



[Hennepin County \(Minn.\).
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Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

January 6th 1879

Auditor's Office
Hennepin County Minn
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The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to Law, and was called to order by Com^r Willson Senior Member of the Old Board.

Present Com^r M. W. Blunn, from the 1st District
" L. R. Palmer " " 4th "
" H. Willson " " 5th "
" C. H. Warde " " 2nd " Re-elected
and " Jacob Schaefer " 3rd " Electee
at the general election held Nov 5th 1878. The two last named having taken the oath prescribed by law took their seats as Members of the Board.

On Motion of Com Schaefer, Com. Willson was chosen Chairman pro tem.

On Motion of Com^r Blunn the Board proceeded to elect by Ballot a permanent Chairman with the following result.

M. W. Blunn received 3 votes
H. Willson " 2 "

M. W. Blunn having received a Majority of all the votes cast, was declared elected, whereupon he took his seat as Chairman for the ensuing year.

Minutes of last Meeting, read, corrected and approved.

On Motion of Com Schaefer, the Bond of S. H. Baker Co. Surveyor Elect was approved, and ordered recorded and filed with the County Auditor. Ayes, 5 Nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^r Schaefer Palmer Warde Willson, and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com Willson the Board proceed to the election of certain County officers for the ensuing year by Ballot. Ayes 5 Nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^rs Palmer, Schaefer Warde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Com Willson was requested to act as teller.

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On Motion the Board first to vote for County Physician
1st Ballot

Dr A. Ortman received 2 votes

" F. A. Dunsmoor " 2 "

" B. A. Ames " 1 " 1

No choice.

2nd Ballot

Dr F. A. Dunsmoor received 2 votes

" A. Ortman " 2 "

" J. J. Lynn " 1 vote

No choice

3rd Ballot

Dr F. A. Dunsmoor received 3 votes

" A. Ortman " 2 "

Dr F. A. Dunsmoor having rec^d a Majority of all the votes cast was declared duly elected County Physician for the ensuing year.

On Motion of Com. Palmer the election of Overseer of the Poor farm. was postponed until Saturday next the 11th inst. at 2 O'clock P.M. Ayes 5 nays none Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer Harde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Mr Isbunn presented the report of Mr J. Connolly, temporary Overseer of the poor farm, for the fractional quarter ending Dec. 31st 1878. which was read and on Motion ordered placed on file, Ayes 5 nays none Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer Harde Willson and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com. Harde The Hennepin County Mirror was declared the official paper of the County for the ensuing year. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer Harde Willson and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com^{rs} Willson the fees to be allowed the County Physician shall be as follows for the ensuing year. Viz for each visit to the poor farm \$3.00
" " " in " City 85 cents
" " " to " Country 85 cents and

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15 cents per Mile for travel. Said Physician in all cases to furnish all necessary Medicines except alcohol.

County Treasurer Slocum, submitted the following Report, which was read, and on Motion of Com^{rs} Palmer, the report was accepted and ordered placed on file. Ayes 5 - nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer, Wardell Willson and Mr Chairman

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To the Honorable Board County Commissioners

Gentlemen

The following Statement, made in compliance with Section 4, Chapter 247, Special Laws of 1877, shows the amount of funds on deposits at this date,

First National Bank	\$ 2953 21
North Western National Bank	2932 65
Merchants National Bank	2769 74
Security Bank of Minnesota	4270 10
City Bank	3101 45
Citizens Bank	641 82
Hennepin County Savings Bank	712 37
Interest bearing Certificates of Deposits	32,708 80
Respectfully Submitted	50,090 14
Frank Slocum	
Treasurer Hennepin County	

On Motion of Com Palmer, the Chairman was instructed to employ an Attorney to whom shall be referred the Matter of the Judgment against the County in favor of Dr O. J. Evans Ayes 5 - nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer Schaefer, Wardell Willson and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com Schaefer the salary of the County Attorney was fixed at the sum of \$1200⁰⁰ for the ensuing year Ayes 5 - nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer, Wardell Willson and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of of Com Willson the amount to be paid for each Liquor License issued in the County for the ensuing year shall be the sum of \$50⁰⁰, Ayes 5 - nays none.

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Those who voted aye were, Com^{rs} Palmer Schafer, Ward
Hillson and Mr. Chairman.

On Motion of Com^r Schafer the following communi-
cation was received Read an ordnance placed on file
Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer
Schafer, Ward, Hillson & Mr. Chairman.

To the Board of County Commissioners,

Gentlemen - Thanking
you for the designation of the Kennebec County Mirror
as the official paper of the County, I take this method
of apprising you, that in the interest of retrenchment
and reform, that the charge for all publications made
by virtue of such designation will be the same as charged
by me during the year 1878, or forty cents per inch averaging
less than two thirds Statute rates for legal advertising
Respectfully
Edw. A. Stevens.

On Motion of Com. Willson the Board adjourned until
tomorrow the 7th inst. at 10 O'clock A.M. Ayes
4 nays one. Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer
Schafer, Ward and Willson, Mr. Chairman voted nay.

Attest

Mahlon Black
County Auditor

M. H. Glenn
Chm Board of Co Com^{rs}

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The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Chairman Glenn.

All the Members present.

The Chairman reported the following as the Standing Committees of the Board, for the ensuing year

Standing Committees		
On Roads & Bridges	—	Comrs. Warde, Willson & Schaefer
" Poor Farm	—	" Willson, Warde & Palmer
" Court House & jail	—	" Glenn, Palmer & Warde
" Claims & accounts	—	" Palmer, Warde & Schaefer
" Taxes	—	" Schaefer, Willson & Palmer
" Wood	—	" Willson, Warde & Schaefer
" Insurance	—	" Palmer, Warde & Schaefer
" Printing & Stationery	—	" Warde, Palmer & Glenn
" Education	—	" Schaefer, Willson & Palmer
" Ways & Means	—	" Palmer, Willson & Warde
" Legislation	—	" Willson, Palmer & Schaefer
" Rules	—	" Glenn, Willson & Schaefer

The Annual Report of Chas Robinson, Register of Deeds of amount of fees collected during the year 1878 was rec^d read, and on motion was accepted and ordered placed on file. Ayes 5 - nays none. Those who voted Aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Warde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

The annual Report of N. R. Thompson, Sheriff of amount of net receipts in his office as fees was received, read and on motion accepted, and ordered placed on file. Ayes 5 - nays none. Those who voted Aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Warde, Willson & Mr Chairman.

The annual Report of J. A. Holmstrom Clerk of the Dist. Court of fees collected in his office for the year 1878, was rec^d read, and was on motion accepted, and ordered placed on file. Ayes 5, nays none. Those who voted Aye

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were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Harde Willson and Mr Chairman,

The Report of Dr A. Ortman County Physician, for the year 1878, was rec^d read and on Motion was accepted and ordered placed on file. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted Aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer Harde Willson and Mr Chairman,

On Motion of Com. Willson the clerk of the Board was instructed to notify Dr. F. A. Dunsmoor, County Physician elect, of his election, and request him to signify his acceptance of the Office, as soon as possible. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted Aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer Harde, Willson and Mr Chairman,

On Motion of Com. Willson, John E. Olson was Chosen Janitor at Court House for the ensuing year. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted Aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Harde, Willson and Mr Chairman,

On Motion of Com. Willson the salary of the Janitor of Court was fixed at \$50⁰⁰ per Month, payable Monthly on the Warrant of the County Auditor Ayes 3 nays 2. Those who voted Aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer and Willson. Those who voted nay were Com Harde and Mr Chairman,

On Motion of Comrs Schaefer the following resolution was adopted, Ayes 4, nay 1, those who voted Aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Harde and Willson, The Chairman voted nay,

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the County Treasurer in favor of W. Pfander, State Treasurer, for the sum of \$495.33 in full payment of State Auditors, Drafts No 157, & 185, for School Text Books furnished, the County by S. S. Merrill Contractor

The following communication was rec^d from Dr F. A. Dunsmoor, in reply to a communication addressed to him, and on Motion the same was received, read and ordered placed on file. Ayes 5 nays none,

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Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Harde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

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To the Hon.

The Board of County Commissioners

gentlemen

In answer

to your communication of this day notifying me of my election to the office of County Physician for this County I would say that I accept the same and shall endeavor to the best of my ability to fulfil the duties of such office and would thank you for the honor conferred in tendering to me this responsible position

Very Respectfully

J. A. Dunsmoor.

On Motion of Com Harde the Petition of Thomas Kirkwood & others for a change of County Road in Crystal Lake was rejected on the grounds of informality. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Harde, Willson Mr Chairman

Application of Paul Peterson for License to sell intoxicating Liquors at the Crystal Lake House in the Town of Crystal Lake, was referred to the County Attorney who reported, recommending that the application be returned to the applicant for the purpose of perfecting the Bond, which wants another witness, Notarial Seals, and proper Acknowledgment. On Motion the application was so returned. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Harde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Application of E. K. Han, to have certain Taxes paid by him, was rejected, upon the advice of the County Attorney. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Harde, Willson & Mr Chairman.

Petition of Jas A Brown & 33 others for a change in the location of the Yorkville & Bloomington Road was presented, and on Motion of Com Harde, the Petition was accepted, and a Committee appointed consisting of

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Comrs Warde, Willson & Schaefer, and directed to meet at the House of Jas A Brown in the town of Eden Prairie at 12 O'Clock M. on Wednesday the 15th day of Jan. 1879, to examine into the proposed change Ays & nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^r Palmer, Schaefer, Warde, Willson, & Mr Chairman.

Petition of Peter Miller ^{& others} for a change in the location of the Rockford Road in the town of Medina. presented And on Motion of Com^r Warde the petition was accepted and a committee appointed, consisting of Com^r Warde, Willson & Schaefer, who were directed to meet at House of Jacob Kaubi in the town of Medina at 12 O'Clock M. on Jan. 20th 1879, to examine into the proposed change.

On Motion of Com^r Palmer, the following Resolution was adopted Ays & nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^r Palmer, Schaefer, Warde, Willson & Mr Chairman.

Resolved that the Board of County Commissioners visit the Poor Farm on Thursday Jan 9th 1879, for the purpose of inspecting the same, its condition, needs Management etc,

On Motion of Com^r Willson the Board adjourned until to-morrow the 8th inst. at 10 O'Clock A.M. Ays & nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^r Palmer, Schaefer, Warde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Attest.

Mahton Black
County Auditor

Wm H. Allen
Ch^{man} Board of Co. Com^rs

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

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The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Chairman.

All the Members present.

On Motion of Com. Palmer the following Bills were allowed. Ayes 5 nays none, those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Harde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Louis Larimie	goods for poor farm	\$ 52 20
Titus Bros	" " " "	10 66
E. A. Larimie	" " " "	14 25
Philip Kuch	work at " "	25 00
P. F. Reichelzer	goods for poor farm	2 66
Wheaton Reynolds & Co	" " " "	63 42
Frank Herzman	" " " "	17 35
Clark & McClure	" " " "	68 42
Janney Bros	" " " "	257 48
Janney Bros	" " " "	47 00
M. Clelland Bros	" " " "	34 30
Herriek Douglas & Co	" " " "	2 50
Charles Schorf	" " " "	16 80
G. W. Erhardt	Brick " " "	124 80
Goodfellow & Eastman	goods " " "	7 80
Davison & Hall	Printing	19 50
L. R. Palmer	Comrs Services	41 10
C. H. Harde	" "	58 20
M. H. Glenn	" "	53 00
L. R. Palmer	" "	17 10
A. Willson	" "	56 60
C. P. Enstael	work at Court House	41 52
Isaac Stetson	" " " "	5 00
J. A. Evoy	" " " "	6 50
Minneapolis Gas Co	gas &c for Court House	89 90
L. R. Palmer	Cash for poor	17 80
John Nolan	Board of poor	12 50
Geo Huhn & Co	goods for Co Physician	7 05
Dr A. Ortman	Attendance on poor	29 50

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Dr A. Ortman attendance on poor	\$120 33
A. Dale Hack hire	3 00
G. T. Vale & Co undertaker services	35 50
Bean Males & Chute Stationery	10 61
J. Schulenberg work on road	104 37
Cushman & Plummer Stationery	25 65
Alonzo Phillips Hack Hire	6 00
E. W. Keady & Son " "	18 00
Wilcox Young & Co Printing	4 50
Johnson Smith & Harrison " "	75 00
Pioneer Press Co.	75
A. Dale Hack Hire	2 00
Bean Males & Co Stationery	38 00
L. Day & Sons Lumber for Court House	22 00
Gons & Johnson Work at " "	4 00
Mrs F Barnes boarding poor	5 00
S. B. Matheson Hack Hire	1 00
August Ende Boarding sick poor	12 75
Andrew Anderson work at Court House	3 00
Martin Layman. graves for poor	23 00
W. B. Mitchell Printing	32 00
Frank Slocum Tax duplicates	15 00
A. H. Baker Making plats of surveys	52 00
Cottage Hospital Care of sick poor	106 85
A. C. Rand Gas	71 40
Mrs Johnson washing for Jail	18 39
Ganney Bros goods for Court House	69 17
Smith Scribner & Co Hardware	4 56
A. R. Thompson Board of Prisoners	211 38
G. W. Smith Justice fees	3 95
G. W. Hank goods for poor	40 50
N. A. Guertsen " " "	10 00
Margaret Weber " "	20 00
M. C. Filbert " "	5 00
Wesley A. Will " "	29 00
Keadley & Jones " "	106 65
Solon Armstrong " "	28 00
O. J. Swett " "	11 00
J. P. Reeves " "	5 00
Peterson Bros " "	26 00
John Hayes " "	30 00
John N. Berg " "	5 00

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J. P. Lowell	goods for poor	\$27 00
L. M. Story	"	6 00
Geo. E. Hays	"	8 00
Chas Thielens	"	23 00
C. Jacobson	"	9 00
Hanson Bros	"	6 00
Matt Ries	"	24 00
J. P. Reeves	"	15 00
John A. Lanson	"	6 00
E. Lee	"	4 00
A. Tharalson	"	23 00
C. A. Heffelfinger	"	6 00
Thos Hall	"	5 00
O. C. Merrill	"	5 00
A. M. Vanstrum	"	14 00
E. Worthingham	"	2 00
E. Lee	"	1 75
W. B. Wilson	"	12 00
Wm Fielder	"	4 00
A. C. Haugan	"	37 00
A. A. Bennett	"	3 00
C. Kingsley	"	9 00
A. D. Foster	"	2 00
E. H. Robinson	"	8 00
Otto Peterson	"	5 00
E. P. Howell	"	6 40
Edwin Parker	"	5 00
J. B. Higgins	"	5 00
C. A. Harmon & Co	"	19 00
A. D. Mulford	"	86 00
E. P. Howell	"	1 25
R. B. Leacock	"	11 00
J. B. Huber	"	191 00
B. Brasie & Co	"	4 00
H. F. Lillibridge	"	2 40
Hawes & Smith	"	9 00
Matthias Morrison	"	4 00
Isaac C. Bryant	"	5 00
Geo. A. Skinner	"	5 00
Hause & Davis	"	14 25
J. E. Smith	"	12 00
Geo. H. Hale & Co	"	35 81
Peter Conner	"	13 00

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On Motion of Com. Harde the Bill of ~~Expenditure~~ for Commissioner Services amounting to \$53.98 was allowed ays 4 nays ^{one} none. Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer, Harde and Willson. ~~None~~ ^{None} blenn voted nay.

On Motion of Com Willson the following bills were allowed ays 5 nays none those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer, Harde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Ed A Stevens	for printing	\$17	60
Ed A Stevens	" "	17	60
Ed A Stevens	" "	17	60
Tribune Co.	printing & amt ^t of claim \$138.80 (amt ^t allowed 120	00	

On Motion of Com. Schaefer the following Resolution was adopted ays 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer, Harde, Willson & Mr Chairman.

Resolved - That the Office of the Probate Judge be removed to the Rooms on first floor of the Court House now occupied by the Sheriff & that the Committee on Court House have the Rooms in readiness by the 1st of March next.

On Motion of Com. Palmer the following Resolution was adopted ays 4 nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer, Harde and Mr Chairman. Absent Com Willson.

Resolved - That the County Auditor be directed to procure suitable stamps for use in the auditing and allowance of claims, and for the Auditor's Office.

On Motion of Com Palmer the Board adjourned until Friday the 10th inst. at 10 O'Clock A.M. ays 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer, Harde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Attest
Maklon Black
County Auditor

M. H. Elmer
Chairman Board Co. Com^{rs}

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Hennepin County Minn
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Board of County Commissioners Met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Chairman.

All the Members Present.

Application of Sewell Phelps for an abatement of his personal Tax for the year 1878. upon the ground that he is not a resident of the State, was by consent referred to the County Attorney.

On Motion of Chairman Glenn. (Comr Palmer in the chair) the application of F. Hacksmith for \$664²⁰ claimed by him as balance due him, for Mason work at Saw Poor House was Rejected, ayes 5 - nays none, Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer Schaefer, Harde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Application of E. B. Amos to have refunded certain taxes paid by M. S. Higgins for state assignment on A 1/4 of S E 1/4 of Sec 26. T 19. R 22 on the ground that the property was not then taxable being homestead was on Motion referred to the County Attorney, ayes 5 nays none, Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer Schaefer, Harde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

The application of Sewell. Phelps for an abatement of Personal Tax for the year 1878. having been returned by the County Attorney, On Motion of Comr Palmer the application was granted, subject to the approval of the State Auditor, ayes 3 nays 2, Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, and Mr Chairman Those who voted nay, were Comrs Harde and Willson.

Comr Willson Moved that the County Auditor be directed to procure 18 copies of the Revised Statutes for the use of the County officers. Lost, ayes 2 nays 3. Those who voted aye were Comrs Harde & Willson, Those who voted nay were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, and Mr Chairman.

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On Motion of Com^{rs} Willson the Board adjourned until Saturday the 11th inst at 10 O'clock A.M. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Attest
Maklon Black
County Auditor

W. H. Klunn
Ch^{man} Board Co. Com^{rs}

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Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. And was called to order by the Chairman.

All the members present.

On Motion of Com. Palmer, the following Resolution was adopted Ayes 4 nays 1. Those who voted aye Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer, Ward & Willson. Chairman Klunn, voted nay.

Resolved by the Board of County Commissioners that the report of the County Attorney on the claim of N. Lockwood which was referred to him, be and the same is hereby accepted, and that there be allowed said Lockwood the sum of One hundred Eighty seven and $\frac{8}{100}$ dollars in full payment of all salary and claims of every kind against the county. One hundred and fifty dollars of this is for salary, and the balance, thirty seven and $\frac{8}{100}$ dollars for his expenses &c. according to the report.

The County Auditor is authorized to draw warrants for \$150⁰⁰ and the balance of \$37 $\frac{8}{100}$ (not to be drawn until the expiration of thirty days.

On Motion of Com^{rs} Schaefer, the following Resolution was adopted. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson & Mr Chairman.

Resolved, that claims against Hennepin County be presented on each Saturday before the first Monday of each month, so that the Committee on Claims, can examine the same. Bill not presented at the time mentioned will

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have to lie over until the next month thereafter.

On Motion of Com. Palmer the following resolution was adopted, ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman
Resolved, That the Committee on Court House & Jail composed of Comrs Glenn, Palmer and Ward be and are hereby instructed by this board to do all necessary Committee work until the February meeting.

Petition of A. J. Smith & 25 others asking for the location of a County Road in the Towns of Brooklyn and Champlin was presented, and on Motion of Com. Ward, the petition was accepted and a Committee consisting of Comrs Ward, Willson and Schaefer appointed, and directed to meet at the house of George H. Smith in the Town of Brooklyn, on Saturday the 23rd day of January A.D. 1879 at 10 O'clock A.M. to make examination into the proposed location. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson & Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com. Ward the following Resolution was adopted, Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson & Mr Chairman.
Resolved, That the Committee on Roads and Bridges be and they are hereby directed to perform all Committee work of said Committee until the next meeting of the Board in February.

On Motion of Com. Willson the following resolution was adopted ayes 5 nays none Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman.
Resolved, That the Committee on Poor Farm be and they are hereby directed to perform all work of said Committee until the next Meeting of the Board in February.

On Motion of Com Palmer the following resolution was adopted Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman
Resolved, That the Committee on Claims be and they are hereby directed to perform all work of said Committee until the next Meeting of the Board in February.

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On Motion of Com. Schaefer, the Bond and sureties of Anton Wolf, for License to sell intoxicating Liquors in the Town of Crystal Lake for the period of one year from Jan. 1st 1879, was approved and License ordered issued. Ayes 4 nays none. Those who voted Aye were Comrs Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman. Absent Com. Palmer.

On Motion of Com. Ward, the Bond and sureties of Edward Huot for License to sell intoxicating Liquors in the Town of Leocoran, for one year from the 1st day of Jan. 1879 was approved and License ordered issued. Ayes 4 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman. Absent, Com Palmer.

On Motion the Bond and sureties of Paul Peterson for License to sell intoxicating Liquors at the Crystal Lake House in the Town of Crystal Lake for one year from the 1st day of Jan. 1879, was approved and License ordered issued. Ayes 4 nay 1. Those who voted aye were Comrs Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman. Com. Palmer voted nay.

2 O'clock P.M.

On Motion of Com. Palmer the Board proceeded to the election of an Overseer of the Poor Farm for the ensuing, by Ballot. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Informal Ballot

Whole number of votes cast	5
A. Smith received	1 vote
B. Smith "	1 vote
J. Connolly "	3 votes

On the 1st formal Ballot Mr. Terrence Connolly Received 5 votes (all the votes cast) and was thereupon declared elected overseer of the Poor Farm for the ensuing year.

Com Palmer Moved that the salary of the overseer of the Poor Farm be fixed at \$800.00. Lost by the following vote. Ayes 2 nays 3. Those who voted Aye were Comrs Palmer and Schaefer. Those who voted nay, were Comrs Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman.

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Com. Schaefer moved that the salary of the overseer of the Poor Farm, be fixed at \$60⁰⁰ per month, which motion was lost by the following vote, Aye 1 nays 4. Com^{rs} Schaefer voted Aye. Those who voted nay were Com^{rs} Palmer, Harde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com^r Willson, the salary of the overseer of the Poor Farm was fixed at \$850⁰⁰ per annum. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted Aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer, Harde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com^r Schaefer, the salary of the Overseer of the Poor Farm was ordered paid Monthly upon the Warrant of the County Auditor. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted Aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer Harde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com Willson the salary of the Night watchman, at the Poor House was fixed at \$35⁰⁰ per Month to be paid on the Warrant of the County Auditor, upon the order of the Chairman of the Board. Ayes 5, nays none. Those who voted Aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer Harde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com Willson the salary of the Night watchman at the Court House was fixed at the sum of \$45⁰⁰ per Month, to be paid Monthly on the warrant of the County Auditor when ordered by the Chairman of the Board. Ayes 4 nays none. Those who voted Aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer, Willson and Mr Chairman, Absent Com Harde.

On Motion of Com Schaefer the following ^{Preamble} Resolution was adopted, And the County Auditor was directed to notify the Members of the Legislature from this County of the action of the Board in the matter.

Whereas Joseph C Lyons was employed as stenographer on the occasion of the Inquest held on the bodies of sundry persons killed in the Mill Explosion of May 2nd 1878, rendering efficient services, for which the law fails to provide Compensation and

Whereas - the Board of County Com^{rs} Missioners of Hennepin County believe that the said Joseph C Lyons is justly and equitably entitled to the

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sum of Two hundred dollars with interest from June 1st 1878, the date of such service, therefore,

Resolved - That we recommend the delegation from Hennepin County in the Legislature now in session to endeavor to procure the passage of an Act. authorizing the payment of said sum.

On Motion of Com^r Ward, the Commissioner of the 5th Com^r District was authorized to give further temporary relief to John M Gann, a citizen of said District. Ayes 5 nays none, Those who voted aye were Com^rs Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Wilson and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com^r Palmer, the following resolution was adopted Ayes 4 nays 1. Those who voted aye were Com^rs Palmer, Ward, Wilson and Mr Chairman Com Schaefer voted nay.

Resolved, by the Board of County Commissioners that the publication of the Reports of fees of County officials and such other publications as are by law required or authorized to be made not including delinquent Tax list is hereby directed to be made, in the Hennepin County Mirror, during the year 1879, said paper having been duly declared the official paper of Hennepin County.

On Motion of Com^r Ward the following Resolution was adopted Ayes 5 nays none, Those who voted in the Affirmative were Com^rs Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Wilson and Mr Chairman.

Resolved, That all claims against the County, shall be approved by the Committee. Contracting or ordering the said expenditures before the same shall be recommended by the Committee on Claims to be allowed. And be it further

Resolved That no purchases be made by any person without the consent of a Majority of the Property Committee.

On Motion of Com. Palmer the Board Selected the following Jury Lists, to serve according to Law Ayes 5 nays none, Those who voted aye were Com^rs

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Palmer, Scheffer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman,

List of Grand Jurors:

1	S. B. Lovejoy	39	John Shober
2	Charles Stanwitz	40	John Kelly
3	S. D. Rollins	41	Frank Dehn
4	John C. Johnson	42	Matthias Lane
5	John Wmsinger	43	J. B. Hellman
6	J. M. Brady	44	Gasper Hawkins
7	W. S. King	45	William Jackman
8	John Orth	46	Abert Roberts
9	D. D. Moore	47	Allan Jenkins
10	R. W. Cummings	48	Levi Bowen
11	William Glessner	49	John Fuhar
12	Woodbury Fiske	50	Wesley Smith
13	J. P. Wilson	51	Peter Patnode
14	Wm Hill	52	Washington Rader
15	Henry Brethen	53	A. Ingerson
16	W. W. Eastman	54	William Hetzmann
17	W. H. Audd	55	Dr. R. Barber
18	Michael Lyons	56	R. D. Buede
19	B. F. Nelson	57	J. D. Balch
20	A. E. McMullen	58	J. B. Crooker
21	L. W. Campbell	59	J. H. Clark
22	James S. Lane	60	Gas Goodman
23	Henry E. Blaisdell	61	R. P. Shuler
24	George Williams	62	J. B. Müller
25	Frank Wottenbach	63	H. C. Butler
26	J. S. Malbon	64	P. S. Lealkins
27	E. H. Hase	65	J. A. Harrison
28	John Karraty	66	J. C. Delmaster
29	Henry Oswald	67	Austin F. Kelley
30	Is J. Murritt	68	C. H. Curtis
31	Andrew McCausland	69	S. C. Gale
32	George H. Smith	70	E. W. Kelly
33	A. H. Jenkins	71	Geo. Pillsbury
34	A. W. Kitchell	72	H. E. Newton
35	Silas Merrill	73	Chas A Stocker
36	J. A. Danforth	74	Wm. A. Elliott
37	John Sepue	75	Gracie Suley
38	Alfred Angell	76	Geo. E. Huy.

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77	L. H. Pettit	107	E. B. Place
78	W. W. Herrick	108	Daniel Pembroke
79	Wm F. Mader	109	Florentine Standish
80	Clinton Morrison	110	Francis H. Brousseau
81	Philip Hartman	111	William Chadwick
82	G. Menzel	112	J. H. Clarke
83	J. B. M. Garland	113	William Rockwell
84	Geo. A. Camp	114	Daniel Conner
85	W. F. Cahill	115	Ezra Paine
86	H. O. Hamlin	116	W. H. Stacey
87	Alexander Tyler	117	Henry Fowle
88	James M. Pierce	118	John Reises
89	Thomas A. Clark	119	Joseph O'Kamel
90	Frank J. Mead	120	Michael Crowe
91	Ed A. Stevens	121	George Lincoln
92	August Ende	122	Leonard Day
93	E. W. Herrick	123	Sylvester Smith
94	A. D. Mulford	124	R. P. Russell
95	Jacob Rauen	125	N. H. Pierce
96	L. B. Stetson	126	Winslow Baker
97	J. B. Keally	127	Henry Maurer
98	H. F. Noss	128	John H. Jordan
99	W. H. Dunwoody	129	Charles Schiebe
100	Joseph F. Hause	130	Frank Hatcher
101	J. H. Rolfe	131	J. H. Pound
102	Geo. E. Higgins	132	Robert Townsend
103	C. A. Heffelfinger	133	Abel Willson
104	E. P. Howell	134	D. S. Fitch
105	John S. Heaton	135	George Odell
106	Justus Cochran		

List of Petit Jurors.

1	Henry Ambrose	10	James Cullen jr
2	Frank Woodcock	11	John Perry
3	John Ferril	12	William Olson
4	Daniel Dugan	13	Richard Burke
5	George Brown	14	Andrew Lumberg
6	H. W. Leaburn	15	Jacob Holton
7	Siméon Prescott	16	Adam Hillis
8	Robert Joyce	17	George Wilson
9	John Miller	18	Matthew Pressen

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19	Rufus Roberts	60	S. J. Gould
20	John C. Brewer	61	Fletcher Munson
21	Nicholas Starks	62	D. D. Green
22	John M. Duade	63	Asa Howe
23	Wm a Dunn	64	John Wales
24	William Daily	65	A. A. Thayer
25	J. R. Hearcobb	66	Wm Anderson
26	W. L. Hilly	67	William Brockway
27	R. S. Reeves.	68	W. J. Emery
28	William Mulveyhill	69	P. E. Hill
29	Patrick Heavney	70	Sherman Phelps
30	John Thelen	71	Martin Devery
31	D. H. Theon	72	J. J. Thompson
32	James Hughes	73	Lewis Ham.
33	J. E. McLeod	74	Wrenus Atkinson
34	George Hollister	75	W. E. Evans
35	Martin Ring	76	S. A. Pavitt
36	Gottfried Boehm	77	Isaiah Dubuque
37	Charles Herholtzer	78	Anthony Degarlas
38	S. H. Baker	79	W. D. Grimmer
39	Ferdinand Vorwack	80	Joseph Downs
40	Mat Wier	81	Thomas Gadois
41	E. J. Brindall	82	Philip Madolen
42	Charles Chapman	83	John Russell
43	John Timmely	84	Thomas Flynn
44	Simon Lyons	85	R. H. Currier
45	William Hoy	86	Andrew Rutherford
46	Philip Herzog	87	W. Harf
47	Sam Eustis	88	John Suptill
48	Jack Pennock	89	Robert Adcock
49	J. M. Cushing	90	Michael Nolan
50	William Fower	91	George Oswald
51	Thomas Garrity	92	Peter Winnan
52	Charles Bohanan	93	Jacob Webber
53	Horatio Stillman	94	William Budd
54	Willard Bohanan	95	J. M. Shaw
55	E. M. Clausland	96	Ed. Barnett
56	Walter Jacques	97	Samuel Morrison
57	John Shaffer	98	George Slow
58	William Stinchfield	99	Felix Logelin
59	Samuel Merrill	100	Albion Stinson

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101	H. D. Lattimore	142	E. G. Reid
102	John S. Stevens	143	W. T. Todd
103	J. B. Ferrin	144	Emil Skagren
104	Geo. W. Leoble	145	Geo. Winters
105	Petrus Enberg	146	Thos Chambers
106	J. M. Knight	147	E. Heelderly
107	Geo Land	148	Eel O. Graves
108	John O'Donald	149	Chas Kepp
109	Wm Christianson	150	Wm Hannegan
110	S. S. Small	151	Samuel Pierce
111	George Smith	152	A. Bradford
112	Geo. Paulis	153	Girson L. Levi
113	Joseph Holcher	154	J. P. Plummer
114	M. T. Scofield	155	H. L. Lewis
115	Washington Purce	156	J. D. Rich
116	E. M. Pitternd	157	P. K. Roach
117	Henry Ober	158	P. B. Bopperding
118	Chas R. Snyder	159	John Graham
119	A. S. Wilcox	160	E. Larnborn
120	Jacob White	161	John B. Sterrett
121	John S. Billings	162	E. F. Wilkins
122	A. J. Foster	163	E. W. Loresy
123	Joa. H. Krukenberg	164	Josiah Town
124	C. L. Snyder	165	J. B. Blough
125	John B. Lennon	166	Chas Spear
126	Geo Sloan	167	L. W. Rhone
127	Chas Fairfield	168	Orrin E. Spear
128	Geo. Galpin	169	R. Speck
129	Thaddens Doten	170	S. E. Davis
130	J. S. Styles	171	Samuel Davis
131	Wm Gunderson	172	J. H. Horton
132	H. H. Johnson	173	P. Howard
133	Christian Brunkman	174	W. T. Mks
134	Danl. A. Day	175	S. M. Foss
135	D. H. Lewis	176	R. F. Jones
136	Elisha Jones	177	J. D. Kaestner
137	Chas H. Miller	178	Frank Kutzman
138	Arthur Harris	179	Al. Labrask
139	Samuel Beck	180	John W. Anderson
140	E. J. Beard	181	J. H. Anderson
141	Ivy J. Nield	182	A. M. Anson

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183	Theodore Basting	217	John Palmer
184	O. M. Barnes	218	George Harmon
185	C. H. Beeman	219	John Kelly
186	F. W. Bell	220	Joseph P. Boehler
187	S. S. Daniels	221	William Stan chfield
188	H. A. Bennett	222	Charles H. H. H.
189	Arthur H. Benton	223	D. C. Hunt
190	E. L. Bidwell	224	R. B. M. Grath
191	J. Mason Eustis	225	J. S. Gould
192	John Booth	226	William Simpson
193	George Blake	227	A. C. Meeker
194	H. V. Boutell	228	James A. Brown
195	C. R. Bushnell	229	George H. Gibbs
196	J. J. Leanney	230	J. C. Goulich
197	W. J. Dean	231	W. F. Hurlbert
198	J. J. Leotter	232	John Lucas
199	William Fisher	233	Henry Regent
200	Albert H. Hawkins	234	John Gerbes
201	E. Brosbeck	235	William Archibald
202	M. C. Burr	236	James Wiley
203	O. E. Parker	237	Warren Wakefield
204	A. S. Adams	238	Samuel Moody
205	Franklin Cook	239	John P. Meurer
206	George Chamberlain	240	D. E. Dow
207	George Erhardt	241	D. M. Burwell
208	George H. Hoit	242	O. F. Bryant
209	C. W. Farrington	243	Fred Holtz
210	Samuel Marchant	244	A. E. Richards
211	James M. Parker	245	B. S. Shaver
212	Jacob Rath	246	Nelson Hamel
213	Peter S. Winnen	247	A. J. Clark
214	J. J. Willson	248	William Dunsmoor
215	B. C. Gancey	249	Milan Tinkham
216	Wright Hawthorn	250	William Dugan

On Motion of Com. Palmer the Board adjourned, ayes 5-nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Harde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Attest

Mahton Black
County Auditor

Wm. H. Glenn
Chmn Board Co. Commrs

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 Hennepin County Minn }
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Board of County Commissioners met according to Law
 and was called to order by the Chairman.

All the Members present.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved

On Motion of Com^{rs} Willson a Warrant was directed
 to be drawn on the County Treasurer in favor of the State
 Treasurer for the sum of \$3919¹² in full payment for
 Board and Clothing for Hennepin County inmates of
 the State Reform School for the year ending Nov 30th 1878
 Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer
 Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com. Willson the following Report of the
 County Treasurer was read, accepted and ordered pla-
 ced on file. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were
 Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman

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To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners

Gentlemen

The following

Statement made in compliance with Section 4 Chapter 247
 Special Laws of 1877 shows the amount of funds on deposits
 at this date.

First National Bank	\$ 2798 60
Northwestern National Bank	2737 50
Merchants National	2304 79
Security Bank of Minnesota	3015 26
City Bank	3346 01
Citizens Bank	642 68
Hennepin County Savings Bank	1524 59
On interest bearing Certificates of deposits	3270 80
	48,578 23

Respectfully Submitted

Frank Slocum

Treasurer Hennepin County

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

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On Motion of Com^r Warde, the Bond for License to P.B. Corcoran to sell Liquors in the Town of Corcoran for one year from the 1st day of Jan. 1879 was approved and license granted ayes 5 nays none Those who voted aye were Com^rs Palmer, Schaefer, Warde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com^r Willson the Bond for License to Emil Reed to sell Liquors in the Village of Wauzata in the Town of Munnitonska for 1 year from the 1st day of January 1879 was approved and license granted ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^rs Palmer, Schaefer, Warde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com. Warde the Bond of Delphus Cowet for License to sell Liquors in the Town of Dayton for One year from the first day of January 1879 was approved and License granted. Ayes 5 nays none Those who voted aye were Com^rs Palmer, Schaefer, Warde.

On Motion of Com Willson the Claim of A.B. Guilder for \$146⁵⁰ Money advanced by him to Michael Hory and other expense for arresting and procuring a witness in the Case of the State vs W. P. Herzog, was referred to the Co. Atty; Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^rs Palmer, Schaefer, Warde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Com^r Warde from the Committee appointed to make examination and report upon a proposed change in a County Road in the Towns of Medina and Corcoran made a Report recommending that the prayer of the petitioners be Rejected, and on Motion of Com Palmer the report of the Committee was adopted the Petition rejected. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^rs Palmer, Schaefer, Warde and Mr Chairman.

Com. Warde from the Committee appointed to make examination and report upon a proposed change in the Location of the Yorkville Road (so called) Reported recommending that the prayer of the Petitioners

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be Rejected. and on Motion of Com. Schaefer the Report of the Committee was adopted and the Petition rejected Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted Aye were Comrs Palmer Schaefer, Warde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Com. Warde from the committee appointed to make examination and Report upon the proposed Location of a County Road, in the Towns of Champlin & Brooklyn made the following Report, which was upon Motion adopted Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted Aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Warde Willson and Mr. Chairman.

To the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Hennepin

The undersigned Committee appointed by you to examine the proposed Location of a highway, as stated in the petition referred to in your order of appointment made on the 11th day of January 1879 would respectfully Report that we met at the time and place designated in your said order and proceeded to examine the highway proposed to be located viz:

Beginning on the quarter Sec. line running north and south through Sec 19. T 120 R 21, Town of Champlin $3\frac{1}{2}$ chains north of the quarter post on the south side said sec. 19. Thence running southeasterly and intersecting the line bet Secs 29 & 30 T 120 R 21 $24\frac{9}{10}$ chains north $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. Post on said line. Thence south on line bet Secs 29 & 30 & 31 & 32 T 120. R 21. and Secs. 5 & 6 and 7 & 8 T 119 R 21. Thence east on line bet Secs 8 & 17 T 119 R 21 to the line dividing the East & West half of $7\frac{1}{2}$ sec said Sec 17 Thence south on the $\frac{1}{8}$ sec line across Secs 17, 20, and $N\frac{1}{2}$ Sec 29 T 119 R 21. Town of Brooklyn.

And do hereby recommend that the prayer of the said petitioners be granted & road located according to surveyors report which accompanies forms a part of this report.

Given under our hands this 3rd day of February AD 1879

H. H. Ward

H. Willson

J. Schaefer

Committee

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The following is the Report of the Surveyor. referred to in the foregoing.

Minneapolis Feb 3/79.

To the Board of County Commissioners of Hennepin County.

Gentlemen: The undersigned having been employed by you to make a survey of a road, commencing on the Quarter Sec. line running north and south through Sec 19 T120, R21. Town of Champlin 33 2/3 chains north of the quarter post on the south side said sec 19. Thence running south easterly and intersecting the line bet Secs 29 & 30. T120 R21. 24 2/100 chains. north of 1/4 Sec Post on said line. Thence south on line bet Secs 29 & 30 and 31 & 32. T120 R21 and Secs 5 & 6 and 7 & 8 T119, R21. Thence East on line bet Secs 8 & 17 T119 R21 to the line dividing the E 1/2 & W 1/2 of the W 1/2 said sec. 17. Thence south on the 1/8 Sec line across Secs. 17, 20. and north half of sec 29. T119 R21. Town of Brooklyn Would report that the following is a correct survey thereof as made by me under your direction to wit, Com. at the first mentioned starting point Thence by the following courses and distances. with a variation when not following sec or 1/8 sec lines of 10° 10' E.

Sta	Bearing	Dist	
0	S 35 1/2 E	10.77 ch	
1	S 18 1/2 E	5.74 "	
2	S 60 1/4 E	2.98 "	
3	S 40 1/4 E	22.59 "	
4	S 42 1/2 E	12.51 "	
5	S 51 3/4 E	8.34 "	Sec line bet 29. & 30 T120 R21
6	South	24.90 "	1/4 post
7	"	39.25 "	Cor 29.30.31 & 32 120. 21
8	"	39.42 "	1/4 post
9	"	39.31 "	Cor 31.32. 120. 21. & 5.6 119. 21.
10	"	39.25 "	1/4 post
11	"	38.93 "	Cor 5.6.7.8. 119. 21.
12	"	39.38 "	1/4 post
13	"	39.28 "	Cor 7.8.17.18.119. 21.
14	East	19.62 "	1/8 Sec Cor
15	South	79.00	S line sec. 17. 19.60 E of Cor
16	"	79.21	S " " 20. 19.73 E of Cor
17	"	39.18	Int Monticello & Minneapolis road

and that herewith is a correct plat of said

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road according to said survey.

J. H. Gilmore

Dept. Leo Surv.

On Motion of Com. Ward the Bond of Henry Maurer for License to sell Liquors in Mayzata in the Town of Minnetonka for One Year from the 1st day of January 1879, was approved and License granted Ays 5 nays none. Those who voted Aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com. Schaefer the Bond of Terrence Connolly Overseer of the Poor Farm was approved and ordered placed on file. Ays 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com. Ward the Bond of Jas. O. Hamul for License to sell Liquors in the Town of Medina for One Year from the 1st day of January 1879 was approved and License granted. Ays 5 nays none. Those who voted Aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com. Palmer the following bills were allowed. Ays 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman.

C. H. Ward Comrs Services	\$ 69 20
H. Willson " "	69 40
J. Schaefer " "	56 40
M. W. Glenn " "	35 00
L. R. Palmer " "	47 80
	177 80

On Motion of Com. Willson 12 County Maps of Hennepin County was ordered to be purchased of Warner & Foot. Colored in Towns and fully Mounted. also 2 Mounted but uncolored. Ays 4. Nay 1. Those who voted Aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Ward and Willson. Chairman Glenn. voted nay.

On Motion of Com. Ward, the following resolution

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was adopted. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Resolved, That the sum of Forty dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the County Treasury, to pay the Chamberlain Manfg Co for Rubber stamps and seal for County Auditors office the order to be drawn by the County Auditor upon the order of the Chairman of the Committee on Court house & Jail.

Report of the Overseer of the Poor Farm for the Month of January 1879, received, and on Motion accepted and ordered placed on file. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Mr Willson the valuation of the Richfield Mill property belonging to Pratt & Baird in the Town of Richfield was reduced from \$10,110 to \$8,000 on account of excessive valuation, reduction, subject to the approval of the Auditor of State. Ayes 3 nays 2. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer and Willson. Those who voted nay were Comr Ward and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Comr Ward the Board adjourned until Feb 4th 1879. At 10 O'clock A.M. ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Attest

Waklon Black
County Auditor

In the presence of
Ch. Board Co. Comrs

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Hennepin County Minn.
Feb. 4th 1879.

The Board of County Commissioners. Met pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Chairman Glenn.

All the Members present.

On Motion of Com. Palmer the following bills were allowed, Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer, Ward Wilson and Mr Chairman.

Geo. Huhn & Co.	goods for poor farm	✓ ✓	\$ 16 05
Joe Holasek	wood " "	✓ ✓	106 00
J. W. Bates	Night-watchman at " "	✓ ✓	67 50
Clark & McClure	Lumber for " "	✓ ✓	8 80
Clark & McClure	" " " "	✓ ✓	48 23
Goodfellow & Eastman	goods " " "	✓ ✓	38 72
Levi Lockheim	" " " "	✓ ✓	54 45
Felix Bros	" " " "	✓ ✓	22 75
E. A. Cramsie	Blacksmithing " "	✓ ✓	10 75
M. Connell & Co	goods " "	✓ ✓	1 02
C. D. Louge	Lumber " "	✓ ✓	77 99
Gray & Carpenter	goods " "	✓ ✓	9 33
B. B. Marshall	clock " "	✓ ✓	6 00
Haus & Davis	Shoes " "	✓ ✓	9 00
Aug. Ende	Hotel Bill Overseer " "	✓ ✓	8 35
Haus & Davis	Shoes " "	✓ ✓	16 75
Janney Brooks & Eastman	Hardware " "	✓ ✓	77 33
Janney Bros	" " " "	✓ ✓	10 13
J. H. Thompson	goods for " "	✓ ✓	40 25
Robert Brewster	Constable fees	✓ ✓	1 90
E. D. Barnett	" "	✓ ✓	23 35
E. D. Barnett	" "	✓ ✓	14 50
S. H. Baker	Surveying	✓ ✓	70 00
N. R. Thompson	Boarding Prisoners	✓ ✓	291 97
N. R. Thompson	Sheriff fees	✓ ✓	41 30
N. R. Thompson	" "	✓ ✓	50 80
Chas Robinson	Recording	✓ ✓	5 00
F. A. Dansmoor	County Physician	✓ ✓	215 95
C. W. Smith	Postage and Expressage	✓ ✓	5 95

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A. A. Pond for work and Maternal at Court House	\$ 459 76
Cauvet & Reid goods for Court House	309 68
Cottage Hospital Board care of sick poor	118 30
Ames & Salisbury Medical attendance at Jail	14 00
M. F. Colton & Son Stationery	16 34
C. H. Stewart wood for Court house	6 00
Janney Brooks & Eastman goods for Court house	16 81
C. J. Vail Dec. Undertaker	45 00
N. F. Pinault Medical attendance on poor	53 55
John Carlson sawing wood at Court House	5 00
Charles Russell Hack-hire	1 00
M. F. Kelly plumbing at Jail	5 65
Smith Scribner Dec. Hardware for Jail	7 50
J. A. Dunsmoor goods for County Physician	27 90
C. P. Knstaed goods and work at Court House	36 33
Geo. Schulenburg Boarding poor	7 00
Martin Layman Burial of poor	20 00
A. Dale Hack-hire	3 00
M. E. Thorne Care & Board of idiot child	20 00
N. F. Pinault Med. Attendance on poor	4 50
John Hechtman burial of poor	9 00
A. J. Smith wood for County	19 50
Tolde & Griffith goods for Court House	83 09
Geo. E. Higgins " " Jail	3 15
Mrs. Johnson Washing " "	25 57
Davison & Hall Printing	10 00
C. H. Hale Dec. goods for Jail	77 10
Johnson Smith & Harrison Stationery & Printing	48 50
Barbary Wofferman Midwife	6 00
A. R. Thompson washing towels	9 00
Cushman & Plummer Stationery	17 27
N. H. Sierten goods for poor	5 00
G. B. Price Dec. " "	41 25
M. J. Peterson " "	2 00
D. B. Wagner " "	6 00
John Hayes " "	28 00
M. Connell Dec. " "	4 00
C. F. Sawyer " "	5 00
Jacob Martin " "	12 00
J. H. Myers " "	5 00
John A. Larson " "	6 00
Geo. O. Hamel " "	11 42

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O Peterson	goods for poor	✓	\$7 00
E Fruen	"	✓	5 00
J P Lowell	"	✓	41 00
L M Story	"	✓	5 00
Geo Rubin voo	"	✓	3 00
L G Johnson	"	✓	25 00
C Miller	"	✓	4 00
M C Gilbert	"	✓	6 00
M C Gilbert	"	✓	3 50
Wm F Kelly	"	✓	3 00
O J Swett	"	✓	10 00
A C Hangan	"	✓	30 00
W W Lockwood	"	✓	19 00
A Erb	"	✓	28 00
And. Tharalson	"	✓	49 50
E W Stewart	"	✓	16 00
Geo Rubin voo	"	✓	9 00
Mrs P. Weingart	"	✓	9 00
Carpenter Gray	"	✓	6 00
Geo E Hayes	"	✓	8 00
Lewis Overweke	"	✓	152 00
John Hechtman	"	✓	8 00
Kingsley voo.	"	✓	20 00
J L Huber	"	✓	225 30
L H Hale voo	"	✓	5 75
J E Smith	"	✓	3 00
Sidney Smith	"	✓	61 00
J O Hank	"	✓	33 75
Wm A Fisher	"	✓	4 00
E Northingham	"	✓	1 75
Mrs M Huber	"	✓	35 00
Ables & Armstrong	"	✓	15 00
Matt Kies	"	✓	23 00
J P Reeves	"	✓	4 00
Fortier Kaplan voo	"	✓	7 00
Wesley Neill	"	✓	7 00
Ed L Farris	"	✓	5 00

On Motion of Leon Palmer the following resolution was adopted: Ayes 5 nays none Those who voted Aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaffer, Ward, Milson and Mr Chairman.

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Resolved, That the Committee on Court House and Jail be and they are hereby directed to ascertain and report to this meeting what Legislation if any is necessary to enable them to enlarge the County Jail.

On Motion of Com. Palmer the following resolution was adopted Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Coms^{rs} Palmer Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Resolved, That the Committee on Court House and Jail composed of Coms^{rs} Palmer and Ward are hereby directed by this Board to do all necessary Committee Work until the next Meeting of this Board in March.

On Motion of Com Palmer the following Resolution was adopted Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Coms^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Resolved, That the Committee on claims are hereby directed by this Board to do all necessary Committee work until the next Meeting of this Board in March.

On Motion of Com Ward the following Resolution was adopted, Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Coms^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Resolved - That the Committee on Stationery and Printing be and are ^{they} hereby directed to perform all Committee work of said Committee until the next Meeting of this Board in March.

On Motion of Com Ward the following Resolution was adopted Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Coms^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer Ward Willson and Mr Chairman.

Resolved - That the Committee on Roads & Bridges be and They are hereby directed to perform all Committee work of said Committee until the next Meeting of this Board in March.

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On Motion of Com Palmer the following resolution was adopted Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr. Chairman.

Resolved - That the Committee on Poor Farm be and they are hereby directed to perform all necessary work of said Committee until the next meeting of the Board in March.

On Motion of Com Willson the following resolution was adopted Ayes 5 nays none Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Resolved that when this Board adjourns, it be until the 10th inst at 10 o'clock A.M.

On Motion of Com Palmer the Bond of J. D. Rich Deputy Coroner, was approved and ordered recorded Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer Ward, Willson & Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com. Willson the Bill of Jos E Lyons Stenographer at the Inquest held on the bodies of sundry persons killed at the fire & explosion of the Mills in Minneapolis in May 1878. Amounting to \$209³³ was allowed, under the provisions of an act of the Legislature. Approved January 31st 1879. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman.

A communication from Joseph Le Compt in relation to certain taxes alleged to have been paid by him, was upon Motion of Com Palmer, referred to the Committee on Taxes. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com. Willson the following bills were allowed, Ayes 4. Nays 1. Those who voted aye were Com^{rs} Palmer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman, Com Schaefer voted nay.

Peterson Bros goods for poor
Thielen & Guetting " " "

\$ 36 75
18 50

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Thompson & Higgen	goods for poor	\$ 7 25
A. D. Mulford	" " "	69 75
N. M. Vanstrum	" " "	12 00
H. J. Hawks	Boarding poor	21 00
Minneapolis Gas Co.	Gas for the County	47 65
Mr. Blessner	Undertaker	42 00
Terrence Connolly.	Cash paid out at poor farm	113 66

On Motion of Com. Palmer the Board adjourned
 Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs
 Palmer, Schaefer, Warde, Willson and Mr Chairman,

Attest

Mahlon Black
 County Auditor

W. M. Blum
 Ch. Board of Co. Commrs

Auditors Office
 Hennepin County Minn
 February 10th 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant
 to a resolution of the Board adopted previous to the
 adjournment on the 4th inst. and was called to
 order by Chairman Blum.

Present. Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Warde, Willson
 and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com. Palmer the following was adopted
 ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs
 Palmer, Schaefer, Warde, Willson and Mr Chairman

Whereas, By resolution of the Board of County Com-
 missioners, the Minneapolis Mirror was declared the
 official paper of Hennepin County for the year 1878, and
 the Hennepin County Mirror was declared the official
 paper of said County for the year 1879. And

Whereas, a digest of the monthly proceedings of said Board
 has been published in said papers, from month to month
 by authority of this Board, for which publication certain

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payments have been made, and certain other publications had for which no payment has been made. And

Whereas On Appeal to the District Court, from an order of said Board allowing a claim for such publication the Court has decided that the Board has no legal authority to cause its proceedings to be officially published, and

Whereas, We believe such publications have ^{with} the approval of the general public, and have been of benefit to the County; Therefore,

Be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Hennepin County, That the delegation from Hennepin County in the State Legislature now in Session be and they are hereby requested to endeavor to procure such Legislation as will authorize this Board to cause its Official proceedings, or a digest of the same to be published in the Official Paper of the County, or in such other manner as the Board may elect, and also for authority to make an appropriation for the payment of such publications, as have hitherto been ordered by said Board, and not paid for.

Application of Mrs Margaret Milligan for the abatement on Minneapolis Female Seminary property for the year 1878. was upon Motion, referred to the County Attorney, ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Warde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

The County Attorney to whom was referred, the application of the First German Ev. Lutheran Church, for an abatement of tax reported the same back with the following endorsement:

"I am of the opinion that the Commissioners have no authority to recommend the abatement asked for in the petition."

W. E. Hale

Co. Atty.

When on Motion of Com Willson the application was rejected, ayes 4 nays 1. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Warde, Willson and Mr Chairman Com^{rs} Schaefer voted nay.

The County Attorney to whom was referred the application of Margaret Milligan for an abatement of Tax, on the

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Minneapolis Female Seminary property, reported the same back, with the opinion that the abatement could not be legally made, and Motion of Com. Palmer the application was rejected Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were, Comrs. Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com Willson the Bond of Philip Saub for License to sell Liquors in Dayton, in the Town of Dayton, was approved and License granted, Ayes 4 nays 1. Those who voted aye were Comrs Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr. Chairman, Com. Palmer, voted nay.

On Motion of Com. Palmer, the following Resolution was adopted, Ayes 4, nays 1. Those who voted aye, were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Willson and Mr Chairman Com. Ward, voted nay.

Resolved, by the Board of County Commissioners, that hereafter the County physician be and he hereby is required to attach as exhibits to all his bills rendered against the County all orders received by him, from any County Commissioner or other person, authorized to make the same, directing him to perform any service for the poor of Hennepin Co.

On Motion of Com Palmer, the following resolution was adopted Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr Chairman

Resolved That the Committee on Court House and Jail, be and they are hereby authorized by this Board to advertise for proposals to move the safe from the Judge of Probate Office in Bracketts Block & put it in place in the County Treasurers Office, and have the one in the Treasurers Office, placed in the Probate Office in the Court House.

On Motion of Com^r Willson the following bill against the County was allowed, Ayes 4 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Willson and Mr Chairman, absent Com Ward.

D. E. Dow Boarding laborer at poor farm

On Motion of Com. Glenn the following Resolution was

\$11 00

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adopted, ayes 3 nays 2. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Warde and Mr Chairman. Those who voted nay were Comrs Schaefer and Willson.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn in favor of Geo. D. Perkins for the amount of \$188⁶³ being amount of costs and penalties paid by him on tax of 1874 and 1875 on lots 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 Block 17 Minneapolis, in accordance with application made by him.

On Motion of Com. Warde, the following resolution was adopted, ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Warde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

Resolved, That the Committee on Court House & Jail be directed to make a thorough investigation into the condition of the Jail, and changes or improvements needed in the same, and report at the next meeting of the Board; said Committee also to report as to what proportion of the inmates are properly to be considered County charges and whether some method cannot be devised looking to the keeping of petty offenders, committed by the City Authorities, in quarters provided elsewhere, and whether such quarters should be provided by the County.

On Motion of Com. Warde a special Committee of Two, consisting of Comrs Warde and Schaefer was appointed by the Chair, to examine as to how many persons are now confined in the County Jail, and what number of such persons are properly chargeable to the County and what number to the City of Minneapolis, so far as the Board of such persons is concerned, ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Warde, Willson and Mr Chairman.

On Motion of Com. Warde, the following resolution was adopted ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye Comrs Palmer, Schaefer, Warde, Willson and Mr Schaefer.

Resolved, That this Board meet at the Poor Farm on Monday the 17th inst at 10 O'clock a.m. for the purpose of taking an inventory of the County property on said farm.

On Motion of Chairman Blinn, the following resolution

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was adopted. Ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted
aye were Comrs. Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Wilson
and Mr Chairman.

Resolved - That the thanks of this Board
are hereby tendered to Capt Mahlon Black, County
Auditor for the able and faithful manner in which
he has performed the duties of his office.

On Motion of Com. Ward, the Board adjourned
ayes 5 nays none. Those who voted aye were Comrs
Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Wilson & Mr Chairman

Attest

Mahlon Black
County Auditor

M. M. Blinn
Ch^m Board, Leo. Comrs

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The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to law and were called to order by the Chairman.

Roll Call

Roll Call

Present - Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman
Absent - Commissioner Schafer

Minutes

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

Applications for abatements were received and read from the following parties.

Applications for Abatements

J. E. Clementson, Draglbaum Bros, Marshall Bros.
B. E. Apler, Valentine Emrich, Mrs. H. Lincoln, J. A. Arnold,
Wincke & Dorro, E. H. Moor, John S. Fisher, Joseph B. Hoffman

Resolution

referring
Application for
abatements to
the Com. on Taxes.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution
Resolved, that all applications for abatements be referred to the Committee on Taxes.

The question was upon the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were four yeas and no nays. Those who voted in the affirmative were

Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman
And so the resolution was adopted.

Inventory of Poor Farm property

Commissioner Willson from the Committee on Poor Farm submitted a report containing an inventory of the property at the County Poor Farm which was read.

The question was on the adoption of the report, and the roll being called there were four yeas and no nays as follows. Those who voted in the affirmative were

Commissioners, Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman,
and so the report was adopted and ordered placed on file.

Appropriating
\$200⁰⁰
as contingent
fund for
Poor Farm.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution

Resolved, that the sum of two hundred dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary be and is hereby appropriated to pay for extra help and other necessary expenses on the Poor Farm, that require a cash payment at the time the indebtedness is incurred, the money to be paid upon the warrant of the County Auditor, the Auditor to draw the warrant upon the order of the chairman of the Committee on Poor Farm.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called there were four yeas and no nays as follows. Those who voted in the affirmative were Commissioners, Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman.
And so the resolution was adopted.

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Commissioner Palmer from the Committee on Claims reported the following bills as correct and recommended that they be allowed and the Auditor directed to draw orders for the several amounts.

Bills			Don't do
	W. W. Hawes	Goods furnished the Poor	20 00
Allowed.	A. E. Haugan	do.	35 50
	John A. Berg	do.	5 -
	A. J. Kienyue	do.	2 -
	W. F. Kelly	do.	4 50
	E. A. Barkman & Co.	do.	3 -
	F. A. Larson	do.	6 -
	L. A. Wales	do.	26 25
	F. P. Lowell	do.	52 -
	Fitts Bros.	do.	5 -
	Weld Bros	do.	62 -
	Orter O'Conner	do.	10 -
	Gray & Carpenter	do.	12 25
	L. H. Johnson	do.	22 50
	W. W. Lockwood	do.	40 25
	Gray & Carpenter	do.	2 88
	Widdely & Jones	do.	16 25
	Louis Vorwack	do.	61 50
	J. M. Huber	do.	184 76
	M. J. Scofield	do.	4 -
	Madison & Johnson	do.	8 -
	Camp Walker	do.	5 60
	W. B. McCabe	do.	4 -
	A. D. Mulford	do.	36 25
	J. B. Lane	do.	25 75
	E. P. Howell	do.	2 -
	A. Livingston	do.	8 25
	Charles Lumley	do.	44 50
	M. E. Gilbert	do.	3 50
	do.	do.	5 -
	Mrs. Schuy	do.	4 -
	L. W. Stewart	do.	26 75
	John Hechtman	do.	8 -
	Chas. E. Wales	do.	15 -
	Orter H. Boffarding	do.	20 -
	Hawes & Davis	do.	20 95
	Sidney Smith	do.	6 -
	Inore & Rowe	do.	18 50

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Bills	Robert Pratt	Goods furnished Poor	437 69
allowed.	O. T. Swift	do.	10 25
	Peterson Bros.	do.	3 50
	Mrs. M. Wiber	do.	20 75
	Wesley Arill	do.	25
	E. Worthingham	do.	6
	Wm. Blumner	Coffins, Poor and Graves for dead paupers	4 25
	Cottage Hospital	Board and care of sick Poor	22
	Geo. A. Knapp	do. " " " Sarah Kimmy Child	135
	Mrs. M. E. Thorne	do. " " " Richardson Child	18
	Johnson, Smith & Harrison	Printing & Books	10
	Minneapolis Tribune Co.	do. do.	132 50
	do.	do. do.	82 90
	Davidson & Wall	Printing Court Ballender	138
	H. F. Vail	Undertaker's services	45
	P. H. Prindergast	do. do.	32 50
	A. R. Thompson	Boarding Prisoners	7 60
	do.	Sheriff's Fees	328 23
	do.	do.	133 65
	J. D. Rich	services as Depty Co. Coroner	65 20
	do.	" " " " "	7 25
	Stiles May	serving subpoena for Co. Auditor	10 70
	Cushman & Plummer	Stationery & Books	2 40
	A. Ronner	Wagon Hire, conveying sick to Hospital	40 13
	Mrs. Johnson	Washing for Jail	1
	Eric Louchheim	Clothing & Blankets for Jail	24 27
	Camp, Douglas & Co.	Dry Goods for Jail	78
	Joseph Paulke	Work on Jail	7 13
	J. H. Kelly	Work in Jail	2
	Geo. E. Higgins	Medicines for Poor Farm	1 25
	Eric Louchheim	Clothing " " "	2 50
	A. Kelly	Groceries " " "	12 50
	do.	" " " "	56 24
	Titus Bros	" " " "	99 72
	Eastman & Goodfellow	Dry Goods " " "	13 35
	Janner Bros	Goods " " "	25 85
	Black & McBlure	Lumber " " "	35 40
	Wheaton, Reynolds & Co.	Goods " " "	20 40
	S. E. Foster	1 set Sleds " " "	4 80
	Jacob Rauen	Work & Material " " "	28
	G. F. Warner	Chair & Table " " "	310 50
	San, Heany	repairing saw " " "	43 00
			2

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Bills	A. Ende	Services for Counselor of Poor James Straus	9886	31
allowed.	J. W. Kelly	Work at Court House	6	10
	James Bros	Goods for and work at Court House	4	
	E. P. Enstad	" " " " " " " "	27	80
	Folds & Griffith	" " " " " " " "	28	45
	A. Livingston	Goods for Court House	73	48
	Charles Dumbley	" " " " " " " "	3	45
	Minneapolis Gas Co.	Gas. " " " " Jail	39	20
			50	69
				54

Report of the
Com. on Claims
accepted and
ordered placed
on file.

The question was on the adoption of the report, and the roll being called, there were four yeas and no nays as follows:
Those who voted in the affirmative were
Commissioners, Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman
And so the report was adopted.

The following communication was received and read

Communication
from
Gordon Jackson

To the Hon. Board of Co. Commissioners.
I hereby certify that I made an error in assessing
H. A. Tilton personal tax of \$800⁰⁰ of Harry Whortley \$864⁰⁰ and
of Frank Whortley \$198⁰⁰
(Signed) Gordon Jackson Assessor of
Town of Hassan,

Sworn and subscribed to before me
this 3^d day of March 1879
(Signed) J. S. McDermott
Co. Auditor.

Communication
laid on the
Table.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution
Resolved - That the communication of Gordon Jackson be
laid on the table.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were four yeas and no nays as follows:
Those who voted in the affirmative were,
Commissioners, Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman
And so the resolution was adopted.

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J. Connelly Superintendent of the Poor Farm submitted the following report for the month of Feb'y 1879.

To the Board of County Commissioners of Hennepin County-

Report of
Supt of
Poor Farm

Supt. Poor Farm respectfully submits herewith to your Hon. Body a statement for the month of February 1879.

Clothing	\$ 18.00	Groceries & Provisions	\$105.92
Boots & Shoes	20.00	Board & Ware	35.40
Dry Goods	11.95	Linning Supt	28.00
Bedding	13.90	Farm Help	20.00
Medicine	15.43	Girls Help	22
Kerosine	10.00		\$300.60

No. of Inmates Feb'y 1 st	62
Inmates received during the month	8
Total cared for during the month	70
Inmates discharged	4
" died	1
Total	5

Inmates on Farm Feb'y 28th 65

Respectfully submitted
J. Connelly

Poor Farm Feb'y 28th 1879.

Report of
Supt of
Poor Farm
accepted &
placed on file

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:

Resolved: That the report of J. Connelly Supt of the Poor Farm for Feb'y 1879 be accepted and placed on file.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were four yeas and no nays, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were
Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman
And so the resolution was adopted.

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The following communication was received and read from J. Connelly Supt. of the Poor Farm.

Hennepin County Farm
March 1st 1879

To the Hon. The Board of County Commissioners
Hennepin County
Gentlemen:

a.
communication
from
J. Connelly
Supt. of
Poor Farm.

You are aware of the large increase in the number of inmates at the County Farm, being now double that of any former year, of the number sick requiring constant nursing and care, and the consequent increase of the duties and labors of my office.

For these reasons and from the fact that my salary was reduced immediately, I received your appointment, I hereby respectfully request your Honorable body to increase the salary to a reasonable compensation for the amount of labor performed.

Very Respectfully
Signed J. Connelly

The
communication
from J. Connelly
placed on
file

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution
Resolved, That the communication of J. Connelly be laid on the table.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called, there were four ayes and no nays as follows:
Those who voted in the affirmative were
Commissioners, Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman
And so the resolution was adopted.

com. on Taxes
ask and are
granted
further time.

Commissioner Willson from the Committee on Taxes reported that the committee desired further time to examine into the applications for abatements.

The question was on the adoption of the report, and the roll being called, there were three ayes and one nay.
Those who voted in the affirmative were
Commissioners Palmer, Ward & Willson
Those who voted in the negative were
Commissioner Gleason
And so the report was adopted and further time granted.

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Report of
Co. Physician
accepted and
placed on file.

Dr. F. A. Dunsmoor the County Physician made his report for the month of Feb'y, 1879, which was read and then Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution
Resolved, That the report of Dr. F. A. Dunsmoor, County Physician be accepted and placed on file.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were four ayes and no nays as follows
Those who voted in the affirmative were
Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman.
And so the resolution was adopted.

H. L. Poor's
Application
for abatement.

H. L. Poor made an application for an abatement of the interest and penalty on the taxes of 1871 on the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 14 Township 119 Range 21

H. L. Poor's
Application for
abatement
referred to
Co. atty.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution,

Resolved, That the application of H. L. Poor for an abatement be referred to the County Attorney.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were four yeas and no nays, as follows.
Those who voted in the affirmative were
Commissioners, Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman.
And so the resolution was adopted.

Bills of
Dr. E. S. Kelly
and
F. H. Barrer

The bill of Dr. E. S. Kelly for attendance on the family of C. H. Laird and the bill of F. H. Barrer for paid for janitor's services at the Judge of Probate's office having been referred to the County Attorney were returned by him disapproved

Bills of
Dr. E. S. Kelly
and
F. H. Barrer
rejected

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution
Resolved, That the bills of E. S. Kelly and F. H. Barrer be rejected

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were four yeas and no nays as follows

Those who voted in the affirmative were
Commissioners, Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman.
And so the resolution was adopted.

Adjourned

On motion the Board adjourned until Tuesday Mar. 4th 1879, at 10 o'clock A.M.

attest

J. D. McDaniel
Co. Auditor

M. H. Glavin
Clerk Board of Co. Comm.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Minneapolis. March 11th 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment and were called to order by the Chairman.

Roll Call,

Present - Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman
Absent - Commissioner, Shafer.

On motion of Commissioner Willson, Commissioner Palmer was directed to look after the poor of the Third Commissioner district during the illness of Commissioner Shafer.

Dr. A. J. Elliot presented a bill of Eleven dollars for medical attendance on Dr. Boston Hart and who was hurt while in the employ of Bardwell, Robinson & Co.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the bill of Dr. A. J. Elliot be allowed.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were three ayes, and no nays as follows:
Those who voted in the affirmative were
Commissioners Palmer, Ward & Willson
Commissioner Glenn voted in negative
and so the resolution was adopted.

A petition was received and read from S. Christian and others pledging Four Hundred and Sixty Dollars towards opening and improving the Northshore Road, so called between Wazata Mound City and asking the Board of County Commissioners to appropriate a like amount.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution

Resolved, that the prayer of the petitioners be granted and the sum of Four Hundred and Sixty Dollars be appropriated for opening and improving the Northshore Road, so called, between Wazata Mound City, the appropriation to be expended under the direction of the Committee on Roads & Bridges.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were four ayes and no nays as follows:
Those who voted in the affirmative were
Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman
and so the resolution was adopted.

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Woods & Babcock
bill for
defending
Co. Treas.

Frank Stocum, County Treasurer, presented the bill of Woods & Babcock amounting to Twenty-five Dollars for services defending the County Treasurer in the case of Evans vs. Frank Stocum County Treasurer.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution,

Woods & Babcock
bill of \$25⁰⁰
for defending
Frank Stocum
Co. Treas.
allowed.

Resolved, that the bill of Woods & Babcock amounting to Twenty-five Dollars for services defending County Treasurer in the case of Evans vs. County Treasurer be allowed.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were four ayes and no nays, as follows:
Those who voted in the affirmative were,

Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman
And so the resolution was adopted.

P. B. Borcoran
Bill

P. B. Borcoran presented a bill of Eighty-six ⁹⁴/₁₀₀ Dollars for wood furnished the County Jail from Dec. 30th 1878 to Jan. 31 1879.

P. B. Borcoran
bill of 86 ⁹⁴/₁₀₀ Dollars
for wood
allowed.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution,

Resolved, that the bill of P. B. Borcoran amounting to Eighty-six ⁹⁴/₁₀₀ Dollars for wood furnished the County Jail between Dec. 30th 1878 to Jan. 31 1879, be allowed.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were four ayes and no nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were,

Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman,
And so the resolution was adopted.

No more
City Prisoners
to be received
into the Co. Jail

Commissioner Glenn offered the following resolution,

Resolved, that the Committee on Court House and Jail be directed to notify the City Council that on and after April 1st 1879 no prisoners will be received into the County Jail for violation of City Ordinance, also that they be directed to notify the Sheriff of the action of this board.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were three ayes and one nay as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were

Commissioners Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman

Commissioner Palmer voted no

And so the resolution was adopted.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Minneapolis, March 1st 1879

Frank Stocum County Treasurer presented the following statement for the month of Feb'y. 1879

Treasurer's Office Hennepin County, Minnesota
Minneapolis, Minn., Mar. 1st 1879.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners:
Gentlemen:

The following statement, made in compliance with section 4, chapter 247, Special Laws of 1877 shows the amount of funds on deposit at this date:

First National Bank	\$ 21,054 26
Northwestern National Bank	19,108 46
Merchants National Bank	13,397 57
Security Bank of Minnesota	12,071 97
City Bank	14,197 73
Legion Bank	5,934 57
Hennepin County Savings Bank	6,891 34
In interest bearing certificate of deposits	29,526 24
	<u>122,192 14</u>

Respectfully Submitted

Signed, Frank Stocum
Treasurer Hennepin County.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution,

Resolved, That the statement of Frank Stocum County Treasurer for Feb'y. 1879 be accepted and placed on file.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were four ayes and no nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were
Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman,
And so the resolution was adopted.

On motion the Board took a recess until
2 O'clock P. M.

Attest

J. S. McDonald
Co. Auditor

W. H. Glenn
Chairman
Board of Co. Com.

Frank Stocum
Co. Treas
Monthly
Statement

Co. Treas
Statement
accepted
and ordered
placed on file

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Minneapolis March 4th 1879 2 O'clock P.M.

The Board of County Commissioners were called to order by the chairman.

Roll Call.

Present - Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman
Absent - Commissioner Schaefer.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution
Resolved, That the Committee on Poor Farm be and they are hereby instructed to perform all duties of said Committee during the month of March and report at the next meeting of the board.

Com. on Poor Farm
to perform all
necessary work

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were four ayes and no nays, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were
Commissioners, Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman.
And so the resolution was adopted.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the Committee on Court House and Jail be and they are hereby directed to perform all necessary committee work during the month of March and report at the next meeting of the board.

Com. on Court House
Jail to
perform all
necessary work

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were four ayes and no nays, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were
Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman.
And so the resolution was adopted.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution

Resolved, That the Committee on Claims are hereby directed to perform all work of said committee that may properly come before them, until the next meeting in April.

Com. on Claims
to perform all
necessary work

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were four ayes and no nays, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were,
Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman.
And so the resolution was adopted.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Minneapolis March 4th 1879

com. on Taxes
perform all
necessary work.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution.
Resolved, That the Committee on Taxes be and they
are hereby directed to perform all work that may properly
come before them until the next meeting in April.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and
the roll being called, there were four ayes and no nays
as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were,
Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman
And so the resolution was adopted.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the bill of J. H. Barner for Janitor
services at Judge of Probates office amounting to
Fifteen ⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars be allowed.

J. H. Barner's
Bill
allowed.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and
the roll being called, there were four ayes and no nays, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were
Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman,
And so the resolution was adopted.

The following communication was received and read,

To the Hon. the Board of Co. Court^{rs}

Gentlemen:

communication
from
J. J. Loovan
in relation to
an atlas.

The undersigned begs
leave to state that he is now preparing to publish a limited
number of maps of the County in atlas form, for the use of
County and Town Officers, and will not feel justified in
publishing any greater number than have been
subscribed for, and would therefore ask your Hon^{ble} Body
to designate by resolution such number as you may
need for such purpose, as the work is now in
process of completion, and it is absolutely necessary
to know the exact amount he will be
authorized to print, as he will print no extra
copies.

(Signed) J. J. Loovan

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Minneapolis Mar. 4 1879

Index to
Proceedings
of Co. Com.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution,
Resolved, That the Committee on Court House
and Jail together with the County Auditor be and
they are hereby authorized to employ some suit-
able person to make a complete Index to the Journal
of proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners
from the organization of the County up to and including
the year 1878.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution,
and the roll being called, there were four yeas and no
nays, as follows;

Those who voted in the affirmative were,
Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman,
And so the resolution was adopted.

Adjourned
to Mar. 10 1879.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution,
Resolved, That this Board adjourn until
Monday March 10th 1879, at 10 O'clock A. M.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution,
and the roll being called there were four yeas
and no nays, as follows;

Those who voted in the affirmative were
Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman,
And so the resolution was adopted.

Attest

J. S. McDonald
County Auditor

W. H. Glenn
Chairman of the Board
of County Commissioners.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Minneapolis March 10th 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the chairman.

Present - Commissioners Palmer, Ward, William ^{Wm.} Chairman (Allen)
Absent - Commissioner Schaefer.

The committee on Taxes having referred the several applications for abatement of taxes to the County Attorney, the same were returned with the following opinion.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of the County of Hennepin:

Gentlemen: - I herewith return to you the several applications for the abatement of taxes, which were referred to me for my opinion. The grounds upon which the applications are made are in some cases excessive valuation and in others that the applicant had no such personal property as that for which he is assessed.

These applications are all made upon the affidavit of the party assessed. The law provides that the County Commissioners or a majority of them, with the County Auditor, shall form a board for the equalization of the assessment of the property of the county, and shall meet for this purpose annually on the third Monday in July at the office of the County Auditor, and having each taken an oath fairly and impartially to perform their duties as members of such Board, they shall examine and compare the returns of the assessment of property of the several Towns or Districts of the County, and proceed to equalize the same so that each tract or lot of real property and each article or class of personal property shall be entered on the assessment list at its true and full value, &c. The Board may continue in session for this purpose for four weeks, but after final adjournment the County Commissioners have no power to change the assessed valuation of the property of any person or reduce the aggregate amount of the assessed valuation of the taxable value of the county.

Section 441, Tax Law of 1878.

You will see by this that the law provides that any person feeling himself aggrieved, either on account of excessive valuation, or that he owned no such property, has a full opportunity to be heard before this Board of equalization, which is fully authorized to make all necessary corrections, and that after the adjournment of the Board the Commissioners have no authority whatever to abate a tax by

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changing the valuation of the property.

Section 119 of the tax law of 1878 provides that the Auditor of the State shall prescribe the form of all blanks and books required under the provisions of this act, and that he shall hear and determine all matters of grievance relating to taxation on account of excessive valuation of property, or for other causes when submitted to him, with a statement of facts in the case, and favorable recommendation of the Commissioners and Auditor of the county in which the property is situated. The form of the blank furnished you by the State Auditor requires you, among other things, to certify to the truthfulness of the statements contained in the applications. Now while you cannot, after you have adjourned as a Board of Equalization, change the assessed valuation of property, you may, under the section last referred to recommend to the State Auditor a reduction in value of the property assessed, or any other grievances that a party may have relating to his taxes, but this duty ought to be carefully and judiciously performed. It must be remembered that an assessor is an officer sworn to perform his duties according to law, and as it is a presumption that every officer does his duty, it ought to be presumed in all these cases, until the contrary is made to clearly appear to you, that the assessor has done his duty, and then in assessing property has done so at its cash value. I am aware that cases may and do arise, where property is, through the fault or mistake of some one, assessed for much more than its proper value, and where these facts are made to clearly appear to you it is no doubt your duty to clearly state the case to the State Auditor for his action. It will be for you, then to determine in each of these applications whether the proof presented is such that it overcomes the presumption existing in favor of the Assessor, and so clearly satisfies you that the property was assessed for more than its true value that you can certify to the State Auditor that the statements made in the applications are true.

It should be remembered that if you err on the side of sustaining the assessment as made by the Assessor, and refuse to recommend an abatement, that the person aggrieved may have his remedy in court, where all the facts can be ascertained; but if, on the other hand, you make a recommendation which ought not to have been made, and the Auditor passed upon it, the taxes abated and paid, that the State has no remedy.

Respectfully,

(Signed) W. E. Hale
County Attorney.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Minneapolis, March 10th 1879 Continued.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:

Resolved: That the communication of the County Attorney be accepted and placed on file.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were four yeas and no nays, as follows:
Yeas - Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman - 4
Nays - none.

And so the resolution was adopted.

Applications
for abatements
rejected.

Commissioner Willson from the committee on Taxes

Reported back the applications of the following parties for abatements of valuations of personal property for 1878, with the recommendation that the applications be not granted;

S. E. Ailer, Marshall, Bros. A. J. Brown, May & Co. officers,
Siegelbaum Bros. Winick & Dorrer, L. W. Pear, John L. Fisher & Co.,
P. J. E. Clementson, J. A. Newell & W. H. Chamberlain,

(Signed) H. Willson

Chairman Committee on Taxes.

The question was on the adoption of the report, and the roll being called, there were four yeas and no nays, as follows:

Yeas - Commissioners - Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman - 4
Nays - none

And so the report was adopted.

Commissioner Stern offered the following resolution:

Resolved: That the official proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of Hennepin County be and are hereby ordered published in the Minneapolis Tribune, a daily newspaper, and in the Hennepin County Mirror, a weekly newspaper, both printed and published in the city of Minneapolis in said County, during the year 1879, and until otherwise ordered, providing that the compensation to be paid therefor shall not exceed the sum of forty cents per week for each and every insertion in each of said newspapers.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were four yeas and no nays, as follows:
Yeas - Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman, - 4
Nays - none

And so the resolution was adopted.

Minneapolis
Tribune
&
Hennepin
County Mirror
declared the
official papers

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Minneapolis, March 10th 1879 Continued

Commissioner Palmer from the Committee on Claims, reported the following bills as correct, and recommended that they be allowed;

Commissioners
bills for July 1879
allowed
also L. R. Palmer
Co. Physician
A. J. Smith
for Woods

M. W. Glenn, for Commissioners services	\$39.60
L. R. Palmer, " " "	48.80
Horace Willson, " " "	23.50
L. H. Ward, " " "	46.60
Jacob Schaefer, " " "	43.60
L. R. Palmer, " for money advanced on account of paupers.	7.00
A. J. Smith, Wood for Probate Court.	9.00

H. A. Dunsmeor, County Physician for February 1879 271.70

The question was on the Adoption of the report, and the roll being called, there were four yeas, and no nays, as follows;

Yeas - Commissioners Palmer Ward, Willson and Mr. Chairman - 4
Nays - none.

And so the report was adopted.

Petition of
Eli Merrill
and others for
the change of
a highway.

A petition signed by Eli Merrill and others for the vacation and change of a portion of the county road connecting the Minneapolis and Monticello with the Watertown road, (so that the same shall run as follows; from a point in the centre of Section 6, Township 29, Range 44, northeasterly to a point in front of Alfred Parker's barn about 32 rods southeasterly of the point where the said cross road now intersects the Minneapolis and Monticello road, and passing through the lands of Alfred Parker.) was received and read.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution;

Resolved, that the petition be accepted and a committee appointed to meet at the house of Alfred Parker, in the Town of Crystal Lake, on Friday March 14th 1879, at ten O'clock A. M. to consider the proposed vacation and change.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were three yeas and one nay, as follows;

Yeas - Commissioners Ward, Willson and Mr. Chairman. - 3
Nays - Commissioner Palmer - 1

And so the resolution was adopted.

Committee on the
petition of Eli Merrill
and others

The Chairman appointed the following committee under the last above resolution; Commissioners Ward, Willson and Schaefer,

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Minneapolis March 10th 1879 Continued.

Remonstrance
against granting
petition of
Eli Morell & others

A remonstrance against granting the petition of Eli Morell and others, for vacation and change of road, signed by John Beatty and others, and alleging that such proposed change would greatly incommode the traveling public, was received and referred to the committee last above named.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:

Resolved: That an order be made for the location of a road in the towns of Brooklyn and Champlin, in accordance with report of committee on petition of A. J. Smith and others adopted Feb. 3rd 1879.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were four yeas and no nays as follows:
Yeas - Commissioners Palmer, Ward, William and Mr. Schumann 4
Nays - none

And so the resolution was adopted, and the order made as follows:

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Hennepin }

Order locating
Champlin and
Brooklyn Road.

At a meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of said County, held Feb. 3rd 1879, a copy of the report of the Committee appointed by us at our last session, to examine the road hereinafter named, having been duly returned, by which said report it appears that the said Committee met at the time and place designated in our order of appointment and examined the highway proposed to be located, viz:
(Beginning at a point on the north and south quarter section line of Section 19, Town 120 range 21 town of Champlin, 33.09 chains north of quarter-section post on south side of said section 19, thence running southeasterly and intersecting line between sections 29 and 30, town 120, Range 21, 24.90^(chains) north of quarter-section post on said line; thence south on line between sections 29 and 30, and 31 and 32, Town 120, Range 21, Town of Champlin and sections 5, and 6, and 7 and 8 Town 119, Range 21, Town of Brooklyn to the corner of sections 7, 8, 17 and 18 town 119 range 21, thence east on line between sections 8 and 17 town 119, range 21, to the line dividing the east half and west half of the west half of said section 17, thence south on the eighth-section line across sections 17, 20 and north half of section 29, Town 119 Range 21, Town of Brooklyn) and recommend that the prayer of the petitioners for location of said

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Highway be granted; and bring of the opinion that the public interest would be promoted by the location of said Highway and that the building of said road would be of sufficient advantage of the County to warrant the paying of damage hereinafter assessed, we do hereby order and determine that the prayer of said petitioners be granted and that a Highway be and is hereby located according to the description above given, which is hereby declared to be a public highway and the Auditor is hereby directed to notify the Supervisors of the several towns through which such highway is located that they cause so much of said highway as lies in their respective towns to be opened without delay.

We have assessed the damages sustained by reason of the location of said road to the lands over which the same passes and to the owners thereof, as follows:

O. S. Miller \$100.00 A. W. Filer .10 Bennett Willey \$25.00
 * C. Hartkoff \$100.00 * M. Wishaar \$50.00 * R. Zimmerman \$50.00
 * F. Chandler \$100.00 and all others along the line of said road ten cents each.

Given under my hands this 10th day of March A.D. 1879.

[S.]

(Signed) M. W. Glenn

Attest

Chairman Board of County Commissioners

J. S. McDonald

County Auditor

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution,

Resolved, that the Committee on Court House and Jail are hereby directed to take immediate action looking to the enlargement of the County jail and putting the same in condition for the proper keeping of prisoners, and in order that said Committee may have the benefit of the experience of the most successful builders of jails they are authorized to visit such places as they may deem to be the best interest of the County; said committee also to have plans and specifications made for said proposed enlargement and report the same to this board at the earliest practicable date.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were three yeas and one nay, as follows,

Yeas - Commissioners Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman - 3

Nays - Commissioner Palmer - 1

And so the resolution was adopted.

Enlargement
of Jail

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Minneapolis. Mar. 10 1879 concluded

The following communication from the County Commissioners of Anoka County was received and read,

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Anoka }

To the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Hennepin, State of Minnesota:

You are hereby notified that Samuel W. Haskell, who has gained a residence and settlement in your county, to which he belongs, is in the City of Anoka, in said county of Anoka, and is supported at the expense of the said county of Anoka. You are therefore required to provide for his relief and support.

March 3, 1879,

Anoka, Minn.

Attest

(signed) H. E. Leppner

County Auditor, Anoka County, Minnesota.

(Signed) John Bunker } Board
" L. F. Woodbury } of County
" J. C. Smith } Commissioners
for Anoka
County, Minn.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution,

Resolved - That the communication be referred to Commissioner Ward for investigation, a report to be made at the next meeting of the Board.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were four yeas and no nays, as follows:
Yeas - Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Wilson and Mr. Chairman - 4
Nays - none

And so the resolution was adopted.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution

Resolved, That the Board of County Commissioners do now adjourn.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called, there were 4 yeas and no nays, as follows:
Yeas, Commissioner Palmer, Ward, Wilson and Mr. Chairman - 4
Nays - none

And so the resolution was adopted.

Attest

H. S. McDonald

County Auditor

W. H. Lester
Chairman of the Board
of County Commissioners

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Minneapolis March 18th 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to law and were called to order by the chairman.

Present - Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson ^{and} Mr. Chairman (Allen)
Absent - Commissioner Shaefer

The Auditor laid before the board the Financial Statement of Hennepin County for the fiscal year ending Feb. 28th 1879

The Financial Statement having been read through by the Auditor

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:
Resolved, that the Financial Statement of Hennepin County for the fiscal year ending Feb. 28th 1879, as presented by the Auditor be accepted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called, there were 3 yea and no nays, as follows:
Yea - Commissioners Palmer, Ward ^{and} Willson - 3.

Nays - none.

And so the resolution was adopted.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:
Resolved - that the Financial Statement be referred to the committee on printing, to consolidate as they may think proper, and have published.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were 3 yea and no nays, as follows:

Yea - Commissioners Palmer, Ward ^{and} Willson - 3

Nays - none

And so the resolution was adopted.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution.

Resolved, that the Board now receive and consider bids for publishing the Delinquent Tax List of Hennepin County for the year 1878

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were 4 yea and no nays, as follows:

Yea - Commissioners - Palmer, Ward, Willson ^{and} Mr. Chairman - 4

Nays - none.

And so the resolution was adopted.

Financial
Statement
for 1878

Financial
Statement
ordered printed

Resolution to
receive bids for
printing Delinquent
Tax List for 1878

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Minneapolis, March 18th 1879 Continued

The following bid was received

Minneapolis, Minn. March 18th 1879.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of
Hennepin County, Minn.

Gentlemen,

We the undersigned
hereby agree to publish the delinquent tax list of Hennepin
County for the current year according to law, in the The
Tribune a daily paper published in the City of Minneapolis,
Minn. for the sum of twelve (12) cents per rack and every
description.

Very Respectfully

(Signed) The Minneapolis Tribune Co.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That, there being no offer submitted for the
printing of the delinquent tax list for the year 1878, than that
of the Minneapolis Tribune Company, for printing of said tax
list in the Minneapolis Tribune a daily paper printed,
published and of general circulation in the County of
Hennepin, State of Minnesota, at the rate of twelve (12)
cents for rack and every description, said bid is hereby
accepted and The Minneapolis Tribune is designated as
the paper in which said tax list shall be published.

Resolved further - that the bond to be furnished
for the proper publication of said list shall be fixed at
One thousand Dollars (\$1000).

The question was upon the adoption of the resolution, and
the roll being called, there were 4 yeas and no nays, as follows:
Yeas - Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson and Mr. Chairman - 4
Nays - none

And so the resolution was adopted.

The Tribune Company agree at the request of the Commissioners
to give the tax list one insertion in the Harmon Union
and Weekly Tribune in addition to the bid for the daily.

The Chairman laid before the board the lease from Edwin Reddely for rooms for the use of the County Superintendent of Schools over the Drug Store No. 245 Hennepin Avenue.

Lease of
rooms for use
of County
Supt of Schools

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution,
Resolved, That the lease of rooms from Edwin Reddely over the Drug Store No. 245, Hennepin Avenue for the use of the County Superintendent of Schools, be and is hereby approved, and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners be directed to sign the same.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called, there were 4 yeas and no nays, as follows:
Yeas - Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson and Mr. Chairman - 4
Nays - none

And so the resolution was adopted.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:

All Laws
relating to or
applicable to
Hennepin Co.,
ordered published.

Resolved, That the special laws passed by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota, during the session of 1879, relating to or applicable in Hennepin County, be and they are hereby ordered printed and published in the Minneapolis Tribune and Hennepin County Mirror.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were 4 yeas and no nays, as follows:
Yeas - Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson and Mr. Chairman - 4
Nays - none

And so the resolution was adopted.

Bond of
Minneapolis Tribune

The Minneapolis Tribune Company presented their bond in the sum of One Thousand Dollars, with Charles Robinson and Frank J. Storking as sureties for the faithful performance of their work in printing the delinquent tax list of Hennepin County for the year 1878.

Bond of The
Minneapolis
Tribune
approved.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the board of Commissioners hereby accept the bond of the Minneapolis Tribune conditioned upon the proper performance of the advertising of the delinquent tax list for 1878 according to law and the designation of the board, and the same is hereby approved and ordered filed.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were 4 yeas and no nays, as follows:

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.
 Minneapolis, March 18th 1879 Concluded

Yea - Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Willson and Mr. Chairman - 4
 Nay - none,

And so the resolution was adopted.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution,

Resolved, That this board do now adjourn.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were 3 yea and no nay, as follows:

Yea - Commissioners, Palmer, Ward and Willson - 3
 Nays - none,

And so the resolution was adopted.

Attest

F. S. McDermott
 County Auditor

Wm H. Glenn
 Chairman of the Board of
 County Commissioners

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Monday April 7th

1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to law and were called to order by the chairman.

Present - Commissioners Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson
and Mr. Chairman (Klein)

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

Petition of
Stephen L. Whitbeck
and others

Stephen L. Whitbeck and others presented a petition for the change of a highway in the Towns of Bloomington and Richfield

Committee to
meet at
Mr. Duggan's

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that the petition of Stephen L. Whitbeck and others be accepted and a committee be appointed to meet at the house of William Duggan in the Town of Richfield on Monday April 14th 1879 at 10 O'clock A.M.

Committee

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were 4 yeas and no nays, as follows:

Yeas - Commissioners Palmer, Schaefer, Ward and Willson
And so the resolution was adopted.

Committee
on Petition

The chairman appointed Commissioners Ward, Willson and Schaefer in compliance with the above resolution

Commissioner Palmer from the committee on claims reported the following bills as correct and recommended that they be allowed:

Bills allowed

J. Lang	Hoods furnished the poor
do	do
E. A. Harmon & Co.	do
do	do
L. Jacobson	do
do	do
do	do
Mathias Kees	do
do	do
Dennis Kealey	do
do	do
M. L. Gilbert	do
do	do
do	do

Dolls	cts.
✓ 6	✓
✓ 4	✓
✓ 15	✓
✓ 12	✓
✓ 5	✓
✓ 9	✓
✓ 31	50 ✓
✓ 31	✓
✓ 24	✓
✓ 7	✓
✓ 9	✓
✓ 4	✓
✓ 5	✓
✓ 5	✓

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Monday April 7th 1879 Continued.

Bills allowed,				\$		cb
	J. P. Reeve	goods furnished the poor		✓	10	✓
	do	do		✓	11	✓
	O. Peterson	do		✓	4	✓
	do	do		✓	11	✓
	do	do		✓	3	50 ✓
	Hanson Bros.	do		✓	6	50 ✓
	do	do		✓	9	50 ✓
	John H. Olson	do		✓	4	✓
	P. B. Corcoran	do		✓	7	✓
	Wm. J. Kelley	do		✓	4	✓
	L. Vonwack	do		✓	58	25 ✓
	Ch. Drmmler	do		✓	13	✓
	J. E. Furber	do		✓	8	✓
	Judson, Curtis & Co.	do		✓	5	✓
	J. A. Larson	do		✓	6	✓
	Lewis Sundberg	do		✓	5	✓
	L. Anderson	do		✓	50	25 ✓
	R. Klentkenberg	do		✓	2	50 ✓
	J. W. Field	do		✓	12	5 ✓
	W. H. Lauderdale	do		✓	1	✓
	J. Boher	do		✓	3	✓
	Wingate & Co.	do		✓	16	✓
	A. B. Wild	do		✓	16	50 ✓
	Sidney Smith	do		✓	18	25 ✓
	Jacob Martin	do		✓	22	✓
	Andrew Thavalan	do		✓	70	✓
	John Nechtman	do		✓	8	✓
	W. D. Brunner	do		✓	8	✓
	L. W. Lasher	do		✓	3	✓
	John Thilen	do		✓	29	✓
	Solau Armstrong	do		✓	5	✓
	Merley Mill	do		✓	10	✓
	A. W. Guitton	do		✓	8	✓
	H. D. Blood	do		✓	5	✓
	Mrs. P. Wringart	do		✓	13	✓
	F. P. Lowell	do		✓	48	✓
	John Hayes	do		✓	22	✓
	A. M. Vanstrum	do		✓	16	✓
	J. E. Huber	do		✓	230	40 ✓
	Thilen & Guething	do		✓	25	50 ✓
	Alex. Erb	do		✓	21	✓
	Sandberg Bros	do		✓	20	50 ✓

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1879 Continued.

Bills allowed		\$	c
E. V. Smith Jr.	Goods furnished the Poor	✓	2
W. W. Hoarves	do.	✓	22
J. E. Smith	do	✓	2
Edd. Harris	do.	✓	65
A. L. Haugan	do.	✓	525
J. D. Hank	Wood furnished the Poor	✓	452
do.	do	✓	41
A. D. Mueford	do	✓	49
J. L. Price Ho	do	✓	53
W. W. Lockwood	do	✓	112
Morse & Rowe	do	✓	8
L. H. Steward	do	✓	377
Emery Worthingham	do.	✓	127
Mrs. M. E. Thorn	Board and care of Richardson Child	✓	10
North Star Holten Mill	Blankets for Poor	✓	5-
S. R. Palmer	Paid fare of Mrs. Sarah Peary & child to Maine	✓	20
Martin Layman	Graves for dead poor	✓	46
H. J. Warner	Undertaker's services	✓	26
G. F. Vail Ho	do	✓	45
A. Dale	Conveying sick poor to Cottage Hospital	✓	5-
E. Hamlin	" " Conveyed good to depot for poor sent east	✓	17
A. Dale	Conveying sick poor to Cottage Hospital	✓	5-
N. Ronner	do.	✓	1
D. B. Mattison	do.	✓	1
Farmy Bros	Hardware for Poor Farm	✓	671
Chalmers Williams	do.	✓	28
Farmy, Brooks & Eastman	do.	✓	642
Charles McLain	Feeding at Poor Farm	✓	24
Anthony Kelley	Goods for Poor Farm	✓	848
Fetus Bros.	do.	✓	77
Wm. Erickson	Washing machine & cloth Bars for Poor Farm	✓	116
Laraway & King	Road Scraper for Poor Farm	✓	8
T. Connolly	Goods for Poor Farm	✓	400
do	Paid help at Poor Farm	✓	42
Young Patterson Ho.	Medicines for Poor Farm	✓	28
Westmoreland Gas Co.	Gas for Jail	✓	66
do.	" " Court House	✓	185
do.	" " Judge of Probate's office	✓	10
D. H. Baker	Seying on road in Bristol Lake	✓	8
Davidson & Ball	Printing	✓	95
Wilcox, Demond & Walsh	do	✓	55
Ed. A. Stevens	do	✓	9
Whitman O'Brien	Grave for dead poor	✓	6

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Monday April 7th 1879 Continued.

all allowed,	William Marison	moving County Superintendents Office	✓	5	✓
	A. D. Mulford	Wood for " " "	✓	6 50	✓
	E. J. Woodham	repairing chairs for Auditors Office	✓	3 50	✓
	W ^m Anderson	Transporting body of Ed. Knight from Brooklyn to Minneapolis	✓	5	✓
	Folds & Griffith	Matting for County Superintendents Office	✓	35 88	✓
	Chelpe & Bradstreet	Chairs " " "	✓	15	✓
	Bean, Wales & Co.	Drawing paper for Co. Surveyor	✓	18 50	✓
	Lushman & Plummer	Stationery	✓	29 07	✓
	Mrs. Johnson	Washing for Jail	✓	25 14	✓
	Smith & Scribner	Hardware " "	✓	3 64	✓
	Thomas H. Foster	Work at Court House	✓	96 82	✓
	O. A. Pray & Co.	Material work on Jail	✓	5 41	✓
	do	do	✓	8 28	✓
	Geo. Huhn & Co.	Sponges for Court House	✓	90	✓
	E. A. Grassie	Blacksmithing for Poor Farm	✓	18 25	✓
	A. J. Smith	Barriages to take Grand Jury to Poor Farm	✓	12	✓
	Lawet & Reid	Gas fixtures at Court House	✓	13 58	✓
	Pray & Carpenter	Goods for Poor Farm	✓	10 60	✓
	Joseph Schlenberg	Boarding Blue Shack & family	✓	28 00	✓
	A. J. Rodgers	Letter Press Stand & Register Hole Desk for Auditors Office	✓	28 63	✓
	John Ryan	Wood for Court House Jail	✓	16 25	✓
	Michael Barry	do	✓	16 71	✓
	Jacob Schaefer	services as County Commissioner	✓	3 40	✓
	L. R. Palmer	do	✓	28 40	✓
	do	do	✓	42 60	✓
	L. H. Ward	do	✓	59 60	✓
	H. Nelson	do	✓	53 60	✓
	M. W. Islem	do	✓	34 60	✓
	Daniel Fish	Witness in Justice Court	✓	1 84	✓

The question was on the adoption of the report, and the roll being called, the report was unanimously adopted.

H. J. Stess presented a bill of \$33⁰⁰ for boarding E. E. Brown a poor person.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, that the bill of H. J. Stess be allowed.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were 2 yeas & 3 nays, as follows:
Yeas - Commissioner Palmer & Mr. Chairman - 2
Nays - do. Ward, Nelson & Schaefer - 3
And so the resolution was rejected.

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Monday April 7

1879 Continued.

\$500⁰⁰ for clerk
Judge of Probate

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that the sum of Five Hundred Dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to the Judge of Probate of the County of Hennepin for clerk hire for the year ending March 31st 1880 the same to be paid quarterly upon the warrant of the County Auditor of said County.

The question was upon the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were 4 yeas and no nays, as follows:

Yeas - Commissioners Schaefer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman & Not-voting Commissioner Palmer - 1

Petition from
R. P. Russell &
L. L. Garney

A Communication was received from R. P. Russell & L. L. Garney proposing to raise \$500 by private subscription for the purpose of work on the Minneapolis & Shakopee Road in the Town of Minneapolis and asking the County Commissioners to appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars to be expended on said road.

\$500, appropriated
for Minneapolis
& Shakopee Road

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that the sum of Five Hundred Dollars be and is hereby appropriated for repairs on the Minneapolis & Shakopee Road in the Town of Minneapolis, to be expended under the direction of the Committee on Roads & Bridges.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were 4 yeas and 1 nay, as follows:

Yeas - Commissioners Schaefer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman & Nay - Commissioner Palmer - 1

And so the resolution was adopted.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that there be appropriated, on the County road leading from Minneapolis, south, known as the Chicago Avenue Extension, for the purpose of cutting down a hill on said road known as "Stanchfield's Hill", the sum of Two Hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) or so much thereof as may be equalled by an appropriation from the Town of Richfield, said appropriation to be expended under the direction of the Commissioners of the fifth (5) district.

The roll being called there were 5 yeas and no nays as follows.

All the Commissioners voting in the affirmative and so the resolution was adopted.

On motion the Board took a recess until 2 O'clock P. M.

\$250, appropriated
for "Stanchfield's
Hill" on extension
of Chicago Ave.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Monday April 7th 1879 *Continued.*

The Board convened at 2 O'clock P. M. and were called to order by the Chairman. all the members present.

Isaac Atwater made an application for the refunding of taxes paid on \$2000 valuation on part of Lot 5 & 6 Sec. 17 Town 29 Range 23 for 1876 & 1877 on account of clerical error in assessment roll.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution,
Resolved, that the application of Isaac Atwater be granted.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called all the Commissioners voted no except Palmer who voted yes. and so the resolution was not adopted.

J. J. Gurly made an application for an abatement of \$287⁰⁰ valuation on 1⁶⁴ acres of land in Sec. 17, Town 29 Range 24 for 1878 on acct of excessive valuation.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution,
Resolved, that the application of J. J. Gurly be not granted.
And the roll being called the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Robert H. Broadbent made application for an abatement of \$3350 valuation on Lot 4 Block 103 Town of Minneapolis for 1878, on acct. of excessive valuation.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution,
Resolved, that the application of Robert H. Broadbent be not granted.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called all the Commissioners voted yes except Com. Schaefer who voted no, and so the resolution was adopted.

Samuel T. Ferguson made application for an abatement of \$11,282 on 4³⁴ acres of land in Sec. 34 Town 29 Range 24 for 1878, on acct of excessive valuation.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution,
Resolved, that the application of Samuel T. Ferguson be not granted.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called there were 3 yeas and 2 nays as follows:
Yeas - Commissioners Palmer, Ward and Mr. Chairman 3
Nays do Schaefer and Willson - 2
And so the resolution was adopted.

J. A. Deussmer, County Physician presented his report for Mar. 1879.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution,
Resolved, that the report of the County Physician be accepted and placed on file.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution, the roll being called it was unanimously adopted.

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Minneapolis April 7th 1879 Continued.

Mrs. E. M. Paxton
application for
abatement
rejected

Mrs. E. M. Paxton made application for an abatement of \$713 valuation on 5 acres of land in Sec. 2 Town 28 Range 24 for 1878, on acct. of excessive valuation.
Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the application of Mrs. E. M. Paxton be not granted.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called all the members voted yea except Com. Schaefer who voted no, And so the resolution was adopted.

Marshall Brox
application for an
abatement
granted

Marshall Brox made application for an abatement of \$1500 valuation of personal property assessment for 1878, on account of excessive valuation.
Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the application of Marshall Brox be granted.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were 3 yeas and 2 nays as follows:
Yea - Commissioners Palmer, Schaefer and Ward - 3
Nay - do Willson and Mr. Chairman - 2
And so the resolution was adopted.

Valentine Emrick
application for
an abatement,
granted.

Valentine Emrick made application for an abatement of \$400⁰⁰ valuation of Lot 10 Block 52 St. Anthony Falls for 1878 on account of house being burned.
Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the application of Valentine Emrick be granted.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called the resolution was unanimously adopted.

S. E. Boverdale
application for
an abatement
granted.

S. E. Boverdale made application for an abatement of \$400⁰⁰ valuation of Lot 1 Block 11 Jackson, Daniel Whitney Addition for 1878 on account of house having been burned.
Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the application of S. E. Boverdale be granted.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Homer B. Potter
application for
an abatement
rejected

Homer B. Potter made application for an abatement of \$483⁰⁰ valuation of Lot 5 Block 8 on account of there being no frame on lot.
Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the application of Homer B. Potter be not granted.
The question was upon the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the resolution was unanimously adopted.

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Monday April 7th 1879 Continued.

S. E. Ariler made an application for an abatement of \$370 valuation on a Piano for 1878, because he had not piano worth assessing.

S. Ariler's
application for
an abatement
rejected

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, that the application of S. E. Ariler be not granted.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called all the members voted yes except Commissioner Schaefer who voted no and so the resolution was adopted.

J. Schaefer's
application for
an abatement
granted.

J. Schaefer made application for an abatement of \$2217⁰⁰ valuation on land in Sec. 26 Town 29 Range 24 for 1878 on acct of excessive valuation.
Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, that the application of J. Schaefer be granted.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were 3 yeas and 1 nay, as follows:
Yeas - Commissioners, Palmer, Ward and Willson - 3
Nays - do. Mr. Schaeffer 1
Not Voting " Schaefer - 1
and so the resolution was adopted.

H. A. Filton's
application for
an abatement
granted.

H. A. Filton made application for an abatement of \$800⁰⁰ valuation of personal property assessment for 1878 on account of an erroneous assessment.
Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution;
Resolved, that the application of H. A. Filton be granted.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the resolution was unanimously adopted.

C. Treasurer
notifies the
Board that
the Rev. is
drawn \$2853

A communication was received from Frank Stocum County Treasurer, notifying the board that at the close of business on April 5-1879, the County Revenue Fund was overdrawn \$2853.72.
Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, that the communication of the County Treasurer be accepted and placed on file.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the resolution was unanimously adopted.

C. Treas.
statement of
funds on
deposit
April 2 1879

Frank Stocum County Treasurer submitted his monthly statement of funds on deposit on April 2nd 1879 amounting to \$24,048.54.
Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution;
Resolved, that the statement of the County Treasurer be accepted and placed on file.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was unanimously adopted.

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Monday April 7th 1879 concluded.

Overseer of
Poor Farm
Report for
March 1879.

Terrence Connelly, Overseer of the Poor Farm presented his report for the month of March 1879.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the report of the Overseer of the Poor Farm be accepted and placed on file.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was unanimously adopted.

Improvement
of
Hulls Narrows

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the Chairman to look into the matter of making an appropriation to improve "Hulls Narrows" in accordance with the Act of the Legislature approved Feb. 25th 1879.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was unanimously adopted.

Committee

The Chairman appointed as such Committee Commissioners Ward, Willson and Schaeffer.

Communication
from County
Attorney.

A communication was received from the County Attorney in reference to the bill of the County Physician and the powers of the Commissioners in the matter.

Order placed on file.

Adjourned

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That this Board do now adjourn until Tuesday April 8th 1879, at 10 O'clock A.M.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was unanimously adopted and the Board adjourned.

Attest

F. S. McDonald
County Auditor.

W. H. Lerner
Chairman of the Board of
County Commissioners

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Tuesday April 8th 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment and were called to order by the Chairman.

Present- Commissioners- Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson and Mr. Chairman (Henne)

The following bills having been referred to the County Attorney by the Committee on Claims were returned by him approved,

atty
sent on
all

G. W. Smith	Justice Fee	5 35
D. L. Hunt,	do	3 55
P. Nelson	Coroner's Fee	19 40
J. D. Rich	Deputy " "	5 40
O. S. Gates	Constables "	7 65
Ed. A. Stevens	Publishing Official Proceedings Mar. 1879	126 00
do	" " Digest of Proceedings prior to Mar. 1879	154 80
Minneapolis Tribune Co.	" " Proceedings of Co. Com. " " "	26 40
do.	" " " " " " Special Law	307 60

all allowed

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the following bills be allowed.

G. W. Smith	Justice Fee	5 35
D. L. Hunt	do	3 55
P. Nelson	Coroner's Fee	19 40
J. D. Rich	Deputy " "	5 40
O. S. Gates	Constables	7 65
J. A. Humphreys	County Physician for March 1879	240 90
Ed. A. Stevens	Publishing Official Proceedings March 1879	\$ 126 00
do	" " Digest of " prior to Mar. 15-1879	\$ 154 80
Minneapolis Tribune Co.	" " Proceedings " " " "	\$ 26 40
do	" " " " " " " " Special Law	\$ 307 60
August Ryde	Board of Poor " 6 30 and Board of Overseers of Poor " 9 25	15 95

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was unanimously adopted.

atty
sent on bills

The following bills having been referred to the County Attorney by the Committee on Claims, were returned by him with the recommendation that the following amounts be allowed, viz:

J. A. Holmstrom	Fee as clerk of the Court	\$ 259 60
W. R. Thompson	Sheriff's Fee	\$ 28 80
do.	Boarding Prisoners	\$ 243 00
P. Nelson	Coroner's Fee	14 80
do	do	16 00

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Tuesday April 8th 1879 Continued,

Bills allowed

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the bills of J. A. Holberton, A. R. Thompson ^{and} P. Nelson be allowed as recommended by the County Attorney. The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was unanimously adopted.

Bills allowed

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following bills be allowed,

J. S. McDmela Consolidating Financial Statement of 1878 25

J. N. Richardson Goods furnished the Poor 10

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were 4 yeas ^{and} 1 nay as follows:

Yeas - Commissioners Palmer, Schaefer, Ward ^{and} Willson. 4

Nays Mr. Chairman. 1

and so the resolution was adopted.

Vote of Minnesota on License

The Auditor notified the board that he had received official notice that the Town of Minnetonka had voted no license at the election held March 11th 1879

Salary of the Overseer of Poor Farm fixed at

\$1000 per annum.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the salary of the Overseer of the Poor Farm be fixed at One Thousand dollars per annum from April 1st 1879.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was unanimously adopted.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:

Resolved,

An appropriation of \$100, for a poor contingent fund,

That there be an appropriation of One Hundred Dollars made by this Board as a contingent fund, money to be drawn by either of the Commissioners by an order drawn upon the County Auditor, to send poor persons to poor farm, or out of the State when it is for the interest of the County to do so.

The question was upon the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were 3 yeas and 2 nays, as follows:

Yeas, Commissioners Palmer, Schaefer ^{and} Mr. Chairman 3Nays do Ward ^{and} Willson 2

and so the resolution was adopted.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Tuesday April 8th 1879 Continued.

Committee to
perform all
necessary
Committee Work

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the several committees of this Board be and are hereby authorized to perform all necessary Committee Work.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was unanimously adopted.

Auditor
requested to
direct proceedings
writing up
records.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the County Auditor be and is hereby requested to reduce and consolidate the proceedings of this board as much as possible in writing up the records.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was unanimously adopted.

Wrigel & Knulbut
ask for \$700⁰⁰
Crown River
bridge

A communication was received from Wrigel & Knulbut asking for an appropriation of \$700⁰⁰ for work building a bridge across Crown River at Saylar.

Committee on
Wrigel & Knulbut
application.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the application of Wrigel & Knulbut be referred to a special committee of three, the Chairman of the board to be one of that Committee.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was unanimously adopted.

The chairman appointed as the balance of the above committee Commissioners Ward and Willson.

An appropriation
of \$200⁰⁰ as
contingent fund
for Committee
C. W. & J. A.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the sum of Two Hundred Dollars be and is hereby appropriated, as a contingent fund for the use of the Committee on Court House and Jail in the matter of procuring plans and specifications. etc. in accordance with resolution of this board passed March 10th 1879, and recorded on page 58 of Journal of proceedings of the current year.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were 3 yeas and 2 nays, as follows:

Yeas - Commissioners Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman 3
Nays - do Schaefer & Mr. Palmer 2
and so the resolution was adopted.

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Tuesday April 8th

1879 concluded,

Joshua Thompson's
application for
an abatement
granted.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution,
Resolved, That the application of Joshua Thompson
for an abatement of \$6699 valuation of personal property
for 1878 be granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and
the roll being called all the members voted yes except the
Chairman who voted no, and so the resolution was adopted.

Report of
Committee on
petition to change
Highway in
Cryстал Lake

Commissioner Ward from the Committee appointed March 10th 1879
upon the Petition of Alfred Parker and others for the change
of a highway in the Town of Crystal Lake made a report
and recommended that the prayer of the petitioners be rejected.

Report adopted.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the report of the committee be adopted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll
being called it was unanimously adopted.

Adjourned.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That this board do now adjourn until
Wednesday April 9th 1879, at 10 O'clock A. M.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and
the roll being called, it was unanimously adopted and the board
adjourned.

Attest

F. S. McDaniel
County Auditor.

W. H. Glenn
Chairman of the Board of
County Commissioners.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Wednesday April 9th 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Chairman.

Present - Commissioners Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson Mr. Chairman

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that the application of Josiah Thompson Jr. for an abatement of \$9530 valuation of personal property for 1878 be abated, according to the recommendation of the Co. Atty.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were 2 yeas and 3 nays as follows;

Yeas - Commissioners Palmer ^{and} Willson - 2
Nays - do. Schaefer Ward ^{and} Mr. Chairman 3.
And so the resolution was lost.

L. W. Potter ^{and} Co. presented a bill of \$166⁵⁰ for safe for Judge of Probate, putting same in position and moving safe for County Treasurer.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that the bill of L. W. Potter & Co. be allowed.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was unanimously adopted.

The County Attorney requested that the vote whereby the bill of the Minneapolis Tribune Co. amounting to \$307⁰⁰ was allowed on Tuesday April 8th 1879 be reconsidered and the bill referred back to him.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that the vote allowing the bill of the Minneapolis Tribune Company amounting to \$307⁰⁰ on Tuesday April 8th 1879 be reconsidered and the bill referred to the County Attorney.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was unanimously adopted.

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Wednesday April 9th 1879 Continued,

Dr. J. A. Dunsmeor
bills for 1878
as Co. Physician
allowed,

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the following bills be allowed,

Dr. J. A. Dunsmeor, Doctor, Sprague & Co for Co. Physician

25.03

do

" " " " " "

8.25

do

" " " " " "

29.38

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was unanimously adopted.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution,

Resolved, That the following named persons be placed upon the petit jury list for the current year,

List of names
for petit
jury

H. L. Beizer, S. M. Laird, Edwin W. Reddy, E. H. Bond,
William Wheeler, Thomas Mack, Frank Wertenbach, J. H. Derrdolf,
Cornelius Linscham, James Mulvihill, William Moffit,
Charles Gidpatrick, Charles Hoag, F. E. Willson, Moses Ray,
Isaac Dobb, S. Paulsen, John Schuler, A. J. Smith, Thomas
Wickward, Josiah Moore, Geo. B. Bradbury, John Gaines,
Theodore Harris and And. Godfrey

The question was upon the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was unanimously adopted.

Commissioner J. Schafer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That on and after the first day of May 1879 the compensation of the County Physician of Hennepin County be fixed at the rate of one hundred fifty dollars per month, this is understood to be in full for all services which he is required by law to perform, including Medicines. The County Auditor is hereby instructed to notify said Physician of this resolution, and he shall notify his acceptance of the same on or before the 20th day of April 1879.

Resolution fixing
salary of
Co. Physician
at \$150 per mo.

Resolution lost

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were 2 yeas and 3 nays, as follows:
Yeas - Commissioners - Palmer & Schafer - 2
Nays - do. Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman - 3
And so the resolution was lost

The Board took a recess until 2 O' clock P.M.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Wednesday April 1879 Continued.

The Board was called to order at 2 O'clock P. M. by the Chairman. All the members present.

A communication was received from the County Treasurer notifying the board that he had received \$396¹⁷/₄ interest on deposits for the year ending July 28 1879, and that he had placed \$764¹⁷/₄ to the credit of the County Revenue and had paid the City Treasurer \$3200⁰⁰.

Communication above placed on file.

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That on the first day of each month the County Physician is required to have new orders to visit the sick from the Commissioner in whose district the patient lies, and if anything besides medicines is needed to have the Commissioner give orders for same.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were 2 yeas and 3 nays, as follows:
Yeas - Commissioners Palmer and Schaefer - 2
Nays - do Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman - 3
And so the resolution was lost.

Commissioner Stern offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the compensation of the County Physician with further orders for all visits in the city - shall be as follows: one hundred visits or less in any one month at 80 cts per visit; one hundred to one hundred and fifty - 70 cts per visit; and all over one hundred and fifty - 50 cts per visit; and all bills for medicines shall be paid by the County Physician.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were 3 yeas and 2 nays as follows:
Yeas - Commissioners, Palmer, Schaefer & Mr. Chairman - 3
Nays - Commissioners Ward and Willson - 2
And so the resolution was adopted.

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Wednesday April 9 1879 Concluded.

\$600⁰⁰ appropriated
for the
"Minneapolis and
Monticello Road
in Crystal Lake"

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution,
Resolved, That the sum of Six Hundred Dollars
be and is hereby appropriated, to be expended on the
"Minneapolis and Monticello Road in the Town of Crystal
Lake, the money to be expended under the direction
and paid by order of the Committee on Roads & Bridges.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and
the roll being called, there were 3 yeas and 2 nays, as follows:
Yea - Commissioners Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman 3
Nay - do. Palmer & Schaefer 2
And so the resolution was adopted.

Adjourned.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That this Board do now adjourn.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll
being called it was unanimously adopted and board adjourned.

Alex D

F. S. McDermott

County Auditor.

M. H. Glenn
Chairman of the Board of
County Commissioners

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Minneapolis Monday May 5th 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to law and were called to order by the Chairman.

Present - Commissioners Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman (Ward)

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

Charles Schiebr presented the County Treasurer's receipt for \$50⁰⁰ and a bond for One thousand dollars with Carl Schiebr & Engelhard Becker as sureties and asked for a license to sell liquors at the Farmers House in the Town of Plymouth.

liquor license to
Charles Schiebr

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution;

Resolved, that the bond of Charles Schiebr be approved and a license granted him.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called all the members voted yes except Commissioner Palmer who voted no, and so the resolution was adopted.

Albert Lewis presented the County Treasurer's receipt for \$50⁰⁰ and a bond for One thousand dollars with James F. Brown & Stephen Blosson as sureties; and asked for a license to sell liquors at Dayton in the Town of Dayton.

liquor license to
Albert Lewis

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution;

Resolved, that the bond of Albert Lewis be approved and a license granted him.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called all the members voted yes except Commissioner Palmer who voted no, and so the resolution was adopted.

Appropriation
\$75⁰⁰
Schultz Hill

Commissioner Ward from the Committee on Roads & Bridges reported back the petition of the Supervisors of the Town of Minnetonka asking for an appropriation of \$75⁰⁰ for work on Schuttz Hill in said town, with the recommendation that the appropriation be made as asked for.

The question was on the adoption of the report, and the roll being called, the report was unanimously adopted and the appropriation of \$75⁰⁰ made.

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Minneapolis Monday May 5th

1879 continued.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:

Resolved,

That the vote whereby the Board of County Commissioners allowed the bill of A. J. Smith - April 7 1879 amounting to \$12.⁰⁰ for conveying Grand Jury to Poor Farm be reconsidered.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was unanimously adopted.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:

Resolved. That the bill of A. J. Smith amounting to \$12.⁰⁰ for conveying Grand Jury to poor farm be disallowed.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was unanimously adopted.

The County Treasurer laid before the board notices from the State Treasurer, that the State Auditor drafts to the amount of \$353.⁵³ had been placed in his hands for collection on account of books furnished by D. D. Merrill School Text Book contractor.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the County Auditor be and is hereby directed to draw an order on the County Treasurer for the sum of \$353.⁵³ in payment of School Text Books.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called, the resolution was unanimously adopted.

J. A. Dunsmon, County Physician, presented his report for the month of April 1879 which was read.

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the report of the County Physician be referred to the County Attorney.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was unanimously adopted.

The County Attorney returned the bill of the Minneapolis Tribune Company referred to him at the last meeting, with the recommendation that the sum of Two Hundred Dollars and eighty cents be allowed.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the bill of the Minneapolis Tribune Company be allowed as recommended by the County Attorney.

Vote allowing
bill of A. J. Smith
reconsidered

Bill of
A. J. Smith
disallowed

Warrant for
Text Books

County Physicians
report for
April 1879.

Bill of
Minneapolis
Tribune Co.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Minneapolis, Monday May 5th 1879 Continued.

all of
Minneapolis
Tribune Co.
failed in part,

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were four yea and one nay, as follows:
Yea - Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Schaefer and Willson - 4
Nay - Commissioner Glenn, - 1
And so the resolution was adopted.

On motion the board took a recess until 2 O'clock P. M.

At 2 O'clock P. M. the board was called to order by the Chairman, all the members present.

Prof. S. F. Peckham presented a bill for services as expert witness before the coroners inquest held over the bodies of the persons killed at the Mill explosion on May 2^d 1879 amounting to \$64⁰⁰

S. F. Peckham
bill ordered
paid.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the bill of Prof. S. F. Peckham be allowed and paid in accordance with an act of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota entitled An Act, to authorize the County Commissioners of Hennepin County to audit and pay the claims of S. F. Peckham and S. H. Peck, approved March 8th 1879.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was unanimously adopted.

all approved by
County Attorney
& allowed.

The following bills having been referred to the County Attorney by the Committee on Claims were returned by him approved

Minneapolis Tribune Company	Printing proceedings of County Commissioners	\$32.80 ✓
do	" Blank Books	128.50 ✓
Peter Nelson	Fees as County Coroner	32.00 ✓
N. R. Thompson	" " Sheriff	26.20 ✓
Charles Robinson	Making List of Mortgages	75.00 ✓
Ed. A. Stevens	Printing proceedings of County Commissioners	32.80 ✓
do	" Special Laws	86.00 ✓
do	" Notice of Teachers Examinations	3.20 ✓
H. A. Filton	Fees as Justice of the Peace	7.00
George M. Clafford	Witness in Justice Court	1.26
Charles F. Inance	do	1.36
Charles S. Mabury	do	1.36
F. A. Dunsmoor	Medical Supplies furnished the Poor	48.88 ✓

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Winnipeg Monday May 5th 1879 Continued.

Bills allowed.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution,
 Resolved, That the following bills be allowed, they having
 been approved by the County Attorney:

Winnipeg Tribune Company	printing proceedings of County Commissioners	\$32.80
do.	" " Blanks & Books	128.50
Petrus Nelson	Fee as County Coroner	32
A. R. Thompson	" " Sheriff	26.20
Charles Robinson	Making list of Mortgages	75
Ed. A. Stevens	printing proceedings of County Commissioners	32.80
do.	" Special Laws	86
do.	" Notice of Teachers Examination	32
H. A. Tilton	Fee as Justice of the Peace	75
George W. Stafford	Witness in Justice Court	12
Charles T. France	do	12
Charles G. Mabury	do	12
D. J. A. Dunsmead	Medical supplies furnished the poor	48.80

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll
 being called the same was unanimously adopted.

Liquor license

to
Joseph Schmitz

Joseph Schmitz presented the County Treasurers Receipt for \$50⁰⁰
 and a bond for One Thousand Dollars with John Orth and Carl Piper as
 sureties, and asked for a license to sell liquors at Long Lake in
 the Town of Meridia.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution,

Resolved, That the bond of Joseph Schmitz be approved and
 a license granted him.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being
 called the members all voted yes except Commissioner Palmer who
 voted no, and so the resolution was adopted.

Liquor License to
Casper Harsburg

Casper Harsburg presented the County Treasurers receipt for \$50⁰⁰ and a bond
 for One Thousand Dollars with John Orth and Gottlieb Gleyke as sureties, and
 asked for a license to sell liquors in the Town of St. Anthony.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution,

Resolved, That the bond of Casper Harsburg be approved and a
 license granted him.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll
 being called, all the members voted yes except Commissioner Palmer
 who voted no, and so the resolution was adopted.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.
Winnipeg Monday May 5th 1879 Continued.

an appropriation
\$95.00 for
Winnipeg and
Waterbury Road
Plymouth

A communication was received from J. M. Parker and others asking for an appropriation of \$95.00 for repairs on the Winnipeg and Waterbury Road in the Town of Plymouth the petitioners pledging a like amount.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That an appropriation of ninety-five dollars be made for repairs on the Winnipeg and Waterbury Road in the Town of Plymouth the citizens to subscribe a like amount.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called there were four yeas and one no as follows
Yeas - Commissioners Palmer, Schafer, Ward and Willson &
No. - Mr. Leachman.
And so the resolution was adopted.

Report of
Lannelly
super of
Poor Farm

F. Lannelly Overseer of the Poor Farm presented his report for month of April 1879

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the report of the Overseer of the Poor Farm be accepted and ordered placed on file.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called all the members voted yeas except the chairman who voted no and so the resolution was adopted.

County Treasurer
monthly
statement.

Frank Stocum County Treasurer presented his monthly report of funds on deposit May 1st 1879.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the statement of the County Treasurer be accepted and placed on file.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

Bills allowed.

Commissioner Palmer from the Committee on Claims reported the following bills as correct and recommended that they be allowed.

Name of claimant	For what purpose	Amount
William Field	Goods furnished the Poor	30
do	do	18
Charles H. Anderson	do	56.75

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Winnipeg Monday May 5th 1879 continued.

Bills allowed,		Goods furnished the Poor	Dollars	cts
Mrs. M. Weber			41	
do.		do	53	
Andrew Tharalson		do	26	50
Peteren Bros		do	29	
A. J. Haudgan		do	27	50
D. R. Wagner		do	6	
E. P. Lowell		do	28	
Peterson Bros		do	58	
Mathias Keme		do	15	
A. M. Vanstrum		do	33	
do.		do	12	50
John Hergon		do	5	
Moore Bros		do	15	
John A. Berg		do	17	
Mela Bros		do	12	
A. H. Guntson		do	7	
Mary Lraky		do	4	
J. Lang		do	3	50
Thomas Foster		do	3	50
H. A. Bennett		do	6	
M. L. Hilbert		do	5	50
Frank Stevens		do	2	
Charles Schendel		do	12	
Ergelbaum Bros		do	5	
J. Drmles		do	11	
E. A. Harmon & Co.		do	21	50
May Carpenter		do	12	
W. E. Kelly		do	3	
E. P. Howell		do	12	50
C. W. Dasher		do	10	
do		do	3	
Walter Lewis		do	4	50
John Thielen		do	44	
Sidney Smith		do	10	
J. A. Richardson		do	10	
John A. Larson		do	5	
John Hager		do	10	
Benny Drake		do	10	
do		do	10	
J. P. Reers		do	18	
J. L. Higgins		do	25	25
Ellen Kemy	Boarding M. Fish	do	16	

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 Minneapolis Monday May 5th 1879. Continued.

			Dollars	Cts.
to allowed,	O. L. Merrill	Goods furnished the Poor	13	75 ✓
	J. H. Kubar	do	121	20 ✓
	Wauers & Davis	do	4	50 ✓
	George W. Surin	Wood furnished the Poor	23	✓
	J. B. Lane	do	4	✓
	R. P. Lupton	do	9	50 ✓
	G. W. Steward	do	6	25 ✓
	Northwestern Fuel Co.	do	36	✓
	A. D. Mulford	do	12	75 ✓
	Alpheus Dale	Conveying sick poor to Cottage Hospital	3	✓
	A. Renner	do	2	✓
	Mrs. E. Thorn	Board and care of the Richardson child April 1879	10	✓
	Elizabeth Mett	" " " " Emory Sapary from Wisconsin	20	✓
	L. Clauson	" " " " John Anderson	26	60 ✓
	G. F. Vail Co.	Undertaker services	30	✓
	Bruckman & Plummer	Stationery	40	22 ✓
	Beau Hols & Chute	do	57	62 ✓
	S. H. Baker	Surveying, platting & chaining Roads	46	50 ✓
	City of Minneapolis	Water for Court House & Jail from May 1 st to Nov. 1 st 1879	53	✓
	L. Day & Sons	Lumber for Court House	6	90 ✓
	McBrelland Bros	Lamp Chimneys	60	✓
	Frank Stocum	Rubber Stamp & Expressage	5	50 ✓
	Jammy & Bros	Goods for Court House	6	40 ✓
	Jamie Ryan	Wood " " "	5	65 ✓
	John Molan	" " Jail	12	25 ✓
	Mrs. Johnson	Washing " "	39	68 ✓
	Russell & Bartlett	Rent of stove pipe for Asa. Supt of School	2	50 ✓
	R. P. Lupton	Wood " " " " "	2	40 ✓
	Levi Lockheim	Goods for Poor Farm	19	50 ✓
	Goodfellow & Eastman	do	21	53 ✓
	Jammy Bros.	do	16	85 ✓
	Fitts Bros	do	9	45 ✓
	Wauers & Davis	do	23	65 ✓
	Anthony Kelly & Co	do	28	✓
	Jacob Rauen	Work at Poor Farm	12	50 ✓
	E. H. Steele	Goods for " "	5	50 ✓
	Cottage Hospital	Board and care of sick poor	14	75 ✓
	do	do	153	00 ✓
	E. H. Robinson	Goods furnished the poor	7	✓
	Dr. J. A. Dunsen	Services as Asa. Physician April 1879	22	15 ✓
	M. W. Glenn	Services as County Commissioner	21	✓
	Jacob Schaefer	do	62	50 ✓

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Minneapolis, Monday May 5th 1879 Continued

Bills allowed,

L. R. Palmer	Services as County Commissioner	\$58.20
E. H. Ward	do	64.00
H. Willson	do	90.00
Johnson, Smith & Harrison	Printing & Books	180.00

The question was on the adoption of the report, and the roll being called, the report was adopted unanimously.

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the chairman appoint a committee of two whose duty it shall be to keep a correct account with the Cottage Hospital, so no person be admitted from the county unless the committee is informed when the patient is admitted and when discharged and that Cottage Hospital be informed of the action of this board.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

The chairman appointed as such committee Commissioners Schaefer and Palmer.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the vote whereby the board rejected the application of Josiah Thompson Jr for an abatement at the last meeting be reconsidered.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were 3 yeas and 2 nays as follows:

Yeas - Commissioners Palmer, Ward and Willson, 3
Nays - Commissioner Schaefer and Mr. Chairman - 2
And so the resolution was adopted.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the application of Josiah Thompson Jr. for an abatement of \$9530 personal property valuation on account of mortgage erroneously assessed, be abated granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were 3 yeas and 2 nays, as follows:

Yeas - Commissioners Palmer, Ward and Willson 3
Nays - do Schaefer and Mr. Chairman - 2
And so the resolution was adopted, and abatement granted.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Minneapolis, Monday May 6th 1879 Concluded.

nt of Co. Atty on
to referred to him

The following bills having been referred to the County Attorney by the Committee on Claims were returned by him with the recommendation that the following amounts be allowed,

A. R. Thompson	Boarding Prisoners	\$ 237.67	✓
do.	Fee as Sheriff	57.00	✓
do.	do.	70.85	✓
J. D. Rich	Fee as Deputy County Coroner	6.65	✓

to allowed as
recommended by the
County Attorney

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, that the bills of A. R. Thompson and J. D. Rich be allowed as recommended by the County Attorney.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

Commissioner Palmer from the Committee on Claims reported the following bills as correct and recommended that they be allowed,

to allowed.

John Hechtman	Woods furnished the Poor	6.00	✓
C. H. Bour	do	6.00	✓
O. B. Corcoran	do	14.00	✓
O. P. Ruess	do	5.00	✓
L. Saranen	do	5.00	✓
L. M. Storrey	do	3.00	✓
Fred. Schmidt	Woods for Court House & Jail	10.08	✓
C. H. Perrine	2 Pkgs. 1 for 2 Dril Quat for 5 Dril	46.00	✓
Joseph Schulenburg	Board and care of Thomas Murphy & Peter Jeltman	23.00	✓
A. Erb	Woods furnished the Poor	24.00	✓
August Ende	Board of Poor	2.75	✓
L. Saranen	Harness and repairs of harnesses at the Poor Farm	38.25	✓
J. H. May	Woods for Poor Farm	34.45	✓
H. S. Higgins	Medicines for Poor at Poor Farm	12.45	✓

The question was on the adoption of the report and the roll being called the report was adopted unanimously.

adjournment

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, that this board do now adjourn until Tuesday May 6th 1879 at 10 O'clock A. M.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously and the board adjourned.

Attest

J. S. McDaniel
County Auditor

M. W. Glenn
Chairman of the Board of
County Commissioners

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Minneapolis Tuesday May 6th

1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment and were called to order by the chairman.

Present - Commissioners Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson ^{and Mr.}
Chairman. (Alone)

A. J. Myers presented the County Treasurer's receipt for \$50⁰⁰ and a bond for One Thousand Dollars with John Orth ^{and Mr. S. Spole} as sureties, and asked for a license to sell liquors at Long Lake in the Town of Wadena.

License to
A. J. Myers.

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that the bond of A. J. Myers be approved, and a license granted him.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were 3 yeas ^{and} 2 nays, as follows:

Yeas - Commissioners Schaefer, Ward ^{and Mr.} Chairman - 3

Nays - do Palmer ^{and} Willson - 2

And so the resolution was adopted, and license ordered granted.

An abatement of
\$250 to

P. J. Obust made an application for an abatement of \$250 valuation of Personal Property for 1878 on account of the assessment of a Piano, where he had none.

P. J. Obust

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that the application of P. J. Obust for an abatement be granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

The following bills having been referred to the County Attorney by the Committee on Claims were returned by him approved.

Ed. A. Stevens printing Financial Statement for 1878 \$164.80

N. R. Thompson committing prisoners & mileage 16.80

Bills approved by
County Attorney
and allowed.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that the following bills be allowed.

Ed. A. Stevens printing Financial Statement for 1878 \$164.80

N. R. Thompson committing prisoners & mileage 16.80

The question on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the resolution was adopted unanimously.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Tuesday May 6

1879 Continued.

The County Treasurer appeared before the board and asked for a burglar proof box for his safe.

Appropriation of
\$500 made to
a burglar proof
box for his safe.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That an appropriation of Two Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars be made for the purpose of paying for a burglar proof box for the safe in the County Treasurer's office, and that the Committee on County House and Jail be and are hereby instructed to procure said box.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

R. H. Broadbent made an application for an abatement of \$3150 valuation for 1878 on Lot 4 Block 103 Town of Minneapolis, on account of excessive valuation of house.

abatement of
\$30 valuation to
R. H. Broadbent.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the application of R. H. Broadbent for an abatement be granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

J. E. Osborn made an application for an abatement of \$2000 valuation for 1878 on 20 ft. front by 140 ft. deep of Lots 1 & 2 Block 53 Town of Minneapolis on account of excessive valuation on same.

abatement of
\$2000 made to
J. E. Osborn

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the application of J. E. Osborn for an abatement be granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called all the members voted yes except the Chairman who voted no, and so the resolution was adopted.

D. B. Knickerbocker made an application for an abatement of all taxes on Lots 8, 9 & 10 Block 212 Nelson's Addition for the years 1876, 1877 & 1878 on account of said lots being in possession of the Cottage Hospital.

D. B. Knickerbocker
application for an
abatement
made to the
Co. Atty.

On motion the application of D. B. Knickerbocker was referred to the County Attorney.

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1879 Continued

S. D. D. Reue made an application for an abatement of \$20.640 valuation of Personal Property for 1878 on account of a treble assessment

S. D. D. Reue's application for an abatement of \$20.640 valuation granted

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution;

Resolved, That the application of S. D. D. Reue for an abatement be granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the same was adopted unanimously.

The application of the Trustees of the Church of Kethrenane for an abatement rejected.

The Trustees of the Church of Kethrenane made an application for an abatement of the taxes on Lot 1 Block 94 Town of Minneapolis on account of said lot being occupied by a small building used for device services

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution;

Resolved, That the application of the Trustees of the Church of Kethrenane for an abatement be not granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called there were 3 yeas and 2 nays as follows:

Yeas - Commissioners Schaefer, Ward and Mr. Charnian - 3
Nays - do Palmer and Wilson - 2

And so the resolution was adopted.

The Application of S. H. W. L. Folsome for an abatement rejected.

S. H. W. L. Folsome made an application for an abatement of \$6650 valuation for 1878 on Lot 1 Block 89 Town of Minneapolis on account of an erroneous assessment.

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution;

Resolved, That the application of S. H. W. L. Folsome for an abatement be not granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the members all voted yeas except Commissioner Schaefer who voted no, and so the resolution was adopted.

The application of Peter J. Kinen for an abatement rejected.

Peter J. Kinen made an application for an abatement of \$47⁸⁸ cost, interest and penalties on the taxes of 1870, 1871 & 1872 on land in Sec. 21, Town 118 Range 22.

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution;

Resolved, That the application of Peter J. Kinen for an abatement be not granted.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Minneapolis Tuesday May 6th 1879 Continued

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called the same was adopted unanimously.

Johnas. B. Sheldon made an application for an abatement of the valuation of the north part of Lot 2 Sec. 34 Town 117 Range 23 on account of a double assessment, as he claimed.

Johnas. B. Sheldon's
application for an
abatement rejected

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution,
Resolved, That the application of Johnas. B. Sheldon for an abatement be not granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

Austin Hoban made an application for a reduction of valuation on the S¹/₂ S E¹/₄ Sec. 6 Town 118 Range 24 on account of an excessive valuation.

Austin Hoban's
application for an
abatement rejected

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution,
Resolved, That the application of Austin Hoban for an abatement be not granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

L. L. Book made an application for an abatement of valuation on the S W¹/₄ of Block 15th Snyder Co. 1st add on account of excessive valuation.

L. L. Book's
application for an
abatement rejected

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution,
Resolved, That the application of L. L. Book for an abatement be not granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

On motion the board took a recess until 2 O'clock P.M.

The Board was called to order at 2 O'clock P.M. by the Chairman.

All the members present.

E. W. Overlock's

E. W. Overlock made an application for a reduction of \$813 valuation on Lot 1 Block 6 J. S. Johnson's Addition on account of excessive valuation.

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Minneapolis Tuesday May 6 1879 Continued.

E. W. Overbeck's
application for an
abatement rejected.

Commissioner Schafer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the application of E. W. Overbeck for an
abatement be not granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the
roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

Ernestine Freitag
application for an
abatement rejected.

Ernestine Freitag made an application for a reduction of
\$1125 on the valuation of Block "A" Freitag Addition on
account of excessive valuation.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the application of Ernestine Freitag for an
abatement be not granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and
the roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

Thomas Kirkwood's
application for an
abatement rejected.

Thomas Kirkwood made an application for a reduction of
valuation of \$400 on E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 1 T 2 N 1 R 3 on account
of excessive valuation.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the application of Thomas Kirkwood for an
abatement be rejected.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the
roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

Petition of
Stephen L. Whitbeck
and others for
a highway
rejected.

Commissioner Ward from the Committee appointed April 7th 1879
upon the petition of Stephen L. Whitbeck and others for the location
of a highway, reported the same back with the recommenda-
tion that the prayer of the petitioners be not granted.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the report be adopted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the
roll being called, the report was adopted unanimously.

Report of the
Special Committee
on the claim of
Wrigel & Harbert.

Commissioner Ward from the Special Committee appointed at
the last meeting of the board, to whom was referred the application
of Wrigel & Harbert for an appropriation of seven hundred
dollars toward paying for their bridge across Crow River
at Dayton, reported that the Committee had examined into
the matter and would recommend that an appropriation

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action on
 amendments on
 report of the
 ad. Committee
 the claim of
 Wm. W. Hulbut

of Seven Hundred Dollars be made in accordance with
 an act entitled "An Act to authorize the County Commissioners
 of Hennepin County to pay for a bridge constructed across the
 Brow River between the Counties of Hennepin and Wright, approved
 March 5th 1879.

Commissioner Glenn moved to amend the report by making
 the sum appropriated Five Hundred Dollars.

The question was on the adoption of the motion to amend
 the report making the sum appropriated Five Hundred Dollars,
 and the roll being called, there was three yeas and two
 nays, as follows:

Yeas - Commissioners Palmer, Schaefer ^{and} Mr. Chairman - 3
 Nays - Commissioners Ward ^{and} Nelson - 2
 And so the amendment was adopted.

The question now recurred on the adoption of the report as
 amended and the roll being called there were two yeas
 and three nays, as follows:

Yeas - Commissioners Palmer ^{and} Schaefer - 2
 Nays - Commissioners Ward, Nelson ^{and} Mr. Chairman - 3
 And so the report was not adopted.

Commissioner Nelson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That an appropriation of Five Hundred and Fifty
 Dollars be made in full payment of the claim of
 Wm. W. Hulbut against Hennepin County in
 accordance with an act of the Legislature entitled
 "An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Hennepin
 County to pay for a bridge across the Brow River between
 Hennepin and Wright Counties" Approved Mar 5th 1879.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll
 being called, there were four yeas and one nay, as follows:

Yeas - Commissioners Palmer, Ward, Nelson ^{and} Mr. Chairman - 4
 Nays - Commissioner Schaefer - 1

And so the resolution was adopted.

an appropriation
 \$550, to
 pay the claim
 of Wm. W. Hulbut,
 for a bridge
 across the
 Brow River

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Minneapolis Tuesday May 6th

1879 Concluded.

County-
Commissioners
to meet on
roads in the
Town of St. Anthony

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the Board of County Commissioners meet
at the store of J. P. Reese in Minneapolis, east on Monday
May 12th 1879, at 10 O'clock A. M., for the purpose of viewing
two roads to be opened in the Town of St. Anthony in accordance
with an act of the Legislature entitled "An Act to provide for
the location of certain roads in the County of Hennepin,
Approved March 5th 1879.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the
roll being called, the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That this Board do now adjourn until
Monday May 19th 1879 at 10 O'clock A. M.

Adjourned.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and
the roll being called there were three yeas and two nays, as follows
Yeas - Commissioners Schafer, Ward and Willson - 3
Nays - Commissioner Palmer and Mr. Chairman - 2
And so the resolution was adopted and the board adjourned.

Attest,

F. S. McDowell
County Auditor.

W. H. Blum
Chairman of the Board of
County Commissioners.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Minneapolis May 19th 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Chairman.

Present - Commissioners Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman (Allen)

Albert Johnson
Application for
refunding
money paid
and taxes
rejected

Albert Johnson made an application for the refunding of money erroneously paid for taxes on the NW 1/4, NE 1/4, Sec. 28 Town 119 Range 23 for the years from 1868 to 1877 incl, with interest at 12 % per annum to date.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, that the application of Albert Johnson for refunding taxes paid on NW 1/4, NE 1/4 Sec 28 Town 119 Range 23 from 1868 to 1877 incl, with interest at the rate of 12 % per annum from date of payment, be not granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

See for
the office.

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the Committee on Court House & Jail supply the County Office with Sec.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

Mr. Milton Roberts
bill.

Mrs. Milton Roberts presented a bill of \$157⁰⁰ for board and care of William Wallace
Referred to the County Attorney.

Known
as to
refunded

W. G. O. Morrison on behalf of Darwin Morris asked the board to refund to Mr. Morris taxes paid by him on a certain mortgage.
Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

City Auditor base presented the following, which was laid on the table.

communication
from City -
Auditor base

Minneapolis, Minn, May 19th 1879

To the Hon. Board of County Commissioners.
of Hennepin County, Minn.
Gentlemen

So far as much as Mr. Dan Hart Auditor for the Town of Minneapolis and myself do not construe Sec. 8. of the Tax Laws alike, I have referred the matter to the City

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and County Attorneys and they both give it as their opinion that Companies or corporations whose principal business office is in the City, and their manufacturing are outside of the City, that they are taxable when their principal business office is - but Mr. Hoole suggested that the matter be referred to your Hon. Body as provided in Sec. 14 of said Tax Laws, so that no question could arise as to the proper place of taxing the Minneapolis Waterworks, the Monitor Gas Works and the Cedar Lake Ice Company and any other Companies, that may be similarly situated.

(Signed, S. W. Hoole)

Chairman Board of
Assessors City of Minneapolis

Michael Costello
application for
an abatement
granted.

Michael Costello made application for reduction of \$500 valuation on Ely 60 ft. of Lot 10 Block 11 in Wendeshall's subdivision of Blocks in Lot 9 and 10 as additions, on account of excessive assessment.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the application of Michael Costello for a reduction of valuation be granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

Commissioner Ward reported that Walter Chandler, a county charge, was understood to be heir to an interest in certain real estate recently sold under mortgage.

Walter Chandler
case referred
to the
Co. atty.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the County Attorney be requested to investigate as to the state of Walter Chandler a county charge, and take such action as may be necessary in the premises.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

Minneapolis Gas
Light Co.
application for
an abatement
granted.

The Minneapolis Gas Light Company made application for a reduction of \$3290 valuation on Lot 4 Block 2 Hoag and Birk addition on account of excessive assessment.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the application of the Minneapolis Gas Light

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Minneapolis, May 19th 1879 Continued.

Company for a reduction of valuation be granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

The Board took a recess until 3 O'clock P.M.

At 3 O'clock P.M., the Board was called to order by the Chairman all the members present.

John H. Linnon made application for a reduction of \$460 valuation of personal assessment for 1878

Application of
John H. Linnon
for an abatement
of valuation
granted

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the application of John H. Linnon for a reduction of valuation be granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were three yeas and two nays as follows:

Yeas - Commissioners Palmer, Schaefer and Mr. Richardson - 3

Nays - Commissioners Ward and Wilson - 2

And so the resolution was adopted.

Commissioner
Ward and
Auditors office
to be fixed up

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the Committee on Court House and Jail are hereby authorized and requested to have the Commissioners room and Auditors office refurnished, cleaned and put in good order.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called all the members voted yeas except Commissioner Linnon who voted no, and so the resolution was adopted.

Appropriation
of \$200⁰⁰
for Champlin
Brooklyn
Road.

A petition signed by August Persman and others residents of Brooklyn Township, ^{getting} for an appropriation of \$200⁰⁰ for work on the Brooklyn & Champlin Road, the petitioners pledging a like amount.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That an appropriation of Three Hundred dollars be made as asked for.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

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Minneapolis, May 19th 1879 concluded.

The Committee on Poor Farm submitted a plan for a grainery at the poor farm

Grainery at
Poor Farm

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the Committee on Poor Farm be and are
hereby directed to have a grainery built at the poor farm.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and
the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

Commissioner from
the First Dist
to view roads.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the Commissioner from the first district be and
is hereby authorized to look over the two proposed roads in
St. Anthony township in said district, he being absent from the
city when the proposed location was viewed by the Board.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the
roll being called, it was adopted all the members
voting yea except the Chairman who voted no.

More Wood
shed at
Poor Farm.

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the Committee on Poor Farm be and they
are hereby instructed to cause the wooden building now
situated west of the poor house, to be moved southeasterly
Twenty-five feet, (more or less).

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and
the roll being called, all the members voted yea
except Commissioner Willson who voted no, and
so the resolution was adopted.

Adjournment

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That this Board do now adjourn.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and
the roll being called it was adopted unanimous-
ly - and the Board adjourned.

Attest,

F. S. McDonald
County Auditor

W. M. Allen
Chairman of the Board
of County Commissioners
Minneapolis, Minn.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.
 Minneapolis Monday June 2^d 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to law and were called to order by the Chairman.

Present - Commissioners Palmer, Schafer, Ward, Willson
 and Mr. Chairman (Allen)

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

Application
 and
 statement of
 Rev. Thos. L. Grace

William Soehren on behalf of the Rev. Thos. L. Grace made application for an abatement of all taxes on Block 8 Bottineau's Addition, on account of the same being used for school and church purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

W. W. Mc Nair
 also an
 application for an
 abatement

W. W. Mc Nair made application for an abatement of \$680. valuation on 21 ft. by 22 ft. of Lot 14 Block 45 Town of Minneapolis, on account of an erroneous assessment.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Petition of
 W. Huntington
 others for
 Highway

A petition, signed by W. W. Huntington and others praying for the location of a highway commencing at the shore of Lake Wunnitka near the Southeast corner of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 10 Township 117 Range 23, thence running southw. into Sec. 15, thence westerly through sections 16 & 17 in same town and range until it intersects the northshore road, so called, was received and referred to the Committee on Roads & Bridges.

Appointment
 Committee
 petition of
 W. Huntington
 others

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the petition of W. W. Huntington and others, be accepted and a committee of three, consisting of Commissioners Ward, Willson and Schafer be appointed to meet at the house of Thomas Gillies in the Town of Medina on Monday June 9th 1879 at 12 O'clock M. to examine the proposed location.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called all the members voted yes except the chairman who voted no, and so the resolution was adopted.

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A petition signed by J. M. Peters and others praying for a change in the location of the Minneapolis and Monticello Road in the Town of Maple Lake was received and referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges.

Petition of
J. M. Peters
and others
for the change
in a Highway.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the petition of J. M. Peters and others be accepted and a committee of three consisting of Commissioners Ward, William A. Schaefer be appointed to meet at the house of C. Gleason in the Town of Maple Lake on Monday June 16th 1879 at 12 O'clock P.M. to examine the proposed change.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

Commissioner Palmer from the committee as before reported the following bills correct and recommended that they be allowed.

Bills allowed	In whose favor.	For what purpose	Amount	
			Doll.	cts
	E. S. Walker	Goods furnished the Poor.	3	
	W. W. Hawes.	do.	5	
	J. H. Huber.	do.	127	25
	A. M. Vanstrum.	do.	13	50
	M. L. Filbert	do.	5	
	J. L. Furber.	do.	5	
	Wesley Brill	do.	19	
	Ed. L. Farris	do.	5	
	Mrs. E. Hayes.	do.	11	
	A. H. Guitton	do.	11	
	A. L. Haugan	do.	34	50
	Wm. A. Doe.	do.	9	
	P. J. E. Clementson	do.	3	
	O. Peterson	do.	5	
	L. M. Johnson	do.	47	
	B. H. Plechner	do.	2	
	J. E. Smith	do.	2	
	John Brechtman	do.	6	
	John A. Larson	do.	6	
	John Thelen	do.	31	75
	Robert & Mc Nee	do.	2	

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Bills allowed,			Dolls.	Cts.	
S. W. Merlundy	Woods furnished the Poor		5		✓
John N. Berg	do.		13		✓
Sidney Smith	do.		4		✓
L. F. Sampson	do.		20		✓
John Hayes	do.		24		✓
Mrs. M. Weber	do.		27		✓
Hanson Bros.	do.		7	50	✓
W. D. Brunner	do.		10		✓
Mathias Kees	do.		7		✓
May Lashy	do.		3		✓
W. F. Kelly	do.		3		✓
L. Vanvoest	do.		105		✓
W. Peterson	do.		4		✓
P. W. Tobin	do.		5		✓
W. R. Wilson	do.		3	50	✓
L. Jacobson	do.		21	75	✓
Edward Robichau	Board and care of Thomas Galigan		6	50	✓
Mrs. M. E. Thorne	" " " " Richardson Child		10		✓
John Finnegan	" " " " Charles Fries		10		✓
John Schultenberg	" " " " Peter Lettrman		12		✓
do.	" " " " C. W. Smith		3	50	✓
Anna Barclay	" " " " Thomas May		9		✓
Margaret Miller	" " " " Thomas McNeill		12		✓
James Dugly	Woods furnished the Poor		3	75	✓
L. W. Stewart	do.		8	25	✓
Robert Pratt	do.		9		✓
Emery Worthingham	do.		3	75	✓
O. A. Fennings	do.		6	75	✓
Charles Russell	Removing sick poor to Cottage Hospital		2		✓
Alphus Dale	do.		4		✓
Cottage Hospital	Board and care of sick poor		139	60	✓
Whitmore O'Brien	Grass for poor		16		✓
Martin Layman	do.		46		✓
H. T. Vail & Co.	Midwifery services		62	50	✓
William Gleason	do.		21	50	✓
Anthony Kelly & Co.	Woods for Poor Farm		8	65	✓
J. H. Thompson	do.		26	60	✓
Saml. Rothchild	do.		17	75	✓
Janney Bros.	do.		7	60	✓
Harro Davis	do.		19	60	✓
George Erhardt	Break for Poor Farm		30	00	✓
E. O. Luicke	Mowing building at Poor Farm		75		✓

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Bills allowed			\$	cts.	
E. A. Braunsie	Blacksmithing for Poor Farm		11		✓
A. Stewart	Trus at Poor Farm		42		✓
Phillip Bergog	Fences at the Poor Farm		152	52	✓
Joseph Schulenberg	Scraper for Poor Farm		6		✓
N. R. Thompson	Meals for Juries		36		✓
Thomas G. Foster	Mark at Court House		7	25	✓
A. P. Anderson	Mark around Court House		5	75	✓
John Sjogren	do		4	50	✓
do	do		37	50	✓
L. O. Enslodt	Work at Court House		36	02	✓
L. W. Potter & Co	Repairing Treasurer's Safe		10		✓
J. B. Eckman	Writing Sent for Judge of Probate		33		✓
Adams Skinner	Paper Border for Court House		2	16	✓
Minneapolis Gas Light Co.	Gas for Court House		11	90	✓
do	" " Probate Office		35		✓
do	" " Jail		7	35	✓
E. S. Wilder	Hanging paper in Sheriff's residence		18	95	✓
Davidson & Wall	Printing		10		✓
Ed. A. Stevens	Publishing Official proceedings of Co. Com.		26		✓
Minneapolis Tribune Co.	Printing Books		143	90	✓
Cushman & Skinner	Stationery		45	85	✓
S. M. Williams	do		46	15	✓
J. L. Wilson & Son	Painting signs		12		✓
Charles Robinson	Making list of names of meatages		5		✓
Martin Burfening	Services as Constable		7	55	✓
R. A. Dunsen	" " Co. Physician May 1879		200		✓
S. H. Patton	" " Co. Surveyor do		70		✓
J. D. Rich	" " Dpty. Co. Coroner		19		✓
N. R. Thompson	Fees as Sheriff		183	45	✓
do	Boarding Prisoners May 1879		271	21	✓
Brau, Wals & Co.	Stationery		52	49	✓
W. L. Estlin	Medical supplies furnished Dr. Dunsen		27	75	✓
M. W. Kline	Services as County Commissioner		49	40	✓
L. R. Palmer	do		66	50	✓
Jacob Schaefer	do		64	30	✓
Horace Willson	do		87	80	✓
L. H. Ward,	do		84	10	35

The question was on the adoption of the report and the roll being called the report was unanimously adopted.

The Board took a recess until 3 O'clock P. M.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.
 Minneapolis Monday June 2nd 1879 Continued.

The Board of County Commissioners met at 3 O'clock P. M., and in the absence of the Chairman was called to order by Commissioner Palmer.

All the members present except the Chairman, Commissioner Kern,

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:
 Resolved that Commissioner Wilson be elected Chairman pro tem

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were three yeas and one no, as follows:

Yea - Commissioners - Palmer, Schaefer and Ward - 3
 No - do. Wilson - 1

And so the resolution was adopted, and Commissioner Wilson was declared elected.

Commissioner Palmer from the Committee on Claims reported the following bills correct and recommended that they be allowed:

Trans, Males & Co.	Woods for Court House	325
do	Stationery for poor farm	188
Jarney, Brooke & Eastmans	Woods for Poor Farm	622
do	" " Court House	208
do	shovels and axes for Roads.	925
Mrs. Johnson	Washing for Jail	28.43
Jarney Bros.	shovels for Roads	1280
do	Water cooler	550

The question was on the adoption of the report and the roll being called, all the members present voted yes, and so the report was adopted and the bills allowed.

Terrence Connolly Overseer of the Poor Farm presented his report for the month of May 1879.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:
 Resolved, That the report of the Overseer of the Poor Farm be accepted, and placed on file.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Dr. F. A. Dunsmeor County Physician presented his report for the month of May 1879.

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Report of
Co. Physician.

Commissioner Schafer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the report of the County Physician be accepted and placed on file.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

Charles Will
asked for a
license to
be a
legion in
Crystal Lake

Charles Will presented the receipt of the County Treasurer for \$ and a bond for One Thousand Dollars, with George H. H. and William Dahnke as sureties, and asked for a license to be a legion at the Crystal Lake House in the Town of Crystal Lake.
Referred to the County Attorney.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution.

\$600 Appropriated
for Poor Farm

Resolved, That there be and is hereby appropriated the sum of Six Hundred Dollars to be expended in building a milk house and granary and moving shed at Poor Farm.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

Co. Physician
not to give orders
on Winnipeg for
board of poor.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the County Physician is hereby instructed by this board not to give orders on Winnipeg County for board of paupers.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was unanimously adopted.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution.

Adjourned.

Resolved, That this Board do now adjourn until Friday June 6th 1879, at 10 o'clock A.M.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

Attest

J. S. McDonald
County Auditor.

M. H. Glenn

} County
Commissioner
Winnipeg

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Minneapolis, Friday June 6th 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Chairman.

Present. Commissioners Palmer, Schafer, Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman.

Application of
Felix Tiedt
for an abatement
granted

Commissioner Schafer from the Committee on Taxes reported back the application of Rev. Felix Tiedt for an abatement of the taxes on Block 8 Bottineau's Addition, with the recommendation that the abatement be made.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution,
Resolved, That the report be adopted.

The question was on the adoption of the report, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously and abatement made.

Application of
W. H. McKair
for an abatement
granted

Commissioner Schafer, from the Committee on Taxes, reported back the application of W. H. McKair for an abatement, with the recommendation that the abatement be made.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution,
Resolved, That the report be adopted.

The question was on the adoption of the report, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

Seigman's
Application for
abatement
denied

A. Seigman Trustee of the German Lutheran Church made an application for an abatement of the taxes of 1876, 1877 & 1878 on the Rear 65 ft. of Lot 10 Block 96 Minneapolis on account of the same being occupied by a church, school house and parsonage.
Application referred to the Committee on Taxes.

John Horrich's
Application for an
abatement
referred.

John Horrich made application for an abatement of \$2375⁰⁰ valuation of building assessed on Lots 7, 8, & 9 Block 14, Range 24, Township 28 North, Range 24 East, there being no house on the lots.
Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

H. F. Hauscome's
Application for an
abatement
referred.

H. F. Hauscome made application for an abatement of \$2825⁰⁰ valuation on Lot 1 Sec. 14, Township 28 Range 24 on account of an erroneous assessment.
Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

James H. Donaldson's
Application for an
abatement
referred.

James H. Donaldson made application for an abatement of \$125⁰⁰ valuation on personal property for 1878.
Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

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L. S. Book's
application for an
abatement
refused

L. S. Book made application for an abatement of \$1390⁰⁰ valuation on the SW 1/4 of Block 15 Snyder & Co. 1st addition
Refused to the Committee on Taxes.

Louis Peterson's
application for an
abatement

Louis Peterson made application for an abatement of \$500⁰⁰ valuation on Lot 7 Block "L" Tuttle's addition to St. Anthony.
Refused to the Committee on Taxes.

H. T. Miller et al
application for an
abatement

H. T. Miller and A. J. Rodgers made an application ^(an abatement of) for \$500⁰⁰ valuation on 32 ft. front near west to Lot 8 of Lot 9 Block 64, Minneapolis.
Refused to the Committee on Taxes.

C. B. Höffelfinger's
application for an
abatement

C. B. Höffelfinger made application ^(an abatement of) for \$1000⁰⁰ valuation of Lot 2 Block 84 Minneapolis.
Refused to the Committee on Taxes.

Oscar Linderkrantz's
application for an
abatement

John H. Eckman and others, Trustees of the Osseo, Linderkrantz made an application for an abatement of the taxes on Lots 1 & 2 Block 9 Village of Osseo for the years 1870 to 1878 inclusive.
Refused to the Committee on Taxes.

John Folson's
application for an
abatement

John Folson made application for an abatement of \$1775⁰⁰ valuation of the rear 25 ft. of Lots 6 & 7 Block 64 Minneapolis.
Refused to the Committee on Taxes.

Petition of
Fr. Gusmer & others
for an
appropriation

A petition signed by Fr. Gusmer and others asking for an appropriation of \$195⁰⁰ to be expended upon the Minneapolis and Concord Road, (so called) in the Town of Plymouth and to build a bridge over Baker's Creek on said road, the petitioners pledging a like amount in cash.

An appropriation
of \$196⁰⁰ for
Minneapolis
Concord Road
in Plymouth.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the sum of \$195⁰⁰ be and is truly appropriated to be expended on the Minneapolis and Concord Road in the Town of Plymouth provided the citizens expend a like amount.
The money to be expended in the direction of the Committee on Roads and Bridges.

The question was upon the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Winnipeg Friday June 6th 1879 Continued

Drigman's
application for an
abatement
granted.

Commissioner Schaefer from the Committee on Taxes reported back the application of A. Drigman Trustee, for an abatement, with the recommendation that the abatement be made.

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, that the report be adopted.

The question was on the adoption of the report, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

John Wierichs
application for an
abatement
granted.

Commissioner Schaefer from the Committee on Taxes reported back the application of John Wierichs for an abatement, with the recommendation that the application be granted.

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, that the report be adopted.

The question was on the adoption of the report, and the roll being called, the report was unanimously adopted.

John Folson's
application for
an abatement
granted.

Commissioner Schaefer from the Committee on Taxes, reported back the application of John Folson for an abatement without recommendation.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the application of John Folson for an abatement be not granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called the resolution was unanimously adopted.

A. L. Raud's
application for an
abatement
not on table

Commissioner Schaefer from the Committee on Taxes, reported back the application of A. L. Raud for an abatement of \$4380 valuation on the NE 1/4 of Block 3 Mattison Addition without recommendation.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the report be laid on the table.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was unanimously adopted.

B. Heffelfinger's
application for an
abatement
not granted.

Commissioner Schaefer from the Committee on Taxes reported back the application of B. Heffelfinger with the recommendation that the application be not granted.

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the report be adopted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

The Otto
Luederkrantz's
application for
an abatement
not granted

Commissioner Schafer from the Committee on Taxes, reported back the application of the Otto Luederkrantz for an abatement with the recommendation that it be not granted.

Commissioner Schafer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the report be adopted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were 6 yeas and 1 no as follows:

All the members voting yeas except Commissioner Ward who voted no, and so the resolution was adopted.

L. L. Cook's
application for
an abatement
not granted.

Commissioner Schafer from the Committee on Taxes reported back the application of L. L. Cook for an abatement, with the recommendation that the application be not granted.

Commissioner Schafer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the report be adopted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

H. T. Heller's
application for
an abatement
not granted

Commissioner Schafer from the Committee on Taxes, reported back the application of H. T. Heller and A. J. Rodgers for an abatement, with the recommendation that the abatement be not granted.

Commissioner Schafer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the report be adopted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

Lewis Peterson's
application for
an abatement
not granted

Commissioner Schafer from the Committee on Taxes reported back the application of Lewis Peterson for an abatement with the recommendation that the application be not granted.

Commissioner Schafer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the report be adopted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

J. H. Donaldson's
application for an
abatement
not granted.

Commissioner Schafer from the Committee on Taxes reported back the application of J. H. Donaldson for an abatement with the recommendation that the application be not granted.

Commissioner Schafer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the report be adopted.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.
 Minneapolis. Friday June 6th 1879 Continued.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

H. F. Brown made an application for an abatement of \$8000⁰⁰ valuation of buildings assessed on Lot 3 Block 218 Minneapolis when there were no building on said lot, and to have refunded to him \$182⁴⁰ tax paid on said \$8000⁰⁰ for the year 1878.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:
 Resolved, That the County Auditor be and is hereby directed to correct the assessment of Lot 3 Block 218 Minneapolis and refund to H. F. Brown \$182⁴⁰ being the amount paid by him on the above \$8000 valuation.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

Commissioner Nelson offered the following resolution:
 Resolved, That the County subscribe for 13 copies of the City Directory for 1879.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

Wm. F. Jackson Secy^{Gen} of the Montana Plow Works appeared before the board and asked them to designate the Town of Minneapolis as the proper place to assess the Capital Stock of said corporation.

Commissioner Schaffer offered the following resolution:
 Resolved That the application of the Montana Plow Works be laid on the table.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

On motion the Board took a recess until 2 O'clock P.M.

The Board was called to order at 2 O'clock P. M. by the Chairman. All the members present.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the sum of Two Hundred Dollars per month or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and is hereby appropriated to pay incidental expenses of the Poor Farm. The Warrants to be drawn by the County Auditor on the order of the Committee on Poor Farms.

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Minneapolis, Friday June 6th 1879 Continued.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was unanimously adopted.

A petition signed by John DeLaitte and others praying for a change in lower road (so called) leading from Minneapolis to St. Paul in Sec. 31 Township 29 Range 23 was received.

Petition of
John DeLaitte
and others
for a change
in a highway

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution,
Resolved, That the petition of John DeLaitte and others be accepted and a committee of three consisting of Commissioners Ward, Willson and Schaeffer be appointed to meet on the line of said road where the change is proposed to be made, on Saturday June 14th 1879 at 10 O'clock A.M. to examine such proposed change.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Holy Trinity
Church's
Application
for an
abatement

Wentworth Spring on behalf of Holy Trinity Church made an application for an abatement of the Taxes of 1876 & 1877 on Lot 5 Block 22 St. Anthony Falls on account of it being Church property.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Harriet Truett
Application for
an abatement

Harriet Truett made application for an abatement of \$353 valuation on 33 ft. by 115 ft. depth of Lot 9 Block 215 - Minneapolis.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

J. L. Paneroy
Application for
an abatement

J. L. Paneroy made an application for an abatement of \$1165 valuation on land in Sec. 22 Township 29 Range 24 near the St. P. & N. W. RR bridge.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

E. N. Bates
Application for
an abatement

J. L. Paneroy on behalf of E. N. Bates made an application for an abatement of \$635 valuation on land between Rain Street and the river near the St. P. & N. W. RR bridge in Sec. 22 Range 24 Township 29 Range 24.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

W. F. Brown
Application for
an abatement

W. F. Brown made an application for an abatement of \$1730 valuation on Lot 3 Block 718 Minneapolis.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.
Minneapolis Friday June 6th 1879 Continued.

Minneapolis
Carter Works
Minneapolis
operation to be
passed in the
City of
Minneapolis
F. Haascomis
application for
an abatement
granted
A resolution
appropriated
\$500⁰⁰ on the
Minneapolis
Monticello
Road
lost.
500⁰⁰
appropriated
the
Minneapolis
Monticello
Road in
Crystal Lake

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution.
Resolved, That the Capital Stock of the Minneapolis Harbor
Works, Monticello Flaw Works and other similar corporations, be
assessed for taxation by the City Assessor of the City of Minneapolis
for the year 1879.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the
roll being called, there were three yeas and two nays, as follows:
Yea - Commissioners Schaefer, Palmer & Glenn 3
Nay - Commissioner Haze Wilson 2 and so the resolution was adopted.

Commissioner Schaefer from the Committee on Taxes, reported
back the application of B. F. Haascome for an abatement
with the recommendation that the application be granted.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution.
Resolved, That the report be adopted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the
roll being called, it was unanimously adopted.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the sum of Six Hundred Dollars be
and is hereby appropriated to be expended upon the
Minneapolis and Monticello Road in the Town of Crystal
Lake, the money to be expended under the direction of the
Committee on Roads and Bridges.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the
roll being called there were two yeas and three nays, as follows:
Yea, Commissioners Ward and Willson - 2
Nay, Commissioners Palmer, Schaefer and Mr. Schanman 3
And so the resolution was not adopted.

Commissioner Glenn offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the sum of Five Hundred Dollars be
appropriated, to be expended on the Minneapolis and Monticello
Road in the Town of Crystal Lake. The money to be expended
under the direction of the Committee of the district
according to law.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution,
and the roll being called there were three yeas and
two nays, as follows:

Yea - Commissioners Ward, Willson and Mr. Schanman 3
Nays - Commissioners - Palmer and Schaefer 2
And so the resolution was adopted.

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Minneapolis, Friday June 6th 1879 continued.

A petition of
Wm Ray &
Wm Chadwick
for \$200⁰⁰
for Road

A petition signed by William Ray and William Chadwick asking for an appropriation of \$200⁰⁰ on the Bloomington and Richfield Road in the Town of Bloomington the petitioners pledging \$50⁰⁰, was received.

Resolution to
appropriate \$200⁰⁰
for

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution;

Resolved; That an appropriation of \$200⁰⁰ be made as asked for, the money to be expended under the direction of the Committee of the District.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were two yeas and three nays as follows:

Yeas - Commissioners Ward and Willson - 2

Nays - Commissioners Palmer, Schafer and Mr. Chairman - 3

And so the resolution was not adopted.

Claim of
Alex. Erb
referred to
Com. 1st Dist.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution;

Resolved, That the claim of Alex Erb for goods furnished L. B. Schrum be referred to the Commissioner from the First District.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

\$150⁰⁰ appropriated
on the
Bloomington and
Richfield Road
in Bloomington

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution;

Resolved, That an appropriation of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars be made, to be expended on the Bloomington and Richfield Road in the Town of Bloomington, the money to be expended under the of the Committee on Roads & Bridges.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

Adjournment
to June 23rd 1879

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution;

Resolved That when this Board adjourns that it adjourn on Monday June 23rd 1879 at 10 O'clock A. M.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was adopted unanimously.

Adjourned.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution;

Resolved, That this board do now adjourn.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was adopted unanimously and the board adjourned.

Attest

Co. Auditor

M. H. Estlin
Chairman of the Board of Co. Comm.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Monday June 23^d

1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment and were called to order by the Chairman.

Present - Commissioners Palmer, Schafer, Ward, Willson and Mr. Chairman.

Commissioner Schafer from the Committee on Taxes, reported back the application of Harriet Freeman for an abatement with the recommendation that the application be not granted.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the report of the Committee be adopted. The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was adopted unanimously.

Albert Larson made an application for an abatement of \$570. valuation on lots in Block 14, Bassett, Minneapolis addition to Minneapolis on account of a house being assumed on the lots when there was no house on said lot at the time. Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Commissioner Schafer from the Committee on Taxes, reported back the application of Albert Larson with the recommendation that it be granted.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the report of the Committee be adopted. The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was unanimously adopted.

Commissioner Schafer from the Committee on Taxes, reported back the application of the Trustees of Holy Trinity Church for an abatement, with the recommendation that the application be not granted.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the report of the Committee be adopted. The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was unanimously adopted.

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Monday June 23 1879 Continued.

Elizabeth M. Paston
application for an
abatement
granted.

Elizabeth M. Paston made an application for an abatement of \$7813 valuation on the $\frac{1}{2}$ S W $\frac{1}{4}$ S W $\frac{1}{4}$ N W $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 2 Township 28 Range 24 on account of an erroneous assessment.
Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Commissioner Schaefer from the Committee on Taxes reported back the application of Elizabeth M. Paston for an abatement with the recommendation that the application be granted.
Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the report of the Committee be adopted.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

Emily Baker
application for
an abatement.

Emily Baker made an application for an abatement of \$450 valuation on the rear part of Lots 4, 5, 6 & 7 Block 20 Harmonic Addition to Minneapolis on account of the same being assessed too high.
Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Petition of
A. E. Shaw ^{and}
others for an
appropriation

A petition signed by A. E. Shaw and others asking to have the County road from Minnetonka Mills to Whipples corner ^{and} thence to the head of Barron's Bay be put in good condition without delay, also a communication from J. A. Harrow asking that the same road be fixed.

An appropriation
of \$400⁰⁰
made on the
Minneapolis ^{and}
Excelsior Road

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That an Appropriation of \$400⁰⁰ be made for work on the Minneapolis ^{and} Excelsior Road in the Towns of Minnetonka ^{and} Excelsior, The Town of Minnetonka ^{and} the Citizens along the line of said road to subscribe a like amount. The money to be expended under the direction of the Committee on Roads & Bridges. The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

Petition of
A. T. Ankney ^{and}
others for a
change in
Highway.

A petition signed by A. T. Ankney ^{and} others praying for a change in the Minneapolis ^{and} Watertown Road in Section 20 Township 29 Range 24 was received and referred to the Committee on Roads ^{and} Bridges.

Communication
and bill from
Town Clerk
Clear Lake.

A communication was received from H. W. Webster Town Clerk of Clear Lake Wright County, Minn. enclosing a bill of \$74⁸⁵ for Board, Gen. Medicine ^{and} Medical attendance on Alook Wilby.
Referred to Committee on Claims.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Monday June 23rd 1879. Continued

A. Warner's
Application for
abatement

C. A. Warner made an application for an abatement of \$6000.
valuation of Personal Property for 1878 on account of an assessment
on a Mortgage.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Committee on
Taxes granted
other times on
Application of
A. Warner.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the Committee on Taxes be granted further time
to report upon the application of C. A. Warner for an abatement.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll
being called, there were three yeas ^{and} two no. as follows:
Yeas - Commissioners Ward, Schafer ^{and} Willson - 3
Nos - Commissioners Palmer ^{and} Mr. Chairman - 2
And so the resolution was adopted.

John Folsom's
Application for
abatement
anted in
it.

John Folsom made an application for an abatement of
\$1775 valuation of Rear 25 ft. of Lots 6 & 7 Block 64 Town of
Minneapolis on account of having been assessed too high.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the valuation of the rear 25 ft. of Lots 6 & 7
Block 64 Town of Minneapolis be reduced to \$3000.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and
the roll being called it was adopted unanimously.

Communication
from Wm.
Schimmell
Secretary, Board
of Trustees
Sassan Asylum
St. Peter.

A communication was received from Wm. Schimmell
Secretary of Hospital for Insane at St. Peter notifying the
Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners and Judge
of Probate that John Doe, Charles Michels ^{and} Harris
Greensohn must be removed from said Hospital
forthwith or they would be returned to the County at
the expiration of twenty days in accordance with the
recommendation of the Medical Commission.

Referred to the County Attorney.

Application of
J. T. Ankney
and others
for change
of Highway
Improvement of

Commissioner Ward from the Committee on Roads and
Bridges reported back the petition of J. T. Ankney and
others for a change in the Minneapolis ^{and} Watertown Road,
with the recommendation that the petition be rejected on
account of informality.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution
Resolved That the report of the committee be adopted.

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The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

Report of
Committee
on the location
of certain
roads in
accordance with
an act entitled
"an act to

Commissioner Ward from the committee appointed May 6th 1879 to examine into the location of certain roads in pursuance of an act entitled "An Act to provide for the location of certain roads in the County of Hennepin," Approved March 5th 1879 presented the following report:

To the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Hennepin:

The undersigned committee appointed by you to examine the proposed location of a highway as stated in the petition referred to in your order of appointment made on the 6th day of May 1879. would respectfully report that we met at the time and place designated in your said order and proceeded to examine the highway proposed to be located viz:

Beginning at a point on the eastern boundary line of Hennepin County where the section line between Section Nineteen (19) and Thirty (30) Township Twenty-nine (29) Range Twenty-three (23), intersects said county line, and running thence West on said section line between Section Nineteen (19) and Thirty (30) to the eastern boundary line of the City of Minneapolis, said road to be One Hundred (100) feet wide. And do hereby recommend that the prayer of the said petitioners be granted and road located according to Surveyor's report which accompanies and forms a part of this report.

Given under our hands this 23 day of June AD 1879

(Signed)

J. H. Wain
J. Schaefer
H. Wilken
M. W. Allen
L. R. Palmer
Committee

Surveyor's
Report

Surveyor's Report.

Minneapolis June 21 1879.

To the Board of County Commissioners of Hennepin County.

Gentlemen:

The undersigned having been

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Monday June 23 1879 Continued.

employed to survey a road, commencing at a point on the eastern boundary line of Hennepin County, where the section line between Sections Nineteen (19) and Thirty (30), Township Twenty-nine (29), Range Twenty-three (23), intersects said county line and running thence west on said section line between Sections Nineteen (19) and Thirty (30) to the eastern boundary line of the City of Minneapolis, would report that the following is a correct plat thereof as made by me under your direction, to wit: Commencing at the first mentioned place of beginning thence by the following courses and distances -

Sta 0 - West 39.90 Chains $\frac{1}{4}$ post

1 " 35.27 " Sec cor

and that herewith is a correct plat of said road according to said survey.

Respectfully

(Signed) J. H. Gilman
Supt. Co. Surv.

To the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Hennepin.

The undersigned Committee appointed by you to examine the proposed location of a highway, as stated in the petition, referred to in your order of appointment made on the 6th day of May 1879, would respectfully report that we met at the time and place designated in your said order and proceeded to examine the highway proposed to be located, viz: Beginning on the eastern boundary line of Hennepin County near the point where the line between Sections Seven (7) and Eighteen (18) Township Twenty-nine (29), Range Twenty-three (23), intersects said county line and running thence southwesterly in the direction of the Stone Arch Bridge in the City of Minneapolis to the eastern boundary line of the City of Minneapolis, said road to be Eighty (80) feet wide.

And do hereby recommend that the prayer of the said petitioners be granted and road located according to surveyor's report, which accompanies and forms a part of this report.

Given under our hands this 23 day of June A.D. 1879

Signed,

J. H. Gilman
J. Schaefer
H. Willson
M. H. Gilman
L. R. Polman
Committee

Report of
Committee on
Location of
Main roads
accordance
with an act
titled "An
act to provide
for the location
of certain
roads
Approved
Mar. 5 1879

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1879 continued.

Surveyor's
Report.

Surveyor's Report.

Minneapolis June 23rd 1879To the Board of County Commissioners of Hennepin
County.

Gentlemen:

The undersigned having been employed by you to make a survey of a road commencing near the point where the line between Sections Seven (7) and Eighteen (18) Township Twenty-nine (29) Range Twenty-three (23) intersects the eastern boundary line of said Hennepin County, and running thence South-Westerly in the direction of the Stone Arch Bridge in the City of Minneapolis - to the eastern boundary line of said City of Minneapolis, would report that the following is a correct survey thereof as made by me under your directions to wit: commencing Four Hundred and fifty-nine and three-tenths (459.3) feet South of the point where the line between Sections Seven (7) and Eighteen (18) Township Twenty-nine (29) Range Twenty-three (23) intersects eastern boundary line of said Hennepin County, thence by the following courses and distances, with a bearing of $10^{\circ}E$ Sta 0 S $64\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}W$ 5612.8 ft East line of Sec 18 1835 S of $\frac{1}{4}$ pt and that herewith is a correct plot of said road according to said survey.

Respectfully

(Signed) J. H. Baker
per Sur.Reports of
Committee
laid on the
table until
next meeting.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the reports of the Committee on the location of the roads in the Town of St. Anthony, be laid on the table until the next regular meeting of the board.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

Charlotte Harmon
application for an
abatement.Charlotte Harmon made an application for an abatement of \$1900 valuation on land in Section 27 Township 29 Range 23 for the years 1876 1877 & 1878 on account of having been assessed for more land than she had.
Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Monday June 23^d 1879 Continued.

petition of
John Russell
and others for an
appropriation.

a petition signed by John Russell and others was received asking for an appropriation of \$207⁰⁰ to be expended on the Corcoran & Cassan Road, the petitioners agreeing to give a like amount.

appropriation
\$ 207⁰⁰
made on the
Corcoran &
Cassan Road,

Commissioner Schafer offered the following resolution,
Resolved, That an appropriation of \$207⁰⁰ be made, to be expended on the Corcoran & Cassan Road, the money to be expended under the direction of the Committee on Roads & Bridges, the petitioners to give a like amount.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

relief to
Mrs. A. J. Black

Commissioner Willson reported that he had a poor person in his district by the name of Mrs. A. J. Black to whom he had extended all the relief allowed by law and asked authority from the board to extend any further relief to Mrs. Black that was necessary.

relief to
Mrs. A. J. Black

Commissioner Schafer offered the following resolution,
Resolved, That Commissioner Willson be and is hereby authorized to extend to Mrs. A. J. Black any further relief necessary.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was adopted unanimously.

relief to
Isaac Auger, Jr.
L. McConnell
John Free &
W. Engstrom
H. Baggen

Commissioner Palmer reported that he had furnished all the relief allowed by law to Isaac Auger, Jr., L. McConnell, Mrs. John Free, Mrs. Engstrom and H. Baggen, and asked authority to extend them any further relief necessary.

Commissioner Schafer offered the following resolution,
Resolved, That Commissioner Palmer be and is hereby authorized to extend any further relief necessary to the above named persons.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called all the members voted yes except Commissioner Glenn, who voted no, and so the resolution was adopted.

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1879

An appropriation
of \$200⁰⁰ made
as contingent
Poor Fund

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That an appropriation of Two Hundred Dollars
be made as a contingent Poor Fund.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution,
and the roll being called it was adopted unanimously.

Bath Tub at
Poor House

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the Committee on Poor Farm be and
are hereby authorized to have a Bath Tub put in
at the Poor House.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution,
and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

Adjourned

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That this board do now adjourn.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution,
and the roll being called it was adopted
unanimously and the board adjourned.

Attest

F. J. McDowell
County Auditor

M. H. Glesser
Chairman Board of
County Commissioners

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Monday July 7th 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to law and were called to order by Commissioner Willson.

Present - Commissioners Palmer, Schaefer, Ward and Willson
Absent - Commissioner Glenn

On motion of Commissioner Ward Commissioner Willson was elected Chairman pro-tem

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

as F. Drake
Application
abatement

Elias F. Drake made the following application for abatement, \$694 valuation on Lots 1 & 2 and NW¹/₄, NE¹/₄ of Sec. 7 Township 118 Range 24, \$242 valuation on the SW¹/₄, NE¹/₄ & NW¹/₄ SE¹/₄ of Sec. 15 Township 118 Range 24 and \$3000 valuation on land owned by himself and Mr. Sheldon in Sections 30 and 31 Township 29 Range 23 all on account of excessive valuations.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

W. Higgins
Application
abatement

J. W. Higgins made an application for an abatement of \$600 valuation on 22 ft. front & rear of Lot 6 Block 67 Minneapolis. Commencing 24 ft. from 6th Ave. S. on account of excessive valuation.

Referred to the Com. on Taxes.

Adjourned

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That this board do adjourn until Wednesday July 9th 1879, at 10 O'clock A. M.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously and the board adjourned.

Attest

F. S. McDonald
County Auditor

M. H. Glenn
Chairman (Pro-tem) of the Board
of County Commissioners

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Wednesday July 9th 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Chairman.

Present - Commissioners Palmer, Schaefer, Ward, Williams ^{and} Mr. Chairman.

Commissioner Palmer from the Committee on Claims reported the following bills correct and recommended that they be allowed.

	In whose favor	For what purpose.	Amount	
			Doll	cts
Bills allowed.	A. Erb	Goods furnished the Poor	27	
	Mrs. M. Weber	do	19	
	Sundley & Parley	do	28	50
	F. O. Lowell	do	31	
	C. A. Anderson	do	24	
	A. L. Haugan	do	149	50
	Mrs. P. Wringart	do	13	
	L. H. Johnson	do	15	
	Thos. Richardson	do	20	
	Mathias Reus	do	13	
	H. Brin	do	4	
	J. G. Huber	do	106	81
	A. Livingston	do	10	
	J. F. Fithum	do	16	
	W. F. Kelley	do	3	
	Johnson Bros.	do	3	
	J. Lang	do	6	
	N. H. Gierston	do	7	
	T. J. Mc Carthy	do	37	
	A. Schaefer	do	17	
	C. Filbert	do	5	
	C. A. Heffelfinger	do	125	
	John Thullen	do	15	
	Peterson Bros.	do	25	
	J. O. Reus	do	10	
	F. L. Allen	Wreck for Poor	1	
	George E. Craig	Conveying sick poor to Hospital	1	
	F. A. Dunsenbor	Services as County Physician June 1879.	183	
	J. O. Williams	Board and care of Chas. Rogers	20	50
	Mrs. M. S. Thorn	" " " " Richardson Child	10	
	Mrs. Ellis	" " " " William Young	20	
	O. A. Holburn	" " " " Christ Rogers	15	

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		\$	cts	
Robert Quady	Board and care of Frank Lindsey	16	-	✓
Boilage Hospital	Board and care of sick poor	126	85	✓
J. S. Hank	Wood furnished the Poor	25	95	✓
Robert Pratt	do	1	75	✓
O. A. Timmings	do	2		✓
Jerome Layman	Goods for Poor	9	50	✓
George F. Warner	Undertakers services	12		✓
H. T. Vail & Co.	do	32	50	✓
T. H. Gray	Goods for Poor Farm	35	35	✓
Clark & McClure	Lumber " do	300	25	✓
E. A. Grannie	Blacksmithing for Poor Farm	6	50	✓
August Ende	Board of Men & Hens from " "	8	85	✓
Sykes & Andrews	Labor Material for " "	43	42	✓
C. W. Schatto	Cultivator & Rake " " "	70		✓
Charles Prohel	Linin " " "	39		✓
Jacob Rallen	Painting of " " "	160	73	✓
Charles Robinson	Recording for County	.3		✓
Ed. A. Stevens	Printing proceedings of Co. Court	29	60	✓
A. Livingston	Goods for Court House	1	60	✓
Barrett & Reil	Material Labor at Court House	14	05	✓
J. A. Holmstrom	Fuel and fire-wood as Clerk of the Court	252	30	✓
Cushman & Sumner	Stationery	24	42	✓
Henry A. Loeving	Letter Box & plate for Sup. of Schools	1	50	✓
C. W. Potter & Co.	Repairs of safe in Auditor's Office	5		✓
J. S. Ekman	Case for Registers Office	90		✓
Smith & Day	Goods for Court House	4	60	✓
Winnipeg Gas Co.	Gas for Court House	15	05	✓
do.	" " Jail	7	48	✓
Brian Wales & Co.	Stationery & Paper Order for Jail	7	48	✓
Geo. Kuhn & Co.	Goods for Court House	1	85	✓
do.	" " Jail	1	45	✓
Mrs. Johnson	Washing " "	26	69	✓
Puffen & Scott	Plumbing for " "	34	79	✓
T. B. Johnson	Re-sheathing "	36	00	✓
S. Armstrong	Goods for Poor	20		✓
J. L. Higgins	do	23		✓
O. Peterson	do	4	50	✓
E. P. Howell	do	6	60	✓
Smith & Scriber	Hardware for Court House	1	75	✓
Martin Layman	Grass for Poor	36		✓
Pioneer Press Co.	Advertising for Proposals	7	40	✓
A. Sigmund	Goods furnished the Poor	29	50	✓

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Bill Allowed.	Chas. Mueller	Goods furnished the Poor	3 00
	Joseph Schulerberg	Board and care of Gottlieb Schults Swabs	7
	C. W. Smith	Postage & Expressage	7 30
	Andrew Tharalson	Goods furnished the Poor	54 50
	W. C. Balbrach	" " Co. Physician	37 20
	Wheaton, Reynolds & Co	" for Poor Farm	2 40

The question was on the adoption of the report, and the roll being called, the report was unanimously adopted and the bills allowed.

The following bills having referred to the County Attorney by the Committee on Claims were returned by him approved.

A. R. Thompson	Sheriff's Fees.	\$ 56.15
do.	Boarding Prisoners	207.24
Minneapolis Tribune Co.	Printing " Books	179.60
J. M. Parker	Justice Fees	2.10
Thos. J. Livock	Constable "	12.65
James Wiley	" "	25.25
J. S. Rich	Fees as Depty County Coroner	10.60
O. Nelson	" " " "	56.00
Jacob Schaefer	Services as County Commissioner	72.50
Horace Willson	do	96.40
L. R. Palmer	do.	57.00
C. H. Ward	do.	81.50

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the following bills be allowed, they having been approved by the County Attorney.

A. R. Thompson	Sheriff's Fees	\$ 56.15
do.	Boarding Prisoners	207.24
Minneapolis Tribune Co.	Printing " Books	179.60
J. M. Parker	Justice's Fees	2.10
Thos. J. Livock	Constables "	12.65
James Wiley	" "	25.25
O. Nelson	Coroner's "	56.00
J. S. Rich	Depty " "	10.60
Jacob Schaefer	Services as County Commissioner	72.50
Horace Willson	do	96.40
L. R. Palmer	do	57.00
C. H. Ward	do	81.50

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The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

to disallow.

The following bills having been referred to the County Attorney by the Committee on Claims were returned by him disapproved,

Eli Small	Medical Attendance on Fanny Mott's Child	\$ 8.00
do	do " John Breal	12.00
S. W. Merrill	Sitting up with remains of Joseph Murch and accompanying casket from Brooklyn to Minneapolis.	4.00
D. Cotton	conveying remains of Joseph Murch from Brooklyn to Minneapolis	4.00
John Smith,	Watching with remains of Joseph Murch	2.00
A. J. Pinault,	Medical Attendance on James Roberson	36.53
do	" " " J. Roberson	46.50
do	" " " Thomas Gallagher	10.25
Town of Clear Water Board, Care and Medical Attendance on Alvah Wiley		74.88

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the following bills be disallowed, they having been disapproved by the County Attorney.

Eli Small,	Medical Attendance on Fanny Mott's Child	\$ 8.00
do	" " " John Breal	12.00
S. W. Merrill	sitting up with the remains of Joseph Murch and accompanying casket from Brooklyn to Minneapolis.	4.00
D. Cotton,	conveying remains of Joseph Murch from Brooklyn to Minneapolis.	4.00
John Smith,	Watching with remains of Joseph Murch	2.00
A. J. Pinault,	Medical Attendance on James Roberson	36.53
do	" " " J. Roberson	46.50
do	" " " Thomas Gallagher	10.25
Town of Clear Water, Board, Care and Medical Attendance of Alvah Wiley		74.88

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the resolution was adopted unanimously.

School District
73

The County Superintendent of Schools stated to the board that School District No. 10 had been overcharged \$3⁰⁰ and School District No. 73 \$12⁵⁰ on account of State School Dist. Books

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Refunded to
School Dist.
10 & 73

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the sum of \$3⁰⁰ be refunded to School District No 10 and \$12⁰⁰ to School District No. 73 on account of overcharges on State School Text Books.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

Co. Physician
Report.

The County Physician presented his report for June 1879.

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the report of the County Physician be accepted and placed on file.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

P. J. E. Clementson
Application for
an abatement

P. J. E. Clementson made application for an abatement of \$5.75 valuation on 22 ft. front & rear next to Lot 10 of Lot 9 Block 49 Town of Minneapolis.

Referred to Committee on Taxes

Petition of
Felix Logelin et al
for appropriation

A petition signed by Felix Logelin and others asking the board to make an appropriation of \$60.⁰⁰ for work on the Lehigh & Delano Road in Minnetonka was received, the signers subscribing a like amount.

Referred to the Committee on Roads & Bridges.

Resolution from
Board of Tax Levy

The County Auditor laid before the board a certified copy of a resolution of the Board of Tax Levy of Hennepin County fixing the maximum rate of taxation for Hennepin County for the year 1879.

Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Abatement to
C. A. Warner &
H. F. Brown

Commissioner Schaefer from the Committee on Taxes reported back the following application for abatements with the recommendation that the abatements be made.
C. A. Warner for \$6000 and H. F. Brown for \$2000.

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the report of the committee be adopted and abatements made. The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

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Applications of
Emily Praker
J. L. Pomery
E. N. Bates & W.
Charlotte Harmon
for abatements
rejected

Commissioner Schafer from the Committee on Taxes reported back the following applications for abatements with the recommendation that the abatements be not made, viz. Emily Praker, J. L. Pomery, E. N. Bates & Charlotte Harmon.

Commissioner Schafer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the report of the Committee be adopted and the abatements not made.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the resolution was adopted unanimously.

F. Sample
Application for
an abatement

A communication was received from R. F. Sample stating that he had paid taxes for 1878 on 12 ft. more land than he owned in Block 62 Town of Minneapolis and asked the board to refund him \$25⁰⁰ being the amount of taxes on the said 12 ft.

Referred to County Auditor with power to act.

Wm. B. Morse
Licence
granted

Wm. B. Morse presented the County Treasurer's receipt for \$25⁰⁰ and a bond for \$500⁰⁰ with Daniel Bonnor and Jonas F. Brown as sureties, and asked for a license to sell liquor in the Town of Medina.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved; That the bond of Wm. B. Morse be approved and license granted him.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were 3 yeas & 2 nays as follows:
Yeas - Commissioners Schafer, Ward & Willson, 3
Nays - Commissioners Palmer & Mr. Chairman 2
And so the resolution was adopted.

Edw. D. Neill

A communication was received from Edw. D. Neill asking why Macalester College was taxed?
Referred to the County Attorney.

Peter Wolford
asks interest.

Peter Wolford made application to have the board allow him interest on \$1161⁵⁰ paid into the Treasury by him for redemption of property after the time of redemption had expired.
Referred to the County Attorney.

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A. H. Lindley
Application for
an abatement

A. H. Lindley made application for an abatement of \$3344 valuation on Lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 & 12 Block 25 - Willson, Bell and Wagner's Addition
Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Charles Witt
application for
liquor license

Charles Witt presented the receipt of the County Treasurer for \$29¹² and a bond for \$500⁰⁰ with George Schuker and William Schuker as sureties and asked for a license to sell liquor in Crystal Lake.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the bond of Charles Witt be approved, and license granted him.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were 3 yeas & 2 nays, as follows:
Yeas - Commissioners Schaefer, Ward and Willson - 3
Nays - Commissioners Palmer and Mr. Chairman - 2
And so the resolution was adopted.

L. B. Knicker
Knicker's
application for
abatement
granted on
Lot 10 Block 212

L. B. Knickerbacker made an application for an abatement of taxes on several lots, which was referred to the County Attorney, the County Attorney returned the same with the recommendation that the taxes on Lot 10 Block 212 in Nelson's Addition ^(be abated) on account of the same being occupied by the Cottage Hospital.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the taxes for 1878 on Lot 10 Block 212 Nelson's Addition be abated in accordance with the County Attorney's recommendation.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and upon the roll being called, there were 3 yeas & 2 nays, as follows:
Yeas - Commissioners Palmer, Willson and Mr. Chairman - 3
Nays - Commissioners Schaefer and Ward - 2
And so the resolution was adopted and abatement made.

L. H. Peck
Bill of \$71⁰⁰
allowed.

L. H. Peck presented a bill of \$71⁰⁰ for services as expert witness before the Coroner's Inquest over the bodies killed at the rail disaster May 2^d 1878.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the bill of L. H. Peck be allowed and ordered paid.

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The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

John Egan
affidavit

John Egan presented his affidavit to the board that the assessor of the Town of Corcoran had not called on him for a return of personal property for the year 1879
Referred to the County Attorney.

James S. Vail
application for
refund
rejected.

The County Attorney returned the application of James S. Vail to have refunded to him \$280⁰⁰ paid by him as swamp drainage tax on Dec. 16, 1873 on 4 1/2 A E 1/4 Sec 24 Town 29, Range 24, claiming that the tax was illegal, disallowed.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the application of James S. Vail to have refunded to him certain taxes, be not granted.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

communication
from Town
Superior of
Winneapolis.

A communication was received from the Supervisors of the Town of Minneapolis stating that the bridge over the 2^d crossing of Granite Creek was unsafe and asking the board to make an appropriation to pay half the cost of rebuilding the same.

resolution to
appropriate
\$400⁰⁰ cost

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That an appropriation of \$400 be made towards rebuilding the bridge over Granite Creek on Western Ave.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was not adopted.

Wm. Kelust
application for
abatement

Wm. Kelust made an application for an abatement of \$270 valuation on 26 ft. front rear lot to Lot 7 of Block 10 Porcupine Addition.
Referred to the Com. in Paper.

Treasurer's
monthly
statement.

The County Treasurer presented his monthly statement of funds at deposit July 1st 1879.
Accepted and ordered placed on file.

The County Treasurer notified the board that the State Treasurer had drawn on him for \$84⁶² on

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on account of State School text book.

\$84⁶² appropriated
for State School
Text Books.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That an order be drawn on the County
Treasurer for \$84⁶² in full payment for State School Text Books.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and
the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

Captal Bay
Road

Commissioner Ward from the committee appointed June
2^d 1879 upon the petition of W. W. Huntington and others
praying for the location of a highway, submitted the
following report, to wit:

To the Board of County Commissioners of the County of
Hempden:

Report of
Committee
on Captal Bay
Road.

The undersigned committee appointed by you to
examine the proposed location of highway, as stated in the
petition referred to in your order of appointment made on the
2^d day of June 1879, would respectfully report that we met at
the time and place designated in your said order and
proceeded to examine the highway proposed to be located viz.
Beginning at a point on the Waffata Lake Shore and Mound City
road near the South east corner of the Northeast quarter of the
Southwest quarter of Section ten (10) Township One Hundred and Seventeen
(117) Range Twenty-three (23) Town of Medina - thence running
Southernly across the entrance to Captal Bay, thence Westerly
across Sections Fifteen (15), Sixteen (16) and Seventeen (17) Township
One Hundred and Seventeen (117) Range Twenty-three (23) and
intersecting the said Waffata Lake Shore and Mound City
road in the Southwest quarter of Section Seventeen (17),
Township One Hundred and Seventeen (117) Range Twenty-three
(23) Town of Exeter."

And do hereby recommend that the
prayer of said petitioners be granted, and road located
according to Surveyors report which accompanies and form a
part of this report.

Given under our hands this 9th day of July AD 1879

signed { E. H. Ward
J. Schaefer
H. Wilson

Committee

Surveyor's Report.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

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Minneapolis.

July 5th 1879.

Surveyor's Report

To the Board of County Commissioners of Hennepin County
Gentlemen:Crystal Bay
Road

The undersigned having been employed by you to make a survey of a road, commencing at a point on the "Wagjata, Lake Shaw and Mound City" road near the South East corner of the Northeast quarter of the South West quarter of Section Ten (10) Township One Hundred and Seventeen (117) Range Twenty-three (23) Town of Medina, - thence running southerly across the entrance to Crystal Bay - thence Westerly across Sections Fifteen (15) Sixteen (16) and Seventeen (17) Township One Hundred and Seventeen (117) Range Twenty-three (23) and intersecting the said Wagjata, Lake Shaw and Mound City road in the Southwest quarter of Section Seventeen (17) Township One Hundred and Seventeen (117) Range twenty-three (23) Town of Excelsior, would report that the following is a correct survey thereof as made by me under your direction to-wit: commencing at the first mentioned place of beginning, thence by the following courses & distances with a variation of 10° east

Sta Bearing Dist.

0	S 30° 40' N	10.43 ch
1	S 21° 06' N	11.75 "
2	S 21° 06' N	7.81 "
3	S 22° 30' N	4.38 "
4	S 65° 20' N	3.23 "
5	S 56° 30' N	2.62 "
6	S 10° N	5.41 "
7	S 82° 40' N	6.38 "
8	S 26° 40' N	3.08 "
9	S 3° 20' S	3.38 "
10	S 21° 40' S	8.10 "
11	S 25° 04' N	8.22 "
12	S 46° 35' N	5.04 "
13	S 37° 15' N	2.84 1/2 "
14	S 31° 20' N	2.10 "
15	S 70° 30' N	3.22 "
16	S 66° 30' N	2.21 "
17	S 65° N	1.60 "
18	West	10.50 "
19	N 64° 40' N	34.67 "
20	S 51° 30' N	3.07 "

line bet. Sect. 10 & 15 - 46 1/2 N of M/C #63

line bet. 15 & 16 - 11.65 - N of "M.C. #44

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21	S 68° 30' W.	5.98 ch.	
22	S 70° 20' W.	6.78 "	
23	S 67° 45' W.	5.87 1/2 "	
24	S 73° 20' W.	6.20 1/2 "	
25	S 75° 45' W.	7.12 "	
26	S 63° W.	1.37 "	line bet. 16 & 17 - S. & S. of M. L. # 48
27	S 51° 10' W.	4.83 "	
28	S 20° 30' W.	3.68 "	
29	S 43° 20' W.	3.61 "	
30	S 58° 30' W.	4.49 "	
31	S 68° 45' W.	2.83 "	
32	S 83° W.	8.89 "	
33	N 46° 10' W.	5.61 "	
34	N 59° 30' W.	1.14 "	
35	N 70° 40' W.	3.83 1/2 "	
36	N 49° 30' W.	4.68 "	Int. Security Road
37	N 59° W.	1.81 "	
38	N 48° W.	5.82 "	
39	N 39° 30' W.	3.20 "	
40	N 51° W.	2.74 "	
41	N 61° 30' W.	6.41 "	Int. Lake Shore Road

And that herewith is a correct plat of said road according to said survey.

Respectfully,
(Signed) J. H. Gilmore
Dept. Sec. Sur.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the report of the Committee be adopted and the prayer of the petitioners granted.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

Commissioner Ward from the Committee appointed June 2^d 1879 on the petition of J. H. Peters and others for the change of a highway presented the following report.

To the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Vermilion

The undersigned Committee appointed by you to examine the proposed change of highway, as stated in the petition referred to in your order of appointment made on the

Petition of
J. H. Peters et al
for change in
highway granted

Report of
Committee on
Change in
Municipalities
Roads

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

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2^d day of June 1879, would respectfully report that we met at the time and place designated in your said order and proceeded to examine the highway proposed to be changed viz: Beginning at a point where the Minneapolis and Monticello road crosses the line between Sections Thirty-one (31) and Thirty-two (32) Township One Hundred and Nineteen (119) Range Twenty-two (22) Town of Maple Grove and running thence north on line between said Sections Thirty-one (31) and Thirty-two (32) and Sections Twenty-nine (29) and Thirty (30) same town, till it intersects the road known as the Cocoran road and do hereby recommend that the prayer of the said petitioners be granted and road located according to Surveyor's report which accompanies and forms part of this report.

Given under our hands this 9th day of July A.D. 1879

(Signed, } L. H. Ward
 } H. Nelson
 } J. Scharf

Committee

Surveyor's Report.

Minneapolis. July 5th 1879.

To the Board of County Commissioners of Hennepin County.

Gentlemen:

The undersigned having been employed by you to make a survey of a change in the Minneapolis and Monticello road, Commencing at a point where said road crosses the line between Sections Thirty-one (31) and Thirty-two (32) Township One Hundred and Nineteen (119) Range Twenty-two (22) Town of Maple Grove and running thence north on line between said Sections Thirty-one (31) and Thirty-two (32) and Sections Twenty-nine (29) and Thirty (30) same town till it intersects the road known as the Cocoran road, would report that the following is a correct survey thereof as made by me under your direction, to wit: Commencing at the first mentioned place of beginning thence by the following courses and distances with a bearing of 11° E.

Sta.	Bearing	Dist.	
0	North	300	$\frac{1}{8}$ Cr 31-32
1	"	19.92	Cr 29, 30, 31, 32
2	"	15.25	Got Cocoran Road

and that herewith is a correct plot of said road

Surveyor's
Report on
change in
Minneapolis &
Monticello Road.

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according to said survey.

Respectfully

(Signed) J. H. Gilman
Dep. Sec. Sur.

Commissioner Scharfer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the report of the Committee be adopted
and the prayer of the petitioners granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and
the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

Report of
Overseer of
Poor Farm

T. Connelly Overseer of the Poor Farm presented his
report for June 1879.

Accepted and ordered placed on file.

Mrs. Milton Roberts
bill rejected

George R. Robinson, attorney for Mrs. Milton Roberts
presented a bill of \$211⁰⁰ for board, care and
medical attendance of William J. Wallace

Commissioner Scharfer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the bill of Mrs. Milton Roberts be
rejected

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the
roll being called the same was adopted unanimously.

George Willson
bill of \$195⁵⁰
allowed.

George Willson presented a bill of \$195⁵⁰ for work on the
Wayzata, Anishawbe & Mound City Road.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the bill of George Willson be allowed.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the
roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

Plan for
enlargement
of Jail

Commissioner Glenn from the Committee on Court House
and Jail laid before the board a plan for the en-
largement of the Jail.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the plan presented by Commissioner Glenn be
accepted, and the Committee on Court House and Jail
have the plan perfected and present the same with
specifications to the board at their earliest convenience

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The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and upon the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

Appropriation
of \$300⁰⁰ for
bridge over
Passett Creek

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the sum of Three Hundred Dollars, be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended on the bridge at the E crossing over Passett Creek, the money to be expended under the direction of the Committee on Roads and Bridges.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

petition of
Peter Hart and
others for appropriation

A petition signed by Peter Hart and others was received, asking for an appropriation of \$247⁰⁰ on the Maple Grove and Dayton Road in the Town of Dayton, the petitioners agreeing to give a like amount.

\$150 appropriated
Maple Grove
Dayton Road

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That an appropriation of \$150 be made for work on the Maple Grove and Dayton Road.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

by family

Commissioner Ward stated that he had a poor family in his district by the name of Byr who were in a destitute circumstances and wish to go to Canada.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the matter of sending Mrs. Byr and family to Canada be referred to the Commissioner Ward with power to act.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

The County Auditor laid before the board the Delinquent Personal Tax List of Hennepin County - for 1878.

On motion the Board adjourned until Friday July 18th 1879, at 10⁰⁰ o'clock A. M.

Attest

F. S. McDonald
County Auditor.

M. W. Glenn
Chairman of the Board of
County Commissioners

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Friday July 18th 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Chairman.

Present - Commissioners Palmer, Schaefer Ward, Willson ^{and}
Mr. Chairman

Delinquent
Personal
Tax List

The Board proceeded to examine and revise the Delinquent Personal Tax List of 1878, striking from the list all personal taxes which in their opinion were uncollectable and ordering the balance sent to the clerk of the Court for Judgement.

Tax Levy
for
1879

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following specific amounts of taxes be and is hereby levied upon the taxable property of Bennequin County, for the year 1879.

For Out Door Relief	\$ 2,500
" Salaries of County Officers	13,280
" Fees " " "	4,593
" Per diem ^{and} Mileage of County Commissioners	2,000
" Stationery	500
" Printing Blanks, Books ^{and} Delinquent Tax List	2,500
" Roads ^{and} Bridges	5,000
" Poor Farm Expenses,	2,500
" Board of Equalization	200
" Expenses of District Court	8,000
" " " Probate	700
" " " Coroner's Inquests	500
" Witnesses of Municipal Court.	100
" Court House Expenses	2,000
" Jail	3,500
" Court House & Jail Expenses,	1,200
" Election Expenses	125
" Court House, Jail ^{and} Poor Farm Expenses,	200
" Expenses of Insane	400
" Justice Fees	100
" Constables "	75
" Agricultural Statistics	400
" Return of Births ^{and} Deaths	800
" Expenses of inmates of Reform School	2,000
" Incidentals	500
" Enlargement of Jail,	10,500
	64,173

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Friday July 18th 1879 concluded

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were four yeas and one no, as follows:
 Yeas - Commissioners, Palmer, Schaefer, Ward^{Geo} Willson - 4
 Nay - Mr. Chairman (Glen) 1
 And so the resolution was adopted.

the two
 Roads in
 St. Anthony

On motion the Committee appointed on the petition of John DeLaetie^{Geo} and others for a change in the St. Anthony and St. Paul State Road near Meeker Island was granted further time.

On motion of Commissioner Willson the reports of the Committee on the location of two roads in the Town of St. Anthony in pursuance of an act of the Legislature approved Mar. 5th 1879 laid on the table at a meeting of the board June 23rd 1879 were taken from the table and referred back to the Committee

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:
 Resolved That this Board do now adjourn.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called the same was unanimously adopted and the board adjourned.

Attest

F. S. McDonald
 County Auditor.

M. W. Glen
 Chairman of the Board
 of County Commissioners

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Monday Augst 4th 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to law and ~~was~~ called to order by the Chairman,

All the members present

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

The following persons made applications for abatements which after being read were all referred to the Committee on Taxes.

M. B. Harvey M. B. Harvey for a reduction of \$1160⁰⁰ valuation on rear 60 ft of Lots 6 & 7 Block 16 Harmon's Add.

James Pauly James Pauly for a reduction of \$7000 on Lot 1 Block 13 Minneapolis

A. D. Morgan A. D. Morgan for a reduction of \$175⁰⁰ valuation on Land in Sec. 21 Twp 29 Range 74

M. Anderson Michael Anderson for a reduction of \$175⁰⁰ valuation on W's Lot 2 Block 4, Atwater's Add.

August Ende August Ende for a reduction of \$200 valuation on Rear 4 ft of Lot 3 Block 13 Minneapolis

R. B. & S. B. Smith Robt. B. & Sarah B. Smith for a reduction of \$1870⁰⁰ valuation on Lots 8, 9 & 10 Block 117 Minneapolis

W. W. O. McConnell W. W. O. McConnell & Co for an abatement of \$6277⁰⁰ on dry goods

W. H. McConnell W. H. McConnell for an abatement of \$500 valuation on Lot 6 Block 13 Nelson, Bell & Wagner's Add.

M. D. Mason Margary D. Mason for an abatement of \$300⁰⁰ on part of Lot 6 & 7 Block 9 Porup's Add.

Sidney Corbett Sidney Corbett for a reduction of \$1500 valuation on Land in Block 222 Wells, Sampson & Pells' Add.

E. A. Merrill Eugene A. Merrill for a reduction of \$1000 valuation on part of Lots 2 & 3 Block 57 Minneapolis

J. T. Ferguson J. T. Ferguson for a reduction of \$11,282⁰⁰ valuation on Land in Sec. 34 Township 29 Range 74

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E. Barnard Elvira E. Barnard for a reduction of \$73.80 valuation on the Front 92⁵² ft. of Lot 3 Block 61 Minneapolis.

M. J. Dayton Mrs. M. J. Dayton for a reduction of \$106.7 valuation on NE 1/4 S.E 1/4 Sec 5 Town 18 Range 14

Com. Schafer from the Com. on Taxes reported back the following applications for abatements with the recommendation that the abatements be made as asked for, viz:

S. J. Ferguson, Robt. B. ^{Wm} Sarah B. Smith, J. H. Wiggin, P. J. E. Clementson, ^{Wm} August Ende

The question was on the adoption of the reports and the roll being called upon each application separately the reports were adopted unanimously and abatements made.

Com. Schafer from the Com. on Taxes reported back the following applications for abatements with the recommendation that the application be not granted, to wit:

W. H. P. McConnell, W. H. McCallum ^{Wm} Sidney Corbett

The yeas and nays called upon each application separately and the reports and recommendations of the committee were unanimously adopted.

Com. Schafer from the Com. on Taxes reported back the application of A. H. Lindly for an abatement with the recommendation that an abatement of \$33.14 be made.

The question was on the adoption of the report of the Committee and the roll being called it was adopted unanimously.

Com. Schafer from the Committee on taxes reported back the application of Margary D. Watson for an abatement with the recommendation that \$200 be abated.

The roll being called the report was adopted unanimously.

A communication was received from Claude B. Leonard in reference to the records in the office of Judge of Probate. Referred to Com. on Court House & Jail.

Dr. F. A. Dunsmon Co. Physician presented his report for July 1879. Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

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A. L. Rauls
Communication

A communication was received from A. L. Rauls in reference to his application for an abatement.
Ordered placed on file.

S. H. Baker's
Communication

A communication was received from S. H. Baker Co. Surveyor in reference to Section and quarter section corners in the county.
Referred to Com. on Roads and Bridges.

Mrs. M. E. Thorne's
Communication

A communication was received from Mrs. M. E. Thorne in reference to the case of the Richardson child.
Referred to Com. Palmer.

Dr. L. S. Stoddard's
bill

Dr. L. S. Stoddard presented a bill of \$50⁰⁰ for attendance on John Fäll at Bloomington Ferry.
Referred to County Attorney.

Harmonia Society

Harmonia Society made an application for an abatement of the taxes for 1878 on Lot 6 Block 35 - Minneapolis.

Harmonia
Society
abatement.

Com. Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the taxes for 1878 on Lot 6 Block 35 - Minneapolis be abated.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called all the members voted yes except Com. Palmer who voted no, and so the resolution was adopted.

Adjournment

Com. Scharf offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That this board do now adjourn until Tuesday Aug 5th 1879 at 10 O'clock A. M.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was adopted unanimously and the board adjourned.

Attest

F. S. McDonald
County Auditor.

M. H. Lerner
Chairman of Board of
County Commissioners.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Tuesday August 5th 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Chairman.

All the members present.

The following persons made applications for abatements which were referred to the Com. on Taxes viz:

Jamies Stansfield for a reduction of \$1000 valuation on 22 ft. front on alley by 80 ft. deep of Lot 4 Block 20 Minneapolis west to Lot 3.

A. H. Lindley for a reduction of \$2500 valuation on Land in Sec 21 Township 29 Range 24.

Com. Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the amount of ferry license for ferry across the Mississippi River at Dayton be fixed at ten dollars per year, and the amount of bond to be given by the person or persons running said ferry be fixed at \$500⁰⁰.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was adopted unanimously.

John Green made an application for an abatement of the valuation of a certain mortgage.
Referred to the Sec. Atty.

Mrs. Milton Roberts again presented her bill of \$248⁰⁰ for board and care of William J. Wallace.

Com. Palmer offered a resolution to pay \$50⁰⁰ in full, which was lost Com's Schaefer. Ward ^{Plus} Mr. Chairman voting no.

Com. Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the sum of \$46⁰⁰ be allowed Mrs. Milton Roberts in full payment for all claims against the County for board and care of William J. Wallace.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were 3 yeas & 2 nays, as follows:
Yeas - Com's Palmer, Willson and Mr. Chairman 3
Nays - " Schaefer & Ward 2
And so the resolution was adopted.

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Tuesday August 5th 1879 continued,

Ad. of Education
asks for abatement

The Board of Education made application for abatement of taxes on certain lots owned by them.
Referred to the Sec. Atty.

Commissioner Palmer from the Committee on Claims reported the following bills correct and recommended that they be allowed, viz:

	In whose favor	For what purpose	Amount.	
			Doll.	cts.
Bills allowed.	Peterson Bros.	Goods furnished the Poor	11	00
	A. M. Danstrum	do.	36	50
	Mrs. O. Weingart	do.	11	
	Spendly & Hanson	do.	8	50
	J. B. Furber & Co.	do.	17	
	A. Bergman	do.	13	
	C. L. Connelley	do.	57	
	C. Filburt	do.	5	
	F. P. Lawell	do.	15	
	Merley Mill	do.	3	
	John Berholger	do.	6	
	Wm. F. Kelly	do.	3	
	Thielen & Hentling	do.	8	
	C. Jacobson	do.	16	
	J. H. Huber	do.	12	
	A. T. Peterson	do.	8	
	Christ Mueller	do.	4	
	Hansen Bros	do.	7	
	Jacob Hansen	do.	5	
	John A. Berg	do.	18	
	O. Peterson	do.	4	50
	William Field	do.	37	
	Peter Stofferding	do.	5	
	A. C. Haugen	do.	36	50
	L. Dorwack	do.	55	
	Mrs. M. Weber	do.	12	
	Augustine Thompson	do.	16	
	Woolbrook & Co.	do.	1	
	O. T. Swett	do.	6	
	Watson & Johnson	do.	25	
	H. R. Allen & Henryson	do.	5	
	A. Erb	do.	5	

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at allowed.	Mathias Henn	Goods furnished the Poor.	14.00	✓
	Prabody & Whittaker	Medicines for Poor Farm	835-	
	J. W. Hoane	Wood furnished the Poor	720	
	H. W. Steward	do	475-	
	August Ende	Board of Mrs. Gastill & Reg on day	175-	✓
	F. A. Denmark	County Physician July 1879	19530	✓
	Alpheus Dale	Carrying sick poor to Hospital	4	✓
	Sisterhood of Bethany	Board and care of Mary Brown	22	✓
	Leotiage Hospital	Board and care of sick poor	9170	✓
	Joseph Shulerburg	" " " " Lehas Smith	250	✓
	Mrs. M. E. Thorn	" " " " Richardson Child	10	✓
	Hill Willson	Employing John Fawell to Leotiage Hospital	5	✓
	S. R. Wattara	" Mr. Bennett " " "	1	
	Owen Finley	Grave for poor	9	✓
	P. H. Pendergraft	Undertaker's services	1150	✓
	Wm. Glusker & Son	do	850	✓
	H. F. Warner	Frothers for Poor Farm	12	
	A. Kelly	Groceries " " "	9028	✓
	Olave & McBlane	Lumber " " "	15334	
	George W. W. Ho	Lard, Oil, Dainties " " "	6996	✓
	John Hardenburgh	Painting " " "	57	✓
	Jacob Raum	" " " " " " "	5750	✓
	August Ende	Dinner & home fuel for Owners of Poor Farm	1050	✓
	McClelland Bros.	Brockery for " "	1413	✓
	H. L. Eric & Co	Clothing " " "	2526	✓
	Eric Louckheim	" " " "	3045-	✓
	H. H. Hopkins	Sawing posts " " "	8225-	✓
	Jammy & Roe	Hardware " " "	2911	
	Bride & Hamburam	Well & repairing wells " " "	10150	✓
	L. W. Shatto	Harvester & Binder Mire " " "	34960	✓
	Waine & Davis	Shoe " " "	2435	✓
	Eric Louckheim	Clothing for Jail	525-	✓
	Griffith, Robul & Butler	do	3	✓
	Mrs. Johnson	do	2392	✓
	Minneapolis Gas Co	Gas for Court House & Jail	1540	✓
	Phelps & Bradstreet	Stool for Clerk of Court	150	✓
	Andrew Dalen	Hauling rubbish from Court House	375-	✓
	F. S. McDaniel	Fuel for cleaning office & expensage	2	✓
	L. W. Davidson	13 City Directories	3250	
	A. J. Rogers	Book Case for Auditor's office	18	✓
	S. C. Butler	Book material for Sheriff's Probate office	2335-	✓
	Johnson, Smith & Bauman	Books & Blanks	21610	✓

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			\$	cts
Bills allowed,	Minneapolis Tribune for	Printing Delinquent tax list, both blanks	928	
	Bean, Hols for	Stationery	18	45-
	Brushman & Plummer	do	13	42
✓	O. H. Perdergrast	Goods for Poor and Under-taken services	23	
	J. N. Richardson	Goods furnished the Poor	20	
✓	Warner & Foot	Maps furnished the County	168	
	E. A. Braumie	Blacksmithing for Poor Farm	6	90
	Petrus Nelson	Fees and mileage as Sec. Coroner	121	40
	A. R. Thompson	Sheriff's Fees	12	65-
	do.	Boarding Prisoners	226	25-
	Harren Washfield	Justice's Fees	10	25-
	H. G. Black	do	13	20
	L. M. Smith	do	8	30
	J. M. Parker	do	3	40
	O. S. Gates	Constable's Fees	80	95-
	J. J. Batten	Witness Justice Court	2	08
	Ames & Salisbury	Expert Witness Coroner's Inquest	14	40
	P. B. Corcoran	Goods furnished the Poor	35	00
	M. W. Glenn	Services as Security Commissioners June	49	60
	do	do July	23	40
	H. Willson	do	53	90
	L. H. Ward	do	53	
	Jacob Schaufa	do	50	80
	L. R. Palmer	do	52	30

The question was on the adoption of the report and the roll being called the same was adopted unanimously.

Jacob Rauen's bill of \$254.³⁹ presented a bill of \$254.³⁹ for work done at Poor Farm

Com. Palmer offered the following resolution,

Resolved, That the sum of \$230.⁴⁹ be allowed Jacob Rauen in full for the above bill

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, it was adopted all the members voting yes except the Chairman who voted no.

Overseer of Poor Farm Report
J. Connelley Overseer of the Poor Farm presented his report for July 1879
Report accepted and ordered placed on file

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Praker of \$265 ⁵⁹	S. H. Praker, Co. Surveyor presented his bill for \$265 ⁵⁹ for services in June & July 1879 ✓
toward.	Com. Ward offered the following resolution, Resolved, That the bill of S. H. Praker be allowed The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was adopted, all the members voting yes except Com. Schafer who voted no.
B. Harvey application for abatement wanted.	Com. Schafer from the Committee on Taxes reported back the application of M. R. Harvey with the recommendation that the abatement be made.
	Com. Willson offered the following resolution, Resolved, That the report of the Committee be adopted, Report adopted all the voting yea
Applications of E. Drake, A. D. Lindley, S. Dayton H. Morgan & Michael Anderson abatement rejected	Com. Schafer from the Committee on Taxes reported back the applications of E. F. Drake, A. D. Lindley, Lyman C. Dayton H. S. Morgan & Michael Anderson with the recommendation that the abatements be not made The question was on the adoption of the report and the roll being called it was adopted unanimously.
	The County Attorney returned the application of John Green for an abatement disapproved.
John Green application for abatement rejected	Com. Palmer offered the following resolution, Resolved, That the application of John Green for an abatement be not granted The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously
Reports of the committee on roads in St. Anthony adopted.	On Motion of Com. Ward the reports of the Committee on the location of certain roads in the Town of St. Anthony laid on the table June 23rd 1879 were taken up, and
	Com. Ward offered the following resolution Resolved, That the reports of the Committee on the location of two roads in the Town of St. Anthony presented to this board June 23rd 1879 be adopted and the petition granted. The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was adopted unanimously.

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A. B. Rand
granted an
abatement of
\$3000⁰⁰

On motion of Com. Willson the application of A. B. Rand for an abatement laid on the table June 6th 1879 was taken up, and

Com. Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That an abatement of \$3000⁰⁰ be made on A. B. Rand's residence

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being call all the members present voted yes (Com. Schaffer absent) and so the resolution was adopted.

Sidney Corbett
granted an
abatement of
\$1500⁰⁰

Rev. Sidney Corbett made an application for an abatement of \$1500⁰⁰ reduction on St. Mark's Rectory, which was granted all the members voting yes.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That an order be made for the change in the Minneapolis^{and} Monticello Road in the Town of Maple Grove in accordance with the report of the committee on the petition of J. W. Peters and others, adopted July 9th 1879.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were four yeas and one nay, as follows:

Yeas - Commissioners Palmer, Schaffer, Ward^{and} Willson 4

Nays - Commissioner Gleason 1

And so the resolution was adopted and the following order made.

State of Minnesota }
County of Hennepin }

Road Order
changing the
Minneapolis^{and}
Monticello Road
in Maple Grove.

At a meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of said County^{held} July 9th 1879 a copy of the report of the Committee appointed by us at our last session, to examine the road hereinafter named, having been duly returned, by which said report it appears that the said Committee met at the time and place designated in our order of appointment and examined the highway proposed to be changed viz: Beginning at a point where the Minneapolis^{and} Monticello Road crosses the line between Sections Thirty-one (31) and Thirty-two (32) Township One Hundred^{and} Ninety (119) Range Twenty-two (22) Town of Maple Grove, and running thence north on line between Sections Thirty-one (31) and Thirty-two (32) and Sections Twenty-nine (29) and Thirty (30) same town and range till it intersects the road known as the Concordia Road And recommended that the prayer of the petitioners for

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Tuesday Aug. 5th 1879 Continued.

Changing said highway be granted: and bring of the opinion that the public interest would be promoted by the change of said highway and that the location of said road would be of sufficient advantage to the County to warrant the paying of damages hereinafter assessed, we do hereby order and determine that the prayer of said petitioners be granted, and that a highway be and is hereby changed according to the description above given, (for more accurate description see surveyor's plot and report) which is hereby declared to be a public highway, and the Auditor is hereby directed to notify the Supervisors of the several towns through which such highway is changed, that they cause so much of said highway as lies in their respective towns to be opened without delay. We have assessed the damages sustained by reason of the change of said road to the lands over which the same passes and to the owners thereof, as follows: Patrick Darnity 10 cents, Michael Gilcher 10 cents, Cornelius Gleason 10 cents, John Garrity 10 cents, Mary Kennedy 10 cents, John Kennedy 10 cents, and all others along the line 10 cents each.

Given under my hands this 5th day of August A.D. 1879

Official Seal

(Signed)

W. W. Allen

Attent

Chairman Board

F. S. McDonald
County Auditor

of County Commissioners

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That an order be made for the location of the Crystal Bay Road in accordance with the report of the Committee on the petition of W. W. Huntington and others adopted July 9th 1879.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously and the following order made,

State of Minnesota }
County of Hennepin }

At a Meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of said County, held July 9th 1879, a copy of the report of the Committee appointed by us at our last session, to examine the road hereafter named, having been duly returned, by which said report it appears that the said Committee met at the time and place designated in our

Crystal Bay
Road.

Crystal Bay
and Order.

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Road

Order.

Order of appointment and examined the Highway proposed to located, viz: Beginning at a point on the Wayzata, Lake Shore and Mound City road near the South East corner of the Northeast (N 8 1/4) quarter of the Southwest (S 20 1/4) quarter of Section Ten (10) Township One Hundred and Seventeen (117) Range Twenty-three (23) which point is designated as station forty-one (41) of the Wayzata, Lake Shore and Mound City Road, according to the recorded plat thereof, bring in the Town of Nordonia, Thence running southerly across the entrance to Cryptol Bay, thence westerly across sections Fifteen (15) Sixteen (16) and Seventeen (17) Township One Hundred and Seventeen (117) Range Twenty-three (23) Town of Excelsior. The said road being definitely described in Surveyor's report and recorded plat of said road, accompanying the report of said Committee on file in the County Auditor's Office as ^{the} Cryptol Bay Road.

And recommended that the prayer of the petitioners for the location of said highway be granted; And bring of the opinion that the public interest would be promoted by the opening of said highway and that the opening of said road would be of sufficient advantage to the County to warrant the paying of damages hereinafter assessed, we do hereby order and determine that the prayer of said petitioners be granted and that a Highway be and is hereby located according to the description above given, which is hereby declared to be a public highway, and the Auditor is hereby directed to notify the Supervisors of the several towns through which such highway is located that they cause so much of said highway as lies in their respective towns to be opened without delay. We have assessed the damages sustained by reason of the location of said road to the lands over which the same passes and to the owners thereof, as follows: Thomas Wilkie \$50 and all other owners along the line of said Road 10 cents each.

Given under my hand this 5th day of August A.D. 1879
 Official Seal

(Signed) M. H. Allen
 Chairman Board of
 County Commissioners.

Attest

F. S. Mc Donald,
 County Auditor.

Road Order
 on Rec. Linc. br.
 Rec 19 & 20
 219 R 23

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:
 Resolved, That an order be made for the location of a highway on the line between Sections Nineteen (19) and Thirty (30) Township Twenty-one (21) Range Twenty-three (23) in accordance with the report of the

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Tuesday August 5th 1879 continued.

Committee appointed May 6th 1879 made June 23^d 1879 and adopted this date

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously and the following order made:

State of Minnesota }
County of Hennepin }

At a meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of said County, held June 23^d 1879, a copy of the report of the Committee appointed by us at our last session, to examine the road hereinafter named. Having been duly returned, by which said report it appears that the said committee met at the time and place designated in our order of appointment and examined the highway proposed to be located viz: Beginning at a point on the eastern boundary line of Hennepin County where the section line between Sections Nineteen (19) and Thirty (30) Township Twenty-nine (29) Range Twenty-three (23), intersects said County line - thence running West on line between said Sections Nineteen (19) and Thirty to the eastern boundary line of the City of Minneapolis, And recommended that the prayer of the petitioners for locating said highway be granted; and being of the opinion that the public interest would be promoted by the building of said highway and that the location of said road would be of sufficient advantage to the County to warrant the paying of damages hereinafter annexed, we do hereby order and determine that the prayer of said petitioners be granted and that a highway be and is hereby located according to the description above given, (for more accurate description, see Surveyor's plat & report) which is hereby declared to be a public highway, and the Auditor is hereby directed to notify the Supervisors of the several towns through which such highway is located that they cause so much of said highway as lies in their respective towns to be opened without delay. We have annexed the damages sustained by reason of the location of said road to the lands over which the same pass and to the owners thereof, as follows: Emily S. Eustis 10 cents, W. D. Kurney 10 cts, University of Minnesota ten cents, and all others along the line ten cents each.

Given under my hand this 5th day of August A.D. 1879

Official Seal

Attest

L. S. McDonald
County Auditor.

(Signed) M. W. Glenn

Chairman of the Board
of County Commissioners.

Order
locating road
line between
cs 19 & 30
m 29 & 23

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Tuesday August 5th 1879 Continued.

Commissioner Ward offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That an order be made for the location of a highway in accordance with the report of the committee appointed May 6th made June 6 and adopted Aug 5th 1879. The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously and the following order made.

State of Minnesota }
County of Hennepin }

Road Order
locating the
extension of
Central Ave

At a meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of said County, held June 23rd 1879 a copy of the report of the Committee appointed by us at our last session, to examine the road hereinafter named, having been duly returned, by which said report it appears that the said committee met at the time and place designated in our order of appointment and examine the highway proposed to be located, viz: Beginning at a point where the line between Section Sixteen (16) and Eighteen (18) Township Twenty-nine (29) Range Twenty-three (23) intersects the eastern boundary line of Hennepin County and running thence South-westerly in the direction of the Stone Arch Bridge in the City of Minneapolis - to the eastern boundary line of the City of Minneapolis. And recommended that the prayer of the petitioners for locating said highway be granted; and being of the opinion that the public interest would be promoted by the location of said highway and that the building of said road would be of sufficient advantage to the County to warrant the paying of damages hereinafter assessed, we do hereby order and determine that the prayer of said petitioners be granted and that a highway be and is hereby located according to the description above given (for more accurate description see plat & report of surveyor) which is hereby declared to be a public highway, and the Auditor is hereby directed to notify the Supervisors of the several towns through which such highway is located that they cause so much of said highway as lies in their respective towns to be opened without delay. We have assessed the damages sustained by reason of the location of said road to the lands over which the same passes and to the owners thereof, as follows: S. C. Hale 10 cents, W. W. Huntington 10 cts. S. H. White 10 cents, James Stinson 10 cents, and all others along the line 10 cents each.

Given under my hand this 5th day of August A.D. 1879

(Official Seal)

attest

J. S. McDougal
County Auditor

(Signed) M. W. Glenn

Chairman of the Board of
County Commissioners

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Tuesday August 5th 1879 Continued.

proposals for
enlargement of
jail

Com. Schaefer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Committee on Court House and Jail be and are hereby instructed to advertise for proposals for putting up the walls and putting on the roof for the enlargement of the Jail.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

Com. Ward from the majority of the Committee appointed June 6th 1879, upon the petition of John DeLaitte and others presented the following report.

Majority Report
of Committee
on petition of
John DeLaitte
and others
for change in
St. Paul and
St. Anthony
State Road.

To the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Hennepin:

The undersigned Committee appointed by you to examine the proposed change of highway, as stated in the petition referred to in your order of appointment made on the sixth day of June 1879, would respectfully report that we met at the time and place designated in your said order and proceeded to examine the highway proposed to be changed, viz: Beginning at a point in said road where it makes an angle northeasterly of the southerly end of Wacker's Island, in Sec. Thirty-one (31) Township Twenty-three (23) Range Twenty-three (23) thence running southeasterly to a point two rods from the top of the bluff of the Mississippi River, thence northeasterly following the general course of the river to a point about one hundred feet north of the center line of the Milwaukee & St. Paul short line rail road, thence north till it intersects said St. Paul and St. Anthony State Road. And do hereby recommend that the prayer of said petitioners be rejected.

Given under our hands this 5th day of August A.D. 1879.

(Signed) } C. H. Ward
 } H. Willson
 Committee

Commissioner Schaefer from the Committee appointed June 6th 1879, upon the petition of John DeLaitte and others presented the following minority report.

Minority Report
Com. on
petition of John
DeLaitte & others

To the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Hennepin:

The undersigned Committee appointed by you to examine the proposed change of highway as stated in the petition referred to in your order of appointment made on the

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Minority Report
of Committee on
petition of
John Dr. Laiter
and others for
change in the
St. Paul and
St. Anthony
State Road.

Sixth day of June 1879. would respectfully report that we met at the time and place designated in your said order and proceeded to examine ~~the~~ the highway proposed to be changed, viz: Beginning at a point in said road where it makes an angle northwesterly of the southerly end of Market Street in Section 31 Town 29 Range Twenty-three (23) thence running southwesterly to a point two rods from the top of the bluff of the Mississippi River, thence northwesterly following the general course of the river to a point about one hundred feet northerly of the entrance of the Milwaukee and St. Paul Short Line Rail Road, thence north till it intersects said St. Paul and St. Anthony State Road.

And do hereby recommend that the prayer of the said petitioner be granted.

Given under our hands this fifth day of August A.D. 1879.

(Signed) J. Schaefer
Committee

Motion on
adoption of
the reports

Com. Ward moved the adoption of the majority report and Com. Wilson seconded the motion.

Com. Schaefer moved the adoption of the minority report. The Chairman called Com. Wilson to the Chair and seconded Com. Schaefer's motion.

Majority Report
adopted

The question was on the adoption of the majority report and the roll being called there were four yeas and one nay as follows.

Yeas - Commissioners, Palmer, Ward, Wilson & Mr. Chairman 4
Nays - Commissioner Schaefer - 1

And so the majority was adopted.

Notice of
reconsideration

Com. Glenn gave notice that he should move a reconsideration of the vote just taken, at the next regular meeting of the board.

Dr. C. S. Stoddard
& W. J. Abernethy
bills
disallowed.

The County Attorney returned the bill of Dr. C. S. Stoddard and W. J. Abernethy disapproved.

Com. Palmer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the bills of Dr. C. S. Stoddard and W. J. Abernethy be rejected.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Tuesday August 5th 1879 Concluded

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was adopted, all the members voting yes except Mr. Chairman who voted no.

Adjourned.

On motion of Com. Ward the Board adjourned until Monday August 18th 1879, at 10 O'clock A.M.

Attest

F. S. McDonald
County Auditor

W. H. Stearns
Chairman of the Board of
County Commissioners

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The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Chairman. All the members present.

M. G. Wayne's application for an abatement

M. G. Wayne made application for an abatement of \$1400⁰⁰ valuation on a shop on Lot 12 Block 25 Wilson Bell Wayne's Add.

Referred to Com. on Taxes.

A. H. Roberts' Contract approved

The contract between Charles H. Ward Chairman of the Com. on Roads and Bridges of the Board of County Commissioners and E. F. Irwin Chairman Board of Supervisors of Town of Richfield and A. H. Roberts Contractor for grading the Stansfield Hill was presented to the board for approval.

Com. Schaefer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the contract between Charles H. Ward, E. F. Irwin and A. H. Roberts be and is hereby approved.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the same was adopted unanimously.

E. E. Barnard and James Stansfield's applications for abatement granted.

Com. Schaefer from the Com. on Taxes reported back the applications of E. E. Barnard and James Stansfield for abatements with the recommendation that the abatements be made as James Stansfield asked for.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the same was adopted unanimously.

Com. Schaefer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the report and recommendations of the Committee be adopted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called on each application the resolutions were adopted unanimously.

James Pauly granted an abatement of \$3000.

Com. Schaefer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the report and recommendations of the Committee be adopted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the same was adopted unanimously.

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Monday August 18th 1879 continued.

Com. Schafer from the Com. on Taxes reported back the application of William Kelust for an abatement with the recommendation that \$200 of valuation be abated.

Com. Schafer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the report and recommendations of the Committee be adopted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the same was adopted unanimously.

Com. Schafer from the Com. on Taxes reported back the applications of E. F. Drake, M. G. Mayn and E. A. Merrill for abatements with the recommendation that the abatement be not made.

Com. Schafer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the report of the Committee be adopted.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

George Stater presented the receipt of the County Treasurer for Five dollars and asked the board to renew his Ferry License for five years.

Com. Palmer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the Ferry License of George Stater at Dayton be and is hereby renewed for five years.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the same was adopted unanimously.

The Minneapolis Harvester Works made application for an abatement of the assessment of said Harvester Works in the City of Minneapolis the same property being also assessed in the Town of Minneapolis for the year 1879.

Com. Palmer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the application of the Minneapolis Harvester Works for an abatement be rejected upon the advice of the Co. Atty.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the same was adopted unanimously.

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Monday August 18th 1879 concluded

Mower Co's
bill of \$10⁰⁰
rejected

A communication was received from the County Auditor of Mower Co. presenting a bill of said County against Hennepin^(County) for five dollars for one week's board of George Butler and fare of same from Austin to Minneapolis.

Com. Willson offered the following resolution;

Resolved, That the bill of Mower County be rejected. The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

Assessment
of the personal
property of
the Minneapolis
Harvester

The Minneapolis Harvester Works made application for the abatement of the ^(Personal) assessment of said Harvester Works in the Town of Minneapolis for the year 1879 the same property being assessed in the City of Minneapolis for the same year.

Works for
1879 in Town
of Minneapolis
stricken off

Com. Palmer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the ^(Personal) assessment of the Minneapolis Harvester Works for the year 1879 in the Town of Minneapolis be stricken from the assessment roll of said town. The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the same was unanimously adopted.

David Symes
application for
an abatement.

David Symes made application for an abatement of \$2702 valuation on property in Long Lake
Referred to Com. on Taxes.

Adjourned

Com. Palmer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That this board do now adjourn. The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the same was adopted unanimously and the board adjourned.

Attest

F. D. McDonald
County Auditor

W. H. Glenzie
Chairman of the Board
County Commissioners

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Monday Sept. 1st 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to law and was called to order by the chairman

All the members present.

Com. Palmer from the Com. on Claims reported the following bills correct and recommended that they be allowed, viz:

all allowed	P. H. Profferding	For Goods furnished the Poor	\$5.00	✓
	Mrs. P. Wingart	do	11.00	✓
	Abble & Armstrong	do	20.00	✓
	J. J. Mc Carthy	do	23.50	✓
	P. H. Pendergast	do	8.00	✓
	L. G. Johnson	do	20.00	✓
	H. W. Hawes	do	5.00	✓
	L. Drmules	do	21.00	✓
	J. H. Guitson	do	14.00	✓
	J. A. Larson	do	5.50	✓
	John Hechtman	do	13.00	✓
	W. Smith	do	15.00	✓
	Mrs. M. Weber	do	11.00	✓
	Bert, Drake	do	10.00	✓
	L. J. Winn	do	5.00	✓
	L. W. Lasher	do	6.50	✓
	E. A. Harmon & Co	do	14.00	✓
	J. G. Huber	do	85.27	✓
	A. C. Haugan	do	31.00	✓
	Thos. Hall	do	3.00	✓
	John Hayes	do	15.00	✓
	Thos. H. Blood	do	3.50	✓
	Mr. Peterson	do	2.50	✓
	Dennis Healy	do	10.00	✓
	Otto Peterson	do	4.50	✓
	Cottage Hospital	Board and care of sick poor	167.15	✓
	L. W. Squire	for conveying sick poor to Cottage Hospital	1.00	✓
	F. P. Varney	do	1.00	✓
	Dr. P. P. P.	do	1.00	✓
	H. C. Colbroth	for Medicines & supplies furnished Co. Physician	26.07	✓
	F. A. Dunsmoor	County Physician Aug. 1879	214.70	✓
	Ames & Salisbury	Medical Attendance on poor	40.00	✓
	Martin Layman	Graves for poor	52.00	✓
	Whitman O' Brien	do	3.00	✓

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Bills allowed	P. H. Pendergast	For Meddett's services	\$17.50
	Jacob Rauen	For Work at poor farm	10.00
	J. H. Wenden	do	1.25
	H. H. Hopkins	For thrashing at Poor Farm	87.61
	H. R. Griffith	For Stone and labor at Poor Farm	125.70
	William Satter	" Work at Poor Farm	8.00
	T. Connelly	For cash paid for labor and material at poor farm.	223.72
	Clark & McBlure	For lumber at poor farm	49.40
	Eli Harland	2 pulley blocks for poor farm	110.00
	J. B. McFarlane	Insurance at poor farm.	13.50
	Goodfellow & Eastman	For Woods for poor farm	37.45
	A. Kelly & Co	do	86.58
	Jammy & Roe	do	606.01 62.06
	do	For repairs at Court House	1.20
	Smith, Scribner & Co.	" goods for do	4.98
	Bushman & Plummer	For Stationery	8.50
	R. D. Brown	do	4.48
	O. A. Pray & Co.	For repairs of Jail	4.53
	A. R. Thompson	" Board of prisoners	230.57
	S. H. Bates	For services as Co. Surveyor	18.00
	Winnipeg Gas Co.	For Gas for Court House & Jail	7.00
	Ed. A. Stevens	publishing proceedings of Co. Court	54.80
	do	" " " Board of Equalization	13.60
	Winnipeg Tribune Co.	For advertising, printing & blanks	82.35
	Laurel & Reid	For plumbing at Court House	200.24
	H. Pratt & Co	For Burglar proof bar for Co. Jail	315.00
	Davidson & Hall	For Printing	11.00

The question was on the adoption of the report and recommendations of the Committee and the roll being called it was accepted unanimously.

Co. Atty. report on bills The following bills having been referred to the County Atty. by the Court, as claims, were returned by him approved

A. R. Thompson	For Sheriff's Fees	\$190.85
do	do	24.70
D. L. Hunt	For Justice Fees	3.30
Sam'l Lydiard	do	10.15
O. S. Gates	For Constables Fees	6.95
Thomas Livcoack	do	4.95
R. B. Dickey	For Fees as Deputy Sheriff	25.35

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James Nolan	Summoning Jury for Jurors August	\$4.94	✓
O. H. Wescott	do.	12.25	
Mrs. Johnson	For Washing for Jail	14.97	
W. H. Glenn	For services and mileage as Co. Com. Aug. 1879.	27.80	
L. R. Palmer	do.	44.90	
J. Schaefer	do.	48.70	
H. H. Ward	do.	53.40	
H. Wilson	do.	60.80	

Com. Palmer offered the following resolution:
 Resolved, That the following bills be allowed they having been approved by the Sec. Atty.

do allowed.	A. R. Thompson	Sheriff's Fees	\$170.85	
	do	do	24.70	
	D. B. Hunt	Justice Fees	3.30	✓
	Sam'l. Lydiard	do.	10.15	
	O. S. Gates	Constable's Fees	6.95	
	Thomas Luwcock	do.	4.95	
	R. B. Dietley	Fees as Deputy Sheriff	25.35	
	James Nolan	Summoning Jurors' August	4.95	
	O. H. Wescott	do.	12.25	✓
	Mrs. Johnson	Washing for Jail	14.97	✓
	W. H. Glenn	For services & mileage as Co. Com.	27.40	✓
	L. R. Palmer	do.	44.90	✓
	J. Schaefer	do.	48.70	✓
	H. H. Ward	do.	53.40	✓
	H. Wilson	do.	60.80	✓

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was unanimously adopted.

A communication was received from the Clerk of the District Court returning names of persons drawn as Grand and Petit Jurors for the May term of the District Court.

Ordered placed on file.

S. Parker's
bill.

J. S. Parker presented a bill of \$18⁰⁰ for board and care of Mrs. Henry & child for 3 weeks.

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1879 Continued.

J. S. Parker's
bill
allowed

Com. Palmer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the bill of J. S. Parker be allowed,
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll
being called, the same was adopted, all the members
voting yea except Messrs. Ward and Willson who voted no.

Mrs. M. E. Thorn presented a bill of \$12⁰⁰ for board and
care of the Richardson child.

M. E. Thorn
A. Prager &
E. H. Hull's
bills allowed

A. Prager presented a bill of \$13⁵⁷ for board of Abner
Abrahamus ^{and}

E. H. Hull presented a bill of \$30⁰⁰ for board and care
of J. H. Giffish.

Com. Palmer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the bill of M. E. Thorn for \$12⁰⁰
A. Prager for \$13⁵⁷ and E. H. Hull for \$30⁰⁰ be allowed.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the
roll being called, the same was adopted all the members
voting yea except Mr. Ward who voted no.

A. L. Hunt's
bill.

A. L. Hunt presented a bill of \$18⁴⁸ for Justice Constable
and witness fees

Referred to the Co. Atty.

Mr. Stoker to
board
H. Rooster

Com. Schaefer stated that he had made arrangements
with A. Mr. Stoker to board one H. Rooster a county
charge for \$4⁰⁰ per week and offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That Mr. Stoker be paid \$4⁰⁰ per week for board
and care of H. Rooster until further orders.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the
roll being called the same was adopted all the members
voting yea except Messrs. Ward and Willson who voted no.

The Co. Atty returned the bill of A. L. Hunt with the recom-
mendation that the sum of \$18²⁴ be allowed

A. L. Hunt's
bill
allowed

Com. Schaefer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the bill of A. L. Hunt be allowed as
recommended by the Co. Atty.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the
roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

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Thomas Kirkwood presented a bill of \$3⁰⁰ for attendance on Co. Board of Equalization.

Com. Scharfer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the bill of Thos. Kirkwood be rejected.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

The County Auditor laid before the board the report of the Board of Audit.

Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

Com. Scharfer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That work on the Wmmitouka and Excelsior Road be discontinued until the Town of Wmmitouka and Citizens pay the amounts agreed upon, and the County Auditor notify proprietors of the Hotel St. Louis and the Supervisors of the Town of Wmmitouka of the action of this board.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted, all the members voting ^{yea}, except Mr. Ward who voted no.

Com. Scharfer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the County Auditor be and is hereby directed to advertise for proposals for furnishing one hundred and fifty cords of good, dry, hard body Maple Wood to be delivered and closely piled in the Court House yard as follows, 50 cords on or before Dec. 20th 1879 and 150 cords on or before Feb. 1st 1880.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted, all the members voting ^{yea}, except Messrs. Ward & Willson who voted no.

Mr. Ward asked to be secured from further service on the Com. on Wood. Request not granted.

On motion the board adjourned until Monday Sept. 8th 1879, at 10^o clock A. M.

Attest,

F. S. McDonald
County Auditor.

Attest
Chairman Board of
County Commissioners

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1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Chairman all the members present.

S. H. Baker
H. Willson
Reports

S. H. Baker County Surveyor and George Willson County Commissioner from the 5th Com. District each made a report on the work done on the "Stansfield Hill" by A. H. Roberts Contractor.

Reports accepted and ordered placed on file.

A. H. Roberts presented a bill of \$753⁵⁷ for work done on the "Stansfield Hill" as per contract.

A. H. Roberts
bill
allowed.

Com. Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, that the bill of A. H. Roberts be allowed.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

Petition of
John McDonald
and others
for \$106.

A petition signed by John McDonald and others asking for an appropriation of \$106 for work on the Patnode and Fox Road in the Town of Baraboo, the petitioners agreeing to give a like amount, was received and referred to the Com. on Roads & Bridges.

Petition of
J. H. Patnode
and others.

A petition signed by J. H. Patnode and others asking for an appropriation for work on Western Avenue outside the City, was received and referred to the Com. on Roads & Bridges.

Petition of
O. S. Miller
and others
for \$200.

A petition signed by O. S. Miller and others of Champaign asking for an appropriation of \$200⁰⁰ to build a bridge over Elm Creek on the Champaign & Brooklyn Road, was received and referred to the Com. on Roads & Bridges.

G. A. Camp's
application
for an
abatement.

Geo. A. Camp made application for a reduction of \$2910 valuation on land in Sec. 22 Township 29 Range 24 also for an abatement of \$10,000 valuation of improvements on parts of Lots 8, 9 & 10 Block 5 Hoag's add.

Referred to the Com. on Taxes.

George Willson
bill of \$153⁷⁵

George Willson presented a bill of \$153⁷⁵ for work done on the Winnetonka and Excelsior Roads.

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Monday Sept. 8th 1879 Continued

George Willson's
bill
allowed.

Com. Willson offered the following resolution,
Resolved, That the bill of George Willson be allowed.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being
called the same was adopted unanimously.

Connolly
Report

J. Connolly Supt. of the Poor Farm presented his report for Augst.
1879.

Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

F. A. Nunsmon
report

Dr. F. A. Nunsmon Co Physician presented his report for Augst. 1879.
Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

The County Auditor stated to the board that School District
No 88 have not received all the School Text Books ordered
and paid for by them, that there was \$11⁵⁹ due said district
on account of State Text Books.

School Dist.
No. 88
allowed
\$11⁵⁹

Com. Schaefer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That an order for \$11⁵⁹ be drawn on the Co.
Revenue in favor of School Dist. 88 on account of State
School Text Books.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and
the roll being called, the same was unanimously adopted.

Sygnus
Application
abatement
rejected

Com. Schaefer from the Com. on Taxes, reported back the
application of D. Sygnus for an abatement with the
recommendation that the abatement be not made.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the
roll being called the same was adopted unanimously.

A. Camps
Application
for an
abatement
rejected.

Com. Schaefer from the Com. on Taxes reported back the
applications of A. A. Camp for abatements with the
recommendations that the abatements be not made
Judgement having been entered.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and
the roll being called, the same was unanimously adopted.

Recess

The Board took a recess until 2 O'clock P.M.

2 O'clock P.M.

The Board was called to order by the Chairman,
all the members present.

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Charles Gibson

Charles Gibson addressed the board on the importance of improving the road from the City to and around Lake Minnetonka.

August Treager presented a bill of \$200 for Lightning Rods on Mainey Wood shed at Poor Farm.

August Treager's bill allowed

Com. Palmer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That August Treager be allowed \$158⁰⁰ in full for all claims against the county.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called the same was adopted, all the members voting yes except Com. Ward who voted no.

George Huntington presented a bill of \$16⁴⁵ for board and medical attendance on Lizzie Hastings.

George Huntington's bill allowed

Com. Schaefer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the bill of George Huntington be allowed less \$2⁰⁰ paid Dr. Hammond.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called there were 3 yeas and 2 nays as follows:
Yea - Coms Palmer, Schaefer & Mr. Chairman - 3
Nay - Coms Ward and Wilson - 2
And so the resolution was adopted.

Grand Jurors

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the names of the following persons be placed on the Grand Jury list for the current year.

Horace Hawkins, George Horro, Samuel Morrison, J. M. Jenkins
Thomas Kirkwood, R. E. Brinslow, J. M. Robinson, A. R. Guider,
P. B. Eddy, Charles F. Fairfield, W. H. Gibbs, E. A. Harmon,
J. O. Brown, Collins Warner, John T. Gilman, Winthrop Young,
George D. Perkins, John Wirsinger, Andrew Davis, Gottlieb Glick,
W. R. Nelson, Jonas H. Howe & Charles Schiebe

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

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at Jurors

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution;
 Resolved, That the names of the following persons be placed
 on the Petit Jury List for the ensuing year,
 L. Tucker, J. B. Wiggins, Wm. Metcalf, Adam Koestner, H. N. Smith,
 A. Curtis, L. R. Malborn, Frank H. Fleming, George Kettie Sr.,
 S. L. Hammond, J. O. Sloan, Wm. P. Christensen, B. Barry, J. A. Norris,
 P. Felt, Milton Cooper, Gideon R. Stetson, A. H. Frank, P. M. Jamney,
 W. L. Summer, E. Lamborn, Rudolf Webber, Charles Fox,
 A. D. Foster, A. P. Cherry, Alvin Stone, Edward Long, Frank
 Benjamin, E. F. Irvine, J. H. Pound, J. P. McArthur, Chas.
 Hauke, John Green, Robert Townsend, James Davis & George Hammen.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the
 roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

Frank Stocum's
 report

Frank Stocum Esq. Treas. presented his monthly statement for Aug. 1879
 Accepted and ordered placed on file.

contract for
 jail

Com. Ward offered the following resolution,
 Resolved, That the Committee on Court House and Jail
 be instructed to close a contract with the lowest bidder
 for building a jail.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and
 the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

Paul &
 Anthony
 to Road

Com. Glenn called Com. Palmer to the chair and moved
 to reconsider the vote whereby the board adopted the report
 of a majority of the Committee appointed on the petition
 of John Dr. Sautter and others Aug. 5th 1879

Com. Ward having left it left the board without as
 many members present as there was at the time the
 vote was taken.

adjourned.

Com. Glenn again resumed the chair and
 Com. Palmer moved that the board adjourn until
 Wednesday Sept. 17th 1879, at 10 O'clock A.M.
 The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and
 the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously
 and the board adjourned.

Attest

F. S. McDaniel
 County Auditor.

W. H. Glenn
 Chairman of the Board
 of County Commissioners

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Wednesday, Sept. 17th 1879.

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Chairman.

All the members present.

Board of
Education
application
for abatement

The County Attorney returned the application of the Board of Education for abatement of taxes on certain lots owned by said board with the opinion that the application should be refused.

Commissioner Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the application of the Board of Education for abatements be rejected upon the advice of the County Attorney.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted, all the members voting yeas.

C. H. Prior

A communication was received from C. H. Prior Supt. of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Company in reference to the change in the St. Paul and St. Anthony State Road near McKew Island. Stating that it is the intention of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Company to put a Wagon Road under the Railway and construct the proper changes in the State Road. Ordered placed on file.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolution:

Resolved,

That the vote whereby the majority report of the Committee appointed on the petition of John DeLaitter and others for a change in the St. Paul and St. Anthony State Road taken Aug. 5th 1879 be reconsidered. The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were 3 yeas and 2 nays as follows:
Yeas, - Com's Palmer, Schaefer and Mr. Chairman. 3
Nays. " Willson and Waide. 2
And so the resolution was adopted.

St. Paul &
St. Anthony
State Road

Commissioner Schaefer offered the following resolution:

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.
 Wednesday. Sept. 17th 1879 Continued.

Paul &
 Anthony
 State Road

Resolved, That the minority report of the Committee appointed on the petition of John D'Laithe and others for a change in the St. Paul and St. Anthony State Road near Meeker's Island be adopted; The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

Commissioner Ward gave notice of a motion to reconsider the vote just taken, at the next meeting of the board.

Commissioner Palmer offered the following resolutions;

Resolved,

That the board do now adjourn.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted, unanimously and the board adjourned.

Attest

F. S. McDonald
 County Auditor.

W. H. Blinn
 Chairman of the Board
 of County Commissioners

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Monday October 6th 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to law and was called to order by the Chairman

All the members present.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

Co. Physician

Dr. F. A. Drusmoor County Physician presented his report for Sept. 1879.

Report accepted & ordered placed on file.

Com. Avenue

A communication was received from Henry B. Blake and others of Ross Township Ramsey Co. asking that Com. Avenue across the meadow be so fixed that the snow will not blow off from the same during the winter.

Communication referred to the Commissioner from the First District with power to act.

Com. Palmer from the Com. on Claims reported the following bills as correct and recommended that they be allowed.

Bills allowed.

G. H. Irvine	Goods furnished the poor	\$ 10.00
Mathias Kees	do.	24.00
Peterson Bros	do.	30.00
Sundley & Hanson	do.	11.00
Otto Peterson	do.	7.50
H. F. Bierback	do.	13.50
H. O. Peterson	do.	13.00
L. Norwack	do.	14.00
J. Lange	do.	3.50
J. Bacher	do.	4.00
J. Dimules	do.	5.00
John Wapys	do.	16.00
H. D. Blood	do.	3.50
Gray & Winter	do.	5.00
A. L. Haugan	do.	44.00
C. Kingsley & Co.	do.	30.00
Hudson Bros	do.	14.50
A. Sigman	do.	22.00
A. Thavalson	do.	33.50
Wm Kelly	do.	6.00

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Wm. Field	Goods furnished the poor	\$ 40.00	✓
L. Filbert	do	10.00	✓
T. L. Murill	do	7.00	
A. B. Held	do	23.00	✓
Waves & Davis	do	7.00	✓
W. Jarvie	do	3.50	✓
L. Jacobson	do	16.00	✓
N. H. Ginton	do	8.00	✓
L. Miller	do	4.00	✓
J. H. Huber	do	86.49	✓
Chas. Smith	do	5.00	✓
W. W. Waves & Smith	do	5.00	
F. L. Taylor	do	4.00	✓
J. L. Furber	do	4.00	✓
E. A. Harmon & Co.	do	4.00	✓
John Hechtman	do	8.00	✓
Margaret Weber	do	16.00	✓
Morse & Rowe	Wood furnished the poor	8.75	✓
Cottage Hospital	Board and care of sick poor	184.30	✓
Mrs. J. S. Parker	" " " " Mrs. Benny Child	15.00	✓
" W. E. Thorn	" " " " the Richardson Child	12.00	✓
Joseph Schulerburg	" " " " H. Baker	4.00	✓
A. P. Stoltz	" " " " Killman Posted	13.70	✓
J. S. Sifford	digging grave for Robins, and going to Minneapolis for coffin	\$ 8.00	✓
Alpheus Dale	conveying sick poor to Hospital	2.50	✓
N. Renner	do	2.00	✓
W. H. Ensign	do	3.00	
A. G. Smith	carriage to take Jackson Child to Cemetery	3.00	✓
F. A. Drummond	services as Co. Physician, Sept. 1879	265.80	✓
Martin Layman	Graves for poor	41.00	✓
H. T. Vail & Co.	Undertaker's services for July, Aug & Sept.	80.50	✓
Wm. Glesner	do	28.50	✓
Thomas Gardner	Medicines & Material furnished Co. Physician	6.80	✓
F. W. Kelley	Wax and Material for Poor Farm	3.58	✓
Geo. W. Noble & Co.	Dry Goods " " "	23.38	✓
A. Kelly & Co.	Groceries " " "	59.19	✓
Wesley Neil	" " " "	5.70	✓
Harriet Douglass & Co.	Bran " " "	29.08	✓
Sammy Brooks & Eastman	Hardware " " "	21.40	
Waves & Davis	Boots & Shoes " " "	25.70	✓
McMullen & Palmer	Apples " " "	3.00	✓

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Bills allowed.	Gale & Co	Insurance on granary & grain at Poor Farm	\$22.50
	E. A. Bramsie	Blacksmithing for Poor Farm	7.00
	August Ende	Simmer & Mobbing for Overseer of Poor Farm	3.25
	Geo. H. Rich & Co	Goods furnished the poor and Poor Farm	2.45
	May & Winter	Groceries for Poor Farm	31.18
	Walbrook & Co	1 Bbl. Beef for do	10.00
	T. Connolly	Wage for labor at do	212.62
	A. R. Thompson	Boarding Prisoners	328.23
	O. A. Pray & Co	Repairs on Jail	10.50
	Mrs. Johnson	Washing for Jail	29.58
	Minneapolis Gas Co.	Gas for Jail	2.80
	Lushman & Plummer	Stationery	26.46
	R. D. Brown	do	8.15
	Minneapolis Tribune Co	Printing, blank & books	48.25
	Johnson, Smith & Harrison	do	111.75
	R. Brown	Wage at Court House	212.62
	A. Livingston	Goods for do	6.75
	James Hughes	Wage at do	4.80
	F. B. McDaniel	Rubber Stamps for do	4.50
	Minneapolis Gas Co	Gas for do	3.00
	Jamney, Brooks & Eastman, Asst. Waddock & Co	for Roads	14.36
	Pioneer-Press	Printing Advertisement for Sept.	11.15
	Jacob Volbright	Building bridge over Rush Creek as per Contract	9.00
	Adam Hokenstein	Labor and material on Bancroft & Nordine Town line Road	100.00
	James H. Peters	Labor on Plymouth & Maple Grove Road	107.00
	George Hillson	Wage on Minneapolis & Excelsior Road	49.50
			42.25

The question was on the adoption of the report and recommendation of the committee, and the roll being called the same was unanimously adopted.

For A. Barts. A communication was received from Hon. A. Barts asking if Hennepin County had a boy and girl under three years of age, at the poor farm that could be adopted by a family.

Referred to County Auditor to answer in the affirmative

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Monday October 6 1879

tion of
La Brois
others

A petition signed by Jule La Brois and others asking for an appropriation of \$105⁰⁰ for repairs on the Minneapolis and Monticello Road in Dayton near the residence of Mr. La Brois, the petitioners agreeing to give a like amount.

appropriation
\$105⁰⁰ for
Minneapolis &
Monticello Road

Com. Ward offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the appropriation of \$105⁰⁰ be made as asked for.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted, all the members voting yes except Com. Schaefer who voted no.

ness of
or Farm
Report

J. Connolly Overseer of the Poor Farm presented his report for Sept. 1879.
Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

The following bills having been referred to the County Atty. by the Com. on claims were returned by him approved as follows:

Bills
approved by
Atty. and
allowed

M. W. Gleason	Services as Co. Com.	\$ 35.40	✓
L. R. Palmer	do	46.50	✓
J. Schaefer	do	48.00	✓
C. H. Ward	do	52.70	✓
H. Willson	do	56.60	✓
O. S. Gates	Fees as Constable	10.00	✓
A. R. Thompson	Fees as Sheriff	155.25	✓
J. A. Wolverson	Fees as Clerk of the Court	25.00	✓
Dr. H. H. Kimball	Going to Bloomington for Co. Physician, this amount to be deducted from the bill of the County Physician allowed this date,	\$ 30.00	✓

Com. Palmer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the bills of M. W. Gleason, L. R. Palmer, J. Schaefer, C. H. Ward, H. Willson, O. S. Gates, A. R. Thompson, J. A. Wolverson and H. H. Kimball be allowed as approved by the Co. Atty.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

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Monday October 6th 1879No more
appropriation
on Roads

Com. Schafer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That no more money be appropriated by this Board for road purposes until there is money in the Treasury for that purpose.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were 3 yeas and 2 nays as follows:
Yeas - Commissioners Palmer, Schafer & Mr. Chairman 3
Nays - do Ward & Mr. Willson 2
And so the resolution was adopted.

Co. Physician's
Orders

Com. Schafer offered the following resolution.
Resolved, That all orders heretofore issued to the County Physician to attend sick poor be and are hereby revoked, and that said County Physician is not to visit any poor sick on account of Hennepin County without first obtaining an order from the Commissioner of the District in which such sick person resides.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, there were 2 yeas and 3 nays as follows:
Yeas - Commissioners Palmer & Schafer 2
Nays - do Ward, Willson & Mr. Chairman 3
And so the resolution was not adopted.

A. D. Mulford
Contract for
Wood

The County Auditor laid before the Board the proposition of A. D. Mulford to furnish Hennepin County with One Hundred and Fifty (150) Cords of rail road Maple Wood in accordance with the advertisement for proposals to furnish wood to Hennepin Co. for Five Dollars per cord it being the only bid received by him.

Com. Schafer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the proposition of A. D. Mulford be accepted and the Chairman of this Board be and is hereby directed to close a contract with A. D. Mulford to furnish Hennepin County with One Hundred and Fifty (150) Cords of Maple Wood as per advertisement for proposals to furnish wood and the proposition of A. D. Mulford.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted.
Messrs. Palmer, Schafer & Mr. Chairman voting Yeas and Ward & Willson voting No.

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Monday October 6th 1879Paul &
Anthony
State Road

Com. Ward moved to reconsider the vote taken Sept. 15th 1879 whereby this board voted to adopt the minority report of the Committee appointed on the petition of John Dr. Laitte and others for a change in the St. Paul & St. Anthony State Road near Meek's Island

Com. Glenn called Com. Palmer to the Chair and seconded Com. Ward's motion.

The question was on the adoption of the motion, and the roll being called, the motion was adopted unanimously.

Com. Glenn offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the prayer of the petitioners for the change in the St. Paul & St. Anthony State Road be granted and change made as asked for.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the same was adopted unanimously.

adjourned.

Com. Glenn resumed the Chair and on motion of Com. Ward the board adjourned until Wednesday October 15th 1879 at 10 O'clock A.M.

Attest

F. S. McDonald
County Auditor.

Attest
Chairman of the Board
of County Commissioners

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Wednesday Oct. 15th 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Chairman.

All the members present.

Refunder to
Albert Johnson

Albert Johnson made an application to have refunded to him \$24.⁰² on account of taxes on the NW¹/₄ of NE¹/₄ Sec. 28. Town 119 Range 23 for the years 1868 to 1877 inclusive, the same being State Swamp lands and not taxable.

Com. Ward offered the following resolution;

Resolved: That the amount of \$24.⁰² be refunded to Albert Johnson on account of taxes paid by him on land not taxable.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the same was adopted unanimously.

Com. Schafer from the Committee on taxes reported back the application of Charlotte Harmon for an abatement with the recommendation that the abatement be not made, judgment having been entered.

Charlotte Harmon
application for
abatement not
granted

Com. Willson offered the following resolution;

Resolved: That the application of Charlotte Harmon for an abatement be rejected.

The question was on adoption of the resolution and the roll being called the same was adopted unanimously.

A. Barnard
application for
abatement.

Com. Schafer from the Com. on Taxes reported back the application of A. Barnard for an abatement with the recommendation that the application be not granted.

Refused back to the Com. on Taxes.

Com. Palmer from the Com. on claims reported the following bills correct and recommended that they be allowed.

Stebbins Mann	Making plans for enlargement of jail	\$300.
J. S. McDonald	Expenses serving road notices on Supervisors	14.00
C. W. Smith	Postage and Expressage	7.40
J. H. Thompson	Woods for Poor Farm	22.48
H. S. Jones	Woods furnished the Poor	5.00
P. B. Leaverton	do	10.00
C. L. Buffington	do	4.25

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Com. Palmer offered the following resolution;
Resolved,

Bills allowed

That the bills of Stebbins Mann, F. S. McDonald, L. M. Smith, J. H. Thompson, G. S. Jones, P. B. Concoran and P. G. Baffending be allowed.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called the same was adopted unanimously.

Isiah Daugherty
is allowed

Isiah Daugherty presented two bills for work done on the bridge on Western Avenue at the 2^d crossing of Bassett, one for \$248²⁰ and the other for \$51⁵⁰ as per appropriation made July 9th 1879.

Com. Willson offered the following resolution;

Resolved, That the bills of Isiah Daugherty be allowed.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the same was adopted unanimously.

Com. Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That this board do now adjourn.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously and the board adjourned.

Attest

F. S. McDonald
County Auditor

W. H. Glenn
Chairman of the Board
of County Commissioners

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Monday November 3rd 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to law and was called to order by the Chairman.

all the members present.

Minutes of the last session read and approved.

Com. Ward offered the following resolution.

\$3⁸⁰ to
School Dist. 116

Resolved, That the sum of \$3⁸⁰ be refunded to School District No 116 on account Text Book paid for and not received.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called it was unanimously adopted.

Com. Palmer from the Com. on Claims reported the following bills correct and recommended that they be allowed.

Bills allowed.	A. B. Wild Ho	For Goods furnished the poor	\$ 18.00
	Peter B. Bofferding	do.	9.00
	Wm. Field	do.	10.00
	R. Speck	do.	4.00
	R. Meyer	do.	103.00
	W. R. Willson	do.	7.00
	John H. Schuman	do.	10.00
	P. O'Conner	do.	12.00
	Thomas R. Richardson	do.	10.00
	Harris L. Nesser	do.	2.50
	O. Peterson	do.	5.00
	Wm. F. Kelley	do.	3.00
	Martin Peterson	do.	4.00
	Z. Drunels	do.	3.00
	A. L. Haugan	do.	56.00
	Margaret Weber	do.	25.00
	Mrs. P. Weber Weingast	do.	10.00
	John Thielen	do.	15.00
	Siegelbaum Bros.	do.	5.00
	Goodfellow & Eastman	do.	22.00
	N. M. Vanstron	do.	47.50
	H. H. Harois	do.	10.00
	Hoover Lewis	do.	9.00
	Robt. & Armstrong	do.	20.00
	Peterson Bros.	do.	43.50

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Bills	D. Filbert	For goods furnished the poor	\$5.00
Allowed,	J. C. Higgins	do.	22.50
	F. P. Sawell	do.	50.00
	Hudson Bros.	do.	9.00
	A. Sigman	do.	7.50
	J. E. Furber	do.	9.00
	L. W. Steward	Wood furnished the poor	8.10
	A. D. Mulford	do.	17.85
	Mrs M. E. Thorne	Board and care of Richardson Child in Oct. 1879	12.00
	Cottage Hospital	Board and care of sick poor	160.00
	Dr. F. A. Dunsen	Services as Gen. Physician Oct. 1879	256.50
	John Wichtman	Services as Undertaker	9.00
	Whitmore O'Brien	do.	8.00
	P. H. Perdergast	do.	4.00
	Thomas Quinn	Blacksmithing for Poor Farm	2.25
	O. Lhas Holt & Co	Repairing Wagon " " "	1.00
	E. H. Stule	Suit of clothes " " "	3.50
	J. O. Orange	Clothing for Jail	26.70
	Mrs. Johnson	Washing " "	31.99
	O. A. Pray & Co	Repairs of " "	7.93
	N. R. Thompson	Boarding Prisoners Oct. 1879	391.44
	A. Kelly & Co	Provisions for Poor Farm	58.76
	Gray & Winter	do.	2.00
	Smith & Barker	Blk of Beef for Poor Farm	8.00
	Goodfellow & Eastman	dry goods for Poor Farm	23.66
	J. H. Thompson	Clothing " " "	22.85
	Haine & Davis	Shoes " " "	12.35
	Wagner & Cotton	Stationery	13.29
	Brushman & Plummer	do.	13.30
	Sykes & Andrews	100 ft. Hoare & portable	26.38
	F. S. McDermald	paid for postage & expressage	1.67
	A. D. Mulford	46 3/4 cords of Wood at \$5.00	231.88
	L. W. Steward	Wood for Court House	3.50
	Smith & Day	Hardware for Jail	6.70
	Albie Smith	Services as Judge of Probate	6.75
	Ortias Nelson	" " Coroner	94.40
	Ed. A. Stevens	publishing proceeding Gen. Com.	42.40
	Ernie Schmidt	Work on Minneapolis & Waukegan Road in Plymouth	95.00
	Peter Hart	" " " do. & Rockford " " Dayton	150.50
	George Willson	" " " do. " " " "	195.00
	James Wiley	Fees as Constable	9.10
The question was on the adoption of the report & recommendation, and the roll being called it was adopted unanimously			

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Monday November 3rd 1879 continuedW. L. Colbrath
Bill of
\$46⁰⁸

W. L. Colbrath presented two bills for medicines and supplies furnished the Co. Physician amounting to \$70⁵⁸ which was referred to the Co. Atty and was returned by him approved for \$46⁰⁸

Allowed,

Com. Palmer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the bills of W. L. Colbrath be allowed as approved by the Co. Atty.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the same was adopted all the members voting Yeas except the Chairman who voted No.

Bills
Allowed,

The following bills having been referred to the Co. Atty, by the Com. on Claims were returned by him approved.

A. R. Thompson	Fees as Sheriff	\$ 64.30
do	do	149.06
do	do	48.70
O. G. Svedeback	Witness fees Justice Court	1.84
May Kalout	do	1.72
J. M. Parker	Justice Fees	1.45
A. L. Berry	Fees as Policeman	9.50
M. W. Glenn	Services as Co. Com.	34.60
L. R. Palmer	do	58.90
J. Schaefer	do	67.40
H. Willson	do	74.10
L. H. Ward	do	72.10

Com. Palmer offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the bills of A. R. Thompson, O. G. Svedeback, May Kalout, J. M. Parker, A. L. Berry, M. W. Glenn, L. R. Palmer, J. Schaefer, H. Willson and L. H. Ward be allowed.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was unanimously adopted.

A. Barnard's
refunded
\$64⁰⁰

Com. Schaefer from the Com. on Taxes reported back the application of A. Barnard for an abatement with the recommendation that \$64⁰⁰ of the taxes of 1878 be refunded him.

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Monday November 3rd 1879 concluded.

Com. Schaeffer offered the following resolution;

Resolved, That the report and recommendation of the Com. on Taxes be adopted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was adopted unanimously.

J. Donnelly, Overseer of the Poor Farms presented his report for Oct. 1879

Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

Com. Ward offered the following resolution;

Resolved, That this Board do now adjourn until Monday Nov. 10th 1879 at 10 O'clock A. M.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the same was unanimously adopted and the Board adjourned.

Attest

F. J. McDonald
County AuditorM. W. Nelson
Chairman of the Board of
County Commissioners

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The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Chairman

all the members present.

The Co. Treas. presented his statement of funds on deposit Nov. 10th 1879

Statement accepted and ordered placed on file.

Com. Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That 19 Copies of George B. Youngs compiled Statutes be purchased for the use of the Co. Officers.

Youngs
Statutes.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the same was not adopted all the members voting no except Com. Willson who voted yes.

A. H. Lindley
application
for abatement.

A. H. Lindley made an application for an abatement of \$3348 on Lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, & 12 Block 25 Wilcox, Bill Wagner's Addition for 1877

Referred to the Com. on Taxes.

St. Paul
St. Anthony
State Road
Order of
Change.

Com. Ward offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That an order be made for the change in the St. Paul and St. Anthony State Road in accordance with a resolution of this board adopted Oct. 6th 1879.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called it was unanimously adopted, and the following order made.

State of Minnesota } ss.
County of Hennepin }

At a meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of said County, held Sept. 8th 1879, a copy of the report of the committee appointed by us at our last session, to examine the road hereinafter named, having been duly returned, by which said report it appears that the said committee met at the time and place designated in our order of appointment and

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examined the highway proposed to be changed viz: Beginning at a point in the St. Paul and St. Anthony State Road where it makes an angle northeasterly of the southerly end of Meeker's Island in Section Thirty-one (31), Township Twenty-nine (29), Range Twenty-three (23), Town of St. Anthony, thence running southwesterly to a point two (2) rods from the top of the bluff of the Mississippi River, thence northwesterly following the general course of the river to a point about one hundred (100) feet northerly of the centre line of the Milwaukee & St. Paul Short Line Rail Road - thence north till it intersects the said St. Paul & St. Anthony State Road, And recommended that the prayer of the petitioners for changing said highway be granted; and being of the opinion that the public interest would be promoted by the changing of said highway and that the relocation of said road would be of sufficient advantage to the County to warrant the paying of damages hereinafter assessed, we do hereby order and determine that the prayer of said petitioners be granted and that a highway be and is hereby changed according to the description above given, for more accurate description see Surveyor's plat and report, which is hereby declared to be a public highway and the Auditor is hereby directed to notify the Supervisors of the several towns through which such highway is changed that they cause so much of said highway as lies in their respective towns to be opened without delay. We have assessed the damages sustained by reason of the changing of said road to the lands over which the same passes and to the owners thereof, as follows;

The Mississippi River Manufacturing and Improvement Company 10 cents and all others along the line 10 cents each.

Given under my hand this 10th day of November AD 1879

Attest

(Signed)

M. W. Glenn

Official Seal

F. S. McDonald
County AuditorChairman of the Board
of County CommissionersPhysician
Report Oct. 1879

The Co. Physician presented his report for Oct. 1879.

Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

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Monday November 10th 1879 continued.J. M. Depue
and others
petition for
Road,

A petition signed by J. M. Depue and others praying for the location of a road, "commencing at a point on the subdivision line between the North half and South half of the South West quarter of Section Fifteen (15) Township One Hundred and twenty (120) North of Range Twenty-two (22) West, where the road now traveled makes an angle, near the residence of Thomas Moore in the Township of Dayton - thence ^{running} East on said subdivision line through the center of the South East quarter of said Section Fifteen, and through the center of the South half of Section Fourteen, and thence on the same course through a portion of the Southwest quarter of Section Thirteen, to intersect the County Road leading from Minneapolis to Monticello near the residence of the late George Baker in the Township of Champlin, was received, and

Com. Schaefer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the petition of J. M. Depue and others be accepted a committee of three be appointed by the Chairman to meet at the residence of the late George Baker in the Town of Champlin on Monday November 17th 1879 at 12 M. to view the road proposed to be located.

Committee on
petition of
J. M. Depue
and others.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously and the Chairman appointed Messrs. Hadd, Willson and Schaefer members of this board as such committee.

Remarks.

A remonstrance signed by William Richardson & others against granting the petition of J. M. Depue and others was presented.
On motion the Board took a recess until 2 O'clock P.M.

at 2 O'clock P.M. the board was called to order by the chairman
all the members present.

\$ 2⁴³ to
School Dist. No. 31

Com. Ward offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the sum of \$ 2⁴³ be refunded to School District No 31 on account of overcharge on Test Books.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the same was adopted unanimously.

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Monday November 10th 1879 concludedRelief to
Mrs. Polsek

Com. Willson offered the following resolution;
Resolved, That the Com. from the 2^d Dist. be
authorized to grant any further relief that may be
necessary to Mrs. Polsek of the Town of Maple Grove.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution,
and the roll being called, it was adopted unanimously.

Com. Schaefer offered the following resolution;
Resolved That this Board do now adjourn.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution,
and the roll being called, it was adopted
unanimously and the board adjourned.

Attest

F. D. McDonald
County Auditor.

W. M. Glavin
Chairman of the Board of
County Commissioners.

Of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Monday Dec. 1st 1879

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to law and was called to order by the Chairman,

all the members present.

Minutes of the last session read and approved.

monstrances
none and
F. Henning
A remonstrance from Thomas Moore against granting the petition of J. W. Depue and others, also one from Ned A. F. Henning remonstrating against granting the prayer of the same petitioners, were received and referred to the Com. on Roads and Bridges.

bills allowed Com. Palmer from the Com. on Claims reported the following bills correct and recommended that they be allowed.

Averill and Morrison, For goods furnished the poor.	\$ 10.00	✓
J. L. Furber	do.	17.00 ✓
Mathias Hees	do.	53.17 ✓
A. M. Vaudrum	do.	16.00 ✓
O. Peterson	do.	5.00 ✓
P. O. Connor	do.	4.00 ✓
C. J. Minor	do.	5.00 ✓
Sno and Skinner	do.	.50 ✓
J. N. Richardson	do.	20.00 ✓
A. R. Weld	do.	22.50 ✓
Wm. F. Kelley	do.	3.00 ✓
Mrs. M. Weber	do.	26.00 ✓
F. Scofield	do.	6.50 ✓
P. B. Boncoran	do.	13.00 ✓
R. Weyel	do.	140.25 ✓
George R. Galpin	do.	4.00 ✓
Dennis Healy	do.	3.50 ✓
C. Filbert	do.	5.00 ✓
C. Jacobson	do.	33.50 ✓
A. F. Kenyon	do.	15.00 ✓
John Wechtman	do.	16.00 ✓
William Field	do.	17.00 ✓
C. Wiegely	do.	22.00 ✓
A. H. Gieston	do.	15.00 ✓
Martin Peterson	do.	7.00 ✓
H. F. Moor	do.	5.00 ✓
A. G. Hanson	do.	8.00 ✓

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Bills allowed,	J. B. Brice	For goods furnished the poor.	\$ 5.00	✓
	Wesley Arill	do.	20.50	✓
	H. B. Peterson	do.	53.00	✓
	L. G. Johnson	do.	57.00	✓
	Frank Stevens	do.	5.00	✓
	J. E. Smith	do.	2.00	✓
	Russell & Boutell	do.	4.00	✓
	J. A. Maul	do.	24.00	✓
	A. L. Hangan	do.	68.50	✓
	E. A. Harrison & Co.	do.	10.00	✓
	H. W. Bauer	do.	19.00	✓
	J. Wittner	do.	4.00	✓
	John Hayes	do.	19.00	✓
	Andrew Nelson	do.	6.00	✓
	L. W. Stewart	For Wood furnished the poor.	22.35	✓
	J. D. Haise	do.	41.10	✓
	L. E. Moles	do.	17.00	✓
	Cottage Hospital	For board and care of sick poor.	133.70	✓
	Mrs. M. E. Thorn	For board and care of the Richardson child	12.00	✓
	Andrew Rydell	For care of William Anderson	21.00	✓
	F. P. Varney	Conveying poor to depot	1.00	✓
	A. Dale	Conveying sick poor to Cottage Hospital	5.00	✓
	H. L. Colbrath	Medicines & Material furnished to Physician	16.38	✓
	F. A. Dunsmoor	County Physician Nov. 1879	232.00	✓
	Martin Sayman	Wages for poor	34.00	✓
	H. J. Vail & Co.	Incidentals services	95.50	✓
	Wm. Hlesner	do.	12.00	✓
	Sara May & King	Repairing Cultivators & Plows for Poor Farm	14.50	✓
	Thomas Quinn	Blacksmithing for Poor Farm	9.25	✓
	H. B. Dow	Plastering & Kalamining at Poor Farm	7.40	✓
	Wm. W. Davis	Shoes for Poor Farm	20.85	✓
	McLellan Bros	Brockery for Poor Farm	6.38	✓
	Camp, Douglas & Co.	Bran & Shorts " " "	96.96	✓
	H. W. Hale & Co.	Dry Wood " " "	27.23	✓
	A. Kelly & Co.	Groceries " " "	28.63	✓
	Janney Bros.	Hardware " " "	38.95	✓
	Janney, Brooks & Eastman	" " " "	14.10	✓
	A. Ende.	Horse feed and dinner for Overseer of Poor Farm	5.00	✓
	T. Connelly.	Aid for labor at Poor Farm	282.00	✓
	N. R. Thompson	Boarding Prisoners	488.03	✓
	Mrs. Johnson	Washing for Jail	33.71	✓
	Camp, Douglas & Co.	Blankets &c for Jail	93.63	✓

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As Allowed.	E. P. Howell	Shoes for inmates of Jail	\$19.20	
	Smith Scribner	Hardware for Jail	5.62	
	J. O. Drange	Clothing for inmates of Jail	29.40	
	G. M. Booley	Locating walls for Jail Extension	28.00	
✓	Patience Ryan	For Work on Jail Extension (Estimate No 1)	592.00	X
	Robert Ervine	For Work on Corns Avenue	74.00	
	George Hillman	For Work on Richfield & Bloomington Road	150.00	
	L. M. Smith	For paid postage & expensage	5.20	
	W. A. James	Copying Tax List of 8 towns	15.00	
	Mathias Smith	Woods for Court House	5.50	
	Smith Scribner	do.	3.95	
	Bedar Lake Dec Co.	See for Court House & Jail	53.63	
	Minneapolis Gas Co.	Gas " " " " "	22.25	
	City of Minneapolis	Water " " " " " to May 1880	53.00	
	R. P. Marshall	repairing block in Sheriff's office	1.50	
	L. M. Potter	" " " " " Judge of Probate's office	3.00	
	Laudron & Hall	Printing Dec. 18. Payable to J. C. Griley	175.25	
	Pioneer Press	do.	3.80	
	Johnson, Smith & Harrison	printing book & blanks	92.50	
	Clark & McBlane	Sumner for Crystal Lake Road	38.13	
	S. H. Parker	Surveying roads	24.00	

Com. Ward offered the following resolution.

Resolved: That the report and recommendations of the Committee on Claims be adopted and be allowed.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

Com. Lindley
Application for
abatement
rejected.

Com. Schaefer Chairman of the Com. on Taxes reported back the application of A. H. Lindley for an abatement with the recommendation that the abatement be not made.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

L. Cook
Allowed an
abatement of
\$800.00

Com. Schaefer from the Com. on Taxes reported back the application of S. L. Cook for an abatement with the recommendation that an abatement of \$800.00 be made.

Com. Schaefer offered the following resolution;

Resolved: That the report and recommendation be adopted

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were 3 yeas and 2 nays as follows.

Mrs. Louis Palmer Schaefer & William J. Nay Com. Ward & Mr. Chairman & And so the resolution was adopted.

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John O. Bra's
Bond
Approved.

John O. Bra, Judge of Probate elect presented his bond for One Thousand Dollars, with J. H. Thompson & R. P. Langdon as sureties.

Com. Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved: That the bond of John O. Bra be approved.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

Mrs. McConnell

Com. Palmer reported that he had furnished all the relief allowed by law to Mrs. McConnell.

Com. Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved: That Com. Palmer be and is hereby authorized to furnish what further relief may be necessary to Mrs. McConnell.
The question

Co. Treasurer's
Statement
for
Nov. 1879

The County Treasurer presented his statement of Funds on deposit Dec. 1st 1879.

Statement accepted and ordered placed on file.

On motion the board took a recess until 2 O'clock P.M.

At 2 O'clock P.M. the board was called to order by the chairman, all the members present.

Relief of
certain persons

Com. Schaefer reported that he had granted all the relief allowed by law to the following persons.

Mary Berns, John A. Sivgreen, Mary Hallan, Samuel Wilson, A. Parmestian, W. Paulson, Christian Olson, P. Younggreen, John A. Peterson, Peter Peterson, E. O. Graus, Engelbut Jensen and B. Maurick.

Com. Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That Com. Schaefer be and is hereby authorized to grant what further relief may be necessary to the above named persons.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

Co. Supt. of Schools
Salary fixed
at \$1500.

Com. Palmer offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the salary of the County Superintendent of Schools for the term beginning Dec. 1st 1879 be fixed at Fifteen Hundred Dollars per annum.

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The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the resolution was adopted all the members voting yea except Mr. Ward who voted no.

Bills approved
by the Atty and
Board.

The following bills having been referred to the Sec. Atty, were returned by him approved, viz:		
M. W. Glem,	Services as County Commissioner	\$35.80
L. R. Palmer	do	52.40
J. Schaefer	do	73.70
Le. H. Ward	do	58.20
H. Willson	do	68.40
D. L. Hunt	Justice Fees	2.25
O. S. Gates	Constable Fees	65.20
R. R. Dickey	Fees as Depty. Sheriff	28.20
S. M. Williams	Stationery	28.38
A. R. Thompson	Sheriff's Fees	97.05
Iron Spades Co	Pens	32.50
F. S. McDermott	Copygraph	5.00
J. A. Carlson	Sawing wood for Court House & Jail	25.03

Com. Palmer offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the bills of M. W. Glem, L. R. Palmer, J. Schaefer, Le. H. Ward, H. Willson, D. L. Hunt, O. S. Gates, R. R. Dickey, S. M. Williams, A. R. Thompson, Iron Spades Co, F. S. McDermott and J. A. Carlson be allowed, they having been approved by the Sec. Atty.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted, all the members voting yea except the Chairman who voted no.

Com. Palmer from the Committee on Claims reported back the bills of John Molan for attendance on the County Board of Equalization and W. L. Colbrath for Whiskey and Wine with the recommendation that they be disallowed.

Bills of
John Molan
(and)

W. L. Colbrath
disallowed.

Com. Palmer offered the following resolution.
Resolved, That the bills of John Molan and W. L. Colbrath be disallowed.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted, all the members voting yea except the chairman who voted no.

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Petition of
J. M. Depue
and others
not granted

Com. Ward from the Committee appointed November 10th 1879 on the petition of J. M. Depue and others presented their report with the recommendation that the prayer of the petitioners be not granted.

Com. Ward offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the report and recommendation of the Committee appointed upon the petition of J. M. Depue and others be adopted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

Co. Treasurer
to have tax notices
printed and
visit certain
towns

The County Treasurer asked the board if they wished him to have tax notices printed and also if they desired him to visit the several back towns for the purpose of collecting the 1879 taxes.

Com. Palmer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the County Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to have One Thousand tax notices printed and also to visit the Towns of Champlin, Dayton, Cassan, Greenwood, Independence, Mordana and Winnetusta for the purpose of collecting the taxes of 1879.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted unanimously.

Liquor Licence
to
Michael Mison
Crystal Lake

Michael Mison presented the receipt of the County Treasurer for \$4.12 and his bond for One Thousand Dollars with John P. Bank and A. Beyer as sureties, and asked for a licence to sell liquors in the Town of Crystal Lake for the month of Dec. 1879.

Com. Ward offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the bond of Michael Mison be approved and licence issued him for Dec. 1879.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted, all the members voting yea, except Mr. Palmer who voted no.

Co. Physician's
Report.

The County Physician presented his report for Nov. 1879.

Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

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Monday December 1st 1879Michael Fynn
bill
allowed.

Michael Fynn presented a bill of \$76⁰⁰ for board and care of Michael Osborn 19 weeks.

Com. Willson offered the following resolution,
Resolved, That the bill of Michael Fynn be allowed.
The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted all the members voting yea except Mr. Ward who voted no.

Overseer of
Poor Farms
Report

The Overseer of the Poor Farm presented his report for Nov. 1879.
Report accepted and ordered placed on file.

Exp. for
Michael

Com. Willson offered the following resolution,
Resolved, That the County Physician be and is hereby authorized to purchase a leg for Mrs. Melik a pauper at the Poor Farm.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted, all the members voting yea except Mr. Ward who voted no.

Adjourned

Com. Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That this board do now adjourn until Wednesday Dec. 31st 1879 at 10 O'clock A.M.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously and the board adjourned.

Attest

F. S. McDonald
County Auditor.

M. W. Glenn
Chairman of the Board of
County Commissioners

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The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Chairman, all the members present

Edward Norris made an application for an abatement of \$600. valuation on account of an assessment on a mortgage that had been paid.

Referred to the Com. on Taxes.

Fred. H. Bonser made an application for an abatement of \$1500. valuation on land in Sec. 27 Town 29 Range 24 on account of an erroneous assessment.

Referred to the Com. on Taxes.

Wm. Dunsmead made an application for an abatement of \$4100. valuation on account of an assessment on mortgages that had been paid.

Referred to the Com. on Taxes.

Clark & McPherson made an application for an abatement of \$21,000 the valuation of 600,000 feet of logs assessed to them.

Referred to Com. on Taxes.

J. R. Park made an application for an abatement of \$3140 valuation on logs assessed to him on account of the logs being in Swan Lake.

Referred to Com. on Taxes.

M. L. L. Due made application for an abatement of \$350 valuation of personal property.

Referred to Com. on Taxes.

The County Treasurer presented a notice from State Treasurer that the State Auditor had drawn on him for \$139⁷³ on account of School Text Books furnished Hennepin.

Com. Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That a warrant for \$139⁷³ be drawn on the County Treasurer in favor of the State Treasurer on account of School Text Books.

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The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the resolution was adopted, all the members voted yes.

Com. Willson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That D. D. Merrill, Contractor for School Text Books be and is hereby requested to appoint Messrs. Bruhman and Plummer of the City of Minneapolis the depository for the School Text Books in Hennepin County in accordance with Sec. 7 Chapter 7, Gen'l Laws of 1878.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called the resolution was adopted, all the Members voting yes except the Chairman who voted no.

The Northwestern Telephone Company presented a bill of \$48⁰⁰ for rent of Telephone & Microphone at Court House from Dec 27th 1879 to Dec 27th 1880.

Com. Scharf. offered the following resolution:

Resolved That the bill of the Northwestern Telephone Co. be rejected.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called the resolution was adopted all the members voting yes.

A Ireland Court Commissioner elect presented his bond for \$2000. with S. A. Zvale and S. A. Johnson as sureties.

Referred to Co. Atty.

A communication was received from R. D. Hankinson Genl. Manager of the Northwestern Telephone Company offering to put in a Telephone Microphone at the Poor Farm on certain conditions.

Referred to Com. on Poor Farm

The Co. Atty. returned the bond of A. Ireland with the opinion that the same was in proper form.

Com. Scharf. offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the bond of A. Ireland be approved.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was unanimously adopted, all the members voting yes.

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Bill allowed,	Com. Palmer from the Com. on Claims reported the following bill correct and recommended that they be allowed viz;		
	P. H. Tobin	For goods furnished the poor	\$ 3.00 ✓
	Minor Carter	do.	5.00 ✓
	A. B. Haugan	do.	14.00 ✓
	P. G. Woodward	do.	3.50 ✓
	Hudson Bros	do.	33.75 ✓
	Wesley Mill	do.	23.75 ✓
	L. Muller	do.	4.00 ✓
	M. R. Pullen	do.	7.00 ✓
	Emilie Lofsbom	do.	8.00 ✓
	Peter G. Profferding	do.	7.00 ✓
	Harves Davis	do.	3.00 ✓
	John Kechtman	do.	18.00 ✓
	J. A. Maul	do.	9.00 ✓
	John Hayes	do.	10.00 ✓
	A. B. Wild	do.	15.50 ✓
	A. Scignare	do.	18.00 ✓
	Moore Bros.	do.	8.00 ✓
	Harris, Eric Suser	do.	5.00 ✓
	Chester Kingely	do.	12.00 ✓
	O. Peterson	do.	7.50 ✓
	Mrs M. Arber	do.	41.00 ✓
	H. O. Peterson	do.	10.00 ✓
	L. Vonvack	do.	53.00 ✓
	R. Wryel	do.	149.15 ✓
	J. P. Bain	do.	9.00 ✓
	Ed. L. Travis	do.	14.00 ✓
	Andrew Tharalson	do.	63.75 ✓
	M. F. Scofield	do.	13.00 ✓
	A. Livingston	do.	8.00 ✓
	Goodfellow Eastman	do.	23.00 ✓
	North Star Hoken Mill	do.	7.00 ✓
	J. A. Richardson	do.	10.00 ✓
	Theilen Ho	do.	36.00 ✓
	N. H. Gieston	do.	25.50 ✓
	Wm. F. Kelley	do.	3.00 ✓
	Mathias Kops	do.	38.00 ✓
	L. Jacobson	do.	24.50 ✓
	A. F. Koenigsm	do.	9.00 ✓
	J. S. Heaton	do.	2.50 ✓

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As allowed.	W. W. Hawes	for goods furnished the Poor	\$ 30 00
	J. Drmulis	do.	3 50
	J. D. Hoare	Wood furnished the poor	57 75
	A. S. Mulford	do.	47 90
	H. B. Chase	do.	12 65
	Dr. E. S. Kelly	Medical attendance on Mrs. Joseph Hoag	6 00
	P. Potvin	Boarding Thomas Enright 2 weeks & 7 days	10 58
	Mrs. M. E. Thorn	Board and care of Richard and shield	12 00
	Buttons' Express	conveying sick poor to depots	1 25
	Owen Finley	Wages for poor	5 00
	Wilmore O''Brien	do.	9 00
	P. H. Pendergast	incidentals services	7 50
	E. A. Bramie	Repairing Road scraper	2 00
	Mathias Schulenburg	Boarding Frank Herbert 3 weeks	12 50
	R. A. Bouvier	Pole for Reaper and waver for Wagon at Poor Farm	2 75
	Walter Davis	Boots, Shoes & Rubbers for Poor Farm	10 25
	Woodfellow & Eastman	Dry goods for Poor Farm	21 22
	E. J. Durgin	Apples " " "	14 50
	J. H. Thompson	Clothing " " "	7 25
	Sam'l. Rothchild	do. " " "	18 40
	Anthony Kelly	Groceries " " "	16 84
	James Broe	Hardware " " "	4 70
	Black & Erickson	Lumber " " "	54 00
	do.	" " for Lewis Road	7 94
	J. Connelly	Aid for food help at Poor Farm	68 00
	August Enck	Swimmers and horse feed for Owner of Poor Farm	4 80
	Mathias Smith	Rooms for Court House	3 60
	James Broe	Stucco, fixtures and labor for Court House	53 33
	Frank Stocum	Aid for repairing book rack	75
	Minneapolis Gas Co.	Gas for Court House	29 75
	do.	" " Jail	5 95
	A. A. Pond	Brush for Court House	1 35
	Minneapolis Tribune Co.	Printing Blanks	36 30
	Ed. A. Stevens	publishing tax tax notices	50 00
	do.	" " proceeding of the Board.	26 80
	Charles Robinson	Aid for keys & repairs	1 85
	Thomas Donovan	Work on Minneapolis & Rockford Road	32 00
	S. H. Baker	Surveying roads and making plats	42 00
	George Wukin H.	Medicines & Supplies for Poor Farm	3 80
	L. H. Potter	Repairing safe in Auditor's Office	3 00
	A. R. Thompson	Boarding Prisoners	359 33
	A. S. Mulford	Wood for County	47 96
	Pat Ryan	Work material for Jail Extension X	288 00

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The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

The following bills having been referred to the Co. Atty, by the board, on claims were returned by him approved.

Bills allowed,	A. R. Thompson	Sheriff's Fees	\$226.40
	J. H. Cressey	Constables Fees	12.80
	J. A. Holmston	Fees of Clerk of the Court	399.60
	Jacob Schaefer	Services as Co. Com.	40.50
	L. H. Ward	do	50.40
	H. Willson	do	67.84
	L. R. Palmer	do	66.80

Com. Palmer offered the following resolution;

Resolved, That the bills of A. R. Thompson, J. H. Cressey, J. A. Holmston, Jacob Schaefer, L. H. Ward, H. Willson and L. R. Palmer be allowed.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

Tribune bill
of \$174.⁵⁰
allowed

The Minneapolis Tribune Co. presented a bill of \$174.⁵⁰ for printing proceedings of Co. Com. books & blanks.

Com. Palmer offered the following resolution;

Resolved, That the bill of the Minneapolis Tribune Co. be allowed.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted, all the members voting yes except the Chairman who voted no.

On motion the board took a recess until 2 O'clock P. M.

At 2 O'clock P. M. the board was called to order by the Chairman, all the members present.

Com. Schaefer from the Com. on Taxes reported back the application of William Dunsen for an abatement, with the recommendation that the abatement be made.

Com. Schaefer offered the following resolution;

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Drumsman's
application for an
abatement
granted.

Resolved, That the application of William Drumsman for an abatement be granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called, the same was adopted, all the members voting yea except the Chairman who voted no.

Com Schaefer
Melburn's
application for
an abatement
granted.

Com Schaefer from the Com. on Taxes reported back the application of Clark^{and} Melburn for an abatement without recommendation.

Com Willson offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the application of Clark Melburn for an abatement be granted.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and roll being called there were 3 yeas and 2 nays as follows:

Yea - Coms Ward, Willson^{and} Mr. Chairman - 3

Nay - Coms Palmer Schaefer - 2

And so the resolution was adopted.

W. L. Colbrath
bill of \$91²³
allowed.

W. L. Colbrath presented a bill of \$91²³ for medical supplies.

Com Willson offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the bill of W. L. Colbrath be allowed.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called, the same was adopted unanimously.

Palmer &
Willson
exit

This being the last day of the term of Commissioners Palmer^{and} Willson they each made some remarks thanking the board for the kind treatment they had received, to which Coms Ward Schaefer^{and} the Chairman replied.

Com Willson offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That this board do now adjourn per se

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were 4 yeas and 1 nay as follows:

Yea - Coms Palmer, Schaefer, Ward^{and} Willson 4

No. - Coms Glenn (Chairman)

And so the resolution was adopted, and the board adjourned.

attest J. E. McDonald
County Auditor.

W. W. Melburn
Chairman of the Board of County Coms.



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