johnson

Wm Maher
R D Gallagher / Clerk of Election

Recorded Apr 6th April 1893
Wm Maher

Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Supervisors at the Town House on the 13th day of April 1893, for the purpose of levying a road tax for the year 1893, it was determined that there be a tax of 3 miles on the taxable property of said town for Road purposes, the Board audited and drew orders for the following purposes

order no 7	To	Ernst-Sommers for services as Supervisor	\$ 6.00
" " 8	"	R. D. Gallagher " Clerk of Election	2.00
" " 9	"	Frank Siegelkow " Ballot Clerk	2.00
" " 10	"	C. A. Borsante " " "	2.00

Recorded April 16th 1893
Wm Maher

John Clark

Minutes of the Board of Review which met at the Town House and revised the assessment roll, the Supervisors agreed to take the Road Machine purchased by Road District No one last year and on which there was due \$70.00 with interest since June 29th 1892 amounting to \$4.90 the Board allowed the following Billed and drew orders for the same

order no 11	To	J. C. Conklin for fuel for Sewer Pipe	4.20
" " 12	"	R. D. Frost for services as assessor	50.00
" " 13	"	Wm Maher " " Town Clerk	10.00

Recorded June 29th 1893

Wm Maher

John Clark

Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Audit
Which met at the Town House on 5th day of
December 1893 the following Bills were audited and
allowed

over no 14	to R Steiny & Co Lumber for Bridges	\$ 76.96
" " 15	August Scheibel for wire Nails	3.42
" " 16	Carl Gorfem Gravel for Road Dist - no 13	10.00
" " 17	Brittingham & Nixon Lumber for Bridges	96.88
" " 18	H N Alverson Building & Reps Bridges	25.50
" " 19	Carl Vogt Stone for Bridges work	4.50
" " 20	of 9 Esbs chips & quarry Stone	105.00
" " 21	R Waldhagen Reps Shed on Town House lot	1.00
" " 22	Brittingham & Nixon Lumber for Bridge Putty	15.06
" " 23	Geo Wald Mowing Embury	4.00
" " 24	John S Johnson Nails	1.02
" " 25	Haus Oleson Chaffing Iron on Town House lot	1.50
" " 26	L Eighmy Services as Supervisor	15.00
" " 27	Neill Johnson " "	13.00
" " 28	Chas Better " "	7.00
" " 29	R D Frost Bal due for services as assessor	25.00
" " 30	W ^m Maher " Town clk.	50.00
" " 31	" " Blank for use of Town	2.25
" " 32	Laurence Eighmy for Payment-Made on Road Machine	72.39

Recorded this 16th day of Dec. 1893

W^m Maher

Town Clerk

Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of the Clerk's Office for the
purpose of settling with the Treasurer on March 27th 1894
after settling with the Treasurer the following Bills were allowed
and over-drawn for same

over no 33	was Lewis Johnson for Gravel for Road Dist - no 1	\$ 3.00
" " 34	Fred Schimming " " " " " " 6	12.50
" " 35	R D Frost for Services as assessor Bal ^{due} _{claimed}	15.00
" " 36	Geo Smith reimbursement for over Charge in Tax	10.00

W^m Maher Town Clerk

Minutes of the annual Town Meeting held in and for the Town of Blooming Green ^{on the third day of April} 1894 the inspectors were sworn by the Clerk and the Clerks were sworn by the Chairman the Polls were opened by Proclamation at 9:30 A.M. the Chairman announced the order of Business the first in order was the offering of the following Resolution Resolved that the assessor for the Town of Blooming Green shall be allowed for all services appertaining to his office for the year 1894 a sum not exceeding seventy five Dollars. the Resolution being put to a vote was Declared carried) the said Resolution being acted upon before any votes were polled) at 12 o'clock M. the Polls were closed for one hour at one o'clock the Polls were again Declared opened and after voting for a short time the annual report was read and on motion of R.D. Frost was adopted a Resolution was offered by Geo E Bryant as follows. Resolved that the Town Board be and they are hereby instructed to appoint one Road Commissioner for the Town and a Deputy Road Commissioner for each Road District in said Town and that the Districts shall be fixed for each District as at Present to be expended within the District on motion of W H Gallagher one hundred Dollars was voted to be expended on the Storkwater Road. on motion being made and seconded the Delinquent-Road tax as returned and collected be put in to the Town fund there being no further Business to come before the meeting the Polls were again Declared opened and at 5:10 P.M. the Polls were closed and ^{voted} counted and found to one less than Poll Lists

the following is a true Statement of inspectors and Clerks of the annual Town Meeting held in and for the Town of Blooming Green on the third day of April 1894 setting forth the whole number of votes cast for each office and the number of votes given ^{by} each Person

the whole number of votes given for Chairman was one hundred & sixty five (165) of which number Nelson Holoman was one hundred & sixty one (161) and F. Eighmy Reed three (3) and H. Sprecher Reed one (1).

the whole number of votes given for assessors Supervisors was three hundred & thirty three (333) of which number Ches Victor Reed one hundred & sixty five (165) and John Pflaum Reed one hundred & sixty four (164) and R.D. Gallagher Reed one (1).

and Henry Sprecher Reed, one. The whole number of votes given for town clerk was one hundred & sixty-seven, 167, of which number J. R. Estes Reed one hundred & seven, 107, and A. C. Huelscher Reed fifty, 50, the whole number of votes given for the office of town treasurer was one hundred & sixty-eight, 168, of which number C. A. Bersante^{Reed} one hundred & thirty-four, 134, and Julius Juppkins Reed ~~one~~ thirty-two, 32, and Geo. Martin Reed two, 2. The whole number of votes given for the office of assessor was one hundred & sixty-seven, 167, of which number R. D. Frost-Reed one hundred & sixty-five, 165, and Wm. Maher one, 1, and Michael Vaughn one, 1. The whole number of votes given for the Justice of the Peace was five hundred, 500, of which Henry Hoffman Reed one hundred & sixty-six, 166, and W. J. Zink Reed one hundred & sixty-seven, 167, and Wm. Maher Reed one hundred and sixty-seven, 167. The whole number of votes given for constable was four hundred & ninety-nine, 499, of which number A. C. Huelscher Reed one hundred & sixty-six, 166, and Ole Vold Reed one ^{hundred} & sixty-six, 166, and Michael Bourlie Reed one hundred & seventeen, 117, and J. R. Estes Reed fifty, 50.

Given under our hands this third day of
April 1894

J. Eighny } inspectors
Niels Johnson }
Chas. Better } ~~Supervisor~~

attest Wm. Maher town clerk

Certificate of Determination of Persons Elected are the inspectors of the Election set forth in the foregoing statement have determined that the within named Halvor Halverson is duly elected to the office of chairman of Supervisors and that Chas. Better and John Pflaum are duly elected to the office of associate Supervisors and J. R. Estes is duly elected to the office of town clerk and that C. A. Bersante is duly elected to the office of treasurer and that R. D. Frost is duly elected to the office of assessor and that Henry Hoffman W. J. Zink and Wm. Maher are duly elected to the office of Justice of the Peace and that A. C. Huelscher Ole Vold and M. Bourlie are duly elected to the office of Constable

Wm. Maher town clerk
we hereby certify that the foregoing statement is correct
Given under our hands this third day of April 1894

J. Lawrence Eighny } inspectors
Niels Johnson }
Chas. Better } ~~Supervisor~~

Received this fourth day of April 1894 Wm. Maher
J. C.

Statement of the votes cast on for to decide whether the highway tax shall be paid in paper in the money, the whole number of votes cast was one hundred & twenty six, 126, of which number one one hundred and sixteen, 116, was in favor of paying the highway tax in paper and seven, 7, against paying in paper and two blank and one thrown out

we here by certify that the above statement is correct given under our hands this third day of Apr 1894

Lawrence Eighmy
Niels Johnson } inspectors
Chas Better

attest Wm. Wahr Town Clerk

Recorded April the fourth 1894

P.S. the following bills were audited and orders drawn for same

Order No.	Name	Description	Amount
37	Wm. Wahr	Balance due for services as Town Clerk - Ballots	27.00
38	Lawrence Eighmy	Services as Supervisor	4.00
39	Niels Johnson	" " "	4.00
40	Chas Better	" " "	4.00

Apr. 9. 1894

Minutes of the Meeting of Board of Supervisors.
The Board met at Paelsack Monday morning April 9. 1894 at the Town Hall.

The road question in regard to road overseers was discussed and a superintendent, or overseer, for each road district was appointed.

Those appointed were as follows.

For road district No 1.	Fred Vogt
For " " " 2	Edwin Bechtel.
For " " " 3	J. Francis.
For " " " 4	Henry Wiesinger Jr.
For " " " 5	James Sanderson
For " " " 6	J. R. Hiestand.
For " " " 7	C. W. Crabtree
For " " " 8	John M. Johnson
For " " " 9	Peter Pflaum
For " " " 10	Ernst Sommer's.
For " " " 11	Henry Shantz
For " " " 12	Hugh Tipple
For " " " 13	Christian Wessel.

The next business taken up was signing

the road warrants and tax lists by the Board of Supervisors. This being done a motion was made and carried that the overseers of roads be also the weed commissioners of their respective districts. After further discussion of the road question the board adjourned at about 5 o'clock P.M.

Recorded April 12th 1894

F. R. Estes

Town Clerk.

Minutes of the ~~General Election~~ held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove on the 6th day of November, 1894.

The Inspectors were sworn by the clerk and the clerks were sworn by the chairman of the board of Inspectors.

The polls were opened by proclamation at 9 o'clock.

Minutes of the Board of Review which met at the Town House on Monday June 26-1894 at 9 o'clock A.M. to examine and correct the assessed valuation of Real and Personal property in the Town of Blooming Grove.

The valuation of the lots in Elmside addition, and of the lots and other property at Tanyawatha were discussed at length and altered somewhat.

Henry Klines assessed valuation was changed from \$1900 to \$1800.

H. W. Allis S.W. Pt. 8. N. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec 9 was lowered from \$740 to \$640.

Also see 6. in S. Part E. $\frac{1}{2}$, S.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ 12 acres changed from \$2300 to \$2000.

The board allowed the following bills and drew orders for the same.

Order No. 2 Hans Christopherson work on road	\$18.75.
" " 3 Lewis Harrison " " "	\$10.00
" " 4 Mrs Anna Johnson sand for road	\$3.60

Order No. 1. H. B. Frost for work as assessor was also allowed for --- \$50.00

Recorded June 26, 1894.

F. R. Estes

Town Clerk

Minutes of the General Election held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove on the 6th day of November 1894.

The inspectors were sworn by the clerk and the clerks were sworn by the chairman of Board of Inspectors.

The polls were opened by proclamation at 9 o'clock by the chairman and remained open till 12 o'clock M. when one hours intermission for dinner was taken. At one o'clock the polls were again declared open and remained open till sundown when they were declared closed by the chairman.

The Poll Lists were then compared and found to agree.

The ballots were then counted and found to compare with the Poll Lists.

The canvass of the ballots was then made according to Law.

Recorded Nov. 8, 1894

F. R. Estes

T. Clerk

Statement of the result of the general election held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove on November 6, 1894.

The whole number of votes cast for Governor was

Two Hundred and Forty One	241
Of which Geo. W. Peck received	110
Ch. F. Powell	2
J. F. Cleghorn	11
Wm. H. Upham	118

The whole number of votes cast for Lieut. Governor was

242	242
Of which A. J. Schmitz rec'd	110
Frank Swack.	1
Alfred Olson	10
E. Baensch	121

The whole number of votes cast for Secretary of State was

242	242
G. J. Cunningham	111
M. B. Sarabee	1
T. J. Van	10
Henry Casson	120

The whole number of notes cast for State Treasurer was	242
Of which John Hunter rec'd	111
G. Scherzinger	1
Wm. Johnson	10
S. A. Peterson	120
The whole number of notes cast for Attorney General	240
Of which J. T. Leonard rec'd	108
Carl Runge	2
Chas. James	10
Wm. H. Ogilvie	120
The whole number of notes cast for State Superintendent was	242
Of which Wm. H. Schultz rec'd	108
Jno. Ulrich	2
E. L. Eaton	10
J. L. Emery	122
The whole number of notes cast for Railroad Com. was	242
Of which Geo. C. Prescott rec'd	111
N. F. Fowler	1
Jno. W. Evans	10
H. J. McKenzie	120
The whole number of notes cast for Com. of Insurance was	242
Of which A. H. Spaar rec'd	109
H. Stoltze	2
Thos. Edwards	10
Wm. A. Fricke	121
The whole number of notes cast for Mem. of Congress was	240
Of which Chas. Barwig rec'd	110
B. W. Hemitt	0
J. J. Sutton	10
E. Sauerhering	120
The whole number of notes cast for mem. of assembly was	242
Of which H. A. Miner rec'd	11
Geo. B. Burrows	113
Cesar Schlotthauer	118
The whole number of notes cast for Sheriff was	243
Of which H. F. Prier rec'd	108
H. Traman	1
A. B. Bissell	11
G. E. Mickelson	123

The whole number of notes cast for county Clerk
was 289
Of which H. A. Barker rec'd 110
J. T. Faran 0
Wm Allison 10
Eugene Shepard 119

The whole number of notes cast for county
Treasurer was 239
Of which S. Salveson rec'd 108
J. Pich 0
L. B. Crump 10
John L. Brigham 124

The whole number of notes cast for Register
Deeds was 239
Of which J. Christoffers rec'd 109
J. White 12
J. Bahm 118

The whole number of notes cast for District
attorney was 240
Of which J. A. Aylward rec'd 108
A. Engset 12
A. W. Anderson 120

The whole number of notes cast for Clk of
Circuit Court was 239
Of which D. P. Martin 110
C. Ruste 0
E. F. Ward 10
C. E. Parish 119

The whole number of notes cast for Surveyor
was 238
Of which M. Hodge rec'd 110
C. McShanald 10
H. F. Hamillon 118

The whole number of notes cast for Coroner
was 239
Of which Saml Jaman rec'd 110
S. H. Britton 0
G. A. Cone 10
M. W. Fynch 119

The whole number of notes cast for
county Supt of Schools was 242
Of which H. Sigglekaw rec'd 24
John M. Nelson 111
M. H. Farson 107

I hereby certify that the foregoing

statement is correct in all respects
dated Nov. 6. 1894

Haknor Halverson } Inspectors
Chas. Vetter }
John Pflaum Jr } Election
F. R. Estes } Clerks of Election
August Hoppman }

Recorded Nov. 8. 1894

F. R. Estes

Town Clerk.

Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Auditors
which met at the Town House on the 4th day of December
1894

The following bills were audited and allowed

Order No. 5	R. B. Gallagher	Services as election clerk	\$ 2.00
" "	6 F. R. Estes	" " town clerk	15.00
" "	7 Jas. Limesey	Repairing Bridge in section 20	100.00
" "	8 F. R. Estes	Services as town clerk	40.00
" "	9 Ole Vold	Mowing Cemetery	4.00
" "	10 Halvor Halverson	Services as Supervisor	21.00
" "	11 Brittingham & Nixon	Lumber and Posts for bridges	50.72
" "	12 Halvor Halverson	Services as supervisor	22.25
" "	13 C. R. Stern & Co.	Lumber and spikes	29.99
" "	14 Brittingham & Nixon	Lumber, Posts & nails	12.64
" "	15 M. J. Cantwell	Road Warrants & Tax Lists	3.24
" "	16 August Scheibel	Nails	.36
" "	17 Krehl & Beck	spikes & nails	.80
" "	18 S. L. Sheldon & Co.	Steel scraper	6.00
" "	19 Charles Vetter	Services as supervisor	12.00
" "	20 John Pflaum	" " "	14.00
" "	21 R. B. Frost	Balance due for services as assessor	25.00
" "	22 Niels Johnson	Work done on Road Dist. No. 10	9.50
" "	23 John Waltersheit	" " " " " "	4.00
" "	24 Peter Pflaum	" " " " " "	4.00
" "	25 William Voges	" " " " " "	5.00
" "	26 John H. Johnson	" " " " " "	2.50
" "	27 Michael Caulin	Work done on Starkweather road	2.50
" "	28 Ole Johnson	Sand for Road Dist. No. 1	5.84
" "	29 John Waltersheit	Burying Horse from Starkweather road	2.50
" "	30 Chas. Vetter	Work done on Starkweather road	3.00
" "	31 Hans Kristofferson	Work on culvert Road Dist. No. 6	1.50
" "	32 John Pflaum	Work on Road Dist. No. 10	1.50
" "	33 Henry Schantz	Posts for road Dist. No. 11	1.25
" "	34 R. C. Wildhagen	Rebuilding eating booths in Town Hall	10.00

Order No.	35	Niels Johnson, Services as ballot clerk.	\$ 2.00
"	"	36 William Gink, Services as ballot clerk	2.00
"	"	37 August Hoffmann Services as clerk of election	2.00
"	"	38 A. G. Estes Stone for bridges	10.25
"	"	39 A. G. Estes Stone chips for Starkweather road,	100.00
"	"	40 Peter Banness, Work on Town Hall Int.	1.25
"	"	41 Caspar H. Starck, Work on Road Dist. No. 5.	5.00
"	"	42 Jas. Limesey, Work done on Catfish Bridge	394.71
"	"	43 Fred Schimming, Gravel for road dist. No. 18.	10.90

Recorded Dec. 5, 1894.

F. R. Estes,

Town Clerk.

March 26, 1894. Meeting of the Board of Supervisors at the Clerks Office for the purpose of settling with the Treasurer, after which they audited and drew orders for the following purposes.

Order No.	44	F. R. Estes Balance Services as Town Clerk	\$ 25.00
"	"	45 Halvor Halvorsen " " Supervisor	5.00
"	"	46 John Pflaum " " " "	5.00
"	"	47 Chas. Vetter " " " "	4.00

Recorded March 28, 1894

F. R. Estes

Town Clerk

Minutes of the Annual Town Meeting held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove on the 2nd day of April 1895.

The inspectors were sworn in by the clerk and the clerks were sworn in by the chairman.

The Falls were opened by proclamation at 9 o'clock. At 12 o'clock the falls were declared closed for one hour. They were again declared open at one o'clock. After voting about one hour the Report of the Board of Supervisors was read and adapted. The claim of John Patterson against the Town was then taken up and voted upon. A vote for \$10 damages was carried.

The road question was then discussed and it was voted to raise \$600. to improve the Town Road between the limits of the City of Madison and the Starkweather Bridge, on condition that, the City of Madison first macadamize the road from the limits of Blooming Grove and Madison on toward

the city as far as such road within the limits of Madison has not yet been macadamized, and further, an condition that Mr E. W. Keyes first raise by subscription or from his own private funds \$200. Two Hundred Dollars which must be paid into the Blooming Grove Treasury before such work is begun.

Voting was then continued.

The polls were declared closed at 3 o'clock by the Town Chairman.

The votes were then counted and the number was found to agree with those on the Tally Sheets.

The following

The following is a true statement of inspectors and clerks of the Annual Town Meeting held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove on the 2nd day of April 1893: setting forth the whole number of votes cast for each office and the whole number for each person.

The whole number of votes given for chairman Board of Supervisors was 112; of which number Lawrence Eighmy received 111 and W^m Gallagher 1.

The whole number of votes given for 1st side supervisor was 112; of which John Pflaum received 112.

The whole number of votes given for 2nd side supervisor was 112; of which number Chas Vetter received 100 and John M Johnson 12.

The whole number of votes given for clerk was 112; of which number F. R. Estes received 112.

The whole number of votes given for assessor was 112 of which W^m Maher received 98 and R. D. Frost 14.

The whole number of votes cast for treasurer was 112 of which number Andrew Barsante received 112.

The whole number of votes given for justices of the peace was 112; of which number,

J. Tompkins received 112

Geo. Harrison " 112

Henry Wildhagen " 112

The whole number of votes cast for constables was 112 of which number James Howland

received 112, John Vaudron received 112 and
 Ole Vald received 112.

The whole number of votes cast for Sealer of
 Weights & Measures was 112 of which Gilbert
 S. Johnson received 112.

The whole number of Judicial votes cast
 was 99; of which number

	John B. Winslow	received	54
and	Geo. Clementson	"	42
	Blank		3

The whole number of votes cast on Highway Tax
 was 102; of which number 72 was for payment
 in labor and 28 against payment in labor.
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In witness whereof we have hereunto set
 our hands this 2nd day of April 1895-

Halvor Halvarson } Inspectors
 Charles Vetter } of Election
 John Pflaum Jr } }

Attest, F. R. Estes

Town Clerk

Certificate of Determination of Persons elected.
 We the inspectors of election set forth in the
 foregoing have determined that the within
 named Lawrence Eighuy is duly elected to the
 office of Chairman Board of Supervisors and
 John Pflaum Jr. and Chas. Vetter are duly
 elected to the office of side supervisors
 and that F. R. Estes is duly elected to the
 office of Town Clerk, and that Wm. Maher
 is duly elected to office of assessor
 and that Andrew Barsante is duly elected
 to office of Treasurer, and that J. Tamppkins
 and James Spausan and Henry Wildhagen
 are duly elected to office of Justices of the Peace
 and that Jas. Haucland, John Vaudron and
 Ole Vald are duly elected to office of constable
 and Gilbert S. Johnson to office of Sealer
 of Weights & Measures.

Recorded April 3. 1895-

F. R. Estes

Town Clerk

We the inspectors of the foregoing election hereby
 certify that this is a true and correct statement

Given under our hands this 2nd day of April 1895-

Halvar Halvarean } Inspectors
 Chas Wedder }
 John Pflaump } of Election

attest, F. R. Estes

Town Clerk

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Supervisors which met at the town house on the 9th day of April 1895. To levy the road tax and make out Road Warrants for the ensuing year. It was determined that there be a tax of 3 mills on a dollar of the taxable property of the town of Blooming Grove for road purposes.

The Board then audited and drew the following orders.

Order no	1. August Hoppman,	services as election clerk.	2.00
" "	2 W. F. Gink,	services as ballot clerk.	2.00
" "	3 M. A. Coulter	services as ballot clerk.	2.00

Recorded April 9, 1895.

F. R. Estes

Town Clerk

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Review which met at the town house on the 24 day of June 1895. After viewing the assessment roll the board proceeded to appoint an overseer for road district no 13 in place of Christ Wessel who resigned. Carl Carpen was appointed as overseer of road district no. 13.

The valuation of the village property was then discussed and lowered somewhat.

The board then adjourned.

Recorded June 24, 1895.

F. R. Estes

Town Clerk

Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Audit
for the Town of Blooming Grove on the
3 day of Dec, 1895 - at the town house

The following bills were audited and
allowed.

Order No	4	John Patterson,	damages	\$10.00
"	"	3- Ole Wald,	Work on Catfish bridge	6.75
"	"	6	Brittingham & Nixon - lumber & Posts	30.85
"	"	7.	Mat Walters - Burying lead fish	4.50
"	"	8	M. J. Cantwell, Midge,	3.66
"	"	9	C. R. Stein & Co. Lumber & Posts	54.79
"	"	10	Gilbert Johnson, Work on Starkweather road	2.50
"	"	11	John Watterseheit " " " "	10.70
"	"	12	Wm Maher services as assessor,	75.00
"	"	13	August Scheibel, Nails	1.22
"	"	14	John Pflaum Jr. services as supervisor	17.00
"	"	15	Laurine Eighuy " " "	31.20
"	"	16	Chas Vetter " " "	17.00
"	"	17	F. R. Ester services as clerk	80.00
"	"	18	F. R. Ester For printing highway tax ballots	1.25
"	"	19	F. R. Ester Stationery furnished town	2.00
"	"	20	Peter Barsness mowing cemetery	3.00
"	"	21	A. G. Ester Stone & chips	9.50
"	"	22	Peter Pflaum Hauling plank for bridge	1.00
"	"	23	John Graff Work on Catfish bridge	9.00
"	"	24	Carl Garfen 80 loads of gravel	8.00
"	"	25	Peter Barsness Work on road	2.50
"	"	26	John Patterson, damages	10.00

Recorded Dec. 4, 1895-

F. R. Ester
Town Clerk.

Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Audit and Treasurers settlement, which met at the Town Clerks office on the 31 day of March 1896.

After settling with the Treasurer the town Board audited and allowed the following bills

No 27	C. F. Ford, Repairing safe door	\$ 8.00
" 28	Lawrence Eighmy For Insurance on Town Hall	1.60
" 29	Chas Vetter Fumigating Infected house	12.75-
" 30	Franklin & Sons Sewer Pipe	3.60

Recorded March 31, 1896.

F. R. Estes

Town Clerk,

Minutes of the annual Town Meeting held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove, April 7, 1896.

The Inspectors were sworn by the Town Clerk and the clerks were sworn by the Town Chairman

The polls were declared open at 9 o'clock and at 12 o'clock they were declared closed for one hour.

At one o'clock the polls were again opened and voting was continued for about one hour when the annual report of the Board of Supervisors was read by the Chairman and adopted. Chapter 266 of the Laws of 1895 was then read by the town clerk as required by law after which voting was resumed till 5 o'clock when the polls were declared closed by the Chairman.

The poll lists were compared and found to agree. The ballots were then counted and found to agree with the Tally Sheets. The canvass was then made according to law.

Recorded April 8, 1896

F. R. Estes

Town Clerk

Statement of Inspectors of Result of Election at
Town Meeting held in Blooming Grove April 7, 1896

County of Abauk } s.s.
Town of Blooming Gr. }

The following is a statement of the whole number of votes given for each office, the names of the persons for whom such votes were given and the number of votes given to each person, at the annual town meeting, held at the town hall, in said Town of Blooming Grove, in said County, on the 7th day of April, 1896.

The whole number of votes given for Chairman was 217 of which Lawrence Elkhuy received 217.

The whole number of votes given for 1st side supervisor was 215 of which number Chas Vetter received 215.

The whole number of votes cast for 2nd side supervisor was 218 of which number Francis Gink received 214 R H Frost received 2 and John Pflaum 2.

The whole number of votes given for town clerk was 218 of which number F R Ester received 217 and Wm Maher 1.

The whole number of votes for assessor was 218 of which number Wm Maher received 218.

The whole number of votes given for treasurer was 218 of which number F. W. Pepper received 134 and J. C. Fenmet received 84.

The whole number of votes given for justices of the peace were 436 of which number Geo. F. Braun received 218 and John Hempsey received 218.

The whole number of votes given for constables was 654 of which number H. H. Davis received 218 Geo. Kalbfleisch 218 and Wm Gink 218.

The whole number of votes given for sealer of weights and measures was 218 of which number Ed Wiesinger received 218.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this 7th day of April, 1896

Lawrence Elkhuy } Inspectors
John Pflaum }
Chas Vetter } Election

Recorded April 8, 1896

F. R. Ester
Town Clerk

Certificate of determination of persons elected at
annual town meeting Town of Blooming Grove
April 7, 1896.

We the inspectors of election set forth in the foregoing have determined that the within named Lawrence Eighmy is duly elected to the office of Chairman of Board of Supervisors, and that Chas. Vetter and Francis Zink are duly elected to the office of side supervisors, and that F. R. Estes is duly elected to the office of Town Clerk, and that F. W. Pepper is duly elected to the office of Town Treasurer and that Wm. Maher is duly elected to office of Assessor and that Geo. F. Braun and John Shempsey are duly elected to the office of Justice of the Peace and that H. H. Harris, Geo. Kallfleisch and Wm. Zink are duly elected to the office of constables and that Ed. Wiesinger is duly elected to the office of Sealer of Weights and Measures.

We hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement.

Given under our hands this 7th day of April 1896

Lawrence Eighmy
Chas. Vetter
John Pflaum } Inspectors

Recorded April 8, 1896.

F. R. Estes

Town Clerk

Statement of result of Judicial Election held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove April 7, 1896, made by the Inspectors of election in and for said town of Blooming Grove.

The whole number of votes given for Justice of the Supreme Court was 169 of which number R. S. Marshall received 119 and R. G. Sipecker received 169 for office of Co. Judge

We hereby certify that the foregoing is correct in all respects

Dated this 7th day of April, 1896.

Lawrence Eighmy
John Pflaum
Chas. Vetter } Inspectors

F. R. Estes } Clerks
John Shempsey } Election

Recorded April 8, 1896

F. R. Estes T. Clerk

Statement of Result of Local Option Election held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove April 7, 1896 made by the Inspectors of Election in and for said town.

The whole number of votes cast was Two Hundred and Eighteen (218) of which number Seventy Eight (78) were for license, One Hundred and Thirty Three (133) were against license and Seven (7) were defective.

We hereby certify that the above is correct in all respects.

Dated this 7th day of April, 1896.

Lawrence Eighmy
John Pflaum
Chas. Vetter } Inspectors

Recorded April 8, 1896

F. R. Ester
Town Clerk

Statement of Result of vote on Highway at Annual town meeting held in Blooming Grove April 7, 1896.

The whole number of votes cast was 206. of which number 151 were for paying highway tax in labor and 52 were against paying highway tax in labor and 3 were defective.

We hereby certify that the above is correct.

Dated this 7th day of April, 1896.

Lawrence Eighmy
John Pflaum
Chas. Vetter } Inspectors

Recorded April 8, 1896,

F. R. Ester
Town Clerk

At the Annual Town Meeting the following bills were drawn after being examined and allowed by the supervisors

Order no.	1	Fred Straebel	damage for laying new road	\$ 500.00
" "	2	John M. Johnson	" " " " "	80.00

Dated April 8, 1896.

F. R. Ester
Town Clerk

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Supervisors which met at the Town Hall on Tuesday April 14, 1896. to lay a highway tax and transact other business.

It was ordered and determined that a highway tax of two (2) mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the town be levied by the clerk for the year 1896.

The Road Warrants and Tax Lists were then signed by the Supervisors and the following bills were drawn.

Order No 3	Chas Vetter Services as Supervisor	\$ 8.00
" " 4	Lawrence Eighmy " " "	6.00

Recorded April 14, 1896. F. R. Estes

Town Clerk

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Review which met at the Town Hall on the 17th day of June, 1896. to examine the assessment roll of real and personal property in the Town of Blooming Grove and all sworn statements and valuations of real and personal property therein, and of bank stock, and of correcting all errors in said roll whether in description of property or otherwise.

After viewing the assessment roll which occupied most of the day the following bills were audited and orders drawn.

Order No 5	Jonas Johnson, Gas Pipe for Town Hall,	10.65
" " 6	Wm Maher, Services as Assessor,	50.00
" " 7	F. R. Estes Services as Town Clerk	30.00
" " 8	F. R. Estes For Dist. School Library Books,	30.70

The Board then Adjourned.
Recorded June 17, 1896.

F. R. Estes
Town Clerk

Minutes of the General Election held in the town of Blooming Grove on the 3rd day of November, 1896.

The Clerks were sworn in by the Chairman and the Inspectors were sworn in by the Town Clerk. The polls were opened by proclamation at 9 o'clock A.M. by the Chairman and remained open till sundown without intermission. At sundown the polls were declared closed by the Chairman.

The poll lists were compared and found to agree. The ballots were counted and found to compare with the poll lists. The canvass was then made according to law.

Recorded, Nov. 4, 1896.

F. R. Estes
Town Clerk.

Statement of the result of the general election held in and for the town of Blooming Grove Nov. 3, 1896. Made by the Inspectors of election in and for the town of Blooming Grove to wit.

The whole number of votes given for electors of President and Vice President of the United States was Three Thousand Four Hundred and Fifty seven, of which number

Geo. W. Cate	received One Hundred Forty Eight	148
John Winans	" " " " " "	148
Ernest Merton	" " " " " "	148
Oliver King	" " " " " "	148
H. J. Steilman	" " " " " "	148
M. J. Warner	" " " " " "	148
A. A. Worsley	" " " " " "	148
John L. Beaw	" " " " " "	148
Herman Naber	" " " " " "	148
Chas. L. Brekken	" " " " " Nine	149
Sester Woodard	" " " " " Eight	148
Christian Koenner	" " " " " "	148

C. F. Cronk received	Five	5-
Char Alexander	"	5-
N. E. Tully	"	5-
H. A. Miner	"	5-
John C. Martin	"	5-
C. E. Reed	"	5-
S. Vandewalker	"	5-
A. F. Callis	"	5-
J. R. Ogden	"	5-
John Fayette	"	5-
Henry Sappell	"	5-
E. B. Partridge	"	5-
J. H. Kelsenius	One Hundred Thirty Five	135-
Paul Jackson	"	135-
A. M. Pettit	"	135-
Mark Curtis	"	135-
L. C. Boyle	"	135-
E. R. Stillman	"	135-
W. J. Mallmann	"	135-
S. G. Breed	"	135-
J. M. Pederson	"	135-
F. A. Hallmann	"	135-
A. A. Ellis	"	135-
S. J. Bradford	"	135-

The whole number of votes given for Governor was - Two Hundred Eighty Seven 287

of which number

W. C. Sidwenthorn received	One Hundred Fifty	150
J. H. Berkeley	Seven	7
Edward Seefeld	One Hundred Thirty	130

The whole number of votes given for Lieutenant Governor was Two Hundred Eighty Six 286

of which number

H. H. Hoard received	One Hundred Fifty	150
E. L. Eaton	Seven	7
Emil Kaesch	One Hundred Twenty nine	129

The whole number of votes given for Secretary of State was Two Hundred Eighty Eight 288

C. M. Butt received	One Hundred Fifty	150
E. B. Knaughton	Seven	7
Henry Carson	One Hundred Thirty One	131

The whole number of votes given for State Treasurer was Two Hundred Eighty Three 283

of which number

W. J. Piirstorff received One Hundred Forty Five 145
 Lorenzo Crandall " Six 6
 Simeon A. Peterson " One Hundred Thirty Two 132

The whole number of votes given for Attorney General was Two Hundred Eighty Six 286

of which number

H. J. Weed received One Hundred Forty Nine 149
 Wm H. Noyes " " Thirty One 31
 Geo C. Jones " Six 6

The whole number of votes given for State Superintendent was Two Hundred Eighty Six 286

of which number

Francis Cleary received One Hundred Forty Nine 149
 Wm L. Harrison " Six 6
 J. L. Emery " One Hundred Thirty One 131

The whole number of votes given for Railroad Commissioner was Two Hundred Eighty Six 286

of which number

Char F Kalk received One Hundred Forty Nine 149
 A. A. Christianson " Six 6
 B. J. McKenzie " One Hundred Thirty One 131

The whole number of votes given for Commissioner of Insurance was Two Hundred Eighty Five 285

of which number

F. W. Thal received One Hundred Forty Eight 148
 J. E. Broadwell " Six 6
 Wm A. Fricke " One Hundred Thirty One 131

The whole number of votes given for Representative in Congress for the Second (2) Congressional district was

Two Hundred Eighty Four 284

of which number

W. H. Rogers received One Hundred Forty Eight 148
 Jesse Myers Seven 7
 Edward Sauerhering received One Hundred Twenty Nine 129

The whole number of votes given for State Senator for the Twenty Sixth (26) senate district for the term commencing on the first Monday of January A. D. 1897 was

Two Hundred Eighty Six 286

of which number

Wm Charlton received One Hundred Fifty 150
 Jas B. Smith " Six 6
 C. B. Welton " One Hundred Thirty One 131

The whole number of votes given for Member of Assembly for the first (1) Assembly District in the County of Stone for the term commencing on the first Monday in January 1897, was

Two Hundred Eighty nine	289	
of which number		
Daniel Bechtel received	Two Hundred Ten	210
G. B. Burrows	Seventy Three	73
C. F. Crank	Five	5
N. Johnson	One	1

The whole number of votes given for Sheriff for the term commencing on the first Monday of January A. D. 1897, was

Two Hundred Eighty six	286	
of which number		
H. F. Prier received	One Hundred Fifty Four	154
John Miller	Five	5
C. F. Moulton	One Hundred Twenty Seven	127

The whole number of votes given for County Clerk for the term commencing on the first Monday of January 1897 was

Two Hundred Eighty six	286	
of which number		
Joe Greenwood received	One Hundred Forty Eight	148
Joe A. Roberts	Six	6
Eugene Shepard	One Hundred Thirty One	131
H. Halverson	One	1

The whole number of votes given for County Treasurer for the term commencing on the first Monday in Jan. 1897 was

Two Hundred Eighty Five	285	
of which number		
Joe. Townsend received	One Hundred Forty Seven	147
Mr. Johnson	Six	6
J. A. Brigham	One Hundred Thirty Two	132

The whole number of votes given for Register of Deeds for the term commencing on the first Monday of January 1897 was

Two Hundred Eighty six	286	
of which number		
A. C. Grinde received	One Hundred Fifty Four	154
John Valle	Six	6
John Bohm	One Hundred Twenty Six	126

The whole number of votes given for District Attorney for the term commencing on the first Monday of January 1897 was
Two Hundred Eighty Five 285

of which number
W. H. Cain received One Hundred Forty Six 146
S. C. Grissin " Six 6
A. W. Anderson " One Hundred Thirty Three 133

The whole number of votes given for Clerk of the Circuit Court for the term commencing on the first Monday of Jan. 1897 was
Two Hundred Eighty Seven 287

of which number
J. M. Bailey received One Hundred Fifty 150
A. B. Bissel " Five 5
C. E. Parish " One Hundred Thirty Two 132

The whole number of votes given for County Surveor for the term commencing on the first Monday of January 1897 was
Two Hundred Eighty Six 286

of which number
W. L. Marcy received One Hundred Forty Nine 149
Jas Melville " Five 5
J. H. Buey " One Hundred Thirty Two 132

The whole number of votes given for Coroner for the term commencing Jan the first ^{Monday} day of Jan 1897 was
Two Hundred Eighty Six 286

of which number
J. P. Switzer received One Hundred Fifty 150
Chas. Bennett " Six 6
M. W. Lynch " One Hundred Thirty 130

The whole number of votes given for County Superintendent of Schools for the term commencing on the first Monday of Jan. 1897 was
Two Hundred Eighty Seven 287

of which number
Mary Cumars received One Hundred Forty Five 145
Kate L. Sabin " One Hundred Forty Two 142

For amendment to Section 1, Article 10 of the Constitution, Thirty Four, 34
of which number Seventeen (17) votes were for amendment to section 1 of article 10 of the Constitution and Seventeen (17) votes

were against amendment to section 1 of article
10 of the Constitution.

We hereby certify that the foregoing statement
is correct in all respects.

Dated Nov. 3, A. D. 1896.

Lawrence Eighmy } Inspectors
Chas. Vetter }
Wm. Maher } Election

F. R. Estes } Clerks of Election
J. R. Sempsey }

Recorded Nov. 4, 1896.

F. R. Estes,
Town Clerk

Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Audit of the Town of Blooming Grove on the 1st day of December 1896. At the town house

The following bills were audited and allowed

Order No.	9	Brittingham & Hixon, Posts & Planks	49.09
" "	10	Andrew A. Mayer, Glass & Putty	.87
" "	11	E. R. Stein & Co. Posts & Lumber	11.46
" "	12	Aug. Scheibel, Balts	.72
" "	13	E. E. Buell, legal advice. St. Ry. case	2.00
" "	14	M. J. Cantwell, Road Warrants & Tax suits	1.56
" "	15	John Walterscheid, Work on Starkweather Road	1.00
" "	16	John Walters " " " "	6.00
" "	17	Preston Braum Services as ballot clerk 1 yr	4.00
" "	18	Peter Pflaum " " " "	4.00
" "	19	Wm Maher " " assessor & imp of elec.	27.00
" "	20	Aug. Otto Mowing Cemetery	2.00
" "	21	Peter Barrness Work on Town lot	2.25
" "	22	Chas. Vetter Services as supervisor & ballot box	10.25
" "	23	A. G. Estes Stone & 100 load chips	97.75
" "	24	Francis Zink Services as supervisor	10.90
" "	25	Lawrence Eighmy " " " "	17.80
" "	26	John Kempsey " " assistant clerk 1 yr.	4.00
" "	27	E. Marden Hardware	7.00

Recorded Dec 2, 1896.

F. R. Estes

Town Clerk

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Supervisors at the town clerks office for the purpose of settling with the town treasurer and making out the annual report of the Board of Supervisors on Mar. 30, 1897.

The Board met Tuesday morning Mar 30, 1897 at the town clerks office. The town treasurer's accounts were examined and found to be correct. The Board of supervisors then made out their annual report after which the Board adjourned.

Recorded Mar, 31, 1897

F. R. Estes

Town Clerk.

Minutes of the Annual Town Meeting held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove on the 6th day of April 1897.

The Inspectors of Election were sworn in by the town clerk and the clerks of election were sworn in by the town chairman.

The polls were opened by proclamation at 9 o'clock. At 12 they were closed for one hour. They were again opened at one o'clock.

At two o'clock the report of the board of supervisors for 1897 was read and after some discussion was adapted with the following amendments. 1st that one hundred and fifty (150) dollars should be raised for work on

the Starkweather road instead of one hundred dollars. and 2nd that there should be levied on the assessed valuation of the town for 1896 three (3) mills on the dollar instead of two (2) for the road tax.

Voting was then resumed till five o'clock when the polls were declared closed.

The poll lists were compared and found to agree. The ballots were then counted and found to agree with the number on the poll lists. The canvass was then made according to law.

Recorded April 7. 1897.

F. R. Estes

Town Clerk.

Statement by inspectors of result of election at town meeting held in and for the town of Blooming Grove on April 6. 1897.

County of Dane }
Town of Blooming Grove } \$5

The following is a statement of the whole number of votes given for each office, the names of the persons for whom such votes were given and the number of votes given for each person at the annual town meeting held at the town hall in said town of Blooming Grove in said county on the 6th day of April 1897.

The whole number of votes given for chairman

was 141 of which number Daniel Bechtel received 140 and Lawrence Eighmy received 1.

The whole number of votes given for side supervisors was 281 of which number Francis Zink received 139 and Mills Johnson 142.

The whole number of votes given for town clerk was 141 of which number F. R. Estes received 141.

The whole number given for town treasurer was 141 of which number F. W. Pepper received 141.

The whole number given for assessor was 142 of which number W. M. Maker received 140 and A. S. Estes 1.

The whole number of votes given for justices of the peace was 283 of which number H. Rodefeld received 141 and Carl Klein 142.

The whole number of votes given for constable was 425 of which number C. H. Stark received 142, W. M. Krantz received 142 and James Stanison received 141.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seal this 6th day of April 1887.

Lawrence Eighmy } Inspectors
Francis Zink }
W. M. Maker } Election

Recorded April 7 1887.

F. R. Estes
Town Clerk

Certificate of determination of persons elected at annual town meeting town of Blooming Grove on April 6, 1897.

We the inspectors of election set forth in the foregoing have determined that the within named Daniel Bechtel is duly elected to the office of chairman of the board of supervisors and that Francis Zink and Niels Johnson are duly elected to the office of side supervisors and that F. R. Estes is duly elected to the office of town clerk and that F. W. Pepper is duly elected to the office of town treasurer and that Wm. Maher is duly elected to the office of assessor and that H. Rodefeld and Carl Klein are duly elected to the office of justices of the peace and that C. H. Storch and W. M. Krailz and Jas. Harrison are duly elected to the office of constables.

We hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement

given under our hands this 6th day of April, 1897.

Lawrence Eighmy } Inspectors
Francis Zink }
Wm. Maher } Election

Recorded April 7, 1897.

F. R. Estes

Town Clerk.

Statement of result of judicial election held in and for the town of Blooming Grove April 6, 1897. made by the inspectors in and for such election in the said town of Blooming Grove

The whole number of votes given for justice of the Supreme Court was sixty of which August B. Marshall received sixty. The whole number of votes given for County Judge was 131 of which number J. H. Carpenter received 54, John Ellis received 18 and A. G. Zimmerman received 59.

We hereby certify that the foregoing is correct in all respects

dated this 6th day of April, 1897.

F. R. Estes } clerk of
S. E. Brown } election.

Lawrence Eighmy } Inspectors
Francis Zink }
Wm. Maher } Election

Recorded Apr 7, 1897 F. R. Estes
Town Clerk

Statement of result of local option election held in and for the town of Blooming Grove on April 6th 1897.

The whole number of votes cast was 143 of which number 88 were against granting license 49 were for granting license and 6 blank.

We hereby certify that the above is correct in all respects

Dated this 6th day of April 1897.

Lawrence Eighmy } Inspectors
Francis Grink }
Wm. Maher } Election.

Recorded April 7, 1897.

F. R. Estes

Town Clerk.

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the town of Blooming Grove which met at the town hall on the 10th day of April 1897, to levy the road tax and make out road warrants for the ensuing year, and to transact other business.

It was ordered and determined in pursuance of resolution passed at annual town meeting that there be levied a highway tax of three (3) mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the town by the town clerk for the year 1897.

The Board then proceeded to appoint Road Clerks for the different road districts. The appointments were as follows.

Road district No. 1.	Fred Vogt
" " " 2	Fred Hermsmeier
" " " 3	Lawrence Eighmy
" " " 4	Henry Wiesinger
" " " 5	A. B. Estes
" " " 6	Robert Swanton
" " " 7	G. E. Bryant Jr.
" " " 8	John M. Johnson
" " " 9	Peter Pfann
" " " 10	Ernst Sammers
" " " 11	Albert Halscher
" " " 12	John Sibby
" " " 13	Carl Carper

The road warrants and tax lists were then signed

by the supervisors and the following bills audited

No 1	Geo. E. Brown	For services as assistant clerk of election	\$ 2.00
" 2	John Gink	" " " " ballot clerk	2.00
" 3	M. J. Cantwell	For road warrants & tax lists	1.56
" 4	Frank Siggelkow	For services as ballot clerk.	2.00
" 5	F. R. Estes	" " " " town clerk.	50.00
" 6	F. R. Estes	For cash paid for license ballots & stationery	2.00
" 7	Wm. Maher	For services as inspector of election	2.00
			<u>61.56</u>

April 12, 1897.

F. R. Estes

Town Clerk

At a meeting of the board of supervisors on May 22, 1897. Fred Shraeter was appointed overseer of road district no 2 in place of Fred Hemsmeier, resigned, and H. H. Davis was appointed road overseer of road district no 6. in place of Robt. Swanton resigned.

A board of health was also organized in pursuance with law, consisting of Daniel Bechtel chairman, Francis Gink secretary and F. R. Estes health officer.

Recorded May 24, 1897.

F. R. Estes

Town Clerk.

Minutes of the meeting of the board of review which met at the town hall June 28, 1897.

The assessment roll was examined and the following changes in assessments made by the board.

S. R. Miller ^{Sec 6} on SPT E 1/2 SE 1/4 \$2400 reduced to \$2200

S. R. Miller Sec 7, EPT lot 1 N. E. 1/4 \$1700 " " \$1500

The following bills were audited and allowed.

No 8	Geo. E. Masely,	For plank book	\$.50
" 9	M. J. Cantwell	For plank order book	2.75
" 10	Wm. Maher	For services as assessor	50.00
" 11	Lawrence Eighmy	" " " " supervisor	6.00
" 12	F. R. Estes	" " " " town clerk	30.00
" 13	Francis Gink	" " " " supervisor	4.00
" 14	Brittingham & Nixon	For posts	.96
			<u>94.51</u>

The board then adjourned

Recorded June 29, 1897

F. R. Estes

Town Clerk

Minutes of the meeting of the board of audit which met at the town hall on the 7th day of Dec. 1897.

The following bills were audited and allowed No. 15 having been audited and allowed on Sept. 18, 1897

No. 15	Brittingham & Nixon	For lumber etc	\$ 84.00
" 16	Carl Garfen	For hauling stone for road dist No 13	7.00
" 17	Fred Schimming	For gravel for road dist No 13	3.55
" 18	Wm Redka	" " " " " "	4.50
" 19	N. Fredericksen	" Lumber	88.20
" 20	H. Haluerson	" Work on Black Bridge	19.00
" 21	H. Haluerson	For mason work on bridges road dist No 13	27.50
" 22	J. S. Johnson	" Wire nails	2.00
" 23	C. S. Olson	" Hardware	4.10
" 24	C. A. Shaily	" Inspecting premises	3.35
" 25	Carl Garfen	" Work on bridge road dist No 3	3.00
" 26	Francis Gink	" services as supervisor	17.00
" 27	A. S. Estes	" 150 loads chips & quarry stone	163.50
" 28	Samuel Bechtel	" services as supervisor	15.00
" 29	P. M. Ellested	" work on bridge road dist No 10	4.50
" 30	Thos. N. Ellested	" " " " " " No 10 & 13	13.50
" 31	Alvin & Butler	" legal advice on drainage of Starkus creek	10.00
" 32	F. R. Estes	" services as town clerk	25.00
" 33	Samuel Bechtel	" cash paid to stenographer	2.24
" 34	Niels Johnson	" services as supervisor	17.00
" 35	Fred Schimming	10 loads gravel for road dist No 6	15.00
" 36	Allo Vald	For mowing Cemetery	4.00
" 37	Allo Vald	" " " " " " needs stark weather road	1.00
			535.94

Recorded Dec 8. 1897

F. R. Estes

Town Clerk

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of audit which met at the town clerks office Mar. 29, 1898. to audit accounts and settle with the treasurer and making out the annual report

The town treasurers accounts were examined and found to be correct.

The following bills were audited and allowed and the orders drawn, Number 38 was allowed by the town board Jan 12, 1898

Recorded, March. 30 - 1898, F. R. Estes, Town clerk

No 38	Wm Maher	Bal. services as assessor	\$ 237.00
" 39	Krehl and Beck	Spikes and nails	2.51
" 40	Brittingham & Nixon	Lumber for road districts	98.06
" 41	Samuel Bechtel	Services as supervisor	4.00
" 42	Niels Ellested	" " " "	2.00
" 43	F. Gink	" " " "	2.00
" 44	F. R. Estes	" " " " town clerk	25.00
" 45	F. R. Estes	For stationery for town	1.00

Minutes of the annual town meeting held in and for the town of Blooming Grove on the 5th day of April, 1898.

The inspectors were sworn by the town clerk and the clerks were sworn in by the town chairman.

The polls were opened by proclamation at 9 o'clock. At 12 o'clock they were closed for one hour. At one o'clock the polls were again opened by proclamation. At two o'clock voting was suspended and the report of the board of supervisors was read and adopted. The following resolutions by the town chairman, Daniel Bechtel, was read and adopted.

Resolved that there be levied the sum of four hundred (400) dollars for current expenses.

The following resolution by A. S. Estes was also read and adopted.

Whereas, the electors of the town of Blooming Grove at the last annual town meeting declared by a large majority against the issuance of license for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town,

Therefore be it resolved, that the Board of Supervisors be and they are hereby instructed to prosecute all persons violating the excise law.

Resolved further that all law abiding citizens of the town be requested to assist the town board in enforcing the law.

A motion was made by A. S. Estes and seconded to unite road districts No. 10 and 13. The motion was expressed as the sense of the meeting and was carried.

Voting was then resumed till five o'clock when the polls of the town meeting were declared closed. At sundown the polls of the judicial election were declared closed.

The poll lists were compared and found to agree. The ballots were then counted and found to agree with the poll lists. The canvass was then made according to law.

Recorded April 6, 1898.

F. R. Estes
Town Clerk

Statement by inspectors of the result of election
at the annual town meeting held in and for the
town of Blooming Grove April 5, 1898

Co. of Dane }
Town of Bl. Grove } ss.

The following is a statement of the
whole number of votes given for each office the
names of the persons for whom such votes were
given and the number of votes given for each
person. The whole number of votes given for
chairman board of supervisors was one hundred
and fifty four (154) of which no. Daniel Bechtel
received one hundred and fifty four (154)

The whole number of votes given for supervisors
was three hundred & nine (309) of which
Francis Gink received one hundred fifty two (152)
and John M. Johnson one hundred fifty five (155)
and S. Pighing two (2).

The whole number of votes given for town
clerk was one hundred & fifty of which no. Frank
Sigelkow received one hundred forty nine (149) and
F. R. Estes one (1).

The whole no. of votes given for treasurer was
one hundred fifty four (154) of which no. J. C. Fern-
ite received one hundred and fifty three and F. W. Pepper
one (1).

The whole no. of votes given for assessor was
one hundred fifty four (154) of which no. Wm. Mader
received one hundred fifty three (153) and R. H. Frost
one (1)

The whole no. of votes given for justices of
the peace was six hundred & eighteen (618) of
which no. Henry Willhagen received one hundred
and fifty five (155) J. A. Harrison received one
hundred & fifty two (152) John Gink one hun-
dred & fifty three (153) Anton Olson one hundred
& fifty five (155) A. S. Estes one (1) J. Hensley two (2)
and J. E. Elsted one (1).

The whole no. of votes given for constables
was four hundred & sixty four (464) of which no.
John Pflaum received one hundred & fifty five (155)
Geo. Harrington received one hundred & fifty
three (153) John Vandran one hundred and fifty
five (155) and J. Hensley one (1)

Recorded April 6, 1898.

F. R. Estes

Town clerk

Daniel Bechtel

Francis Gink

John Johnson

Inspectors of
Election

Certificate of Determination

Co. of Town }
Town of Blooming Grove } s.p.

We the undersigned, inspectors of the election held at the time and place specified in the within statement by us subscribed do hereby certify that the within named Daniel Bechtel is duly elected to the office of chairman of the board of supervisors of said town and that Francis Zink and John M. Johnson are duly elected to the office of supervisors of said town and that Frank Siggelkorn is duly elected to the office of town clerk of said town and that Jess O. Fenwick is duly elected to the office of treasurer of said town and that Wm. Maher is duly elected to the office of assessor of said town and that Henry Wildhagen, ^{for 2 years} James Stausman, ^{for 2 years} John Zink and Anton Olson are duly elected to the office of justices of the peace and that John Pflaum Geo. Harrington and John Vandran are duly elected to the office of constables of said town.

We hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement.

Given under our hands and seal this 5th day of April 1898.
Daniel Bechtel }
Francis Zink } Inspectors
Nels Johnson }

Recorded April 6, 1898:

F. R. Estes
Town Clerk,

Statement of result of judicial election held in and for the town of Blooming Grove April 5, 1898. Made by the inspectors in and for such election in the said town of Blooming Grove.

The whole no. of votes given for justice of the supreme court was eighty five (85) of which no. Chas. Bardem received eighty four (84) and J. A. Steubel one (1)

The whole no. of votes given for municipal judge was one hundred & forty nine (149) of which Anthony Shanahan received one hundred & three (103) and John Ellis forty six (46)

We hereby certify that the foregoing statement is correct in all respects.

F. R. Estes }
J. R. Sampson }

Witness April 5, 1898
Recorded Apr 6, 1898
F. R. Estes
Town Clerk

Daniel Bechtel } Inspectors
Francis Zink }
Nels Johnson } Election

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the town of Blomming Grove which meet at the town hall on the 13th day of April 1898 to levy road tax and household-
 other business. It was ordered and determined in pursuance of a resolution passed at the annual town meeting that there be levied a highway tax of three (3) mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the town by the clerk for the year 1898. A vacancy having occurred in the office of overseer of road district no (11) in the town of Blomming Grove, the board appointed Carl Brandt to fill vacancy.

It was ordered and determined that road district no thirteen (13) of said town be discontinued and the same is hereby attached to and made apart of road district no ten (10) of said town.

The road number ^{and tax lists} were then signed by the supervisors, and the following bills audited

No 43	Daniel Bechtel	cash paid for road materials	\$ 1.50
No 44	J. O. Penryle	gate at cemetery	1.00
No 43	Alb Wald	repairing town hall	1.00
			<u>\$ 3.50</u>

The board then organized themselves in to a board of health.

Recorded

April 13 1898

Frank Higgett
 Town Clerk

Minutes of the meeting of the board of review which met at the Town Hall June 27, 1898. The assessment roll was examined and the following changes were made.

Daniel Bechtel in sec. 13 S of N. W 1/2 N 1/2 W 1/4 \$2500 raised to \$3000

Geo Soelch in sec. 4. N 1/2 N 1/2 W 1/4 \$2000 raised to \$2500

H. B. Horstmeier lot in sec. 15 - N 1/2 N 1/2 W 1/4 S. W 1/4 N 1/2 W 1/4 \$2250 raised to \$2400.

John W Johnson in sec. 15: N 1/2 N 1/2 E 1/4 S W 1/4 N 1/2 E 1/4 \$3200 raised to \$3400.

Jos Goodwin in sec. 17. N 1/2 S. E 1/4. \$2800 raised to \$3200

A. E. Lausing in sec. 5 N 1/2 S. E 1/4 S E 1/4. \$2300 raised to \$2600

A. Board of Health was organized, consisting of Francis Gunk chairman, Daniel Bechtel clerk, Frank Sigelkow health officer, John W Johnson health commissioner.

The following bills were audited and allowed

No 4	Louise Eighmy, for Lumber	\$3.84
" 5	Nels Johnson. " Ballot clerk	\$2.00
" 6	John H. Gunk " Ballot clerk	\$2.00
" 7	Mr Mahr " services assessor	\$50.00

The board then adjourned

Recorded June 28, 1898

Frank Sigelkow
Town Clerk

Statement of the result of a General Election held in and for the town of Blooming Grove on the 8th day of November 1898.

The whole number of votes cast for Governor was Two hundred and eighteen.

Hiram Wilson Sawyer received	One hundred and thirty nine	139
Albinus A. Worsley	Two	2
Eugene W. Schafte	Five	5
Edward Seefeld	Eighty one	81
Frank Sigelkow	One	1
For Lieutenant Governor	Two hundred and thirteen	213

of which number		
Peter Victor Reuster received	one hundred and eighteen	118
Spencer Palmer	one	1
Willis W. Cooper	Two	2
Leslie Stone	Twenty one	21

Treasurer

For Secretary of State ^{Treasurer} No hundred and Fifteen (217)
 of which number
 Constantine J. Walek received one hundred and fifteen 116 Vts
 John Powers " one 1
 William Lassen " Four 4
 James A. Dawson " Ninety three 93
 For Secretary of State No hundred and thirteen (219)
 of which number
 Peter. Alford Thorne received one hundred and fifteen 115
 Winfred L. Ayres " one 1
 Charles F. Brock " Five 5
 William H. Prochlich " Ninety two 92
 For Attorney General No hundred and Fourteen (214) Vts
 of which number
 Harry Holder Grace received one hundred and fifteen 115
 Lester Macdonald " one 1
 Wesley Mott " Four 4
 Embryett B. Hicks " Ninety four 94
 For State Superintendent - No hundred and thirteen (213)
 of which number
 William Henry Schulz received one hundred and fifteen 115
 Asa H. Craig " one 1
 Augustin L. Whitcomb " Four 4
 Lorenzo R. Harvey " Ninety three 93
 For Railroad Commissioner No hundred and one
 Twelve (212) of which number
 Chester Edwin Wilcox received one hundred and fifteen 115
 Robert E. Anger " one 1
 George Clithero " Four 4
 Graham L. Rice " Ninety two 92
 For Commissioner of Insurance No hundred and twelve (212)
 of which number
 John Pauline Schindler received one hundred and fifteen 115
 Charles W. Poney " one 1
 Edward Berg " Four 4
 Ernest J. Johnson " Ninety two 92
 The whole number of votes given for members of
 Congress for the second (2) District - was
 Two hundred and Fourteen (214) of which number
 James E. Grogan received 115 Vts
 Jabez B. Smith " 5
 Herman B. Kahle " 94
 The whole number of votes given for members of
 Assembly for the First assembly district in
 the county of Adams was two hundred and sixteen 216 of which number
 David Bechtel received 142
 George Boycut - " 74

The whole number of rates given for Sheriff for the term commencing on the first Monday of January A.D. 1899 was Two hundred and twenty three (223) of which number

1. Boethi. Dyerson received 137 rates
Jesse Meyers " 6.
George W. Hamme Kawone. 80

The whole number of rates given for County Clerk was Two hundred and ten (210) of which number
John C. Ward received 116 rates
Went W. Perwilleger " 94 "

The whole number of rates given for County Treasurer was Two hundred and fifteen (215) of which number
Joseph W. Wallace received 110
James A. Roberts " 5-
Henry Wilke " 100

The whole number of rates given for Registrar of Deeds was Two hundred and fourteen (214) of which number
Alois Hutter received 107
Derry W. Kataling " 9
Amund K. Rein Dahl " 98

The whole number of rates given for District Attorney was Two hundred and fourteen (214) of which number
August H. Hafferman received 144
J. Mathew S. Dudgeon " 70

The whole number of rates given for Clerk of Circuit Court was Two hundred and ten (210) of which number
Barney Corner received 110
Abelias Bennett " 5-
Andrew P. Ferguson 95-

The whole number of rates given for County Surveyor was Two hundred and thirteen (213) of which number
John N. Kader received 119.
James Melville " 4.
William L. Macey " 90

The whole number of rates given for Coroner was Two hundred and eleven (211) of which number
James A. Kelly received 115.
Orpha B. Harbison 4
Walker W. Lynch 92

The whole number of rates given for County Supt. was Ninety five (95) of which number
John L. Huseps received 95-

The whole number of valis given on the Revision of the
Banking Law was one hundred and seventy (170) of which sixty
sixty five (65) Valis were For the Revision of the Banking Law
seventy five (75) " " Against the " " " " " "

We hereby certify that the foregoing statement
is correct in all respects
dated Nov. 8th 1898

Frank Jiggellman	} Clerks of Election	Daniel Bechtel	} Inspectors of Election
John J. Jink		Francis J. Jink John W. Johnson	

Recorded Nov. 10th 1898

Frank Jiggellman
Town Clerk

Minutes of the general election held in and
for the town of Blooming Grove on the eight day
of November 1898. The Ballot and Election
clerks were sworn in by chairman & the Inspe-
ctors were sworn in by the town clerk.
Polls were opened at 9 o'clock a.m. and
closed at sundown. The poll lists were
compared and found to agree. The ballots were
then counted and found to agree with poll
list. The canvass was then made
according to law.

Recorded Nov. 10th 1898

Frank Jiggellman
Town Clerk

Minutes of the annual town meeting held in and for the town of Blooming Grove, Apr. 4, 1899.

The Clerks were sworn in by Francis Fink, Notary Public, and the inspectors were sworn in by the town clerk.

The polls were opened by proclamation at 9:30 o'clock. At 2 o'clock the report of the town board of supervisors was read and adopted.

The following resolution by David Bechtel was adopted: Resolved that there be levied the sum of four hundred dollars, \$400.00, for current expenses.

A motion was made and carried that if highway tax was to be paid in money there be raised a road tax of two mills on a dollar; if not carried, a tax of three mills on a dollar.

The polls were declared closed at five o'clock.

The poll lists were then compared and found to agree.

The ballots were then counted and found to agree with poll lists.

The canvass was then made according to law.

Recorded Apr. 6th 1899.

Frank Siggelkow
Town Clerk

Statement by inspectors of result of election at town meeting held in and for the town of Blooming Grove Apr. 4, 1899.

County of Slave }
Town of Blooming Grove } ss.

The following is a statement of the whole number of votes given for each office.

The names of the persons for whom such votes were given, and the number of votes given for each person at the annual town meeting held at the town hall in said town of Blooming Grove, in said County, on the 4 day of April 1899.

The whole number of votes given for chairman

was Seventy eight — 78, of which number Daniel Bechtel received 78.

The whole number of votes given for side-supervisors was one hundred and fifty six, 156, of which number John M. Johnson received 78, and Francis Grik 78.

The whole number of votes given for Town Clerk was Seventy eight, 78, of which number Frank Siggelkow received 78.

The whole number of votes given for town treasurer was Seventy eight, 78, of which number J. C. Fenwick rec'd 78.

The whole number of votes given for Assessor was Seventy eight 78, of which number E. C. Elov received 74, and H. M. Maher received four.

The whole number of votes given for justices of the Peace was one hundred fifty four, 154, of which number Clayton Olson rec'd 77 and Geo. Harrington rec'd 77.

The whole number of votes given for constables was two hundred thirty four, of which number C. H. Storick rec'd 78, Halv. N. Ellestad 78, and Halvor Halverson received 78.

The whole number of votes cast for high way tax was Seventy eight 78 of which number, 44 were for payment in money and 31 against payment in money and three defective.

Given under our hands this 4th day of April 1899.

Daniel Bechtel
Francis Grik
John M. Johnson

Inspectors,

Recorded April 6th 1899

Frank Siggelkow
Town Clerk.

Certificates of determination.

County of Lane }
 Town of Blooming Grove } ss.

We, the undersigned inspectors, of the election held at the time and place specified, in the within statement by us subscribed, do hereby certify that the within named Daniel Bechtel is duly elected to the office of Chairman of supervisors of said town, and that John M. Johnson and Francis Jink are duly elected to the office of supervisors of said town; and that Frank Siggelkow is duly elected to the office of town clerk; and that J. L. Ferrite is duly elected to the office of town treasurer; and that E. C. Elou is duly elected to the office of town assessor, and that Anton Olson and Geo. Harrison are duly elected to the office of Justice of the Peace; and that C. H. Storch, and Nels Ekestad and Halvor Johnson are duly elected to the office of constable.

Given under our hands this 4th day of April 1899.

Daniel Bechtel }
 Francis Jink } Inspectors
 John M. Johnson }

Recorded April 6th 1899.

Frank Siggelkow
 Town Clerk.

Minutes of the meeting of the board of supervisors of the town of Blooming Grove which met at the town hall the 11 day of April 1899 to levy road tax and transact other business. It was ordered and determined that a highway tax of two mills on a dollar be levied on all taxable property of the town, both real and personal by the clerk, for the year 1899.

A vacancy having occurred in the office of Superintendent of Highway in road Districts No. 11, No. 9 & No. 7, the board appointed Christ Lamp to fill the vacancy in district No. 11, John Plom Jr. to fill vacancy in dist. No. 9, and Nels Ellestad to fill vacancy in dist. No. 7. The road warrants were then signed by the supervisors.

The following bills were audited and ordered drawn for same: —

Order No. 1. to J. J. Thompson services as clerk \$2.00
 " No. 2 " E. Brown service as bull clerk — 2.00
 " " 3 " G. Smith " " election " 2.00

Recorded Apr. 12, 1899

Frank Siggelkow
 Town Clerk

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Review which met at the town hall June 26, 1899.

The assessment roll was examined and the following changes were made.

S. R. Miller - sec. 6, Spt. E 1/2 SE 1/4 12 acres - valuation \$2200 reduced to \$2000

Knickerbocker & Co. Npt. frac NE 1/4 sec 8 - 6 ²⁵/₁₀₀ a valuation \$400 reduced to \$250

Esch Bros and Rab. cont. pt. NE 1/4 sec. 8, 5 ²⁵/₁₀₀ a valuation \$1000 raised to \$2500

W. A. Gallagher - all soft H. 10. NE 1/4 sec. 12, 80 a. valuation \$500 - raised to \$1000. SE 1/4, 160 a. raised

Wayne Ramsey - frac NE 1/2 less 12 a. sec 19, 39 ⁷⁵/₁₀₀ a. valuation \$2200 raised to \$2500

Schuckman, et. N 1/2 NW 1/4 sec. 23, 80 acres. valuation \$500 - raised to \$700

W. Anderson & R. Frazer - N 1/2 NW 1/4 sec. 30 - 72 ⁵⁴/₁₀₀ acres, valuation \$2700 - raised to \$3500

to \$3000

(2) The overseers of the districts using them shall return to the town Hall yard and place them in the shed.

(3) The town to keep these machines in repair. Be it further resolved that if the town of Blooming Grove grant license to saloons or bar rooms for the sale of spirituous or malt liquors, the money so received shall go first toward paying for these machines until they are paid for.

Resolved further, that if the said town does not grant license, that there be annually raised for three years, a sum sufficient to pay for these machines, added to the general expense of the town.

Resolved that the Board of Supervisors of the town of Blooming Grove are authorized to lay out a highway in said town on the following property:

Sec 22 ✓
23
26
27
Marsh Road

Commencing on the east line of Sec. 22, at the corner of Henry Thiesinger & Ole Alumnus on highway & continuing south intersecting the McFarland road at the northwest corner of K. K. Doney's land, crossing the following property, Henry Thiesinger, Ole Alumnus, A. M. Field, O. H. Yeller & Henry Gausman, at an expense not to exceed four hundred dollars.

Resolve that the Board of Supervisors levy a road tax of .003 miles if road tax is paid in labor, or .002 if payable in cash.

Resolve that there be levied a tax of \$400.00 Four hundred Dollars for current expenses.

Polls closed at 10 o'clock P. M. The Ballots when then counted and found to agree with poll list. The canvass was then made according to law.

Recorded April 6, 1900

Frank Siggelkow
Town Clerk

County of Adams
 Town of Blooming Grove J.S.S.

The following is a true and correct statement of the result of an election held in a town meeting held at the town hall in the town of Blooming Grove in the county of Adams on the 3rd day of April 1900. Setting forth the whole number of votes given for each office the names of persons for whom such votes were given, and the number of votes given for each person.

The whole number of votes given for chairman of Supervisors was 143, of which number Daniel Bechtel received 143. The whole number of votes given for Supervisors was 282, of which number John W. Johnson received 142, Francis Gunk 140. The whole number of votes given for town clerk was 143, of which number J. E. Brown received 143.

The whole number of votes given for assessor was 144, of which number E. C. Elver received 144. The whole number of votes given for Treasurer was 140, of which number Charles Vetter received 137, A. S. Estes received 3.

The whole number of votes given for justice of peace was 286, of which number Henry Smildhagen received 143, Geo. Harrington received 143. The whole number of votes given for constables was 428, of which number Carl Ganfer received 142, Geo. Sprecher received 143, Wm. Paus. received 143.

The whole number of votes given cast for highway tax was 145, of which number 85 were against payment in money and 57 for paying in money and one blank.

Given under our hand's this 3rd day of April 1900

Daniel Bechtel
 John W. Johnson
 Francis Gunk

Inspectors

Recorded April 6, 1900

Frank Sigglekow

Town Clerk

Certificate of determination
 County of Lane
 Town of Blomington, Ind.

One the undersigned inspectors of election held at the time and place specified in the writ in statement by us subscribed do hereby certify that the within named Daniel Bechtel is duly elected to the office of Chairman of Supervisors of said town and that John M. Johnson and Francis Gunk are duly elected to the office of Supervisors of said town, That George E. Borner is duly elected to the office of town clerk, That E. C. Elder is duly elected to the office of assessor, That Charles Ketter is duly elected to the office of Treasurer, That Henry Melchroyer is duly elected to the office of justice of peace for two years, that George Herrington is duly elected to the office of justice of peace for one year, That Carl Sauer is duly elected to the office of constable and that George Joseph and Max Paul are duly elected to the office of constables.

In witness where of we have hereunto set our hands this 3rd day of April 1900

Daniel Bechtel
 John M. Johnson
 Francis Gunk } Inspectors
 Recorded April 6, 1900
 Frank Sigelken
 Town Clerk

✓ Statement of result of local option election held in and for the town of Blomington on the 3rd day of April 1900
 The whole number of votes cast was 146, of which number 91 were for license and 51 against license, and 4 blanks.
 We hereby certify that the above is correct - dated this 3rd day of April 1900

Daniel Bechtel
 John M. Johnson
 Francis Gunk } Inspectors of Election

Recorded April 6th 1900
 Frank Sigelken
 Town Clerk

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Supervisors, held in the Town Hall on the tenth day of April 1900; The following orders and determinations were made, all the members of the board being present. That six thousand dollars (\$6000) shall be the amount of the bond which the town treasurer shall give the Town of Blooming Grove, That, Henry Peters Sr chairman, F R Estes, clerk, C H Storck, Health Officer, be appointed as board of health. That G. E. Brown purchase blank record for recording mortgages, and procure necessary postage and stationery. That a highway tax of three (3) mills on a dollar be levied for the year 1900. That the following be appointed superintendents of high ways, Geo Sigglekow, dist No 1; Fred Hemsmeier, district No 2; Halven Halverson, No 3; N J Ellstad, No 4; Henry Peters Sr, No 5; Robert Swanton, No 6; W H Webber, No 7; Ole M. Nelson, No 8; John Pflaun, Jr, No 9; Carl Gerfen, No 10; Albert Holscher, No 11; John Libby, No 12

Adjourned

Recorded April 14th 1900, G. E. Brown, Town Clerk.

At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors held in the office of the Town Clerk of Blooming Grove, ^{on April 22nd 1900} the following appointments were made, Martin Rathman appointed to be overseen of highway in road district No 2, to fill vacancy caused by the refusal of Fred Hemsmeier to serve, he having been appointed at a previous meeting of the board.

G E Brown to be health officer to fill the vacancy caused by the refusal of C H Storck to serve he having been appointed to serve at a previous meeting of the board. That license to sell liquor be granted to Fred Ahnesmeier, and Henry Schroeder,

Recorded April 24 1900, G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors held in the office of Supervisor Zink, on May 17th 1900, all the members of the Board being present, J O Fenrite was appointed Superintendent of Highways for Road District No 3, to fill the vacancy caused by the refusal to serve of H. Halverson, who had been previously appointed. Henry Marks Sr. was appointed Superintendent of Highways, for Road District No 6 to fill the

vacancy caused by the refusal to serve of Robert Swanton, who had been previously appointed

Recorded May 19th 1900. G. E. Brown Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the town of Blooming Grove, held in the Town Hall on June 18th, 1900, for the purpose of granting licenses, all the members of the Board being present, the following business was transacted. Ordered that license to sell liquor be granted to Fred Ahrensmeier, on Lot 1 Block 3, Elm side; to Henry Schroeder, on lots 23-24-25 and N $\frac{1}{2}$ lot 22 SW $\frac{1}{4}$ lots 21 S $\frac{1}{2}$ 22 SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec 17, to Carl Gebhardt, president Madison Turnverein, at the Schuetzen Park.

Wm. Paus having neglected to qualify within the time required by law, was appointed constable and then qualified. It was resolved that all license money paid into the town treasury, for the sale of strong, spirituous, malt, or intoxicating liquor be and the same is hereby appropriated and set aside to be used in defraying the incidental town expenses.

The following bills were audited and allowed, and Town Orders drawn for same

Order No 1	Fuller & Johnson Mfg Co. Repairing road scraper	\$ 7.40
" " 2	Jacob Herman, labor on bridge Dist. No 5	10.00
" " 3	G. E. Brown, making and delivering road warrants	10.00
" " 4	G. E. Brown, stationery and postage	4.39
" " 5	John M. Johnson, services as Supervisor	8.00
" " 6	Francis Link " " "	11.00

Recorded June 20th 1900. G. E. Brown Town Clerk

Minutes of the meeting of the board of review held in the Town Hall, on the 25th day of June 1900. The Supervisors, the Assessor, and the Clerk being present, the assessment roll for the year 1900 was examined and the following changes made

Sec 13, D. Bichtel, all N of RR of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$	\$ 230	increased to	\$ 300
" 14 " " " NE $\frac{1}{4}$	\$ 6600	" "	\$ 7000
" 14 Henry Droster S $\frac{1}{2}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ less 2 $\frac{8}{100}$	\$ 4600	reduced "	\$ 4500
" 15 Mary Johnson Est. SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$	\$ 3300	" "	\$ 2800
" " " " E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ less 4 acres	\$ 1700	increased "	\$ 2300
" 22 H. Weisinger W $\frac{1}{4}$ of S $\frac{1}{2}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$	\$ 800	reduced "	\$ 700
" 26 C. H. Ward SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$	\$ 1600	" "	\$ 1200
" 33 M. Genois Boyle all that Pt. frac. SE $\frac{1}{4}$ and of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ exc. $\frac{1}{4}$ bet RR and lake	\$ 8000	" "	2000

The following bill was audited and allowed, and Town Order drawn for same

Order No 7 E. C. Elver services as assessor \$ 75.00
Recorded June 28th 1900. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk.

At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the Town of Blooming Grove held in the city of Madison, on the 17th day of October, 1900, the following ^{Town} orders were issued.

- Order No 10 To, Henry Stein, Furnishing material and building bridge on Section 5 \$139.00
- " " 11 " Henry Stein, Stone for bridge in Sec 5 21.00
- " " 12 " C. H. Nelson, Safe for Town Clerk 23.00

G. E. Brown Town Clerk

Minutes of the General Election held at the Town Hall in the Town of Blooming Grove on the 6th day of November 1900.

The Chairman of the Town failing to appear, Wm Mahen was appointed Chairman of Inspectors, Wm Dempsey was appointed assistant clerk, Anton Olson and Henry Peters Jr Ballot Clerks. The inspectors were sworn by the Town Clerk; the Clerks of Election and the Ballot Clerks were sworn by Francis Zink, Notary Public.

At 9 a.m. the Chairman proclaimed the Polls ~~were~~ ^{were} open and would remain open until sun down, At sun down the Polls were declared closed. The Poll Lists were then compared and found to agree; the ballots were counted and found to agree with Poll Lists. The canvas was then made according to law.

Recorded Nov. 7th 1900, G. E. Brown Town Clerk

Statement of the Result of a General Election held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove in the County of Dane, State of Wisconsin, on the 6th day of November A. D. 1900, made by the Inspectors of Election, in and for said Town of Blooming Grove, to wit:

The whole number of votes given for Electors of President and Vice President of the United States was Twenty seven Hundred and Eighty four, of which number

Frederick W. Von Cotzhausen	received	One Hundred and One	(101)
John Rosch	"	"	(101)
George W. Stevenson	"	"	(101)
Benjamin F. Sherman	"	"	(101)
William F. Coffland	"	"	(101)
Henry J. Millman	"	"	(101)

Patrick O'Meara	received One Hundred and One	(101)
John Berger	" " " " "	(101)
Stephen Richmond	" " " " "	(101)
August C. Washardt	" " " " "	(101)
Amos Holgate	" " " " "	(101)
George D. Cline	" " " " "	(101)

Samuel D. Hastings	received Five	(5)
Joshua H. Berkey	" "	(5)
James P. Corse	" "	(5)
Lorenzo D. Fargo	" "	(5)
Benjamin F. Thomas	" "	(5)
Benjamin F. Parker	" "	(5)
William A. McKillop	" Six	(6)
James S. Thompson	" Five	(5)
William Ager	" "	(5)
John W. Evans	" "	(5)
Chris Solum	" 4	(5)
George J. Constance	" "	(5)

George A. Yule	received One Hundred and Twenty six	(126)
Willard A. Van Brunt	" " " " " "	(126)
Henry E. Roethe	" " " " " "	(126)
Wm. H. J. Kieckhefer	" " " " " "	(126)
Whitman A. Barber	" " " " " "	(126)
John Schuette	" " " " " "	(126)
John Ochsmen	" " " " " five	(125)
Chas M. Fenelon	" " " " " six	(126)
John D. Nelsenius	" " " " " "	(126)
Fred A. Severance	" " " " " "	(126)
Atley Peterson	" " " " " "	(126)
Augustus G. Weissert	" " " " " "	(126)

The whole number of votes given for Governor was Two Hundred and Thirtythree (233) of which number Louis G. Bahmrich received One Hundred (100)

J. Burritt Smith	" Five	(5)
Robert M. LaFollette	" One Hundred and Twentyeight	(128)

For Lieutenant Governor Two Hundred and Thirtythree (233) of which number,

Thomas H. Patterson	received One Hundred and One	(101)
Thorvild K. Thorvildson	" Six	(6)
Jesse Stone	" One Hundred and Twenty six	(126)

The whole number of votes for Secretary of State was Two Hundred and Thirtythree (233) of which number

Joseph H. Woodnorth received One Hundred and One (101)
 Edwin Kerswill " Six (6)
 William H. Froehlich " One Hundred and Twenty six (126)

For State Treasurer Two Hundred and Thirty three (233) of which number
 August Barty received One Hundred and Two (102)
 Herbert James Noyes " Six (6)
 James O. Davidson " One Hundred and Twenty five (125)

For Attorney General, Two Hundred and Thirty three (233) of which number
 George C. Cooper received One Hundred and One (101)
 Eugene W. Chafin " Six (6)
 Emmett R. Hicks " One Hundred and Twenty six (126)

For State Superintendent, Two Hundred and Thirty three (233) of which number.
 Homer B. Hubbell received One Hundred and One (101)
 Henry C. Senn " Six (6)
 Lorenzo D. Hawley " One Hundred and Twenty six (126)

For Railroad Commissioner Two Hundred and Thirty three (233) of which number.
 George W. Hill received One Hundred and One (101)
 Vernon M. Weeks " Six (6)
 Graham L. Rice " One Hundred and Twenty six (126)

For Commissioner of Insurance Two Hundred and Thirty three (233) of which number
 Robert A. Thompson received One Hundred and One (101)
 Franklin R. Derrick " Six (6)
 Emil Giljohann " One Hundred and Twenty six (126)

The whole number of votes given for Representative in
 Congress for the Second Congressional District was Two Hundred
 and Thirty three, of which number,

John A. Aylward received One Hundred and Three (103)
 Lemuel J. Davies " Six (6)
 Herman B. Dahle " One Hundred and Twenty four (124)

The whole number of votes given for State Senator for the
 Twenty Sixth Senate District, for the term commencing
 on the first Monday of January A. D. 1901. was Two Hundred
 and Thirty two of which number,

Nels C. Evans received One Hundred and Three (103)
 Henry A. Miner " Five (5)
 George P. Miller " One Hundred and Twenty four (124)

The whole number of votes given for Member of
 Assembly for the First Assembly District in the County of
 Dane, for the term commencing on the first Monday

of January A. D. 1901 was Two Hundred and Thirtythree of which number
 George W. Lewis received One Hundred and Two (102)
 Charles H. Parr " Five (5)
 E. Ray Stevens " One Hundred and Twentysix (126)

The whole number of votes given for Sheriff for the term
 commencing on the first Monday of January A. D. 1901, was
 Two Hundred and Thirtythree, of which number,
 William Engelke received One Hundred (100)
 William W. Bewick " Six (6)
 Ernest F. Burmeister " One Hundred and Twentyseven (127)

The whole number of votes given for County Clerk for the
 term commencing on the first Monday of January A. D. 1901
 was Two Hundred and Thirtythree, of which number
 Olick O. Rorge received One Hundred (100)
 Arthur Roberts " Five (5)
 Mark W. Terwilliger " One Hundred and Twentyeight (128)

The whole number of votes given for County Treasurer for
 the term commencing on the first Monday of January A. D. 1901
 was Two Hundred and Thirtythree, of which number
 Joseph W. Wallace received One Hundred and Seven (107)
 John Shuman " Six (6)
 Henry J. Wilke " One Hundred and Twenty (120)

The whole number of votes given for Register of Deeds for
 the term commencing on the first Monday of Jan. A. D. 1901
 was Two Hundred and Thirtytwo, of which number
 Alois Hutter received One Hundred and One (101)
 Stephen O. Rabb " Seven (7)
 Amund K. Reindahl " One Hundred and Twentyfour (124)

The whole number of votes given for District Attorney
 for the term commencing on the first Monday of Jan. A. D. 1901
 was Two Hundred and Thirtythree, of which number,
 John Moran received One Hundred and Six (106)
 Charles F. Cronk " Six (6)
 Matthew S. Dudgeon " One Hundred and Twentyone (121)

The whole number of votes given for Clerk of Circuit
 Court, for the term commencing on the first Monday of
 Jan. 1901, was Two Hundred and Thirtythree, of which number,
 Newell H. Dodge received One Hundred and One (101)
 Paul P. Systestad " Five (5)
 Andrew J. Torgeson " One Hundred and Twentysome (127)

The whole number of votes given for County Surveyor for the term commencing on the first Monday of Jan, A.D., 1901 was Two Hundred and Twenty seven, of which number John Nader received One Hundred and One (101) William L. Marcy " One Hundred and Twenty six (126)

The whole number of votes given for Coroner for the term commencing on the first Monday of Jan, A.D., 1901 was Two Hundred and Thirty three, of which number, Frank A. Starck received One Hundred and One (101) Arba B. Marvin " Six (6) Matthew W. Lynch " One Hundred and Twenty six (126)

The whole number of votes given for County Superintendent of Schools, for the term commencing on the first Monday of Jan, A.D., 1901 was One Hundred and Twenty five, of which number John L. Husebo received One Hundred and Twenty five (125)

Wm. Maher } Inspectors
Francis Zink } of
John M. Johnson } Election.
Recorded Nov 7th 1900, G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

Minutes of the Town Board of Audit, which met at the Town Hall in the Town of Blooming Grove, on the 4th day of Dec, 1900, All the members of the board being present, the following bills were audited and allowed,

Order No 13	To. H. C. Kleine, for Stone, Road Dist. No 1	\$20.25
" " 14	" J. M. Johnson, " Services on Town Board	11.00
" " 15	" C. F. Cooley, " Pipe Road Districts Nos 3 & 12	16.64
" " 16	" Brittingham & Hixon L. Co. for Lumber, Road Dist No 11	15.55
" " 17	" " " " " " " " " " No 7	19.75
" " 18	" Heddles Lumber Co. for Lumber, Road Dist No 1	19.78
" " 19	" A. H. Kayser, for Lumber & Nails	180.45
" " 20	" Francis Zink, " Services on Town Board	17.00
" " 21	" Daniel Bechtel, " " " " " " " " " "	26.00
" " 22	" Wm. Maher, " " " " " " " " " " as Inspector of General Election	2.00
" " 23	" Wm. Dempsey, " " " " " " " " " " Clerk of General Election	2.00
" " 24	" Anton Olson, " " " " " " " " " " Ballot Clerk	2.00
" " 25	" Henry Peters, " " " " " " " " " " " "	2.00
" " 26	" G. E. Brown, on account Services as Town Clerk	50.00
" " 27	" A. G. Estes, for Stone, Road Districts Nos 2, 5 and 6	21.00
" " 28	" Austin & Western Co. Ltds Road Machine payment Districts Nos 2 & 6, 6 & 12	
" " 29	" " " " " " " " " " " " District No 5	84.80
" " 30	" " " " " " " " " " " " " District Nos 1 & 11	85.15

The following order was then made:

State of Wisconsin }
 Dane Co, Town of Blooming Grove } S.S.

At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the Town of Blooming Grove, held in the Town Hall in said town on the 4th day of December A.D. 1900, it was ordered and determined that the following special tax be levied on the several Road Districts.

On District No 1	\$ 55.91
" " " 2	34.84
" " " 5	88.03
" " " 8	33.37
" " " 11	28.30
Total	<u>240.45</u>

Said tax is levied for the purpose of paying the notes and accrued interest, given by the Board of Supervisors for the payment of Road Machines purchased from the Austin and Western Co. Ltd. and payable January 1st 1900
 Given under our hands this 4th day of December, 1900

Daniel Bechtel

John M. Johnson } Supervisors
 Francis Link }

The following Highway Tax Order was issued.

No 2 To Marie Johnson, Work on Hw. Dist. No 4 \$0.50
 Recorded Dec 18th 1900
 G. E. Brown Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Town Board of the town of Blooming Grove, held in the city of Madison on the 22^d day of December, 1900, all the members of the Board being present, the following bills were allowed, and orders drawn

Order No 31	To Sumner + Morris, for two lanterns	\$ 2.00
" " 32	" N. Frederickson + Sons, for lumber	2.59
" " 33	" A. A. Mayers for Glas	1.20

Recorded Dec. 24th 1900

G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Town Board of Audit, which met at the Town Clerks office on the 26 day of March 1901, for the purpose of auditing accounts and settling with Town officers, The following bills were audited and allowed and Town Orders drawn for same

Order No 34	To King + Walker Co for Bridge railing District No 10	\$ 16.22
" " 35	" G. E. Brown " Services as health officer	4.00
" " 36	" " " " " Stationery	1.71
" " 37	" " " " " Services as town clerk	20.00

Order No 38 To G. E. Brown Service as town clerk, Library Work. \$4.00
 " " 39 " K. J. Haugan, for Mason work done in Road District No 1 23.22
 The accounts of the Town Treasurer were examined and found to be correct.

Recorded March 27th 1901. G. E. Brown Town Clerk,

State of Wisconsin }
 County of Dane } S.S.
 Town of Blooming Grove }

✓ At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the Town of Blooming Grove in said county held therein on the 26 day of March 1901, it was ordered and determined that at the ensuing election to be held on April 2^d 1901, in said town, there be elected two assessors to perform the duties of assessor for the ensuing year.

Given under our hands this 26 day of March 1901

Daniel Beshtel }
 John M. Johnson } Supervisors
 Francis Link }

Recorded March 30th 1901. G. E. Brown Town Clerk

Minutes of the annual town meeting, held in and for the town of Blooming Grove, on Tuesday the 2^d day of April A.D. 1901. The polls were opened at 9 O^c and the following two resolutions were read and

No 1 adopted, No 1. Resolved, that the town treasurer shall receive one (1) per centum on all taxes paid on or before the 31st day of January 1902.

No 2 No 2. Resolved, that the town assessors shall be paid such compensation as may be allowed them by the town board, not to exceed three dollars per day, nor to exceed fifty (\$50⁰⁰) dollars each per year.

The polls were closed at 12 m for one hour, at 10 P.M. the polls were reopened, and at one 1:30 the report of the town board was read and adopted

No 3 ✓ The following resolution was read; Resolved, that all delinquent highway tax in the town treasury be, and it is hereby subject to the order of the town board, Resolved further that the town board at its first meeting, after the annual town meeting shall decide in what manner said funds shall be expended, whether the whole or only a part thereof shall be expended on the highways under the directions of the superintendents of highways, but no money shall be paid to any superintendent of highways until after such superintendents shall

have made their annual report in November as required by law and in no case shall the amount so paid exceed the amount reported expended by said superintendent, over and above the amount of his highway tax in said year.

The following amendment was then offered and, the preceding resolution as amended was adopted.

Amended by adding, that all the delinquent road money in the treasury at this date, collected from road district No 7, be paid over to the man who sold the reversible road scraper, towards the price of the same, and that district No 7 and 12 be united in one road district, provided that road district No 12 pay their proportionate share of the cost of said road scraper to the town board, who shall apply it on the payment for said scraper.

The inspectors of election, and ballot clerks were sworn by the town clerk, and the clerks of election by the chairman of the town, at 9 A.M.

The polls were closed at 5 P.M. and the canvas was then proceeded with according to law.

G. E. Brown Town Clerk

County of Dane } ss.
Town of Blooming Grove }

The following is a true and correct statement of the result of an election at the town meeting held at the town hall in the town of Blooming Grove, County of Dane, on the 2d day of April A.D. 1901, setting forth the whole number of votes given for each office, the names of the persons for whom such votes were given, and the number of votes given for each person,

The whole number of votes given for chairman of Supervisors, was Seventy seven (77) of which number Daniel Bechtel received, Seventy seven 77

The whole number of votes given for Supervision was One hundred fifty six ⁽¹⁵⁶⁾ of which number,
John M. Johnson received, Seventy eight 78
H. A. Wessinger " Seventy seven 77
A. Lunk " One 1

The whole number of votes given for Town Clerk was Seventy eight ⁽⁷⁸⁾ of which number,
G. E. Brown, received Seventy eight 78

The whole number of votes given for assessor was One hundred sixty two (162) of which number

J. O. Fenwite received Seventy three 73
E. C. Elver " Forty 40
Wm. Mahan " Thirty nine 39

The whole number of votes given for Treasurer was

Seventy seven, of which number	
Chas. Vetter recieved Seventy six	76
C. E. Elver " One	1

The whole number of votes given for Justice of the Peace was,
Three hundred and twelve, of which number,

H. Wildhagen recieved, Seventy eight	78
W ^m Maher " " "	78
Fred Knickmeier " " "	78
Ben Rattmann " " "	78

The whole number of votes given for constable, was
Two hundred and thirty four, of which number

Carl Gerfen recieved Seventy eight	78
Frank Sigglekow " " "	78
Albert Rattmann " " "	78

G. E. Brown
Town Clerk

Daniel Bechtel
John M Johnson } Inspectors
Francis Link }

County of Dane }
Town of Blooming Grove } SS.

We the undersigned Inspectors of the election held at the time and place specified in the written statement by us subscribed, do hereby certify that the within named Daniel Bechtel is duly elected to the office of Chairman of Supervisors of said town, and that John M Johnson and H. A. Wisinger are duly elected to the office of Supervisors of said town, and that G. E. Brown is duly elected to the office of Town Clerk of said town; and that Jens O. Fremvite and E. C. Elver are duly elected to the (office) of assessors of said town; and that Charles Vetter is duly elected to the office of Town Treasurer of said town; and that H. Wildhagen, and W^m Maher are duly elected to the office of Justice of the Peace for the term of two years, and that Fred Knickmeier and Ben Rattmann are duly elected to the office of Justice of the Peace for the term of one year; and that Carl Gerfen and Frank Sigglekow and Albert Rattmann are duly elected to the office of Constable.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this 2^d day of (April) 1901

Recorded April 3^d 1901

G. E. Brown Town Clerk

Daniel Bechtel
John M Johnson } Inspectors
Francis Link }

Statement of the result of a Judicial election held in and for the town of Blooming Grove in the county of Dane State of Wisconsin, on the first Tuesday in April A D 1901, being the second day of said month, made by the Inspectors of Election, in and for said town to wit;

The whole number of votes given for Justice of the Supreme Court, for the term commencing on the first Monday in January A D 1902 was Twenty six (26) of which number Joshua Eric Dodge received Twenty six (26)

The whole number of votes given for County Judge in and for said town for the term commencing on the first Monday in January A D 1902 was Seventy three (73) of which number

John C. Fehlandt received Thirteen (13)
 George S. Martin " One (1)
 John Ollis " Twenty two (22)
 A. G. Zimmerman " Thirty seven (37)

We hereby certify that the foregoing statement is correct in all respects.

Dated April 2^d A D 1901

Daniel Bechtel }
 John M. Johnson } Inspectors
 Francis Zink }

Recorded April 3^d 1901

G. E. Brown, Town clerk

At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the town of Blooming Grove, held in the Town Hall of said town, ^{on the 5th day April 1901} for the purpose of laying a highway tax, and transacting other business, it was ordered and determined that a highway tax of two (2) Mills on the dollar on all the taxable property in the town of Blooming Grove, both real and personal, for the year 1901 to be expended on the highways under the direction of the Superintendents of Highways of the several Superintendent Districts.

It was also ordered and determined that H. A. Messinger be appointed Chairman of the Board of Health, that E. C. Elver be appointed clerk of said board, and that G. E. Brown be appointed Health Officer.

The following bills were allowed, and orders drawn for same

Order No 1	John Zink	for services as ballot clerk	\$ 2.00
" " 2	Albert Rattmann	" " " "	2.00
" " 3	John M. Johnson	" " " " supervisor	4.00
" " 4	Francis Zink	" " " "	4.00

Recorded April 6th 1901.

G. E. Brown Town Clerk }
 Daniel Bechtel } Supervisors
 John M. Johnson }
 H. A. Messinger }

action on the amendment to resolution No 3 was postponed to April 13th.

G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

At a meeting of the board of Supervisors of the town of Blooming Grove, held in the city of Madison on the 13th day of April, 1901. the following bill was allowed.

Order No 5 Wm Dempsey, for service as clerk of Election \$2.00

Action on the amendment, postponed to this date, at a former meeting, was still further postponed to allow the tax payers of road districts Nos 7 and 12, to express their views on the amendment.

Recorded April 16th 1901, G. E. Brown Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the Town of Blooming Grove, held in the city of Madison, on the 4th day of May 1901. the resignation of Henry Marks, as Superintendent of Highways for road district No 6, was accepted, and G. E. Brown was appointed to fill the vacancy.

It was decided that the delinquent highway tax, ^{for the year 1900} collected by the Town Treasurer, should be returned to the road district which reported it delinquent.

The majority of the taxpayers of road districts Nos 7 & 12 being opposed to having the two districts united into one, it was ordered that they remain as at present.

It was ordered that the delinquent road tax of \$90.58 now credited to road district No 7, be tendered as a payment on the road machine purchased by district No 7

Recorded May 6th 1901. G. E. Brown Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the Town of Blooming Grove, held in the Town Hall on the 17th day of June 1901 for the purpose of granting license for the sale in quantities less than one gallon, of strong spiritous, malt, ardent, or intoxicating liquors, to be drunk on the premises, Daniel Bechtel, and John M Johnson, were present, Application having been made for license, by the Madison Tavernverein, for Schuetzen Park, by Fred Ahrensmeier for his saloon on lot 1 block 3, Elm side, and by Henry Schroeder for Oak Park, it was ordered that the above three applications be granted

Recorded June 18th 1901, G. E. Brown Town Clerk

Order No 6 At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the Town of Blooming Grove, held in the Town Hall on the 24th day of June 1901 the following bill was allowed, O. S. Olson, Spikes, Road Dist No \$1.57

Recorded June 26th 1901, G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of review, held in the Town Hall, on Monday the 24th day of June 1901, all the members being present. The Assessment Roll for the year 1901, was examined both as to valuation and descriptions of property, and the following reductions made

Sec 13, D. Bechtel, Sof road Pt of W ¹ / ₂ of NW ¹ / ₄	23 acres	\$ 600	reduced to	\$ 400
" 14 " " NE ¹ / ₄	160 "	\$ 7000	" "	6400
" 5 W. H. Lansing W ¹ / ₂ of SE ¹ / ₄	52 "	\$ 5200	" "	5000
" " " " all E of creek N ¹ / ₂ of SE ¹ / ₄	30 "	\$ 600	increased	800

The Assessment Roll having been only partially examined, the Board adjourned at 6:00 P.M. to the following day, at 8:00 A.M.

Recorded June 26th 1901, G. E. Brown, Town Clerk.

Board of Review met pursuant to adjournment of the 24th, and the balance of the Assessment Roll was examined, No further changes were found to be necessary.

Recorded, June 26th 1901, G. E. Brown Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the Town of Blooming Grove, held in the Town Hall, on the 25 day of June, 1901. The following bills were allowed

Order No 7	E. C. Elver, for Services as Assessor,	\$ 50.00
" " 8	J. O. Feroete, " " " "	\$ 50.00

Recorded June 26th, 1901, G. E. Brown, Town Clerk.

At a meeting of the Town Board of Audit, held at the Town Hall in the town of Blooming Grove on the 3^d day of December A. D. 1901, all the members being present, the following bills were audited and Town Orders drawn for the same.

Order No 9	To Brunningham + Hixon, Lumber, Road District No 1	\$ 45. ⁵⁶
" " 10	" " " " " " " " No 11	\$ 15. ⁰¹
" " 11	" Somers + Reynolds, Printing and Stationery	\$ 3. ⁵⁰
" " 12	" A. H. Kayser, Lumber	\$ 84. ⁹²
" " 13	" G. E. Brown, Making out and delivering Road Warrants	\$ 10. ⁰⁰
" " 14	" " " " Selecting and delivering Library books	\$ 4. ⁰⁰
" " 15	" A. G. Estes, Stone and Chips	\$ 26. ⁰⁰
" " 16	" Lars J. Kleberg, Stone and mason work	\$ 29. ⁰⁰
" " 17	" Mrs Lewis Johnson, Sand, Road District No 1	\$ 14. ⁹⁵
" " 18	" Geo. Voit, Gravel, Road District No 6	\$ 33. ⁸⁰
" " 19	" August Otto, Mowing Cemetery lot	\$ 4. ⁰⁰
" " 20	" H. A. Wissinger, Services as Supervisor	\$ 12. ⁰⁰
" " 21	" J. M. Johnson " " "	\$ 13. ⁰⁰
" " 22	" Daniel Bechtel " " "	\$ 2. ⁰⁰

✓ At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors, held at the house of Chairman Bechtel, for the purpose of considering the petition for the purchase of a rock crusher. After petition had been discussed, no conclusion was reached and the Board adjourned to meet in the city of Madison on the 21st day of December, 1901, at 2 o'clock P.M.

Recorded Dec 17th 1901. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk.

✓ At a meeting of the Town Board, held in the city of Madison, on the 21st day of December, 1901, it was decided that the purchase of a rock crusher be deferred to after town meeting in 1902. In the mean time the clerk is to correspond with different parties owning crushers, and the Town Board is to ascertain at what price rock or gravel suitable for crushing can be obtained for, and the Board is to make a special report upon the subject, to the town meeting in April 1902.

Order No 26 The bill of Mrs. Fred Schimming for 236 loads of gravel was allowed, and an order on the town for \$35.40 drawn.

Mr Carl Gerfen was given an order on the delinquent highway fund of his road district, No 10, and instructions given him to pay Mrs. Fred Schimming the balance of the bill amounting to \$23.60.

Recorded December 22nd, 1901, G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Town Board held in the City of Madison, on the 1st day of February, 1902, the following bills were allowed, and orders drawn.

Order No 27 J. C. Bell, for medical attendance and disinfecting family of Pte. Johnson \$75.00
" " 28 G. E. Brown for services as town clerk. \$50.00

Recorded Feb. 5th 1902. G. E. Brown Town clerk

At a meeting of the Town Board of Audit, which met at the Town Hall in the Town of Blooming Grove on the 25th day of March, for the purpose of auditing accounts and settling with Town Officers, the following bills were audited and allowed and Orders drawn for same.

Order No 29 To G. E. Brown, for services as town clerk \$25.00
" " 30 " " " " " " health officer 5.00
" " 31 " " " " " " postage and stationery 3.77
" " 32 " King & Walker Co. Iron to repair Town Hall 11.23

Clarence Ward's bill for stone furnished Road District No 1, amounting to \$12.00 was disallowed

The following resolution was introduced by B. J. Stevens and Wayne Ramsey, and adopted by the Town Board

Resolved that the owners of the property known as Tonyawatha be and they are hereby authorized to

Tonyawatha

cause the plat of the same by proper proceedings to be vacated, and that the consent of the Town of Blooming Grove thereto is hereby given; and

Resolved, that A. C. Hoffman be and he is hereby appointed an attorney to represent the Town of Blooming Grove, by whom the consent of such Town to such proceedings as shall be undertaken therefor may be given.

Daniel Bechtel
Joseph Goodwin
John M. Johnson
R. D. Frost
H. H. Davis

Geo. F. Brown
Lawrence Eighmy
W. S. Main
E. C. Elver
Francis Zink

The accounts of Chas. Wetten, Town Treasurer were examined and found correct.

Recorded April 2^d 1902, G. E. Brown Town Clerk

Minutes of the Annual Town Meeting held at the Town Hall, in and for the Town of Blooming Grove, on Tuesday the 1st day of April A. D. 1902.

The Inspectors and Ballot Clerks were sworn by the Town Clerk, The Election Clerks were sworn by the Chairman

The order of business was then announced, and voting proceeded with from the hours of 9:15 A. M. to 12 noon, adjournment was then made for one hour, at 1 P. M. the polls were reopened, and at 1:30 the town business was transacted, the polls were finally closed at 5 P. M. and the canvas of ballots proceeded with according to law.

At 1:30, the annual report of the Town Board was read by the clerk, and the report was then adopted

The following resolutions were then introduced

- 1st That the duties of pound master be attached to the duties of Superintendent of Highways, of Highway District No. 10. Carried.
- 2^d That the money in the Highway fund belonging to highway district No. 7. be applied to the payment on road machine purchased by this district, provided such disposal meets with the approval of the Town Board, Carried.
- 3^d Moved that the rock crusher petition be laid on the table, Carried
- 4th That the Superintendents of Highways be commissioners of Noxious Weeds. Carried.

Recorded April 3^d 1902
G. E. Brown

State of Wisconsin

County of Dane

The following is a true and correct statement of the result of an election at a town meeting, held at the Town Hall in the town of Blooming Grove, in the County of Dane, on the first day of April A. D. 1902; setting forth the whole number of votes given for each office, the names of the persons for whom such votes were given, and the number of votes given for each person.

The whole number of votes given for Chairman of Supervisors was one hundred fiftyfour (154) of which number

Halvor Halverson	received seventyeight	(78)
A. G. Estes	" seventy six	(76)

The whole number of votes given for Supervisor was Three hundred and eight (308) of which number

H. A. Wiessinger	received one hundred fiftyfour	(154)
J. A. Steinle	" " " " "	(154)

The whole number of votes given for Town Clerk was one hundred fiftyfour (154) of which number

G. E. Brown	received one hundred fiftyfour	(154)
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The whole number of votes given for Assessor was one hundred fiftyfour (154) of which number

Wm Mahen	received one hundred fiftytwo	(152)
J. O. Fenrite	" one	(1)
E. C. Elver	" one	(1)

The whole number of votes for Treasurer was one hundred fiftyfour (154) of which number

Nels N. Ellstad	received one hundred fiftyfour	(154)
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The whole number of votes given for Justices was four hundred sixtytwo (462) of which number

J. P. Corry	term 1 year	received one hundred fiftyfour	(154)
E. C. Elver	" 2 years	" " " "	(154)
W. F. Zink	" " " "	" " " "	(154)

The total vote for Constables was four hundred and sixtytwo (462) of which number

Carl Gefer	received one hundred fiftyfour	(154)
C. A. Heidenreich	" " " "	(154)
Geo. Kalbfleisch Jr.	" " " "	(154)

Daniel Bechtel

H. A. Wiessinger } Inspectors

John M. Johnson }

Recorded April 3^d 1902. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

County of Dane }
 Town of Blooming Grove } SS.

Statement of the persons elected at an election held at the Town Hall in the Town of Blooming Grove, County of Dane, State of Wisconsin, on the first day of April A.D. 1902

For Chairman, Halver Halverson

" Supervisor, H. A. Wiessinger

" " J. A. Steinle

" Clerk, G. E. Brown

" Assessor, Wm. Maher

" Treasurer, Nels N. Ellestad

" Justice 1 year, J. P. Corny

" " 2 years, E. C. Elver

" " " W. F. Zink

" Constable, Carl Gerfen

" " C. A. Heidenreich

" " Geo. Kalbfleisch jr.

Recorded April 3^d 1902

G. E. Brown, Town Clerk.

Daniel Bechtel

H. A. Wiessinger

John M. Johnson

Inspectors

Statement of the result of a Judicial Election held in and for the Town of Blooming Grove, in the County of Dane, State of Wisconsin, on the first Tuesday of April, A.D. 1902, being the first day of said month, made by the Inspectors of Election, in and for said Town to wit:

The whole number of votes given for Circuit Judge for the Ninth Judicial Circuit, for the term commencing on the first Monday in January A.D. 1903, was

One hundred thirty four (134) of which number

Robert G. Siebecker received one hundred and eighteen (118)

We hereby certify that the foregoing statement is correct in all respects.

Dated April 1st A.D. 1902

Recorded April 3^d 1902

G. E. Brown

Town Clerk

Daniel Bechtel

H. A. Wiessinger

John M. Johnson

Inspectors

Statement of the result of a special vote taken upon the question of a special tax levy for a Soldiers Monument or Memorial Building, in the County of Dane, State of Wisconsin, on the first Tuesday in April A.D. 1902, being the first day of said month, made by the Inspectors of Election, in and for said Town of Blooming Grove to wit: The whole number of votes cast was One hundred and nine, (109)

For the Levy received forty one

(41)

Against the Levy received Sixtyfour (64)
 We hereby certify that the foregoing statement is correct
 in all respects.

Dated April 1st A.D. 1902

Recorded April 3rd 1902
 G.E. Brown, Town Clerk
 Daniel Bechtel
 H.A. Wiessinger } Inspectors
 John M. Johnson }

The officers elect met at the Town Hall in the Town of
 Blooming Grove on the 7th day of April 1902; The clerk
 administered the oath of office to the Chairman, the
 clerk was then sworn by the Chairman, and the
 other officers were ^{sworn} either by the Chairman or clerk.
 The bonds of the Treasurer and Clerk were approved
 by the Chairman. A Highway Tax was levied and
 the Road Warrants signed by the Supervisors.

A Board of Health was appointed and the members sworn.
 The following bills were audited and allowed, and
 Town Orders drawn for same.

Order No 1	To H.A. Wiessinger, for services as Supervisor	\$4.00
" 2	" J.R. Estes " " " Ballot Clerk	2.00
" 3	" P.N. Ellestad " " " " "	2.00
" 4	" H.C. Siggelkow " " " Election "	2.00
" 5	" Carl Gorfus " setting Guide Posts	6.00
" 6	" John M. Johnson " services as Supervisor	5.00
" 7	" Daniel Bechtel " " " "	12.00
" 8	" Emil O. Seiler " Signs	14.00
" 9	" A.D. & J.W. Fredrickson, for Cedar Posts	9.20
" 10	" M.H. Ashley, Guide Boards	8.60

Adjourned.

Recorded April 9th 1902. G.E. Brown Town Clerk

State of Wisconsin }
 County of Dane } ss.

at a meeting of the Town Board of the Town of
 Blooming Grove, said county, held at the Town in said
 Town, for the purpose of levying a highway tax for the
 year 1902, it was ordered and determined that a
 highway tax of two (2) mills be levied for the
 present year, upon all the taxable property both
 real and personal.

Dated April 7th 1902.

Halvor Halverson }
 H.A. Wiessinger } Supervisors
 J.A. Steink }

Recorded April 9th 1902. G.E. Brown Town Clerk

State of Wisconsin }
County of Dane } S.S.

At a meeting of the Town Board held at the Town Hall in the Town of Blooming Grove on the seventh day of April A. D. 1902, it was ordered and determined that Halvor Halverson act as Chairman, J. A. Steink be clerk of the Board of Health, and that G. E. Brown be appointed as Health officer,

Halvor Halverson }
H. A. Weisinger } Supervisors
J. A. Steink }

Recorded April 9th 1902. G. E. Brown Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Town Board held therein on the 2^d day of June 1902, the resignation of Martin Rattmann as Superintendent of Road District No 2, was accepted, and Henry Hamberg was appointed to fill the vacancy.

Recorded June 17th 1902, G. E. Brown Town Clerk.

At a meeting of the Town Board held at the Town Hall on the 16th day of June 1902, application having been made by Fred Ahnesmeyer for license to keep a saloon on lots 1 + 24 block 3, Elm side, and Henry Schroeder also, having applied for license to keep a saloon at Oak Park, license was ordered granted to each applicant, and the bonds of each were approved

Recorded June 17th 1902, G. E. Brown Town Clerk

~~Meeting of Town Board held at the Town Hall in the Town of Blooming Grove on the 16th day of June 1902~~

June 25th 1902. Pasted this day, three notices of the meeting of the Board of Review, in three public places.

G. E. Brown, Town Clerk.

Order T. B.

State of Wisconsin }
County of Dane }

June the 16th 1902

We, the undersigned Town Board of Supervisors of the town of Blooming Grove in said County, adopted the following resolution that every owner or manager of circuses or shows shall pay the sum of Fifty \$50⁰⁰ dollars license, for each and every day exhibited in said Town of Blooming Grove, This license money may be used if necessary for the preservation of public peace in said Town of Blooming Grove. Dated this 16th day of June 1902

Recorded July 3rd, 1902. G. E. Brown }
Town Clerk }
Halvor Halverson } Supervisors
H. A. Weisinger }
J. A. Steink }

The Board of Review met ^{at the Town Hall} on the 30th day of June pursuant to law and proceeded to examine the several items of assessment, not having completed the work, at six o'c P.M. adjournment was made to the seventh day of July 1902. at 9 o'c in the forenoon.

Recorded July 3^d 1902. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Town Board held in the Town Hall on the 30th day of June 1902, the following bills were examined and allowed, and Town orders drawn,

Order No 11	To G. E. Brown, for Services as Town Clerk	\$ 25 ⁰⁰
" " 12	" Wm Maher " " Assessor	\$ 50 ⁰⁰
" " 13	" Conklin & Sons " Pipe	\$ 31.41

✓ A petition signed by six freeholders, to the the supervisors of Blooming Grove, for the drainage of a swamp, or marsh in section five, having been presented, the Board determined to meet at the residence of Mrs. John Saks in section five, on the fifteenth day of July 1902, at two o'c in the afternoon of that day, and the clerk was ordered to prepare the necessary notices, and also to post and serve them as required by law.

Recorded July 3^d 1902, G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

Seventeen $\frac{50}{100}$ dollars having been collected from Ringling Bros Circus, for privileges during their exhibition in the Town of Blooming Grove, on the 28th day of June 1902, the above amount was paid into the town treasury on the 30th day of June 1902, by Halvor Halverson, Chairman of Town

Recorded July 5th 1902, G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

The Board of Review met at 9 o'c am. of the 7th day of July 1902, pursuant to the adjournment of June 30th, and proceeded to examine the assessment roll. Not having completed the work, adjournment was made to July 8th at 8 o'c am.

The Board of Review met at 8 o'c July 8th and completed the examination of the assessment roll, Adjourned.

Recorded July 9th 1902, G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

Posted notices of General Election to be held on the fourth day of November, 1902, this 18th day of 1902

G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

Issued this 19th day of Oct. 1902. Copy of Revised Statutes of Wis. 1898, to J. P. Conry, a qualified Justice of the Peace for Blooming Grove.

G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

State of Wisconsin }
 County of Dane } SS.
 Town of Blooming Grove }

at a meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Blooming Grove, held at the Town Hall therein, on the second day of December A. D. 1902, it was ordered and determined that all money received on account of liquor license granted during the year ending March 31st 1903 be put into the general fund, to be used for town purposes.

Dated this 2^d day of December, 1902

Halvor Halvorson }
 H. A. Wissinger } Supervisors
 J. A. Steinle }

Recorded Dec. 3^d 1902, G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

March 26th 1903. Posted notices of Judicial Election, this day
 G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

at a meeting of the Town Board held in the Town Hall of Blooming Grove on the 31st day of March 1903, it was ordered that Liquor License be granted to Patrick McCormick & A. C. Grove to keep a saloon on Lot 19 Block 21, East Side Land Co's addition to Fair Oaks. The Board then proceeded to examine the accounts of Town Officers, which were found to be correct.

Recorded April 2^d 1903, G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

County of Dane }
 Town of Blooming Grove } SS.

We, the undersigned, inspectors of the election held at the time and place specified in the within statement by us subscribed do hereby certify that the within named Halvor Halvorson was elected Chairman of Supervisors of said town, and that H. A. Wissinger, and J. M. Johnson were elected to the office of Supervisor, and that G. E. Brown, was elected to the office of Clerk, and that Wm. Maher, was elected to the office of Assessor and that Nils N. Ellestad was elected to the office of Treasurer, and that J. P. Cory and H. Wildhagen were elected to the office of Justice of the Peace for two years, and that E. C. Elver and Wm. Freund were elected for one year, and that Aug. Otto, and Carl Gerfen, and Geo. Kalbfleisch jr. were elected to the office of Comptroller, all the above of the town of Blooming Grove. Dated Blooming Grove April 7th 1903

Recorded April 8th 1903,
 G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

Halvor Halvorson }
 H. A. Wissinger } Inspectors
 J. A. Steinle }

Minutes of the annual Town Meeting held at the Town Hall, in and for the Town of Blooming Grove, on Tuesday the seventh day of April A. D. 1903.

The inspectors and ballot clerks were sworn by the Town clerk, and the election clerks were sworn by the Chairman. The polls were opened by proclamation at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and closed at five, the canvass was then made according to law.

At 1:30 o'clock the report of the Town Board was read and adopted. The following resolutions were then offered and adopted.

- No 1 Resolved that three hundred and sixty eight dollars (\$368.00) be paid for the right of way of highway laid in the fall of 1901, in sections 22 + 23 and 28 (26) and 27 from the fund now in the town treasury. Resolved further that there be levied the sum of four hundred dollars (\$400.00) for the purpose of building the above mentioned highway.
- No 2 Resolved that the Town Board of Blooming Grove, pass an ordinance that they let no circus or showmen exhibit in town without paying a license fee as may be determined by the Town Board, said license not to exceed one hundred dollars (\$100.00).
- No 3 Resolved that the confidence of the voters of Blooming Grove, be given those who promised to furnish labor or money for the purpose of building the highway in sections 22 + 23 and 28 (26) + 27.

Recorded April 11th, 1903, G. E. Brown Town Clerk.

The officers elect, met at the Town Hall, in the Town of Blooming Grove, on the 10th day of April 1903. The Chairman administered the oath of office to the Clerk, and the Clerk administered the oath to the Chairman. The oath was then administered to the Supervisors, Treasurer, and Assessor. Orders were then made levying a highway tax of two mills. Superintendents of highways were appointed, also a Chairman, Clerk, and Health Officer, of the Board of Health. The following bills were allowed and Town Orders drawn.

Order No 1	To H. Halvorson for services as supervisor	\$8.00
" " 2	" H. A. Missinger " " "	8.00
" " 3	" J. A. Stemle " " "	6.00
" " 4	" A. G. Estes " Stone, Dist No 6	2.25
" " 5	" N. W. Meier " services as ballot clerk	2.00
" " 6	" P. N. Ellestal " " " "	2.00
" " 7	" E. C. Elver " " " Election "	2.00
" " 8	" G. E. Brown " " " Health Officer	1.00
" " 9	" G. E. Brown " Postage and Stationery	3.90
" " 10	" G. E. Brown " service as Town Clerk	39.00

Order No 11 To H. A. Wiessinger, for damages, right of way of highway \$ 40⁰⁰
 " " 12 Minnie Gausmann " " " " " " 325⁰⁰
 Recorded April 11th 1903. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

At a meeting of the town Board, held in the Town Hall, in the Town of Blooming Grove, for the purpose of levying a Highway Tax for the year 1903, it was ordered that a tax of two mills (.002) on the dollar be levied, and the same is hereby levied, upon all the taxable property in said town, both real and personal,

Dated Blooming Grove April 10th 1903.

Halvor Halverson }
 H. A. Wiessinger } Supervisors
 John M. Johnson }

Recorded April 11th 1903. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk,

We the undersigned supervisors of the Town of Blooming Grove, do hereby appoint the following persons as Superintendents of Highways of said town for the term of three years.

Road District	Superintendent
No 1	Nils Thompson
" 2	Henry Homberg
" 3	Jens O. Femrite
" 4	Nils J. Elletad
" 5	C. H. Rodefeld
" 6	Wm M. Gay
" 7	Robert Alderson
" 8	A. C. Schantz
" 9	John Pflaume Jr.
" 10	Carl Gerfen
" 11	H. W. Schantz
" 12	J. L. Libby

Dated Blooming Grove April 10th 1903

Halvor Halverson }
 H. A. Wiessinger } Supervisors
 John M. Johnson }

Recorded April 11th 1903, G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

State of Wisconsin } ss.
 County of Dane }

At a meeting of the Town Board, held at the Town Hall in the Town of Blooming Grove, on the tenth day of April A.D. 1903, it was ordered and determined that Halvor Halverson act as chairman, H. A. Wiessinger act as clerk of the Board of Health, and that G. E. Brown

act as Health Officer.

Dated Blooming Grove April 10th, 1903,

Halvor Halverson }
H. A. Wiessinger } Supervisors
John M. Johnson }

Recorded April 11th 1903, G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

An order having been issued by the town board, on the 16th day of May, 1903, granting a liquor license to J. W. Kehl, said license was this day issued, dated May 18th 1903.

Recorded May 19th 1903. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk.

An order having been issued by the town board, on the 29th day of May, 1903, granting a liquor license to Engelbert Stutz, said license was issued May 29th 1903.

Recorded June 16th, 1903. G. E. Brown Town Clerk.

The town board having met at the town hall in the town of Blooming Grove, on the 15th day of June 1903. for the purpose of considering applications for liquor licenses, license was ordered granted to J. W. Kehl, Fred. Ahrensmeier, Patrick M. Cornick, and Rudolph A. Breitenfeld.

Recorded June 16th 1903. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

State of Wisconsin }
County of Dane } SS.
Town of Blooming Grove }

at a meeting of the town board of the town of Blooming Grove, held in the town hall therein, on the 15th day of June, A. D. 1903. it was ordered and determined that all money received by the town treasurer on account of liquor licenses granted during the year ending March 30th 1904 be put into the general fund, to be used for town purposes.

Dated this 15th day of June, 1903.

Halvor Halverson }
H. A. Wiessinger } Supervisors
John M. Johnson }

Recorded June 16th 1903. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

June 24th 1903. Posted notices of meeting of board of review, in three public places.

Recorded June 30th 1903. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

June 29th 1903. Board of Review met This day pursuant to law. R. H. Fjeld, and E. Schneider appeared before the board, claiming their assessment was high as compared with their neighbors. The assessor not having completed the assessment of the town, an adjournment was made to meet in the town hall, on the 13th day of July 1903.

Recorded June 30th 1903. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

At a meeting of the town board held in the town hall on the 29th day of June 1903. license was ordered granted to Henry Schroeder, and to Engelbert Stutz, and bonds of the several applicants were approved. The following bills were examined and town orders drawn for the same

Order No 13	To Carl Gerfen for services as special police	\$2.50
" " 14	" Anton Gerfen " " " "	2.50
" " 15	" E. C. Elver " " " "	2.50
" " 16	" Ole Knudtson.. mowing cemetery lot	1.00
" " 17	" " " " town hall "	1.00
" " 18	" Nils Thompson.. labor on McFarland road	14.00
" " 19	" E. C. Elver " " " "	14.00
" " 20	" H. Timmerman " " " "	14.00
" " 21	" H. Halverson " " " "	15.20
" " 22	" A McWilliams " " " "	9.00
" " 23	" J. O. Ferrite " " " "	5.00
" " 24	" Fred. Voght " " " "	2.70
" " 25	" L. Brendler " " " "	1.00

Recorded June 30th 1903, G. E. Brown Town Clerk

State of Wisconsin }
 County of Dane } SS.
 Town of Blooming Grove }

At a meeting of the town board of the town of Blooming Grove, held at the town hall therein, on the 29th day of June, 1903. it was ordered and determined that every owner, manager, or agent of a caravan, circus or menagerie, before he shall be allowed to exhibit the same in the above mentioned town, shall procure a town license for the same, and shall pay into the treasury of said town the sum of seventy five (75.00) dollars

Dated at Blooming Grove this 29th day of June 1903.

H. Halverson }
 H. A. Wisinger } Town Board
 John M. Johnson }

Recorded June 30th 1903 G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

July 13th 1903, Board of Review met this day pursuant to adjournment and proceeded to examine the work of the Assessor, the assessment appearing to be just, the Board adjourned.

Recorded July 14th 1903, G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

At a meeting of the town board held on the 13th day of July 1903, the following bills were allowed and orders drawn

Order No 26	To Wm Maher, for services as assessor	\$75 ⁰⁰
" " 27	" G. E. Brown " " " Town Clerk	18 ⁵⁰
" " 28	" " " " " Making old Road Warrants	9 ⁰⁰

Recorded July 14th 1903, G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

July 14th 1903. Posted this day three copies of the order regarding circus license, passed by the board on the 29th day of June, viz one copy in highway at my office, one copy in highway in NE 1/4 of sec 5, and one copy in highway at end of street car line in SW 1/4 sec 5.

Recorded July 24th 1903. G. E. Brown Town Clerk

Petition.

To G. E. Brown, Clerk of the Town of Blooming Grove, Dane County, Wisconsin
 You are hereby requested by the undersigned, twelve qualified electors of the town of Blooming Grove, to call a special election, on the third Tuesday of September next, for the purpose of determining as provided by law, the amount to be paid in the town of Blooming Grove, for license to sell intoxicating liquors to be drunk on the premises.

Dated at Blooming Grove this 13th day of July, 1903.

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| John M. Johnson, | R. D. Frost | Nels N. Ellestad |
| Sam. Bladdall | E. C. Elver | H. Timmerman |
| Carl C. Bakken | A. C. Schantz | Ole N. Nelson |
| J. Hornsmeier | Carl Gerfen | Wm Freund |
| Nels Thompson | H. Hornburg | Moss Johnson |
| Sever Thompson | J. E. Heestand | Chas. J. Reuter |
| George Sprecher | Robert C. Alderson | Robert Swanton |
| C. Fisher | J. O. Fennrite | Peter N. Ellestad |
| Chas. Hamilton | Ole Vold | E. C. Zink |
| Francis Zink | Pat. Mc Cormick | Fred. Ahrensmeier |
| Geo. H. Reynolds | Wm Weber | Geo. E. Bryant |
| Chas Vitten | Lawrence Eighmy | Wm Maher |
| | Fred Drosten | |

Filed July 14th 1903. Recorded August 22^d 1903. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

Posted notices of special election to determine the amount to be paid for license to sell intoxicating liquors, in three public places in town viz: one copy in highway in front of my office, one copy on the Town Hall, and one copy in highway at end of street car line in Section five (5), on the 24th day of August, 1903.

Recorded August 24th 1903. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

Sec 5 August 24th, 1903. Board met this day ^{at 2:00 P.M.} at the office of East Side Land Company in Fair Oaks for the purpose of considering the application for the laying out of highway across the Chicago Milwaukee Railway Company's right of way in Section five, in connection with Mendota and Waubesa Streets. Said highway was ordered laid.

Recorded August 26th, 1903. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

Sec 5 & 6 August 25th, 1903. Board met this day with the Town Board of Burke and the Commissioners of the City of Madison, at 10:00 A.M. at the home of Geo Sacks in the town of Burke, for the purpose of considering the application for the laying out of highway in Sections five and six on the line between the towns of Burke and Blooming Grove, and the town of Burke and the City of Madison. Adjournment was made to the 29th day of August, 1903 at 10:00 in the forenoon, at the home of Geo. Sacks.

Recorded August 26th 1903 G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

Minutes of the special election held at the town hall on Sept. 15th, 1903, to determine the amount to be paid for license to sell strong, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquors, to be drunk on the premises.

The clerk was sworn by the chairman, and the inspectors were sworn by the town clerk. The polls were opened by proclamation at nine o'clock in the forenoon and closed at sundown, by proclamation. The canvass was then proceeded with according to law.

✓ The following is a true and correct statement of the result of a special election for the purpose of determining the amount to be paid for license to sell strong, spirituous, malt, ardent or intoxicating liquors to be drunk on the premises, held at the town hall, in the town of Blooming Grove, on Tuesday the 15th day of September, A. D. 1903. made by the inspectors of election in and for said town. The whole number of votes given, was one hundred thirty four (134), of which number, To be paid for license ^{one hundred dollars} received thirty two 32. To be paid for license two hundred and fifty dollars (250) received Twenty three (43). To be paid for license four hundred (400) dollars received fifty nine (59).

H. Halverson

H. A. Wiessinger } Inspectors

John M. Johnson

Filed September 15th 1903. Recorded September 19th 1903.

G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

Nov 4th 1903 Delivered copy of Session Laws of 1903, to J. P. Conry, Justice of Peace

At a meeting of the Town Board of Audit, held at the Town Hall, on the first day of December, 1903, the following bills were examined and allowed, and Town Orders drawn for the same

Order No 31	To H. Halvorson, for services as Supervisor	\$ 26 ⁵⁰
" " 32	" " " " Labor on Starkweather road	4 ⁰⁰
" " 33	" H. A. Wiessinger, for services as Supervisor	20 ⁰⁰
" " 34	" John M. Johnson, " " " "	25 ⁰⁰
" " 35	" Wm. Maher, " " " Assessor	10 ⁰⁰
" " 36	" G. E. Brown, " " " Town Clerk	65 ⁵⁰
" " 37	" H. Halvorson, " Insurance assessment on Town Hall, paid	1 ⁴⁰
" " 38	" Carl Berfen, " Cash paid for gravel and labor on Starkweather road	106.50
" " 39	" N. W. Ellifson, " Lumber, Districts Nos 1, 3, 5, 6, + 8	56 ¹⁶
" " 40	" Brittingham + Nixon Lumber Co. for Lumber, Districts Nos 1 + 11	21 ⁵⁸
" " 41	" M. J. Cantwell, for Blank Town Orders	2 ²⁵
" " 42	" Cantwell Printing Co. Ballots for special election	2 ⁰⁰
" " 43	" J. Good, for gravel, district No 6	5 ¹⁰
" " 44	" Austin + Watson Co. Ltd. for 4 th payment on road machine, Districts Nos 2 + 8	59 ³⁶

Recorded December 2^d, 1903, G. E. Brown, Town Clerk.

Jan 2^d, 1904. Delivered copy of Session Laws of 1903, to Henry Wildhagen, Justice of Peace

March 12th, 1904. Posted notices of Judicial Election in five public places

March 29th, 1904. Board met in the Town Hall and examined and allowed the following bills and drew Town Orders

Order No 49	To G. E. Brown for services as Town Clerk	\$31.00
" " 50	" " " Postage and Stationery	6.52
" " 51	" Minnie Gausmann, Interest on award of damages	21.84
" " 52	" H. A. Wiessinger " " " " "	2.69

The Board then proceeded to examine the accounts of the Town Officers, which were found to be correct.

Recorded April 4th, 1904. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk.

Minutes of the annual town meeting held at the Town Hall on the 5th day of April, 1904: The election officers were sworn according to law and the polls were opened by proclamation at 9 o'clock in the forenoon and closed by proclamation at 5 o'clock P.M.: The canvass was then made according to law.

At 1:30 o'clock the report of the Board of Supervisors was read and adopted; The following resolutions were then read and adopted.

- No 1 Resolved that the Board of Supervisors of the town of Blooming Grove be hereby authorized to use any of the town funds for the purpose of improvement of public highways or any other purpose where they see it is necessary.
- No 2 Resolved that on petition of residents the Town Board order sidewalks built on streets in platted districts in the Town of Blooming Grove, leading out to main highways,
 On receipt of such petition, the Town Board serve 30 days notice on property owners to build said sidewalks; On their failure to comply with said order, that the pathmaster shall build suitable walks and cost of same be charged to property.
- No 3 Resolved that the Town Board order the pathmaster to build crosswalks connecting side walks in Fair Oaks and Elmridge and also build suitable culverts or ditches to drain low spots in said plats.
- No 4 Resolved that the Town Board have a Survey made on the plat of Elmridge for sidewalk purposes and a grade established therefor at a cost not to exceed \$50⁰⁰, if the Board deem it necessary.
- No 5 Resolved that the Town Board make rules regulating the opening and closing of the saloons in the Town of Blooming Grove, and if found necessary for the enforcement of said rules, an additional Constable be appointed for said purpose, and wages of said constable be taken from license fund.

Recorded April 7th, 1904. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

The following is a true and correct statement of the result of an election at town meeting held at the Town Hall, in the Town of Blooming Grove on the 5th day of April A. D. 1904, setting forth the whole number of votes given for each office, the names of the persons for whom such were given, and the number of votes given for each person,

The whole number of votes given for Chairman of Supervisors was 128, of which number H. Halvorson received 128
 The whole number of votes given for Supervisor was 254, of which number H. A. Wissinger received 127, and J. M. Johnson received 127

The whole number of votes given for Town Clerk was 128, of which number G. E. Brown received 128.

The whole number of votes given for assessor was 125 of which number E. C. Elver received 125.

The whole number of votes given for treasurer was 128, of which number Nils N. Elletad received 128.

The whole number of votes given for Justice of the Peace was 254, of which number Anton Olson received 127, R. F. Gallagher received 127.

The whole number of votes given for Constable was 377, of which number Carl Gerfen received 126, William Freund received 126, and Christ Fisher received 125.

Dated April 5th 1904. Filed April 6th 1904, Recorded April 7th 1904

G. E. Brown Town Clerk

N. Halvorsen
H. A. Wieringer } Inspectors
J. M. Johnson }

County of Dane }
Town of Blooming Grove } ss.

We, the undersigned, inspectors of the election held at the time and place and place specified in the within statement by us subscribed, do hereby certify that the within named Halvor Halvorsen was elected to the office of Chairman of the Town of Blooming Grove; that H. A. Wieringer and J. M. Johnson were elected Supervisors; and that G. E. Brown was elected clerk; that E. C. Elver was elected assessor; that Nils N. Elletad was elected treasurer; that Anton Olson and R. F. Gallagher were elected Justices of the Peace; and that Carl Gerfen, William Freund, and Christ Fisher were elected Constables of the Town of Blooming Grove.

Dated Blooming Grove, April 5th, A. D. 1904

H. Halvorsen
H. A. Wieringer } Inspectors
John M. Johnson }

Filed April 6th 1904. Recorded April 7th 1904
G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

April 11th 1904 Issued copy of R. S. 1898 to Anton Olson a qualified Justice of the Peace. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk.

April 11th 1904. The following officers elect met at the Town Hall and qualified as follows, bonds and oaths being furnished where required: N. Halvorsen, Chairman; H. A. Wieringer and J. M. Johnson, Supervisors; G. E. Brown, Clerk; E. C. Elver, Assessor; Nils N. Elletad, Treasurer; Anton Olson, Justice of the Peace; Carl Gerfen, Constable.

Recorded April 13th 1904. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk.

At a meeting of the Town Board, of the Town of Blooming Grove, it was ordered that G. E. Brown serve as Health Officer of the Board of Health, that H. Halvorson be appointed as Chairman of said Board, and that John M. Johnson be appointed as Clerk of the Board of Health.

Dated Blooming Grove, Dane County, Wisconsin this 11th day of April, 1904.

Halvor Halvorson }
 H. A. Wiessinger } Supervisors
 John M. Johnson }

Filed April 11th 1904, Recorded April 13th 1904, G. E. Brown, t. c.

State of Wisconsin }
 County of Dane } SS.
 Town of Blooming Grove }

At a meeting of the Town Board held in the Town Hall in the Town of Blooming Grove, held on the 11th day of April, 1904, for the purpose of levying a highway tax for the year 1904, it was ordered and determined that the sum of two mills (.002) on the dollar on all the taxable property of the town, both real and personal, be raised for highway purposes.

Dated Blooming Grove April 11th, 1904.

Halvor Halvorson }
 H. A. Wiessinger } Supervisors
 John M. Johnson }

Filed April 11th, 1904, Recorded April 13th, 1904, G. E. Brown, Town Clk.

State of Wisconsin }
 County of Dane } SS.
 Town of Blooming Grove }

At a meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Blooming Grove, held at the office of J. P. Cory in Fair Oaks, in said town, it was ordered and determined that all Saloons in said Town of Blooming Grove close at 11 O'clock in the evening and remain closed until five O'clock in the morning of the following day.

Dated Blooming Grove, May 16th, 1904

Halvor Halvorson }
 H. A. Wiessinger } Supervisors
 John M. Johnson }

Filed May 17th 1904, Recorded May 20th, 1904
 G. E. Brown, Town Clerk.

State of Wisconsin }
 County of Dane } SS.
 Town of Blooming Grove }

Whereas, a vacancy having occurred in the office of Constable of the above town, by reason of Wm Freund, who was elected to said office, failing to qualify, it is ordered that C. F. Meyer Jr. be appointed to fill said vacancy.

Dated Blooming Grove, May 16th, 1904.

Halvor Halvorson }
 N. A. Wiessinger } Supervisors
 John M. Johnson }

Filed May 17th, 1904. Recorded May 20th, 1904. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

State of Wisconsin }
 County of Dane } SS.
 Town of Blooming Grove }

Whereas, a vacancy having occurred in the office of Constable of the above town, by reason of Christ Fisher, who was elected to said office, failing to qualify, it is ordered that C. H. Wiess be appointed to fill said vacancy.

Dated Blooming Grove, May 16th, 1904.

Halvor Halvorson }
 N. A. Wiessinger } Supervisors
 John M. Johnson }

Filed May 17th, 1904. Recorded May 20th, 1904. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

Board met at the Town Hall on Monday June 20th, 1904, at 10 o'clock a.m. for the purpose of considering applications for saloon licenses, applications were received from Fred. Ahrensmeier, Patrick Mc Cormick, Ira G. Berry, & Louis Haak, Patrick Mc Cormick having furnished bonds, License was ordered granted to him.

The following bills were examined and allowed

Order No 1	To E. C. Zink for services as ballot clerk	\$2.00
" " 2	" Carl Gorfen " " " "	2.00
" " 3	" Perry Randum " Ditching	17.00
" " 4	" C. B. Lansing " services as election clerk	2.00
" " 5	" Democrat Printing Co " publishing license notice	1.20
" " 6	" H. Halvorson " services as Chairman	14.00
" " 7	" N. A. Wiessinger " " Supervisor	11.00
" " 8	" John M. Johnson " " "	11.00
" " 9	" G. E. Brown " " " Town Clerk	27.00
" " 10	" " " " making out Road Warrants	10.00
" " 11	" Lena Johnson " Cleaning Town Hall	2.00
" " 12	" C. H. Wiess " services as Special Police	2.00
" " 13	" Carl Gorfen " " " Constable	2.00
" " 14	" " " " " "	30.00

Recorded June 23rd 1904. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

Board of Review met at the Town Hall, on Monday June 27th, 1904, and proceeded to examine the Assessment Roll, Messrs Gebhardt, Suchn, and Elver appeared on behalf of the Madison Turnverein claiming the assessment of Lake Park was too high. The Board not being convinced that the assessment was unjust, it was decided the Board view the property on the following day. Adjourned until 9:00 a.m. June 28th.

Board of Review met pursuant to adjournment and proceeded to examine the Lake Park property, after a thorough examination the assessment was decided to be just.

The examination of the roll was then completed and the Board adjourned.

The Liquor Sellers Bonds of Fred Ahrensmeier, and Louis Haak were approved and license ordered granted June 27th, 1904.

The Liquor Sellers Bonds of Henry Schroeder and ~~Louis~~ ^{Eng} Statz were approved and license ordered granted June 28th, 1904.

The following order was issued June 28th, 1904

Order No 15 To E.C. Elver, for services as assessor \$120.00

Recorded June 29th, 1904 G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

State of Wisconsin }
County of Dane } SS.
Town of Blooming Grove }

At a meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Blooming Grove, held in the Town Hall therein, on the 28th day of June, 1904, it was ordered and determined that all money received by the town treasurer on account of Liquor License granted during the year ending March 30th 1905, be put into the general funds, to be used for town purposes.

Dated this 28th day of June, 1904.

H. H. Halvorson

H. A. Missinger

John M. Johnson

Supervisors

Filed and recorded June 29th, 1904. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

The following liquor licenses have been issued: Fred Ahrensmeier, July 2^d, 1904. Henry Schroeder, July 11th, 1904. Ira G. Berry, July 16th, 1904. Eng. Statz, July 23^d, 1904.

Recorded Aug. 4th, 1904. G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

Sept 3^d, 1904. Issued license to J. W. Kehl, and to Pat. O'Day.
G. E. Brown, Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Town Board held in the City of Madison on the 20th day of October, 1904. The following bills were examined and allowed