

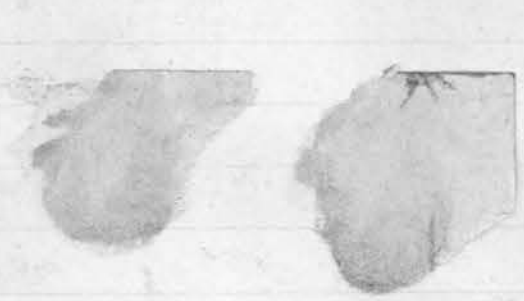
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Journal of the Board of County Commissioners

Monday January 2d 1888.

The Board of County Commissioners of Hennepin County, Minnesota met at the office of the County Auditor of said County, pursuant to law

Present Commissioner Barlow from the 3d Commissioner District
Commissioner Erickson from the 4th Commissioner District.
and Commissioner Lemon from the 1st Commissioner District.

Absent Commissioner Swift from the 2d Commissioner District and Commissioner Chaven from the 5th Commissioner District

On motion the Board adjourned until Tuesday January 3d. at 2 o'clock P. M.

W. D. Showen Chairman

L. A. Conduit County Auditor

Tuesday January 3d. 1888.

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment

All the members present.

On motion Commissioner Barlow was elected temporary Chairman

On motion the Board proceeded to an informal ballot for Chairman with the following result

H. J Chowen received 3 votes
O J Erickson received 1 vote
P. J Barlow received 1 vote

On motion Mr Chowen was declared unanimously elected Chairman for the ensuing year.

Wm Ragan presented an application for Abatement of Taxes

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Com[r] Erickson from the Committee on Taxes reported back the following petitions for abatement and recommended that they be granted:

R C Haywood + Others
Wm Ragan Anna C Fowler

and that on the application of the Baptist Union of Minneapolis the "general tax" amounting to $26.60 be stricken off, and that on the application of the Shiloh Presbyterian Church, an abatement of $128. valuation be made for the year 1885

Com[r] Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That the report of the Committee be adopted, and abatements made as recommended.

Adopted.

A remonstrance signed by Neil McNeil and 70 others against granting the petition of J. H Johnson and others for a change in the Diamond Lake Road in the Towns of Champlin and Dayton was read and placed on file.

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of J. H Johnson and others for the change in a road in the Towns of Champlin and Dayton made 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 Highway as stated in the petition referred to in your order of appointment made on the 5th day of December 1887, 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 in the South Boundary line of the NW1/4 of the SW1/4 of Section 13 Town 120 Range 22 in the Town of Champlin where said South Boundary line intersects the center line of the Highway known as State or Riverroad, thence running from said point in a due West course on the division lines of Sections, through Sections 13. 14 and 15 Town 120. Range 22, which Subdivision lines are one fourth of the distance Northward from the South Boundary line of Sections 13. 14 and 15, to the North Boundary line thereof, and terminating at a point on the South Boundary line of the NE1/4 of the SW1/4 of Section 15 Town 120 Range 22 in the Town of Dayton, where said South Boundary line of the NE1/4 of the SW1/4

in said Section 13 running from the S E. corner of said tract, West, first strikes the center line of the Highway called Diamond Lake road.
And do hereby recommend that the prayer of the petitioners be granted
Given under our hands this 3d day of January A D. 1888.

M. S. Chowen
O T Erickson Committee

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution
Resolved
That the majority report of the committee be accepted.
Adopted, Mr Lennon not voting

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution:
Resolved
That the County of Hennepin furnish County attorney Davis with an office for doing the County work at an expense not to exceed one thousand dollars a year
adopted.

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution:
Resolved
That the Salary of the County Physician for the ensuing year be fixed at One thousand Dollars, he to furnish all medicines
Adopted

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution:
Resolved
That the Salary of the Overseer of the Poor farm be fixed at One thousand Dollars for the ensuing year
adopted

Com^r. Barlow offered the following resolution:

Resolved

That the Salary of the Janitor for the ensuing year be fixed at Seventy Dollars per month and that of the two assistants at Fifty five Dollars per month each

On motion H A C Thompson was elected Overseer of the Poor farm for the ensuing year

On motion Dr W J Byrnes was elected County Physician for the ensuing year.

On motion Otto J. Langum was elected Janitor and Hans P. Holthe and Michael Kierce Assistant Janitors for the ensuing year.

Commissioner Erickson offered the following resolution!

Resolved

That the Committee on Printing and Stationery be directed to procure bids for publishing the proceedings of this Board for the year 1888, The Financial Statement for the year 1887, The Delinquent Tax List for the taxes of 1886, The Notice of Expiration of time for Redemption of Lands from Tax Sale for the tax of 1884, and all other Legal and official notices required by Law or ordered by the Board of County Commissioners

Adopted

W J Hayes Sons filed a Bid for the Lake Street Bridge Bonds.

Com'r Erickson offered the following resolution!

Resolved

That the bid be rejected

Adopted

Tuesday January 3d 1888.

On motion the Board adjourned to Wednesday January 4th 1888 at 10 o'clock A. M.

W. S. Chowen
Chairman of the Board
of County Commissioners

Attest
L. A. Rondit County Auditor

Journal of the Board of County Commissioners

Wednesday January 4th 1888.

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

All the members present

The minutes of the December sessions were read and approved.

The Elliot Ditch matter then came before the Board and was presented by N. P. Roberts on behalf of the petitioners.

A N Jackson presented objections on behalf of Mary C Rand, Martin and others
H E Hale appeared on behalf of Joseph Dean
Lars M Rand and Wm E Steele appeared on behalf of the Steele Heirs.
Filman Knapp, and other property owners affected by said ditch protested against the proposed improvement, claiming that Lake Amelia would be lowered and property greatly damaged thereby

Com^r Erickson offered the following resolution:
Whereas the persons objecting to the proposed improvement known as the Elliot Ditch have based their objections upon legal and constitutional grounds, Therefore be it Resolved

That said parties be requested to make their objections in writing and file them with the County Auditor, that they may be referred to the County Attorney and the Board obtain his opinion thereon before deciding the matter

Adopted

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That the Elliot Ditch matter

Wednesday January 4th 1888.

be continued until Monday February 6th 1888 at 2 o'clock P. M.
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.

The Chairman appointed the following "General Committees for the year 1888:

Pays and Means:
Barlow, Erickson & Lennon
Roads and Bridges:
Chowen, Swift & Erickson
Claims:
Lennon, Barlow & Chowen
Public Grounds & Buildings:
Swift, Barlow & Erickson
Taxes:
Ericson, Lennon & Barlow
Poor and Poorfarm:
Swift, Barlow & Chowen
Printing & Stationery:
Barlow, Swift & Lennon
Lake Improvements:
Chowen, Swift & Lennon

A communication was received from the Janitor, asking for additional help.
Placed on file

The Overseer of the Poorfarm submitted his report for the month of December 1887, his Annual Report, and an Inventory of the Poorfarm property.
Placed on file

A communication was received from N F Warner & Co asking for a portion of the burials of County Poor
Referred to Committee on Poor & Poor Farm.

A C Rogers Superintendent of the Dept for Feeble Minded at Faribault asked for an appropriation of Thirty Dollars for defraying the expenses of Geo Leavitt, an inmate of said Department
Referred to Committee on Poor and Poor Farm.

A report from the Bridge Committee of Wright and Hennepin County Commissioners was received and placed on file

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That the County Attorney be requested to give this Board before its next meeting his written opinion as to the period of time for which the Commissioners have power to grant License to sell Liquor
Adopted

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That the Committee on Roads and Bridges be authorized to advertise for bids to build two Pile Bridges on the North Shore or Minnetonka Beach road opposite Brown's Bay, Lake Minnetonka
Adopted

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That T. Connolly and Gleason & Byornes be and are hereby appointed Undertakers for the County, for the coming year upon the same conditions

as last year.
Adopted

Com^r Erickson offered the following resolution:
Resolved
That the Janitor be authorized to hire another assistant until April 1st next, to be paid the same as the other assistants
Adopted

Com^r Erickson offered the following resolution:
Resolved
That the Committee on Roads and Bridges be instructed to employ the County Surveyor to survey and make estimates of cost of a Waggon Bridge across the Minnesota River, one at the South terminus of each of the following Avenues: Lyndale, Portland and Cedar and report to this Board on or before the 1st of June 1888
Adopted.

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution:
Resolved
That the bill of the Taylor Coal Co for $268.48 for Coal delivered to Court house during the month of December be allowed, the same not being in accordance with Contract, but the Board being satisfied that the said Taylor Coal Co have done the best they could under the circumstances
Adopted

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of N F Griswold and Others for a County road in the Towns of Excelsior and Medina made the following report;

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

The undersigned Committee appointed by you to examine the proposed opening of highway as stated in the petition referred to in your order of appointment made on the 5th day of December 1887, 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 opened viz: Beginning in the Village of Excelsior on George Street 170 feet South of a point where said Street meets the shore of Gideon's Bay in Lake Minnetonka, and thence running in a Southwesterly and Northwesterly direction along the shore of said Bay, as near to the waters edge as is practicable to the North line of Lot 2 in Section 28 Township 117 Range 23 thence in as direct a line as is practicable to the Southwesterly end of Megaraska Reserve in the plat of Minnetonka Lake Park, thence in a Northeasterly direction following Megaraska Ave to its junction with Wekota Ave, thence East on said Wekota Ave to Hokon Avenue, thence N.E on the Avenue last named to Minneyopa Avenue, thence Northwesterly by the shortest practicable course to a point in the North line of Section 28. Town 117 Range 23, which point is the Southerly end of the Minnetonka Lake Park and Maple Plain road, thence N. and NW. following and conforming to said road to a point in Section 21 Town 117 Range 23, where the same intersects the dividing line between lands, formerly known as the lands of Lott Chilton and C F Mabey, thence following said line in a Northeasterly direction to the North line of Section 21 Town 117. Range 23, thence in a Northerly way

direction to a point in the Wayzata and Spring Park road where the same makes an angle at the shore of Lake Minnetonka And do hereby recommend that the prayer of the said petitioners be granted Given under our hands this 3d day of January A D 1888.

M J Chowen
O J Erickson Committee

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved
That the report of the Committee be accepted
adopted.

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of Karl E Berg and Others for a change in a road in the Towns of Bloomington and Richfield made the following report:

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 5th day of December 1887, 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: Discontinue a piece of road described as follows. Beginning at the NE corner of the SE1/4 of Section 6. Township 27 Range 24 on course No 7 of a survey of said road filed in the Auditors office of said County, thence South 8° West 5 10/100 chains, thence South 25° West 7 60/100 chains, thence South 3 3/4° East 4 25/200 chains, thence South 1/2° East 3 80/100 chains, thence South 48 1/4° West 3 00/100 chains, thence North 76 3/4° West

80/100 chains, thence South 65 25/100° West 9 30/100 chs thence South 39 20/100° West, to a point on the West line of the SE/4 of the SE/4 of said Section 6. And in place of the same lay out a new piece of road as follows: Beginning at said NE corner of the SE/4 of said Section 6, at commencement of said course No 7, thence due South on Section line to the NE corner of the SE/4 of the SE/4 of said Section 6, thence West from 40 to 50 Rods, thence by the most practicable route to the last point named in the discontinuance aforesaid.
And do Hereby recommend that the prayer of the said petitioners be granted
Given under our hands this 3d day of January A.D. 1888

H J Chowen
O. T. Erickson Committee

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved
That the report of the Committee be accepted
adopted

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of Edward E Sand for a road in the Town of Minnetonka and Village of St Louis Park made the following report:
To the Board of County Commissioners
of the County of Hennepin
The undersigned Committee appointed by you to examine the proposed laying out of highway as stated in the petition referred to in your order of appointment made on the 6th day of December 1887, 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 laid out. viz: Commencing four Rods East of the quarter Section stake between Sections 7 and 18 Town 117 Range 21, thence West and South westerly to where the old line of the St P. M & M RR. crossed Minnehaha Creek, thence Westerly on the most practical route to where it will intersect the Minnetonka and Hopkins road, just where said Hopkins road angles South to cross the St Louis RR track near the East line of Minnetonka Village.
And do hereby recommend that the prayer of the said petitioners be granted.
Given under our hands this 3d day of January A D. 1888.

H. S Chowen
O T Erickson Committee

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved
That the report of the Comm'ttee be accepted
Adopted

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of R M Mills and others for a road in the Towns of Medina and Independence made the following report:

To the Board of County Commissioners of Hennepin County.

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 5th day of December 1887 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 in the center of the Minneapolis and Watertown road, and 2 Rods North

of the North Right of Way Line of the St P M+M R R in the SW/4 of Section 29 Town 118 Range 23, and run thence North of West and parallel with said Right of Way Line to the line between the Townships of Medina and Independence, thence North on said Town line to the SE corner of Section 24, Town 118 Range 24, and thence West on the South line of said Section 24 to Main Street in Maple Plain in said aforesaid Township, thence along said Street to Rail Road Street in said Maple Plain, thence along said Rail Road Street to Spring Street, thence South to South line of said Section 24, thence West on said line, and also South line of the adjoining Section 23 to SW corner of said Section 23, thence North and West of North on W. line of said Section 23 and Main Street in Armstrong in the Town of Independence, to a point in said Street 2 Rods South of South Right of Way Line of first mentioned Rail Road, thence North of West and parallel to said South Right of Way Line, as near as practical to the center of the Delano and Minneapolis Road, as now traveled in Lot 4 Section 16 Town 118 Range 24, and there terminate.
And do hereby recommend that the prayer of said petitioners be Granted
Given under our hands this 3d day of January 1888.

W. J. Chowen
O J Erickson Committee

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved
That the report of the Committee be accepted
Adopted

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

Wednesday January 4th 1888.

8004	E J Davenport	Clerks Fees		99354
Certs	P. P. Iversen	Sheriffs Fees		65970
" 6	"	"		240
" 7	"	"		6180
8	H. P. Spring	Dep'y Coroner's Fee		1441
9	R Alexander	Work + Material	Cts	20937
9	"	"	"	20720
8010	A E Moberg + Co	Towels	"	450
1	B R Thaxter	Locks + c	"	495
2	Hunter Scott + Co	Lamps + Plumbing	"	26216
3	C B + J H Smith	Hardware	"	890
4	Kopf Bldg Asso +	Cut Stone Window Sills	"	700
5	Geo Hahn	Merchandize	"	4110
Cert 6	Christ Holthe	Labor	"	2275
7	Phillips + Amonsen	Iron Work	"	7
8	M H Glenn	Bolts for Jail		102
9	M H Hogan	Watching "		60
Co Ord 20	P. P. Iversen	Board of Prisoners		57896
1	H. J. Holthe	Washing for Cts + Jail		2357
2	Mpl Gas Light Co.	Gas "		20160
3	C B + J H Smith	Hardware for Poor Farm		70
4	C A Pillsbury + Co.	Flour "		110
5	C H Clark	Blacksmithing "		3450
6	A E Moberg + Co.	Dry goods "		11310.
7	John Parelka	Wood "		4450.
8	Jos Raspier	" "		3987
9	Ignaz Dvorak	" "		20125
8030	Chas Sherveny	" "		91
1	Frank Zrust	" "		4637
2	Jos Sherveny	" "		3150
3	Jos Bren	" "		19468
4	J E Olson + Co	Dry goods "		28443
5	Tri Telephone Co	Telephone Service "		70
6	H A Thompson	Paid sundry Expenses "		3285
8000	West Iron Bridge Co	Anchor Irons Lake St Bridge		450
8037	J. J. Dewall	Services as Engineer "		10705
8	H. M Fox	" Asst " "		6315
9	Jas Coyne	" Inspector "		55
8040	Edwd Leahy.	" Rodman "		2835
1	T. J. Wright	" " "		945
8041	D. F. O Halleron	2 Estimate on Substructure "		11725

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50	44	H I Chowen	Service on Board of Audit	3 00
	3	L A Condit	Paid sundry Expenses	41 20
	4	H O'Brien	Grates furnished	10
	5	M E Thorn	Care of Ida Richardson	70
Cert	6	E F Higbee	Draughting plats	10 00
	7	Gleason & Byorum	Coffins & burials	37 05
	8	West End Pharmacy	Medicines for Jail 27.25 & poor farm 16.75	43 80
50	49	F F Davis	Expenses in Barrett trial	32
50	50	C A Mitchell	Coroners Certificates	4 50
	50	"	Books & printing	134 75
	50	"	"	29 575
	1	F A Clark & Co	Printing	74 75
	2	C J Hibbard	Indexes	136
	3	Walter S Booth	Blanks	11 75
	4 & 5	Minn Tribune Co	Printing & Advertising	48 32
	6	Evening Spectator	Advertising	16 35
	7	E R Williamson	Stamps	4
	8	H A James	Paid for Stamps & Bands	7 21
	9	Cushman & Plummer	Stationery	12 60
60	60	A Backdahl	Ink	3 75
	1	J A Schlener & Co	Stationery	52 53
	2	C C Bauman	Books	47
	3	Burnham Bros	Drain pipe	43 50
	4	H Swanson	Roadwork in Crystal	4 37
	5	J H Mooney	Work on Bridge in M G.	10
	6	G A Carlson	Cement " "	1 50
	7	Woods & Lovejoy	Use of Wheel Scraper	6 30
	8	Jos Simms	Mason Work	5 63
	9	Town of Excelsior	Freight on Rock	27 44
70	70	Harrison & Smith	Books	93 37
	1	Cushman & Plummer	Stationery	4 75
	2	P. M Dahl	Services as Co Surveyor	49
	3	J B Smith	Pd Dept of Feeble Minded Exp of Geo Leavitt	30
	4	P. M Dahl	Services for Dist Court "Barrett trial"	116
95	95	H A Westphall	Ice for Court House	84

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution:

Resolved

that the report of the Committee be accepted and bills allowed

Adopted.

Wednesday January 4th 1888.

A L Lennon presented a bill for $17.30 for expenses of horse and rig &c while attending to County business.

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution:

Resolved that the bill of A L Lennon be allowed.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called there were 1 Yea and 3 Nay, as follows:

Yea: Commissioner Lennon 1

Nays: Commissioners Erickson, Swift and Mr Chairman 3

Commissioner Barlow declining to vote.

And so the resolution was not adopted.

Com^r Erickson asked the privilege to protest against the further employment of an Inspector upon the Lake Street Bridge for the present.

Engineer Sewell being asked, said that in his opinion the Engineer could do the Inspectors work for the present.

On motion the Board adjourned until Monday January 9th 1888 at 10 o'clock A. M.

W. S. Chowen
Chairman Board of
County Commissioners

Attest
L. A. Condit Co Auditor

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

All the members present.

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That the Four City National Bank be designated as a depositary for the funds of Hennepin County and that their Bond be and the same is hereby approved

Adopted

The following bids were received for official publications for the ensuing year:
Minnesota Tribune Co

Financial Statement (3 Insertions) $3.75 cc
Proceedings & Notices 33/3 cents per inch
Delinquent Tax list 10 cents per description

Daily Star News

Financial Statement $1.50 cc
Delinquent Tax list 6 cents per description
Proceedings 25 cents per inch, each insertion.

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That the proposals of the Minnesota Tribune Co. to publish the official proceedings of this Board and all other official proceedings required by law or by this Board in the Minneapolis Daily Tribune during the year 1888 at the rate of 33/3 cents per inch be accepted and contract awarded there

Adopted

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That the Minneapolis Daily Tribune be and is hereby designated as the official paper of Hennepin County for the year 1888.

Adopted

Monday January 9th 1888.

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That the Minneapolis Daily Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in the City of Minneapolis, County of Hennepin, State of Minnesota, be and is hereby designated as the newspaper in which the Real Estate Delinquent Tax list of said Hennepin County for the taxes of the year 1886, shall be published.

Adopted

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That the Contract for Building the Dayton Bridge be awarded to A Y Bayne & Co at the price of Ten Thousand and fourteen (10.014^{00}) Dollars, complete. The Stone Abutment to be after the plans of Engineer Senate, as submitted by him; on condition that Wright County concur, and that the Chairman of this Board be authorized to execute the Contract in conjunction with the Wright County Board.

Adopted

Com^r Erickson offered the following resolution:
Resolved that the Bond of A Y Bayne & Co be fixed at Ten Thousand Dollars for the faithful performance of their Contract upon the Dayton Bridge

Adopted

On motion the Board adjourned until Monday January 30th 1888 at 10 o'clock A. M.

W. S. Thomas
Chairman

Attest
L. A. Comstock Co Auditor

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Monday January 30th 1888.

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

All the members present, except Commissioner Erickson.

The County Auditor submitted the Financial Statement for 1887 which was read and approved.

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution
Resolved

That the Financial Statement for 1887 be printed in the Minneapolis Daily Tribune and that 100 copies thereof be printed in pamphlet form.

Adopted

A report was received from the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Wright County, stating that a motion to approve the Contract for the Dayton Bridge with A Y Bayne & Co of Minneapolis had been rejected by a vote of four (4) to one (1)

Placed on file.

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution.
Resolved

That an order be drawn for Sixty Six and 00/100 Dollars to pay the City of Minneapolis for Side Walk Tax on Lots 1. 2 and 3 Block 72 Town of Minneapolis for the year 1884

Adopted.

A communication was received from the Assistant County Attorney recommending that the Board grant Liquor Licenses for a period of one year from January 1st 1888.

Placed on file

Monday January 30th 1888.

Com^r Lennon offered the following resolution:
Resolved:

That the License for selling Liquor in the County of Hennepin be fixed at the sum of Five Hundred ($500) for the ensuing year.

Adopted.

On motion the Board adjourned.

W. S. Shower
Chairman

attest
L. A. Rondit Co Auditor

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

Present Commissioners Barlow Lennon Swift and Mr Chairman
Absent Commissioner Erickson.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

The following persons made application for the Abatement of Taxes.

F N Barons
F N Barons
G A Carlson
J M Underwood
Hans Arnes
W H Peckham
C C Elfelt
Thos H Williams
Jason Baker
Daniel P. Deane
M Davitt
E M Wilson
Eph A Perkins
E L Greenwood
C. M & St P. Ry Co.
J G Palmer
H Mason
J F Chesebro
J G Burgbee
E H Cook
Mpls & N. Elevator Co
W R Poole
Pat Cummings
A N Lundquist
Wm Michaud
A L Ensign
Edward Godfrey
E H West
Anders Edargren
John H Knights
F C Pillsbury
H A Karsted
H. A Stevens
Michael Higgins
Michael Higgins
L N Gaynor
C H Rowe
Geo E Warner
Bladon & Gibbs
John Mungo
Christian Nachtrieb
H F Gillibridge & Co.
H L Hubbard
Perkins Wind Mill & A Co
Isaac Fawcett
H Weimelt
H Simonson
G B Kirkbride
S Kirschbaum
Mildred Jenks
Milwaukee Harvester Wks
Kilbourne Boot & Shoe Co
Oath Mulvehill
W C Pike
F G Gould
Mrs M De Kay
John C Voelker
F A Clarke

Mary L Welhern

Monday February 6th 1888.

H A Anderson Henry Schlenk
Referred to Committee on Taxes.

H A C Thompson Overseer of the Poor farm presented his report for the month of January 1888.
Placed on file

Thomas Moore presented a remonstrance against the so called Diamond Lake Road
Placed on file

A petition signed by G C Rudell and 27 others, asking for the change of a High way in the Town of Medina was received and placed on file

A communication was received from A C Rogers, Superintendent, certifying that Delia La Belle had been admitted to the School for Feeble Minded at Faribault, and asking that a warrant be drawn for $30.00 for her support.

Comr. Barlow offered the following resolution;
Resolved
That the one thousand Dollars per annum allowed the County Attorney for office rent may be used by him for either office rent or other office expenses
Adopted.

Comr. Barlow offered the following resolution;
Resolved
That the Bond of Fred Hebb be approved and that a License be granted to him to sell Liquor in the Town of Plymouth for one year from January 1st 1888.
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 except Com^r Erickson

The Elliot Ditch matter came up as a special order of business
On motion it was laid over until Monday February 20th 1888 and made the special order for 10 o'clock A M.

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

8077	P. F. Iversen	Sheriffs Fees		1138 75
78	do	"		9 12
79	E J Davenport	Clerks Fees		430 73
80	H. D. Spring	Dep'y Coroners Fees		11 90
81	P. M Dahl	Services as Surveyor		28 50
82	Geo H Cooley	Mailing auditors Rpts No		30 ..
83	Mpls Gas Light Co	Gas for CH & Jail		218.34
84	Hunter Scott & Co	Plumbing "		76 75
85	F F Davis	Office rent &c		70
86	Painters Coop'ans Ass'n	Painting at CHs		6 50.
87	P. F. Iversen	Soap, Brooms & Towels		26.
88	Bank of Minneapolis	Office Rent Supt Sch		75 —
89	Peter Doree	Broom & Scrapers		6 50
8090	Smith Richardson & Schwartz	Brackets		9 50
91	C. P. Heroux & Son	Furniture	CH	47 50.
92	C B & J H Smith	Glas & Hardware	"	27.
93	J H Peterson & Co	Fire Mats & Cushions	"	39 85
94	Martin Mortenson	Labor	"	16 50.
95	J Hoft	Hardware	"	5 20
96	K Aslesen	Soap & Matches	"	12 35
97	Shotwell Clenchen & Lothman	Blankets	"	15 0.
98	G Amundsen	Repairs on Boiler	"	4 25
99	P. F. Iversen	Boarding Prisoners		51 84
8100	H. M Mulgan	Watching Jail		60
01	H L Mc Callum	Cots & Labor	Jail	181 45
2	Mpls. Coop Furn Co.	Shoes for Jail & Poor farm		48 15

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8103	E F Higbee	Draughting plats		120
4	H E Thorne	Care of Ida Richardson		20
5	Thos Gardiner	Trusses		16
6	E J Kelley	Medical Services		3 50
	John Swift	Paid for care of Delia La Belle at		
7		School for Feeble Minded at Faribault		30
8	G C Brynjeldsen	Copying plats		54
9	H O'Brien	Graves		12
8076	P J O'Halleron	3d Estimate	Late St Bridge	1903 32
8111	J. Stovall	Services as Engineer	"	10863
12	H M Foote	Services as Asst Eng'r.		6298
13	James Coyne	" " Inspector		50
14	Edw Leahy	" " Rodman		2730
15	P G Wright	" " "		2730
16	G L Haugland	Work on Co Road in Medina		98
17	A Dickey	" " "		1137
18	Deere & Co.	Road Scraper		48—
19	H F Brown	Plank		468
8120	Wm McArdle	Groceries for Poor farm		137 31
21	Cedar Lake Ice Co	Ice	"	20
22	J B Loye & Sons	Repairs	"	575
23	A E Noberg & Co	Dry goods	"	62
24	C B & J H Smith	Household Utensils	"	21 30
25	Janney Bros	"	"	1625
26	H A Thompson	Sundry Expenses	"	28 72
27	J E Olsen & Co	Dry goods	"	11689.
28	K Aslesen	Crockery.	"	350
29	Gleason & Byornes	Burial of poor	"	1860
8130	B B Hart & Son	Groceries	"	2966.
31	J Ray & Co.	Tea & Coffee	"	34 50
32	Wm Osborne Co.	Printing		204 50
33	Thos A Clark & Co.	Blanks		7325
34	Globe Ink Co.	Advertising		12
35	A C Bausman	Blank Books		154
36	C A Mitchell	Books & Blanks		24525
37	Cushman & Plummer	Stationery		6250.
38	J A Schleier & Co.	"		17213
39	Keiser Stamp Co	Repairing stamp		250
40	Keiser & Co	Rubber bands		169
8141	A Backdahl	Ink		8
42	Enoch Ray	Services as Coroners Inquests		2035
43	James Howard	Services Hales vs Barretts		25

8144	L H Kinney.	Services State vs Barrett	36.80
45	John Meagher	Board of Henry Barrett wf	32.00
46	Dr D F Collins	Expert Witness State vs Barrett	20.00
47	Henry Ward	Taking charge of H Barrett	44.00
48	G F Hitchcock jr	copies of Evidence State vs Barrett	340.95
49	"	Transcript State vs Murray	7200

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution.
Resolved

That the report of the Committee be accepted and bills allowed.

Adopted.

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution.
Resolved

That the petition of G C Rodell & others for the change in a County road in the Town of Medina be accepted, and that the Chairman appoint a Committee of three of this board to meet at the house of G C Rodell in the Town of Medina on Tuesday February 21st 1888 at 10 o'clock A M, to examine the road to be changed.
Adopted, and the Chair appointed Com^r Chowen Swift and Erickson as such Committee

A Y Bayne & Co presented a bond for 200^{00} and asked to substitute the same for their certified check now on file. On motion they were allowed to do so and the Bond offered was approved.

Commissioner Jennison from the Committee on Taxes returned the following applications for abatement and recommended that they be allowed

H Weimelt	John C Voelker
Bladon & Gibbs	C C Elfelt
Cath Mulvehill	John Mungo
M. Davitt	Mary L Hethern
	Edward Godfrey

of Hennepin County, Minnesota.

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Hans Arnis	F. N Barous
J. M Underwood	F N. Barous
G Adareson	Mrs M De Kay

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved
That the report of the Committee be accepted and the abatements granted.
adopted.

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution:
Resolved
That the Bill of the Taylor Coal
8150 Co for $633^{00}, though not in accordance with the contract, be allowed, the Board being satisfied that said Company has done the best they could under the circumstances
adopted-

The Committee on Roads & Bridges made the following report:

Bids for building 2 Pile Bridges on the North Shore road on Browns Bay, Lake Minnetonka were received as follows:
From Carl & Woods
Pine Piles 30 cents pr lineal foot
Timber $30^{00} pr Mb.
Iron 4 cents pr pound
From Smith & Grant
$4.40 pr lineal foot.
From S. M Hewett
$4.25 pr lineal foot.
From F. D. Mathews & Co
Span Bridge $8.25 pr lineal foot
Long Bridge $4.95 " "
From Minneapolis Bridge Co
with 20 Ft Piles $5.76 pr foot
" 30 Ft " 6.40 "
" 40 Ft " 6.80 "

From A. J. Bayne & Co

3 Oak Piles in each Cent		$ 5.90 per ft
4 " " "		6.00 "
3 Elm " " "		5.75 "
4 " " "		5.90 "
3 Pine " " "		3.80 "
4 " " "		3.60 "

From Wrot Iron Bridge Co. Canton O.

60 x 16. Combination Bridge	$ 7.25 per ft
" 50 x 16.	7.00 "
Oak piling 50 cts per lineal foot	
Pine Lumber $ 25. per M	

And your Committee found that the Bid of S. M Hewett was the lowest. We would therefore recommend that the proper officers be authorized to make and sign a contract with said Hewett to build said Bridges

H. I Chowen, John Swift } Committee on R & B.

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution!
Resolved:

That the proper officers be authorized to make a Contract with S M Hewett in accordance with his Bid, to build 2 Pile Bridges on the North shore road, West of Hayzata

Adopted.

The State Bank of Minneapolis made application to renew their bond and application as depository for County Funds

The Farmers and Merchants State Bank made application to be designated as a depository for County Funds and filed their Bond in the sum of $ 20.000 00

Referred to the Board of Audit

Monday February 6th 1888.

Comr. Barlow offered the following resolution:
Resolved:

That the Committee on Lake Improvements be empowered to make a contract with the Excelsior Iron Works to complete and put on to Lake Minnetonka a Dipper Dredge Boat, as per specifications shown this day to this Board.

Adopted.

On motion the Board adjourned until Monday February 20th 1888 at 10 o'clock a m

W. S. Bowen Chairman

Attest

L. A. Condit Co Auditor

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

All the members of the Board present

The Elliot Ditch matter came up as a special order of business

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution
Resolved

That the Rice Lake Ditch matter be referred back to the viewers and they to counsel the parties affected by the said ditch and to report to this Board their action at our first meeting in April 1888, and that the hearing in the matter be adjourned until said first meeting in April 1888.

Adopted.

The County Auditor submitted detailed accounts for Board of Poor at the Poor farm against the following Towns and Villages

Town of Bloomington	99.10
" Brooklyn	23.72
" Champlin	296.29
" Corcoran	140.58
" Eden Prairie	296.29
" Hassan	76.29
" Independence	53.72
" Medina	284.01
" Minnetonka	452.85
" Richfield	26.58
Village of Crystal	296.29
" Golden Valley	6.57

Com^r Lennon offered the following resolution
Resolved

That the Bills for Board of Poor

as the Poor farm be transmitted to the County Treasurer for collection, in accordance with the provisions of an act of the Legislature entitled "An act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 324 of the Special Laws of 1879, approved Feby 13th 1885."
ch 79 Sp Laws 85
Adopted

David Goulet made application for License to sell Liquor at Hamel Station in the Town of Medina.

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution.
Resolved
That Monday March 5th 1888 be appointed as the day on which the application of David Goulet will be heard and determined by this Board.
Adopted

The Board then 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, except Mr Lennon.

Applications for the Abatement of Taxes were made by the following parties:

C C Leland Adm^r	Harrison Buck
Ann Nixon	Hennepin Hospital College
D H McAllister	Peter Ost
Alice H Wyant	Susan F Baker
J B Oshier	N D Bass
Mrs L Van Boskirk	M Healley
F F Wallace	Elisha Beebe
Keokuk Stove Works	R J Innis
D J High	H Bonkamp

Referred to Committee on Taxes.

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The Committee on Taxes reported back the following applications for abatement and recommended that they be allowed.

E H Pelt
Jame T. Deane
H A Harsted
Anders Cedergren
Jason Baker
G B Kirkbride
Isaac Fawcett
C Cleland Admr
W Rolf
D H McAllister
Alice H Wyant
J G Gould.
Ann Nixon
J B Osher
Mrs L Van Boskerk
M Higgins
Harrison Buck
H F Gillibridge & Co.
Minn. Hospital College
Henry Schlinck
E H Cook
Peter Oos
Susan F Baker

Comr. Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That the report of Committee be adopted and the abatements granted.

Adopted.

Commissioner Erickson from the Committee on Taxes reported back the following applications for abatement with the recommendation that they be disallowed:

J. G Palmer
J F Cheesbro
C L Greenwood
Kilbourne Boot & Shoe Co
A L Ensign
Wm Richard
N. D Davis
F A Clarke
M Healey
F F Wallace
Keokuk Stove Works
Pat Cummings
Elisha Beebe.
W H Peckham
R. T. Innis
D. T High
E M Wilson
L N Gagnon
H L. Hubbard.
J Kirschbaum
H Bornkamp
Perkins Wind Mill Co
H Mason
J G Bugbee
H A Anderson
Jno H Knight
C H Rowe
Geo E Harner
Chas Nachbrieb
Mpls & N Elevator Co

H. A Stevens C. M & St P. Ry Co

Com^r. Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved:

That the report of the Committee be received and that the abatements be not granted
adopted

Com^r. Barlow offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That the applications of the State Bank of Minneapolis and of the Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Minneapolis to be designated as depositories of public funds, be accepted, they to pay interest on Balances at 1/2 per cent as paid by other Banks. That their bonds be and they are hereby approved and said Banks be so designated
adopted

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That the sum of Nine Thousand Dollars be paid to the Excelsior Iron Works upon the completion of the Dredge boat to be built by them.

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

Yeas. Com^rs. Barlow and Swift 2
Nays Com^r Erickson + Mr Chairman 2

And so the resolution was not adopted.

Com^r Erickson offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That the matter of Contract with

the Excelsior Iron Works be laid over until October 1st 1888.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called there were 2 yeas and 2 nays as follows:
Yeas: Com^r Erickson and Mr Chairman 2
Nays: Com^r Barlow and Swift 2

And so the resolution was not adopted.

The Board of Audit made the following report

Minneapolis Minn. Feb. 7. 1888.
To the Board of County Commissioners of
Hennepin Co. Minn.
Gentlemen. We hereby report that on Thursday Feby 2. 1888 we performed the duty imposed upon us by Sec 150. Chap 8. of the Statutes of 1878, and amendments thereto and made an examination of the County Treasurers Cash, We found as follows:

Cash and Cash items on hand	25.854.06
Balances in Banks, verified by us	103.608 72
Total	$ 129.462 78
Balance shown by Auditors Books	$ 129.462.80

Respectfully submitted
L. A. Conduit
E J Davenport
W S Chowen

Placed on file

On motion the Board adjourned

W S. Chowen
Chairman

Attest
L. A. Conduit Co Auditor

Monday March 5th 1888.

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

All the members present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Com^r Barlow from the Committee on Ways and Means reported that he had a Bid from the Farmers and Mechanic's Savings Bank of Minneapolis for $75.000. of Lake Street Bridge Bonds at 1/2 per cent premium, that being the highest bid received, and recommended that the Bonds be sold to said Bank.

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That the Bid of the Farmers and Mechanics Bank be accepted and the Lake Street Bridge Bonds be sold to them at 76.125^{cc} or 1/2% premium

Adopted.

Applications for the Abatement of Taxes were received from:

A Barnard.
John Bergstrom
Mary D. Seamons
Jane Bonfoy.
J. C Cutter
M C Bradford
Geo Huntington
Julia E Gorham
Estate L Vorwerk
Wm Butters
Louis Johnson
Geo H Rust

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

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

The Board of County Commissioners was called to order by the Chairman at 2 o'clock P. M.
All the members present.

The Overseer of the Poor farm presented his report for the month of February.
Placed on file.

E L Burrill presented two remonstrances against the Diamond Lake road, so called

A delegation from the Excelsior Board of Trade consisting of F G Gould, W A Sampson, L B Stetson, W H Harrington and others asked that the Board of County Commissioners make improvements in Excelsior Harbor by dredging.

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution:
Resolved
That the proposition of Mr Mason President of the Excelsior Iron Works for a Dredge Boat to be put on Lake Minnetonka be accepted and that the Committee on Lake Improvement be instructed to push the matter to completion

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 Barlow Lennon and Swift 3.
Nays: Commissioner Erickson and Mr Chairman 2
And so the resolution was adopted.

Monday March 5th 1888.

Mr J W Johnson from Dayton appeared on behalf and Mr M F Taylor in opposition to the Diamond Lake road.

Eliza Murphy, S H Smith & others filed remonstrances against the laying out of the road petitioned for by E E Sand and others, known as Minnetonka Boulevard.

Placed on file

Com^r. Erickson from the Committee on Taxes reported back the following applications for abatement with the recommendation that they be allowed:

A Barnard to the extent of $1350 valuation
Julia E Gorham
Estate L Vorwerk
Wm Butler
Louis Johnson
Geo H Rust
M C Bradford
S C Cutter
Jane Bonfoy
Mary N Seamons

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That the report of the Committee be accepted and abatements made as recommended.

Adopted.

Com^r Erickson from the Committee on Taxes reported back the following applications for abatement and recommended that they be disallowed:

John Bergstrom
Geo Huntington

Com^r. Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved:

That the report of the Committe

be accepted and abatements not allowed.

Adopted

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of G C Rodell and Others for the change in a road in the Town of Medina, made the following report:

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 6th day of February 1888, 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 center of Minneapolis and Mound City road, 300 feet East of the East line of Lot 4 Section 9 Town 117 Range 23, thence South westerly to shore of Crystal Bay, thence Westerly along shore of said Crystal Bay and between the waters edge and the bluff which extends along the shore of said Crystal Bay at this place to intersection with said Minneapolis and Mound City road, where last said road first strikes the shore of Crystal Bay, West of the West line of said Lot 4, which point is at or near the West line of Lot 3, in Section Town and Range aforesaid, where said proposed change is to terminate.

And do hereby recommend that the prayer of said petitioners be granted.

Given under our hands this 5th day of March A.D. 1888

H. L. Chowen

John Swift Committee

Com^r Ericksson offered the following resolution:
Resolved
That the report of the Committee be accepted.
Adopted

Com^r Lennon from the Committee on Claims reported the following bills correct and recommended that they be allowed:

8152	P. P. Swensen	Sheriff's Fees		96490
3	do.	do.		300
4	H. P. Spring	Dep'y Coroners Fees.		14365
5	E J Davenport	Clerks Fees		45227
6	do.	do.		67070
7	P. M Dahl	Surveys of Co roads		11655
8	do.	Drafting Co Road Maps		11930
9	P. G Hanson	Groceries for poor farm		3470
8160	C B & J H Smith	H H goods, paints &c	"	25 85
1	H A Thompson	Miscellaneous Exp^s	"	2788
2	Phillips & Bro	Chairs	"	6
3	Salisbury Dolph & Co.	Hospital Beds	"	3350
4	C A Pillsbury & Co.	Bran	"	30
5	Johnson & Hurd	Doors &c	"	1617
6	J H Thompson	Clothing	"	9825
7	J E Olson & Co	Dry goods	"	3505
8	C B & J H Smith	Hardware for Court Hse		835
9	Pierre Doree	Brooms & Sarapers		14
8170	Knoblauch & Son	Cartoons		360
1	Shotwell Clerihew & Lothman	Blankets & Pillows		8383
2	M H Cutteridge	Work at Cth		427
3	B B Marshall & Son	Work on Clocks	Cth.	10
4	R Alexander	Material & Labor	"	11850
4	do.	"	"	1470
5	Geo Hahn	Oil &c	"	405
6	Wm H Parker	Frames & Stand	"	235
7	P. P. Swensen	Boarding Prisoners		69596
8	do.	Soap &c	Jail	1575
9	J H Thompson	Locks	"	10
8180	Salisbury Dolph & Co	Mattresses	"	36
1	H A Westphal	Ice	"	28
2	M Hogan	Watching	"	60

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6183	W L Mc Callum	Repairing Cots at Jail			17 50
4	Jacob Hoff	Liming Ice Box	"		6 15
6	Mpls Gas Light Co	Gas for C H & Jail	"Feb"		16 34
6151.	F P O'Halleron	4th Estimate Stone work			28 15 24
6189	J. Jerrald	Services as Engineer	Lake		10 143
8	W. M Fox.	" Ass't Engr.	Street		63 15
9	Jas Coyne	" Inspector	Bridge		50.
6190	Edward Leahy.	" Rodman			26 25
1	P. G. Wright	" Rodman			26 25
2	Minn Tribune Co	Printing Delinq Tax List &c			109 20
6194	C A Mitchell	Books & printing.			166 50
7	Thos A Clark & Co	Printing.			33.
8	Harrison & Smith	Record Books			37 92
9	C A Mitchell	Stamped Envelopes			38
6200	W W Harrington	Advertising			3 75
1	J. T. Davis	Office rent & Expenses			176 30
2	J A Schleier & Co	Stationery			110 34
6193	John Marching	Roadwork in Orono			3 50
4	Theo Kallenbach	" Medina			3 50
5	J F Ward	" Brooklyn			13 13
6203	Jas Baxter & Son	Stone for Culverts in Eden Pr & Excelsior			43 00
4	F E Du Toit	Sheriffs Fees			1 50
5	H Bascott	"			4 40
6	C H Nye	Constable Fees			1
7	Wm Hoagland	Justices Fees			9 55
8	Iran Walton	Police Officers Fees			4 25
9	Enoch Ray	" "			6 60
6210	E J Abbott	Platting Auditors Sub No 39			237 00
1	Abbott & Chapman	Platting for City Assessor			38 50
2	Levi Gorman	Taking Charge of H Barrett			25 20
3	Wachenmeth Bros	Meat bill for H Barrett & family			35 87.
4	Wirth Bros	Groceries " "			61 92
5	John Gund Brewing Co.	Repairs to Barrett House			22
6	Robt Jamison	Cash paid Levi Gorman for use at Waconia with the Barretts			300 00
7	J T Swanberg	Board of Mrs Main Walter, Hale Witness in Barrett Trial			30 00
8	Dr W T Nye	Medical attendance to Mrs Henry Barrett			23 00

Monday March 5th 1888.

6219	Frank T Corriston	Copying evidence in J M Barrett trial	95.20
cert 6220	Frank Plummer	Copying & repairing plats in Registers Office	413 00
cert 1	E F. Higbee	Drawing plats	115 00
2	Ree P. Abell	Examining Insane	3 00
3	Bertha G Camp	Copying Indictments	10 00
4	M E Thorne	Care of Ida Richardson	20 00
5	Dr. N. R. O'Brien	medical examination	10 00

Com^r. Swift offered the following resolution!
Resolved
That the report of the Committee be adopted and bills allowed.
Adopted.

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution!
Resolved
6226 That the Bill of the Taylor Coal Co for $581.66, though not in accordance with Contract, be allowed, the Board being satisfied that said Company has done the best they could under the circumstances
Adopted

Com^r Lennon offered the following resolution!
Resolved
cert 6227 That the Bill of Geo A Rodemich for board of Henry Barrett, wife, sister in law and Gorman be allowed. Amt of Bill $96.00.
R W Cummings Adopted.

On motion the Board adjourned until 2 o'clock P. M. Tuesday March 6th 1888

W. S. Chowen
Chairman

Attest
L. A. Lendt Co auditor

Tuesday March 6th 1888.

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

All the members present Except Commissioner Erickson.

On motion the Committee on Stationery was instructed to buy Directories for such County offices as they think should be supplied

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution, Resolved

That an order be made for opening a public Highway in the Towns of Medina and Independence as petitioned for by R. M Mills and Others and in accordance with the report of the Committee adopted by this Board, at a session held January 4th 1888.

Adopted and the following order was made:

State of Minnesota }
County of Hennepin }

At a meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of said County held January 3d. 1888 a copy of the report of the Comm'ttee 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 in the centre of the Minneapolis and Watertown Road, and two (2) rods North of the N right of way line of the St P. M & M R.R. in the S.W¼ of Section 29 Town 118 Range 23, and run thence N of W and parallel with said right of way line to the line between the Townships of Medina and Independence, thence North on said Town line to the S.E. corner of Section 24, Town 118 Range 24,

and thence West on the South line of said Section 24 to Main St. in Maple Plain in last aforesaid Township, thence along said St to Rail Road to R.R Street in in said Maple Plain, thence along said R.R. Street to Spring Street, thence South to South line of said Section 24, thence West on said line and also South line of the adjoining Section 23 to S.W Corner of said Section 23, thence North and West of North on West line of said Section 23 and Main St in Armstrong in the Town of Independence to a point in said Street two (2) rods South of South right of way line of first mentioned R.R., thence North of West and parallel to said South right-of way line as near as practicable to the centre of the Delano and Minneapolis Road as now travelled in Lot 4. Section 16 Town 118 Range 24, and then terminate. 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 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 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 passing that they cause so much said highway as lies in their respective towns to be opened without delay. We have assessed the damages sustained by reason of the locating of said road to the landsover which the same passes and to the owners thereof, as follows: W m Briley and Ole Brecken (~~$50.00~~) fifty dollars each.

Paid Wm Briley 5.7.88 #8292
Paid #8536.

All other persons over whose land said road passes ten cents each.

Given under my hand this
6th day of March A.D 1888

Attest (official seal)
L.A. Condit
County Auditor

W.S. Chowen
Chairman Board County
Commissioners

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That an order be made for the change
+ in a county road in the Towns of Bloomington
and Richfield as petitioned for by Karl E. Berg
and others, and in accordance with the report
of the Committee adopted by this Board at a
session held January 4th 1888. Adopted, and
the following order was made:

State of Minnesota }
County of Hennepin }

At a meeting of the Board of
County Commissioners of said County, held January
3d 1888 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: + Discontinue
a piece of County road described as follows:
+ Beginning at the N. E. corner of the S. E 1/4 of Section
6 Township 27 Rang 24 on course No 7 of a survey
of said road filed in the office of the County Auditor
of said County, thence South 8° West, 5 10/100 chains; thence
South 25° West 7 60/100 chains, thence South 3 3/4° East,
4 75/100 chains, thence South 1/2° East, 3 80/100 chains, thence
South 48 1/4° West 8 7/100 chains, thence North 76 3/4° West
7 80/100 chains, thence South 65 25/100° West 9 30/100 chains,
thence 39 30/100° West to a point on the West line of
the S E 1/4 of the S E 1/4 of Section 6. And in place of
the same lay out a new piece of road as follows:
× Beginning at said N E corner of the S E 1/4 of the S E 1/4
of said section 6 at commencement of said course
7 thence due South on Section line to the N E
corner of the S E 1/4 ~~of the S E 1/4~~ of said Section 6
thence West from 40 to 50 Rods, thence by the most
practicable route to the last point named in
the discontinuance aforesaid. × 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 change of said highway and that the change 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, which is hereby declared to be a ~~highway~~ public 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:

Wm Ryan	Ten cents
E. J. Woodward	Ten cents
K. E. Berg	Ten cents
Mrs Slawin	Ten cents

Given under my hand
this 6th day of March A.D. 1888

Attest
L. A. Cordis
County Auditor

(official Seal)

D. S. Chowen
Chairman Board of County Commissioners

Commissioner Barlow offers the following resolution:
Resolved:

That an order be made for opening a County road in the Towns of Excelsior and Medina as petitioned for by N. T. Griswold and others and in accordance with the report of the committee adopted by this Board at a session held January 4th 1888, Adopted, and the following order was made:

State of Minnesota, }
County of Hennepin }

At a meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of said County, held Jany 3rd 1888 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 opened viz: Beginning in the village of Excelsior on George St 170 ft South of the point where said street meets the the Shore of Gideons Bay in Lake Minnetonka, and thence running in a Southwesterly and Northwesterly direction along the shore of said Bay as near the water's edge as is practicable to the North line of Lot 2 in Section 28 Township 117 Range 23, thence in as direct a line as is practicable to the Southwesterly end of Megarasta Reserve in the plat of Minnetonka Lake Park, thence in a Northeasterly direction following Megarasta Ave to its junction with Wekota Ave, thence East on said Wekota ave. to Wokon Ave, thence North east on the Ave last named to Minnejopa Ave, thence Northwesterly by the shortest practicable course to a point in the North line of Section 28 Town 117 Range 23 which point is the Southerly end of the Minnetonka Lake Park and Maple plain Road, thence N & N.W following & conforming to said road to a point in Section 21 Town 117 Range 23, where the same intersects the dividing line between lands formerly known as the lands of Lott & Hilton and T. Mabey, thence following said line in a Northeasterly direction to the N line of Section 21, Town 117 Range 23, thence in a N. diriction to a point in the Wayzata and Spring Park road where the same makes an angle at the shore of Lake Minnetonka.

And recommended that the prayer of the petitioners for opening said highway be granted; and being 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 is hereby opened 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 opened 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 opening of said road to the lands over which the same passes and to the owners thereof, as follows:

Chas B Sheldon,
John N. Berg, H. W. Nutt, Howe Paige, T. M. Gideon
University of Minnesota, N. T. Griswold, H. W. Huntington Harriet T. Keith, D. W. Casseday, E. E. Brown
A. P. Dorit- Samuel A Findley, Jannes Brodie,
Geo A Camp, Geo W. Cooley - all of the above named parties ten cents each.

Given under my hand this
6th day of March A.D. 1888

Attest
L. A. Condit-
(official seal)
County Auditor

W. S. Chowen
Chairman Board of
County Commissioners

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution;

Resolved:

That an order be made for the change in a highway in the Town of Minnetonka as petitioned for by W. S. Frear and others in accordance with the report of the committee adopted by this Board at a session held November 7th 1887,

Adopted and the following order was made:

State of Minnesota, }
County of Hennepin }

At a meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of said County, held November 7th 1887 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 where the Minnetonka and Plymouth road crosses the South line of the NE¼ of Sec 3 Town 117 Range 22, thence in a Southeasterly course to the N.E. corner of Section 10, thence South on the line between Sections 10 & 11 as near as practicable to the South line of Section 10, thence South on the most practicable route until it intersects the Minneapolis and Minnetonka road at St Albans Station of the St P. Mn & M R.R. *
And recommended that the prayer of the petitioners 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 change of said highway would be of sufficient advantage to the County to warrant the praying 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, which is hereby declared to be a public highway and the Auditor is hereby notified 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:

F. McDonald	Ten cents
D. Byrnes	Ten cents
N. C. Pickering	Ten cents
D. H. Corbett	Ten cents
J. H. Rolf	Ten cents
T. J. Hylin	Ten cents
D. Byrnes	Ten cents
H. Bryant	Ten cents

Given under my hand this
6th day of March A.D. 1888
Attest

L. A. Conidit
Co Auditor

(Official Seal)

D. S. Chowen
Chairman Board of
County Commissioners

Commissioner Barlow offers the following resolution:
Resolved:

That an order be made for laying out a highway in the town of Minnetonka and village of St Louis Park as petitioned for by Edward E. Sand and others in accordance with the report of the Committee adopted by this Board at a session held January 4th 1888, Adopted, and the following order was made

State of Minnesota, }
County of Hennepin }

At a meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of said County, held January 3rd 1888 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 road to be laid out viz:

Beginning Four Rods East of the quarter Section stake on the Section line between Sections 7 & 18 Town 117 Range 21

thence West and Southwesterly to where the old line of the St P Mn M R.R crossed Minnehaha Creek, thence Westerly on the most practicable route to where it will intersect the Minnetonka and Hopkins road just where said Hopkins road angles South to cross the St Louis R.R. track, near the East line of Minnetonka village And recommend that the prayer of the petitioner for laying out said highway be granted, and being of the opinion that the public interest would be promoted by the laying out of said high way and that the laying out of said road would be of sufficient advantage to the County to warrant the paying of damages herein after assessed, we do hereby order and determine that the prayer of said petitioners be granted, and that a highway be and is hereby laid out according to the description above given, which is hereby declared to be a public high way, and the Auditor is hereby directed to notify the Supervisors of the several towns through which such highway is laid out 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 layingout of said road to the lands over which the same passes and to owners thereof as follows:

Honorah Larkin	Ten cents
W.A. McCagne	" "
J.R Hoflin	" "
Eliza Toby	" "

E Murphy, paid as per said Cty Dist Ct #2495 5/6.88 Eliza Murphy One hundred dollars per acre
Paid #296. May 17/88 Chas Burns One hundred dollars ($100 xx/100)
St P M & Minn R.R. paid as per said Cty Dist Court #2494 5.8.88 Minnetonka Stock Farm Co ($100) per acre
Minnetonka Mill Co Ten cents and all others over whose land said road runs Ten cents each

Given under my hand this
6th day of March A.D 1888
Attest

L.A Condit
Co Auditor
(official seal)

O.P Chowen
Chairman Board of County Commissioners

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution.
Resolved
That the plat of a change in the Minnetonka and Plymouth road in Sec 3. Town 117. Range 22 as petitioned for by H. I Frear and others be adopted and ordered filed in the office of the County Auditor
Adopted

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved
That the plat of a County road in the village of St Louis Park and in the Town of Minnetonka as petitioned for by E E Sands. and others and surveyed by D. M Dahl County Surveyor be accepted and ordered filed in the office of the County Auditor
Adopted

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution.
Resolved
That the plat of a change in a County road in Bloomington and Richfield as petitioned for by Karl E Berg and others and surveyed by D. M Dahl County Surveyor, be accepted and ordered filed in the office of the County Auditor
Adopted

Com^r Lennon from the Committee on Claims reported the bill of J M Hewett for $400^{00} on account of building two bridges on the North Shore road as correct, and recommended that it be allowed

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved
That the report of the

Committee be accepted and the bill allowed.

Adopted

On motion the Board adjourned

W. S. Chowen

Chairman

attest

L. A. Condit Co Auditor

Monday April 2d 1888.

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

All the members present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Notice of appeal served on W. S Chowen Chairman of the Board by H & N J. Smith and by Eliza Murphy, from the award of damages made by the Board, March 6th 1888 in their order for laying out a road or highway in the Town of Minnetonka and Village of St Louis Park, as petitioned for by E Edands and others

Placed on file

A communication from Lesser Franklin relating to his application for an abatement and refundment on his personal taxes, was referred to the Committee on Taxes

A communication was received from JJ Corrigan relating to the location of the proposed Bridge over the Minnesota river

Referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges

The Committee on Roads & Bridges made the following report:

To the Board of County Commissioners of Hennepin Co.

The undersigned your Committee would respectfully report that we have examined the Pile Bridge built on the North Shore road, Lake Minnetonka by S. M Hewett, and find that it is built in a substantial

and workman like manner and according to plans and specifications.

H. S Chowen }
John Swift } Com.

Placed on file

A memorandum of an agreement between Wright County, Minnesota and the Town of Otsego in said County was received and placed on file

Com. Barlow offered the following resolution
Resolved

6291 That the bill of the Taylor Coal Co, for March, amounting to $593.00 though not in accordance with Contract, be allowed, the Board being satisfied that said Company has done the best the could under the circumstances.
Adopted and bill allowed.

The Board then adjourned 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. Swift offered the following resolution.
Resolved

That the Hearing in the matter of the Rice Lake Ditch be continued until Monday May 7th 1888 at 2 o'clock P. M

Adopted

Com. Barlow offered the following resolution.
Resolved

That all maps or plats to be recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in Hennepin County, shall

be made in duplicates and mounted on egg shell paper of uniform size of 20 inches by 30 inches. This resolution to take effect from the 1st day of June 1888.

Adopted.

O L Languna, Janitor asked permission to retain Frank Hagan, assistant Janitor for another month.

Com^r Lennon offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That the petition of the Janitor be referred to the Committee on Grounds and Buildings, with power to act.

Adopted.

A petition was received from C T Galloway and S. F Smith, asking the Board to release the Mortgage on the N½ NW¼ of Section 30. Town 117 Range 21, upon payment of $12.000^{00}

Referred to Committee on Ways and Means to report at next meeting.

David Goulet filed his Bond for $2000. with J O Hamel and Wm Hamel as sureties conditioned upon his faithful compliance with the Law.

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That a license to sell Liquor at Loretto Station in the Town of Medina be granted to David Goulet, and that his Bond be approved.

Adopted.

Thomas Ryger filed his Bond for $2000. with John Mahar and J. R Kennitt as sureties, conditioned upon faithful compliance with the law.

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution.
Resolved

That a License to sell Liquor in the Town of Hasan at Rogers' Siding be granted to Thomas Rogers, and that his Bond be approved.

Adopted

Monday May 7th 1888 at 3 o'clock P.M was fixed as the time to hear the application of Gottlieb Beiswenger to sell Liquor at Rogers Siding, and such other applications as may be made in the mean time.

A petition from the Town of Greenwood, asking that appropriations to the amount of $800. be made to be expended on county roads in said Town, was referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges.

Com^r Lennon from the Committee on Claims reported the following Bills correct, and recommended that they be allowed:

8229	P. J. Iversen	Sheriff's Fees		6944 10
8230	"	"		924
8231	P. M Dahl	Survey of Co Roads		337.19
8232	W. Spring.	Dep'y Coroners Fees		13750
8233	B F Shaver	Services Dep. Supt of Schools		6500
8234	E J Davenport	Clerks Fees		38049
8235	R Alexander	Labor & material	Ch	18268
8236	C. Hansens Son	Furniture	"	1350
8237	Pierre Doree	Brooms & Brushes	"	8
8238	G. Amorsen	Repairs to Boiler	"	3
8239	Jacob Stoft	Nails	"	1159
8240	Geo Huhn & Co.	Brush & Comb	"	715
8241	P. J. Iversen	Boarding prisoners	"	52836
8242	M Hogan	Watching Jail		60
8243	Electric Construct. Co.	Belonging for Jail		235
8244	Painters Coop Ass^n	Painting in Ch & Offices		10

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8245	N. D. Hoethe	Washing for Co Hospital & Jail		40 16
8246	Hunter Scott & Co	Plumbing Co Hospital & Poorhouse		220 18
8247	C B & J H Smith	Hardware	Co	7 00
8248	C K Perrine	Repg Plows	Poorhouse	20 00
8249	J H Day & Co	Lumber	"	17 00
8250	H A C Thompson	Miscellaneous Exps	"	29 19
8251	J H Thompson	Clothing	"	30 50
8252	B B Hart & Son	Groceries	"	160 14
8253	C B & J H Smith	Garden seeds Tools &c	"	24 45
8254	Harrison & Smith	Record Books		108 00
8255	A C Bausman	"		232 75
8256	C J Hibbard	Index		3 50
8257	Pioneer Prtg Co	Blanks		2 50
8258	C A Mitchell	Books & printing		150 25
8259	Thos A Clark & Co	Printing		52
8260	Cushman & Plummer	Stationery		22 90
8261	J A Schlener & Co	"		69 88
6165	D. F O'Halloran	5th monthly Estimate	Lake	3565 16
8262	J J Ensell	Services as Engineer		100
8263	W H Fox	" Asst "	Street	62 50
8264	Jas Coyne	" Inspector		50
8265	Edward Leahy	" Rodman		28 35
8266	M G Wright	" "	Bridge	28 35
8267	Enoch Ray	Services at Coroners Inquest		8 05
18268	M Fourstow	"	"	3 45
8269	R R Harvey	"	"	6 20
8270	Abbott & Chapman	Plotting Auditors Sub. No 41.		14
8271	G F Hitchcock	Transcript of testimony in Peter Barrett case for Co Atty		37 80
8272	"	Transcript of testimony in Welsh case for Co Atty		72 00
8273	"	Transcript of testimony in Peter Barrett case for Governor		18 90
8274	Olaf Hoff	Soundings in Minnesota River		150 50
8275	F F Davis	Paid Expenses in Barrett case		14 30
8276	N. H Dahl	Drafting Co road maps		240 50
8277	W O'Brien	Graves		28
8278	E F Higbee	Draughting Working Plat		120
8279	John F Higbee	Plats for Town Assessors		24
8280	M E Horne.	care of Ida Richardson		20
8281	Gleason & Byorum	Burials		30 70

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82 82	G Brynildsen	Copying plats	14 60
82 83	J F Peterson	Recording	5 05
82 84	J W Molyneaux	Services as Juror in Court	50
82 85	Frank Plummer	Copying plats	5 26
82 86	Jos Hamilton	2 Days as Ditch Viewer	4 8
82 87	A C Godfrey	" "	4 8
82 88	Jno Lyons	" "	4 8
82 89	J M Merritt	on a/c building Bridges on North Shore Road on Lake Minnetonka	487 00
82 90	F F Davis	Office rent & expenses	78 55

Com'r Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That the report of the Committee be adopted, and bills allowed.

Adopted.

Petitions for abatement of Taxes were received from

H J Cleator
J C Whitney
Cyrus K Elkins
J F Blaisdell
A P Lawrence
O W Bayless
John L Dodge
John Bjork
B H Heller
C M & St P Ry Co.
Julia Blake
H H Lauderdale
Lesser Franklin
Alois Dutchman
August Knall
C H Hebe
Ferdinand Leutje

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Monday April 2d. 1888.

Otto Johnson submitted the following:
To the Hon: Board of County
Commissioners of Hennepin Co:
Gentlemen. You are hereby notified that the undersigned gave the first information which led to the arrest and conviction of the murderers of Thomas Tollefson, and that he claims the reward therefor, heretofore offered by you..
Respectfully
Otto Johnson
Dated March 5. 1888.
Placed on file

L A Austin offered a deed of a strip of land for a roadway in the plat of Summerville Lake Minnetonka.
Referred to the Com. on Roads & Bridges.

C F Jones & Co. submitted plans for a Draw Bridge on Dayton & Shakopee State road at Lake Minnetonka.
Referred to the Com: on Roads & Bridges

Commissioner Erickson from the Com. on Fees reported back the following applications for Abatement, and recommended that they be not allowed:
Cyrus K Wilkins
John L Dodge
John Bjork
B H Hellen
Lesser Franklin
Mildred Jenks
A N Lundquist
Com. Swift offered the following resolution
Resolved
That the report of the Committee be adopted
adopted

Com'r Erickson from the Comm'tee on Taxes reported back the following applications for Abatement, and recommended that the same be allowed

H P. Cleator
J C Whitney
V H Bayless (2)
Julia Blake
H H Lauderdale
Alois Duchenau
C M & St P Ry Co.
A T Lawrence
J T Blaisdell
August Knall in the amount of $3.95 Valuation
C H Keeber " 175.00 "
Ferdinand Leitzke " 150.00 "

Com'r Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved

That Abatements be made as recommended

Adopted

On motion the Board adjourned.

W. D. Chowen
Chairman

Attest.

L. A. Condit Co auditor

Monday May 7th 1888.

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

All the members of the Board were present

Minuetes of the last meeting read and approved.

A Petition was received from J. Bookwalter Land Commissioner of the St P. M & M Ry. asking for a change in a portion of the North Shore road in the Town of Medina, at the expense of the R. R. Co.

Refered to Com. on Roads & Bridges.

A Petition was received signed by L. F. Sampson and 133 others praying for the improvement of the road from the village of Excelsior, around the shore of Gideons Bay into the Town of Medina

Refered to committee on Roads and Bridges and Committee on Lake Improvement

A. D. Bayne filed his Bond in the sum of $10 000 with W. L. Bassett, T. E. Byrnes and Chas Filtcan as securities for the faithful performance of his contract for building a bridge over Crow River in the village of Dayton

Refered to County Attorney.

The Board of Auditors presented the following report:

To the Hon. Board of County Commissioners,
The following named Banks having been heretofore designated as depositories of the public funds of Hennepin County, and having furnished good and sufficient Bonds for the security of said funds for a further period of two years, and having contracted to continue the payment of interest for said further period of two years, are by us again

designated as such Depositories and we hereby accept the several bonds offered, to wit:

Bank of Minneapolis	100,000
Scandia Bank	75,000
Henn Co Savings Bank	100,000
N. W. Natl Bank	300,000
1st Natl Bank	200,000
Union Natl Bank	200,000
Commercial Bank of Mpls	100,000
Security Bank	500,000
Peoples Bank	100,000

Commissioner Barlow offers the following resolution,

Resolved,

That the Bonds of the Bank of Minneapolis, Scandia Bank, Hennepin Co Savings Bank, N. W. National Bank, First National Bank, Union National Bank, Commercial Bank, Peoples Bank, Peoples Bank, and Security Bank be referred to the County Attorney for approval.

Adopted.

The Overseer of the Poor form presents his report for the month of April last

Placed on file.

Commissioner Swift offers the following resolution,

Resolved,

That the deed of L. A. Austin and wife to the County of Hennepin of a strip of land for a roadway, in the plat of Summerville Lake Minnetonka, be accepted,

Adopted.

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution,

Resolved:

That Warrants be drawn in favor of S.H. & N.S. Smith for the sum of $321.06 and in favor of Eliza Murphy for the sum of $616.58 as damages for land taken by the road petitioned for by E.E. Sands and others, and as ordered by the District Court

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

James Carney and others owners of the Anoka Street Railway, presented a petition asking for the privilege of extending said Railway, and operating the same, upon the county road which leads from Minneapolis through the village of Champlin to Dayton.

Referred to the County Attorney

Applications for abatement of Taxes were made by the following named parties:

D. S. Hopper
Susan B. Willard
Park Board of Minneapolis
Peter Doree
Chas Smith
A.M. Fish
Thos H. Lewis
John Anderson
N.H. Hemingway
Dick Sampson
W.D. Haycock
A. Carlson
Eph. A. Perkins

James Newhouse
Delano T. Smith
H. E. Ladd
Cly. Vanstrum
Hyman Elliot
J. S. Elliot
Wm Russell

Referred to Committee on Taxes

The Village of Crystal by its Attorney W. E. Hale made the request that the sum now due the Village of Crystal ($208.07) from the March settlement of Taxes and held by the County Treasurer to pay for the care of one Michael Curley, at the Poor farm, be paid over to said village

Referred to the County Atty.

Commissioner Barlow offers the following resolution,

Resolved:

That the chairman of each committee be instructed to notify each and every merchant from whom said Committee may have occassion to purchase supplies for the county that no bills for such supplies will be allowed unless they are ordered by the chairman of the proper committee or some member thereof,

Adopted

Commissioner Barlow offers the following resolution,

Resolved:

That the ditch for draining Rice Lake by lowering and straightening Minnehaha Creek, be established according to the report of the viewers heretofore filed and that said report be adopted

Adopted

Gottlieb Beissvenger files his Bond for $2000 with Theo. Basting, and Charles Gluck as sureties, and asks for License to sell liquor in the Town of Hassan.

Commissioner Barlow offers the following resolution,

Resolved:

That a license to sell liquor in James Flynn's House situated about 10 Rods from Rogers Station in the Town of Hassan be granted to Gottlieb Beissvenger and that his Bond be approved

Adopted

Commissioner Barlow offers the following resolution,

Resolved:

That the Petition of C. F. Sillowy and S. F. Smith asking for the release of the Mortgage on the N½ NW¼ of Section 30 Town 117, Range 21, 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:

Barlow, Erickson & Lennon, yea
Swift & Mr Chairman, nay

And so the resolution was Adopted

Commissioner Chowen offers the following resolution,

Resolved:

That the petition of the District Judges and of the clerk of the District Court for another court room, and for additional room for the Probate and Clerks office be refered to the committee on Grounds and Public Buildings, with full power to act

Adopted

Commissioner Erickson of the committee on Taxes reportes back the following applications for abatement and recommended that the same be allowed:

N. H. Hemingway
Dick Sampson
W. D. Haycock
A. Carlson
Eph A. Perkins
James Newhouse
Delano T. Smith
Henry E. Ladd
C. J. Vanstrum
Wyman Elliot
J. S. Elliot
Wm Russell
John Anderson
Thos H. Lewis
Charles Smith
O. Donee
Park Board
Wm Michand
Susan B. Millord

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution

Resolved:

That the Report of the committee be adopted.

Adopted

Commissioner Erickson of the committee on Taxes reported back the following applications for abatement and recommended that the same be not ~~granted~~:

F. C. Pillsbury
S. D. Hopper
A. M. Fish

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution.

Resolved:

That the report of the Committee be adopted

Adopted

Monday May 7th 1888.

Commissioner Lennon of the Committee on claims reported the following bills correct and recommended that they be allowed

8297	P. P. Swenson	Sheriffs Fees	707	25
8	do	" "	114	00
9	E. J. Davenport	Clerks Fees	274	60
8300	F. E. Towers	Depy Coroners Fees	79	15
1	W. P. Spring	" " "	167	40
2	P. M. Dahl	Survey of Co Road	154	05
3	do	" "	30	00
4	do	" "	90	00
5	B. F. Shaver	Services as Depy Supt Schools	40	00
cert 6	O. S. Langum	Horse and Buggy to St Paul	5	00
cert 7	N. D. Swenson	Hauling snow, ashes &c from CH	95	50
8	Geo Huhn	Toilet Paper	21	00
9	Bank of Mpls	Office Rent for Supt Schools	75	00
8310	G. Amonson	Repairs at Court House	3	50
1	C. B. Stevens & Son	Repairs " "	2	00
2	E. R. Williamson	Seal " "	8	00
3	Amer. Dist Tel Co	Watch Service " "	77	00
4	F. H. Peterson & Co	Matting & Cloth " "	62	42
5	Painters Coöp Assn	Kalsomining Papering " "	93	00
6	C. S. Axtell	Salt " "	1	75
7	A. E. Moberg & Co	Crash " "	4	50
cert 8	Wm Brown	Labor & Material on gutters & roof	63	06
9	C B & J H Smith	Hardware for court-house & Jail	12	60
8320	Mpls Gas light Co	Gas for CH & Jail, March	144	72
1	do	" " " " April	108	72
cert 2	Hunter Scott & Co	Plumbing CH	108	50
3	R. Alexander	Work & Materials "	179	25
8293	P. F. O. Halloran	6th Estimate on Piers	1095	18
8324	J. S. Sewell	Services as Engineer	100	00
5	W. M. Fox	" " Asst Engr	62	80
6	Jas Coyne	" " Inspector	50	00
7	Edwd Lahy	" " Rodman	26	25
8	P. G. Wright	" " "	26	25

Lake St Bridge

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8329	P. P. Swenson	Soap Broom. Towels &	Jail	22 00
8330	do	Boarding Prisoners		474 96
1	M. Mogan	Watching	Jail	60 00
2	Kennedy Bros	Hand cuffs	"	4 50
3	J. H. Thompson	Clothing for Poor farm		26 25
4	do	" " "		30 90
5	Thos. Hill	Tea " "		21 25
6	F. H. Peterson & Co	Carpet & Linoleum	"	74 84
7	S. E. Olesen	Dry Goods	"	22 71
8	C B & J H Smith	Household utensils	"	25 10
9	Patterson & Dickinson	Hats	"	12 00
8340	L. Day & Son	Lumber	"	19 69
1	Couch & Mooney	Meat	"	15 12
2	Mpls Coop Fur Co	Shoes Poor farm & Jail		45 10
3	H. A. C Thompson	Sundry Expenses Poor farm		35 07
4	H. L. Hoglund	Work on Co Road in Wayzata		128 57
5	A. Fullman	" " "		7 00
6	A. Herschell	" "		7 00
7	Perry Parish	" "		7 00
8	L. P. Taylor	" "		15 75
9	H. Rodner	" " "		17 50
8350	Olaf Hoff	Estimate for Minnesota River Bridges		245 75
1	H. F. Brown	Lumber for Co Road		4 65
2	C B & J H Smith	Road Plow		20 00
3	Books Bros	Lumber for Co Road		10 08
4	L H Shaver	Work on Dredge Boat & Expenses		152 35
5	B. G. Shaver	" " "		55 00
6	W. H. Wright	" " "		30 00
7	C B & J H Smith	Hardware & Tools		38 40
8	W. A. James	Pais for Stationery		5 09
9	J. A. Schlener & Co	Stationery		130 19
8360	Cushman & Plummer	"		171 30
1	F. F. Davis	Office Rent & Expenses		92 03
2	A. Backdahl	Ink		3 75
3	E. R. Williamson	Stamps		1 00

8364	Sibley & Lilly	File Envelopes	26 50
5	A. C. Bausman	Books	185 00
6	C. A. Mitchell	Printing	799 12
7	Thos A. Clark & Co	"	181 50
8	Minn Tribune Co	Printing	41 87
9	Journal Printing Co	Advertising	1 12
8370	Glob Pub Co	"	5 00
1	J. P. Hoy	Detective Services	16 35
2	Joseph Lawrence	" "	16 10
3	Jas Howard	" "	17 50
4	L. H. Kinney	" "	117 60
5	Enoch Ray	Services at Coroners Inquests	4 85
6	H. Hennicide	" " "	40 95
7	Wachsmith Bros	Meat for H Barrett & family	18 37
8	Wirth Bros	Groceries " "	77 87
9	Robt Pratt	Fuel " "	16 00
8380	Justin E. Brown	Drawing affidavits	10 00
1	Thos Gavin & Son	Carriage Hire	21 00
2	L. C. Turner	Copying in Pete Barrett Case	78 50
3	H. H. Maloy	Speaking trumpet at Barrett Trial	7 00
4	M. O'Brien	Graves	10 00
5	E. F. Higbee	Draughting Plats	150 00
6	J. F. Higbee	" " for assessors	68 00
7	M. E. Thorne	Case of Ida Richardson	20 00
8	C. E. Conant	Services as Trier	30 00
9	Cl. Van Vert	" "	20 00
8390	Frank Plummer	Coping Plats	164 00

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution

Resolved:

That the report of the committee be adopted and Bills allowed

Adopted

Commissioner Lennon offers the following resolution;

In the matter of the construction of a Ditch, called Suchanecki's Ditch located in Township 117, West of Cedar Lake in Hennapin County

Be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Hennepin Co. That whereas the said Ditch has been duly located, viewed, damages assessed, objections of Contigious land owners removed and the same has been established after all things required by law has been complied with and furnished, and nothing remains now to be done, save the issuance of the bonds required by the laws of Minnesota, especially the statute of 1887, being chapter 97 of said laws, Now therefore be it resolved that Bonds be issued in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars ($2000) the amount necessary to defray the expenses incurred and to be incurred in locating, constructing and establishing the said Ditch. Said bonds to bear interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, payable on or before two years at the option of this Board; interest to be paid annually, said bonds to be issued pursuant to the provisions of Section 17 of Chapter 97 of the laws of 1887

adopted

A Communication from James D. Shaw, Attorney for B. H. Ford, assignee of Thomas H. Reeves, asking that the personal Tax of 1887 against said Reeves be cancelled, was read and placed on file.

Commissioner Lennon offers the following resolution.

Resolved;

That the Plat of the County Roads in the Towns of Medina & Independence

as petitioned for by R. M Mills and others and surveyed by P. M. Dahl County Surveyor be accepted and ordered placed on file in the office of the County Auditor

Adopted

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution,

Resolved:

That the Chairman of the Committee on Roads & Bridges have full power to act in the matter of building a Draw Bridge across Shavers Narrows, Lake Minnetonka

Adopted

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution

Resolved:

That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings be authorized to retain the services of assistant janitor Hogan

Adopted

On motion of Commissioner Swift, the Board adjourned

W S, Chowen
Chairman

Attest
L. A. Condit.
Co Auditor

Journal of the Board of County Commissioners

Monday May 21st- 1888.

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to the following call, and were called to order by the chairman;

All the members present-

Minneapolis, May 9th 1888

To L.A. Condit-

County Auditor,

Dear Sir!

You are hereby requested to call a Special Meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of Hennepin County, Minnesota, to be held Monday May 21st 1888, at 10 o'clock A. M. to consider the Bonds of Banks designated as depositories of County Funds, and such other business as may come before the Board.

W.S. Chowen
John B Swift
S.J. Barlow
} County Commissioners of Hennepin County, Minnesota

Notified Commissioners Erickson & Lennon by mail

L A Condit Co Auditor

The County Attorney having examined the Bonds of the Bank of Minneapolis, Scandia Bank, Hennepin County Savings Bank, N.W. National Bank, Union National Bank, Commercial Bank, Peoples Bank First National Bank and Security Bank as Depositories of Public Funds, returned the same with his approval.

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution

Resolved:

That the Bonds of of the Bank of Minneapolis, Scandia Bank, Hennepin County Savings Bank, N.W. National Bank, First National Bank, Union National Bank Commercial Bank, Peoples Bank and Security Bank be approved

Adopted

Monday May 21st 1888.

To the Hon Board of County Commissioners
Gents:

The following named Banks having been heretofore designated as depositories of the public funds of Hennepin County and having furnished good and sufficient Bonds for the security of said funds for a further period of two years and having contracted to continue the payment of interest for the further period of two years are by us again designated as such depositories and we hereby accept the several bonds offered:

City Bank of Mpls	$250,000
First National Bank of Anoka	50,000

L. A. Condit
E. J. Davenport
W. S. Chowen
Members of Board of Audit

Commissioner Barlow offered the resolution,

Resolved;

That the Bonds of the City Bank of Minneapolis and the 1st National Bank of Anoka be approved

Adopted

Applications for Abatement of Taxes were filed by the following parties:

Mary J. Grady
Mary E. Applegate
C. A. King
Chs. Vanstrum
Albert Nootting
W. E. Woolley
A. D. Bovee
W. H. Mc Mullan
E. T. Stone
Hoyt Delong
J. W. Higby
Wm Tobin
John W. Smith

E. A. Richards
Gustave Nelson
P. P. Hemmingway
P. J. E. Clementson
R. S. Goodfellow
Joseph Boise
Flora E. Fargo
Emma S. Dean
John De Kaestner

Referred to the Committee on Taxes

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution.

Resolved:

That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings be instructed to cause the Gutter in front of the East end of the Court House to be repaired and cleaned in order to afford proper drainage

Adopted

A. Ny. Bayne appeared before the Board and asked for an extension of his Contract to build the Dayton Bridge until August 1st 1888

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution,

Resolved:

That the extension of time to August 1st 1888 be given to A. Ny. Bayne for the completion of the Crow River Bridge, between Hennepin and Wright Co's in the Town of Dayton

Adopted

Commissioner Erickson of the Committee on Taxes reported back the following applications for abatement and recommended that they be allowed

Mary J. Grady
Mary E. Applegate
C. A. King
Cl. Vanstrum
Albert Nooding

W. E. Woolley
A. D. Bovee
W. H. McMullen
E. T. Stone
J. W. Higby
John W. Smith
E. A. Richards
Gustave Nelson
P. J. E. Clementson
R S Goodfellow
Joseph Bois
Flora E. Fargo, and that on application of P. Hennininay an abatement of $1000 valuation be allowed

Commissioner Lennon offered the following Resolution:

Resolved:

That the report of the committee be adopted and abatements made as recommended

Adopted

Commissioner Erickson of the Committee on Taxes reported back the following applications for abatement with the recommendation that the same be not granted

Hoyt Delvin
M Tobin
Emma S Deane
John D Kaufmer

Commissioner Lennon offered the following resolution,

Resolved:

That the report of the committee be adopted

Adopted

On Motion the Board adjourned

Attest

County Auditor Chairman

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

Present Messrs Erickson, Lennon, Swift and Mr Chairman.

Absent,- Mr Barlow.

Minutes of the last regular meeting read and approved.

A communication from Wm J. Godfrey asking for a Refundment of Taxes for the years 1879 to 1887 inclusive was read and referred to the Committee on Taxes

Proceedings of a meeting of residents of Hennepin, Dakota and Scott Counties were read, asking that the Board of County Commissioners cause surveys and estimates to be made for a bridge across the Minnesota River, at a point where Cedar Avenue, if produced, extended, would intersect said River.

Placed on file.

A Petition from Mordecai Parry and others was read, asking that one of Dredge Boats and crew be taken to the upper Lake Minnetonka for the purpose of digging a steam boat Channel across a sand bar to facilitate the transit of residents at the upper Lake to and from their business

Referred to the Committee on Lake Improvement.

Applications for abatement of Taxes were received from the following parties:

Catherine Grimes
Armory Association
F. J. Wilcox
John Collins
Wm Simms

E M. Nichols
Christ Hanck
Olive Stinson
Lisette Finch
A. W. Kerridge
Angela Blum
E. A. Campbell
Inez M. Letcher
E. C. Loorseth
Lewis V. Read
J. M. Brearly
Jennie L. Flynn
Minnie Broderick

Referred to the Committee on Taxes

The County Auditor laid before the Board a certified copy of the Judgement in the District Court, obtained by Ambrose L. Lennon against the County of Hennepin in the Sum of $175\frac{93}{100}$

Commissioner Swift offers the following resolution

Resolved:

That a warrant for $175\frac{93}{100}$ be drawn in favor of Ambrose L Lennon, to satisfy the Judgement obtained by him in the District Court against the County of Hennepin

Adopted

Commissioner Swift offers the following resolution:

Resolved,

That the action of this Board on February 28th 1888 whereby it was ordered that the County Treasurer collect $296.29 from the Village of Crystal for Board for Michael Curry at the Poorfarm be and the same is hereby rescinded

Adopted

The County Auditor submitted an account against the Town of Crystal Lake for $296.29 for Board for Michael Curry at the Poorfarm

Commissioner Erickson offers the following resolution:

Resolved,

That the Bill against the Town of Crystal Lake be transmitted to the County Treasurer for collection in accordance with the provisions of an act of the Legislature, entitled an act to amend Sec 10 chapter 324 Special laws of 1879 approved Feb 13. 1885

Adopted

A Plan for a Draw Bridge at Lake Minnetonka was submitted by C. P. Jones

Referred to the committee on Lake Improvements

Reports from the Overseer of the Poorfarm for the month of May were received and 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 except Commissioner Barlow

Communications from Olaf Hoff, civil engineer ~~were received~~ accompanied by detailed plans, specifications and estimates for the proposed construction of bridges over the Minnesota River were received and ordered filed.

The matter of granting the Anoka Street Railway Co, the privilege of extending the tracks of said Company upon the County

Monday June 4th 1888.

Road leading through the Village of Champlin, to Dayton, was laid over for consideration until the next regular meeting

Com^r. Erickson of the Committee on Taxes reported back the following applications for abatement and recommended that the same be granted:

Olive Stinson
F. J. Wilcox
A. N. Kerridge
E. A. Campbell
Inez M. Letcher
J. M. Brearly
Minnie Broderick
Jessie L. Flynn
Armory Association
Hoyt Delvin
Christ Hancke
Catherine Grimes
E. M. Nichols

Commissioner Swift offers the following resolution:

Resolved,

That the report of the committee be adopted and abatements made as recommended

Adopted

Commissioner Erickson of the committee on Taxes reported back the following applications for abatement and recommended that they be not allowed:

Wm Simms
Lisette Furch
Angela Blum
E. C. Loosely
Louis V. Reed
John Collins

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution.
Resolved,
That the report of the committee be adopted
Adopted

Commissioner Lennon of the committee on claims reported the following bills correct and recommended that they be allowed

8394	E. J. Davenport	Clerks Fees		335	85
5	F. E Towers	Deputy Coroners Fees		35	30
6	B. T. Shaver	Services as Depy Co Supt Schls		45	
7	P. P. Swenson	Sheriffs Fees		324	
8	do	do		600	95
9	C. P. Stevens & Son	furniture for Court House		1	50
8400	H. P. Walthe	Washing " " "		16	74
1	Painters Coop Assn	Kalsomming & Painting	"	60	
2	P. Doree	Brooms & Scrubs	"	5	50
3	K. Aslesen	Salt Soap &c	"	24	40
4	Geo Huhn	Thermometers &c	"	5	10
5	City Mpls	Water Rent	"	92	70
6	G. Amundsen	Work on water tank	"	1	75
7	R. Alexander	Material & Labor	"	124	73
cont. 8	M. N. Mogan	Watching	Jail	60	
9	P. P. Swenson	Board of Prisoners	"	461	96
8410	Courtney & Walthe	White washing	"	167	
1	Mpls Wire Works	Iron Door & Grating	"	152	
2	Robt Wishart	Labor & Material	"	10	75
3	J. N. Thompson	Clothing	"	38	
4	City Mpls	Water rent	"	38	75
5	P. P. Swenson	Soap Towels & Brooms	"	25	
6	Taylor Coal Co	Coal for CH & Jail		241	40
7	B & J. N. Smith	Hardware	"	5	72
8	T. Ray & Co	Groceries for Poorfarm		51	
9	do	"	"	34	
8420	B & J. N. Smith	Household articles	"	36	86
1	J. N. Thompson	Clothing	"	35	20
2	Eidam & Dailey	Blacksmithing	"	3	50

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X 8423	Wm McArdle	Groceries	Poorfarm		79	32
4	Patterson & Dickinson	Hats	"		6	
5	C.P. Stevens & Son	Kitchen Table			1	75
6	N.W. Telephone Co	Telephone Services	"		40	
cert 7	L.E. Thompson	Bay Horse	"		200	
8	B.B. Hart & Son	Groceries	"		77	
9	C.O. Miller	Shade Trees	"		7	
8430	H.A.C Thompson	Monthly Expenses	"		24	89
1	C.M. Hanson	Groceries	"		42	17
2	Mpls Cop Fur Co	Shoes			28	00
8391.	P.F.O. Halleron	7th monthly estimate	Stone work		642	26
8433	J.S. Sewall	Salary Engineer			100	
4	W.M. Fox	" Asst Engineer		Lake	62	50
5	Ed Leahy	" Rodman		Street	25	20
6	C.M. Wright	" "		Bridge	28	35
7	J.A. Schlener & Co	Stationery			32	95
8	Cushman & Plummer	"			58	75
9	Heiser & Co	Rubber Bands & fasteners			18	25
8440	F.F. Davis	Office Rent & Supplies for May			85	
1	Harrison & Smith	Books & Printing			175	50
2	C.A. Mitchell	Stamped Envelopes Books & Blanks			444	50
3	F.A. Clark & Co	Printing			58	50
4	A.P. Abell	Examining Insane			6	00
certf- 5	A.C. Bailey	Justices Fees			6	35
6	H.B. Spickerman	"			13	00
7	C.O. Woodruff	"			3	45
8	C McCarty	Constables Fees			17	35
9	R. Brevoort	"			5	45
8450	S.D. Shaw	"			7	85
1	N.L. Hoagland	"			4	05
2	A. Bickford	"			9	25
3	Aug Stubble	Witness Fees			3	68
4	Enoch Ray	Services at coroners Inquest			17	65
5	J.F. Peterson	Mortgage List & Recording			618	15
cert 6	E.F. Higbee	Draughting Plats			120	
7	D.F. Collins	Expert Witness Pete Barrett Trial			25	
8	Geo H. White	Services as Trier in Dist Court			40	
9	J.P Vander Lip	"			10	
8460	A.P. Loomis	"			20	

8461	M. E. Thorne	Care of Ida Richardson	20		
2	John H. Long	Services as Juror in Dist Court	30		
3	C. L. Snyder	Penalty + Fees Refunded	6	76	
4	Calvin Smith	Conveying insane person to Mpls	6		
5	A. Bickford	do	4	60	
6	Wachsmith Bros	Meat Bill for N. Barrett + Family Feby Mch + May	39	61	
cert'f 7	A. C. Bailey	Conveying insane person to Mpls	4	00	
cert'f 8	do	Services at Coroners Inquests	2	50	
9	C. N. Drew	Services as expert Chemist in Dist Court	25		
8470	Robt Jamison	Cash expended in case State vs Paults	200		
1	L. H. Chowen	Labor on Dredge Boat + Exp	124	16	
2	W W Wright	Labor on Dredge Boat	55		
3	B. L. Shaver	"	75		
4	Patsy Rourke	"	16		
5	Jas Farrell	"	60		
6	A. C. Stapp	Coal + Wood for Dredge	38		
7	C B + J W. Smith	Tools + Iron "	24	70	
8	North Star Iron Works	Iron Work "	78	47	
9	do	" "	28	65	
8480	Thomas Lucas	Work on "	15		
1	W. Zahalka	Wood "	20	25	
2	H. S. Lillager	Towing "	15		
3	C. A. Litchfield	Lumber "	10	63	
4	P. M. Dahl	Work on Co Road Maps	303		
5	Deere + Co	Wheele Scrapers - Road a/c	543		
6	Thomas Hyde	Timber + Labor on Bridge	13		
7	C B + J W. Smith	Tools Road a/c	39	45	
8	Olaf Hoff	Estimates for Minn River Bridges	3	24	
9	Chas Filteau	Building Bridge over Minnetaska Creek	116	93	
8490	Henry Wallis	Work on Mpls + Shakopee Road	26	65	
1	Wm Ray	Work on Roads in Richfield + Bloomington	29	75	
2	W. P. Balcom	" " " "	63	35	
3	Benj Begg	" " "	33	25	
4	F. J. Maher	" " " "	21	30	
5	E. T. Hall	" " " "	35		
6	S. W. Tillman	" " " "	75	60	
7	Robt Good	" " "	155	90	
8	L Enslie	" " " "	34	30	
9	Edwd Graham	" " " "	59	85	
8500	John Sinner	" " "	77	52	

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8501	D. R. Carlson	Work on N Shore Road in Medina	13	12
2	A. Fullman	" "	39	37
3	A Rodner	" "	72	62
4	P. A. Parish	" "	36	30
5	L. T. Taylor	" "	51	62
6	Geo Young	" "	34	57
7	Chas Gerson	Work on Mpls & Shakopee Road	16	94
8	Arthur Phillips	" "	31	54
9	Carl Reinhold	Work on Mpls & Glencoe Road	30	18
8510	Thomas Murphy	" "	27	10
1	C. A. Strobeck	" " " Shakopee "	19	02
2	Burnham Bros	Drain Pipes Road a/c	13	00
3	Frank Nelson	Work on & Mpls & Glencoe Road	22	75
4	Emil Edland	"	28	
5	C B. Waddell	"	14	
6	John Medin	"	30	18
7	Danl J. Falony	"	1	22
8	Al. Kinney	"	26	65
9	Nils Bengtson	Work on Mpls & Shakopee Road	24	06
8520	N. L. Hoagland	" " North Shore Road in Medina	32	285
1	A. H. Heutschell	" " "	39	37
2	B. O. Lind	" Mpls & Shakopee Road	19	02
3	M. Lund	" "	4	62
4	D. C. Ferrell	" "	116	50
5	David Hawks	" "	58	
6	Abraham Frostel	" "	118	08
7	Wm Carpenter	" "	11	99
8	Robinson & Mead	" "	74	85
9	August Krueger	" "	3	97
8530	Geo N. Moore	" Mpls & Glencoe Road	66	50
1	Gust Medin	" "	28	
2	A. Connelly	Serving Grand Jury Subpoenas	1	40
3	F. C. Shepherd	milage attending Paul Nordman	2	80
cert 4	Danl A. Day	Services at Coroners Inquests	6	60
5	S. A. Marsh	Expense attending Mary Johnson	16	70

Com[r] Swift offers the following resolution;

Resolved

That the report of the committee be adopted and bills allowed

Adopted

Commissioner Lennon offers the following resolution:

Resolved

That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings is hereby empowered to make what necessary alterations they may deem best in the County Jail, for the purpose of providing better and safer accommodations for the Barrett Brothers now under sentence of death

Adopted

On Motion the Board adjourned to meet Monday June 25th, 1888 at 10 o'clock A. M

Attest
L. A. Condit
County Auditor

W. S. Thowsen
Chairman Board of
County Commissioners

Monday June 25th 1888.

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by Commissioner Barlow

Present Commissioners Barlow Erickson and Jennon
Absent Commissioners Chowen and Swift.

On motion Commissioner Barlow was elected Chairman pro tem.

The County Auditor laid before the Board the Sheriffs return of Delinquent Personal Property Taxes of the year 1887, as provided for in Section 59 Chapter 2 General Laws of 1885, and the Board proceeded to consider the same

On motion the Board adjourned to Tuesday June 26th. at 10 oclock A.M

Chairman pro tem

Attest
L. A. Condit
County Auditor

Tuesday June 26th 1888.

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

Present Commissioners Barlow Erickson and Lennon
Absent Commissioners Chowen and Swift

The Board proceeded with the consideration of the Delinquent Personal Tax List.

On motion the Board adjourned until Wednesday June 27th 1888 at 10 o'clock A. M.

Chairman pro tem.

Attest
L. A. Condit
Co Auditor

Wednesday June 27th 1888.

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

Present Commissioners Barlow Erickson Lemon and Mr Chairman
Absent Commissioner Swift

The Board proceeded with the consideration of the Delinquent Personal Tax List

Com^r Lemon offered the following resolution
Resolved

That the Delinquent Personal Tax List of 1887 as reviewed by this Board be approved, and all taxes standing against persons opposite whose names the word cancelled or the letter "C" is written be stricken from the tax list and all others be sent to the Clerk of the District Court for Judgement, as provided by Section 79 Chapter 11. of the General Laws of 1880

adopted

On motion the Board adjourned

W. S. Chowen
Chairman

Attest
L. A. Leonidt
Co. Auditor

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to law and was called to order by the Chairman All the members of the Board were present- Minutes of the last regular meeting read and approved.

The Overseer of the Poor farm submitted his report for the month June 1888
Placed on file

Charles B. Holmes filed his appointment- by the Judge of Probate of Hennepin County as Clerk of said Probate Court, together with his Bond in the sum of $500 with Daniel Fish and Charles L. Mendel as sursties.

Commissioner Lemon offered the following resolution:

Resolved:

That the Bond of Charles B. Holmes Clerk of the Probate Court of Hennepin County be approved.

Adopted.

A Petition was received from Olof Hoff and others praying for the vacation of a part of the Minnetonka Lake Park and Maple Plain Road in Section 7 Town 117 Range 23 in the Town of Medina and lay out a new Road in place of said vacated part-
Referred to the committee on Roads and Bridges

A Petition was received from R. M. Mills and others praying for the alleration of a Road in the Town of Independence
Referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges.

A second Petition was received from R. M. Mills and others praying for the alleration of a Road in the Town of Independence

Monday July 2d 1888.

Referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges

Applications for the abatement of Taxes were received from the following persons:
Anna Lein
C.H. Deane
J.B. Manson
F.E. Crary
Minn & Dakota Elevator Co
C. M. & St. P. Ry. Co.
Emma Keeler
Sophia Fisher
J.S. Sutcliffe
W.D. Rusher
Mary J. Grady
D.W. Felt
Emma J. Hopkins
Chas A. Smith
Mary S. Johnson
John Steines
Geo D. Bartlett
A.F. Scott

Referred to the committee on Taxes

Charles Schiebe filed his Bond in the sum of $2000 with E.C. Pratt and Geo R. Robinson as sureties and asks for a license to sell liquors at the Farmers Home in the Town of Plymouth

Commissioner Barlow offers the following Resolution:
Resolved:
That license be granted to Charles Schiebe to sell liquor at Farmers Home in the Town of Plymouth and that his Bond be approved

Adopted

O.T. Duroe filed his Bond for $2000 with Jonas St. Brown and H.N. Anderson as sureties and asked for a license to sell liquors at his Hotel (at Long Lake in the Town of Medina

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution:

Resolved:

That license be granted to O. F. Duron to sell liquor in his hotel at Long Lake in the Town of Medina and that his Bond be approved

Adopted

Andrew J. Rosander filed his Bond for $2000 with Elbridge S. Barnes and John Dalquest as sureties and asked for a license to sell liquors at Rosander's Landing in the Town of Medina

Commissioner Barlow offeres the following resolution:

Resolved:

That license be granted to Andrew J. Rosander to sell liquor at Rosanders Landing in the Town of Medina and that his Bond be approved

Adopted

Jan 1st. The Matter of the burial of honorably discharged soldiers, and the duties imposed upon the Board of County Commissioners by an act to authorize the burial by the State of honorably discharged soldiers &c (Chap 150 Gen. Laws of 1887) was referred to the Chairman of this Board.

Peet and Bacon Attorneys at Law, presented a claim of $500 00 for services rendered by them in the case of the State of Minnesota vs W. W. Braaman, in the matter of State School Text Books

Referred to the County Attorney

Commissioner Ericksen from the Committee on Taxes reported back the following applications for Abatement of Taxes and recommended that the same be granted

Geo D. Bartlett
John Heines

Mary S. Johnson
Chas A. Smith
Anna J. Hopkins
D M. Felt
Mary J. Grady
W. D. Rusher
John S. Sutcliffe
A. F. Scott
Wm J. Godfrey for the years 1884, 85, 86 & 87

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution:

Resolved:

That the report of the Committee be adopted and abatements made as recommended

Adopted

Commissioner Erickson from the Committee on Taxes reported back the following applications and recommended that they be not allowed

Minn and Dakota Elevator Co
F. E. Cravy
J. B. Manson
Emma A. Keeler
C. M. & St. P. Ry Co

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution

Resolved:

That the Report of the committee be adopted

Adopted

Commissioner Lemon offered the following resolution:

Resolved:

That the matter in reference to the illegality of the proposed Sucharneck Ditch be referred to the County Attorney and he be requested to report back to the Board at the earliest period, wherein is the illegality

Adopted

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution:

Resolved:

That the County Attorney be and he is hereby directed to take immediate action against the parties who without having obtained license are selling liquor in the Village of Hamel, Town of Medina

Adopted

Commissioner Lennon offered the following resolution:

Resolved:

That the application of Sophia Fisher for an abatement of Taxes be granted

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were:

1 yea and 2 Nays, as follows:

Lennon Yea, Ericson and Mr Chairman Nay

Commissioners Swift and Barlow not voting

and so the resolution was not adopted

Commissioner Lennon offered the following resolution resolved:

That the plat of a change in the Wayzata and Spring Park Road as petitioned for by Geo A. Camp and surveyed by A. H. Koren Deputy County Surveyor be accepted and placed on file in the office of the County Auditor

Adopted.

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution;

Resolved:

That the petition of Olaf Hoff and others for a change in the Minnetonka Lake Park and Maple Plain Road in the Town of Medina be accepted and that the Chairman appoint a committee of three of this Board to meet at Mrs Mc Williams House in the Town of Medina on Friday July 6th 1888 at 3 o'clock P. M to examine the proposed change

Monday July 9th 1888.

Adopted

and the Chairman appointed Messrs Chowen Swift and Erickson as such Committee

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution:

Resolved:

That the new Dredge Boat now being completed on Lake Minnetonka be named "The Barlow Dredge"

There were 3 yeas and No nays as follows:
Yeas Erickson, Swift and Mr Chairman
Messrs Barlow and Lennon not voting
And so the resolution was adopted

The Supervisors of the Town of Medina addressed the Board and asked for an appropriation of $5000,00 to be expended on the County Roads in said Town during the present year

Referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges

Commissioner Lennon from the Committee on claims Reported the following bills correct and recommended that they be allowed:

a/c Fees

8540	E. J. Davenport	Clerks Fees	8 37	20
1	R. J. Hill	Coroners Fees	1 7	55
2	F. E. Towers	Deputy Coroners Fees	3 3	15
3	B. F. Shaver	Asst Co Supt Schools	40	
4	P. P. Swenson	Sheriffs Fees	5 8 3	15
5	do	do	3 1 2	00
		a/c Court House		
6	N. D. Swenson	Removing Ashes & Dirt	7	50
7	R. Alexander	Hardwood Railing	60	
8	James Hagan	Work	14	
9	C. S. Astell	Material for cleaning	2	75
8550	J. W. Day & Co	Timber	28	36
1	"	Lumber	46	
2	L. Day & Sons	"	21	50
3	Voyt Benson & Johnson	Brick	320	
4	Wrot Iron Bridge Co	Iron Beams & Channels	1335	

8555	H. M. Burgess	Labor, self and Crew	144	90
6	F. H. Peterson & Co	Linoleum &c	46	85
7	K of L Building Ass'n	Stone & Cutting	359	20
cert 8	Ole Thoreson	Work	3	50
9	P. Doree	Brushes & Brooms	4	25
cert 8560	M McKoan	Work	8	75
cert 1	W. J. Maher	Masonry	493	96
		a/c Court House & Jail		
2	Mpls Gas Light Co	Gas May	138	78
3	C B & J H Smith	Hardware May	13	
4	John Courtney	Excavating & Painting	142	78
		a/c Jail		
5	J H. Thompson	Overalls	19	
6	M. Mogan	Watching	60	
7	P. P. Swenson	Boarding Prisoners	673	67
8	H. W. Glenn	Iron Cells	750	
		a/c Poorfarm		
9	C B & J H Smith	H. H. Utensils Seeds &c	18	40
8570	B. B. Hart & Son	Groceries	12	
1	Couch & Mooney	Meat	14	59
2	S. E. Olson	Dry Goods	104	34
3	H. A. C. Thompson	Misc Expenses	27	73
4	P. H. Hanson	Groceries	64	27
		a/c Stationery		
5	A. Backdahl		7	50
6	J. A. Schlener & Co		46	29
7	Cushman & Plummer			60
	"		4	10
	"		7	00
8	Heisser & Co	Rubber Bands	7	50
		a/c Printing		
9	Thos A. Clark & Co		30	50
8580 cert	W. H. Harrington		5	20
1	A. C. Bausman	Plat Books & Indexes	132	

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		a/c Lake St Bridge	
8582	J. S. Sewall	Services as Engineer	100
cert 3	W. M. Fox	" " asst Engineer	62 50
4	P. G. Wright	" " Rodman	14 70
5	Ed Leahy	" " "	2 10
8587	Canton Wrot Iron Bridge Co	Iron	1985
		a/c Miscellaneous Fees	
	Enoch Ray	Services at Coroners Inquests	5 20
	do	" "	5 20
8586	do	" "	6 95
	do	" "	7 60
	H Krumweide	" "	6 50
7	do	" "	4 90
		a/c Incidentals	
8	M. E. Thorne	care of Ida. Richardson	20
9	E. F. Higbee	Draughting Plats	1 20
8590	W. A. James	Telegrams	1 63
cert 1	Frank Plummer	Copying Govt. Field Notes	108
		a/c Dredge Boat	
2	C B & J. H. Smith	Wrench & Tallow	2 10
3	L. H. Chowen	Labor & Expenses	120 05
4	B. G. Shaver	Labor	67 50
5	Jos Farrell	"	54
6	Patsy Rourke	"	54
7	W. H. Wright	"	67 50
		a/c Roads & Bridges	
8	G. A. Carlson	Cement	81
9	Rugg Fuller & Co	Stone Pipe	21 14
8600	Burnham Bros	Drain "	216 22
1	A. L. Morse	Lumber & Labor	9 05
2	M. Nilson	Boarding men & Labor	156 78
3	John Duffy	Mason Work	52 50
4	C B & J. H Smith	Tools	36 90
5	L. A. Tyler	Work on Crystal Lake Hill	64 75

8606	Louis Schaber	Work on Crystal Lake Hill	30	57
7	James Lynch	" "	7	87
8	A. Cameron	" "	12	75
M. Nelson hour order 9	L. Preston	" "	18	35
8610	C. W. Colburn	" "	3	10
1	A. Fredericksen	" "	21	10
2	Wm Nolan	" "	17	62
3	David Malbon	" "	64	75
4	Michael Mooney	" "	40	12
5	Thos Cook	" "	35	00
6	Peter Schafer	" "	57	75
7	John Dewey	" "	45	50
8	J. W. Mooney	" "	70	00
9	Michael Darmody	" "	22	17
8620	Wm Brock	" "	18	72
1	J. M. Bolderston	" "	6	05
2	Chas Wallin	" "	16	22
3	John Adcock	" "	24	67
4	Geo Folkes	" "	12	75
5	Wm Berry	" "	11	72
6	Kearn Dailey	" "	17	50
7	Thos Owen	" "	20	22
8	Peter Patton		49	00
9	Cyrus Curtis	" River Road	50	93
8630	Oliver Comforth	" "	20	25
1	Saml Bell	" "	24	25
2	Sidney Gilmore	" "	30	37
3	John Stewart	" "	62	44
4	A. F. Baker	" "	28	62
5	Elmer F. Stewart	" "	72	81
6	Geo Wilkins	" "	15	44
7	Chas Green	" "	24	40
8	Saml Hayden	" "	13	80
9	James Mooney	" "	75	62
8640	Harry Linear	" "	75	62
1	John Bennett	" "	15	01
2	William Bolster	" "	12	38
3	Ander Johnson	" "	42	19
4	Jerry Merrill	" "	38	19
5	L. Goodale	" "	44	31
6	John W Johnson	Board of men on River Road	146	30

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8647	Ernest Goff	Work on North Shore Road		44	62
8	Henry Rodner	"	"	123	80
9	W. A. Chowan	"	"	33	68
8650	P. A. Parish	"	"	43	75
1	M. Martinson	"	"	9	62
2	Henry Cox	"	"	53	37
3	Albert Follman	"	"	42	87
4	E. Harrington	"	"	21	00
5	L. P. Taylor	"	"	147	00
6	Adolph Hentschal	"	"	42	00
7	D. A. Carlson	"	"	38	93
8	J. A. Nash	Work on North Shore and other Roads		20	12
9	H. L. Hougland	"	"	455	39
8660	A. J. Smith	"	Minneapolis & Monticello Road	73	75
" 1	J. Labissonniere	"	"	24	74
2	Frank Forbes	"	"	9	55
3	Lew Dodge	"	"	14	00
4	Paddy Ryan	"	"	12	16
5	Jesse Ward	"	"	100	62
6	Geo Kirkwood	"	"	65	62
7	J. Follin	"	"	8	05
8	E. Rivenburgh	"	"	49	00
9	Geo Giebenheim	"	"	20	12
8670	C. F. Mc Causland	"	"	69	12
1	Oscar Smith	"	"	76	12
2	Frank Chandler	"	"	79	62
" 3	H. H. Smith	"	"	93	50
4	C. J. Howes	"	"	80	37
5	W. Hatch	"	"	14	91
6	A. J. Coullier	"	"	22	06
7	John Rascob Jr	"	"	33	72
8	Josiah Dutton	"	"	12	00
9	J. B. Russ	"	"	17	50
8680	H. Stevens	"	"	22	03
1	David Blacie	"	"	28	00
" 2	Frank Chenoert	"	"	25	16
" 3	Joseph Woodley	"	"	34	33
" 4	Wm Mc Carty	"	"	22	07
5	Almond Smith	"	"	30	18
6	Saml Fennelson	"	"	21	00
" 7	James Daley	"	"	11	82
8	E. Milton	"	"	14	91
9	Lewis A Smith	"	"	103	25

8690	T. J. Hennessy	Work on Culverts	82	75
1	Frank Northrop	" Mpls & Corcoran Road	277	62
2	Peter Reinard	" "	76	75
3	Robert Good	" Lyndal Avenue	161	22
4	Wm Ray	" "	21	70
5	W. P. Balcom	" "	86	45
6	John Sumon	" "	126	80
7	All Emslie	" "	28	75
8	Albt Cargil	" "	20	97
9	Saml N. Gillman	" "	105	70
8700	E S Hall		81	20
1	Edwd Graham	" "	75	95
2	P. J. Beggs	" "	40	25
3	Chas Townsend	" "	32	20
4	T. J. Maher	" "	27	87
5	Geo Millam	Board of Mercon Mpls & Shakopee Road	17	68
6	Will Zahatka	Work on "	18	14
7	Albert Phillips	" "	38	00
8	Arthur "	" "	84	00
9	Henry Walters	" Mpls & Eden Prairie Rd	62	57
8710	Robinson & Mead	" "	106	55
1	M. Lund	" Mpls & Shakopee Rd	20	65
2	D. C. Ferrell	" "	146	75
3	David Hawks	" "	155	04
4	Charles Gerson	" "	32	34
5	Abraham Trestil	" "	30	64
6	John Mc Colley	" "	16	28
7	Frank Nelson	Work on Calhoun & Glenwood Roads	43	75
8718	John Medine	" "	23	60
8778	August "	" "	21	87
8719	Emil Edlund	" "	23	60
8720	John Nordgren	" "	28	00
1	Chris Johnson	" "	20	10
2	Chas Reinhold	" "	22	75
3	Chas Johnson	" "	23	60
4	C B. Waddell	" "	43	75
5	August Krumrie	" "	18	35
6	Thos Murphy	" "	42	00
7	Amel G. Krumrey	" "	20	10

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8728	Geo N. Moore		73	50
9	Chas Rixon		17	50
8730	Chas N. Hanke		40	25
1	D. J. Falvey		136	50
2	John Johnson		133	00
			133	00
3	Wm Bohannon	Work on Middle Road (See next pg)	63	87
4	Chas Nelsen	" "	24	50
5	A Lewis	" "	35	00
6	Patk Barret	" "	21	00
7	John Champlin	" "	33	25
8	Mike Weishaar	" "	28	00
8739	John Nessen	" "	31	50
8740	John Weishaar	" "	19	25
1	C. Chandler	" "	33	25
2	Henry Beckwith	" "	31	07
3	Wm Johnson	" "	16	82
4	Andr Wardick	" "	21	00
5	Isaac Sabiamin	" "	32	50
6	Eugene Wales	" "	62	12
7	John Johnson	" "	14	53
8	G. N. Dibb		35	00
8749	Henry L. Chandler	" "	67	37
8750	C. Robinson	" "	80	66
1	F. H. Smith	" "	79	62
2	G. H. Smith	" "	72	30
3	Peter Raiche	" "	40	00
4	H. F. Brown	Lumber for "	24	27
5	Peter Weinand	Stone Plank & Work	121	90
6	G. H. Mitchell	Plank Stone & Spikes	27	12
	Deere & Co	Road Plows & Scrapers	32	00
	do	" "	84	
7	do	" "	33	80
	do	" "	20	75
	do	" "	41	00
8	Michael Kerin	Mason Work	34	50
9	Patk Duffy	"	33	50
8760	W B Morse	Wood	4	90
	P. M. Dahl	Survey of County Road	50	00
	do	" & Platting	299	05
	do	Survey of Co Road	8	75
	do	Locating Bridge Piers	30	90

cert	P. M. Dahl	Survey of Co Road	385	70
8761	do	" "	12	50
do	do	" "	12	45
			431	00
			44	65
2	Les Cook	Masonry on Maple Grove Road Dayton	28	00
3	N E Runt	Work on "	29	31
4	Anz Rupzinski	" "	14	00
5	Jas Adcock	" "	22	75
6	Wallie Evans	" "	44	62
7	William Schilling	" "	6	50
8	F. M. Mitchell	" "	34	12
9	J M Mitchell	" "	51	00
8770	W. H. Kenyon	" "	4	37
1	Rly Laflin	" "	2	00
2	Chas E Banker	" "	25	37
3	Sayler Solum	" Middle Road	6	54
4	L. D. Hann	" "	5	68
5	F. F. Ward	" "	20	30
6	E Howe	" "	11	90
7	F Breckon	" "	10	50

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution:

Resolved:

That the report of the Committee be adopted and bills allowed

Adopted

On Motion the Board adjourned to Monday July 16th 1888 at 2 P. M.

Attest
L. A. Condit
Co Auditor

W. S. Chowen Chairman

Monday July 16th 1888.

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

Present all the members of the Board.

The Committee on Lake Improvement made the following report:

July 16/88.

To the Board of County Commissioners:-

Your Committee on Lake Improvements having met to examine the Dredge Boat Constructed by the Excelsior Iron Works, would respectfully state that we have examined the same and seen it in operation; and to our best belief and judgement believe the same to be construction according to the specifications in the Contract and would recommend that the same be now accepted

W. S. Chowen
A. L. Lennon
J. B. Swift

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution:

Resolved,

That the report of the Committee on Lake Improvement be adopted and that a warrant be drawn in favor of the Excelsior Iron Works for the sum of Nine Thousand Dollars and now to be delivered to said Company, and that a further warrant for the sum of Six Thousand five hundred dollars be drawn and delivered to said Company thirty days after this date, in full payment of the Contract price for building the new Dredge Boat at Lake Minnetonka.

$539

$781

Adopted.

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution:

Resolved,

That P. T. O.

6779 Halloran's Bill for $333.34 49/100 be allowed, and that a warrant be drawn for that amount, when he furnishes a Bond in the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars, conditioned, that he will save and secure the County, and will pay all just claims for labor and materials used in the construction of the foundations of the Lake Street Bridge, said Bond and the sureties thereon to be approved by the County Attorney and County Auditor

Adopted

Commissioner Erickson offered the following resolution:

Resolved.

That a warrant be drawn

5538 in favor of A.P. Payne & Co for the sum of Five Hundred Dollars on a/c of their contract for building a bridge over Crow River in the Town of Dayton.

Adopted.

Commissioner Erickson offered the following resolution;

Resolved.

That the Bill of H.M.

6782 Burgess for $437.30 on a/c of labor on the Addition to the Court House be allowed.

Adopted.

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution:

Resolved.

That a tax of one tenth of one per cent (to be known as the local Mill Tax) be and the same is hereby levied upon all the taxable property in Hennepin County, for the year 1888 for the support of public schools, in accordance with the

provisions Section 84, Chap 36 of the General Laws of 1878 as amended by an act approved March 5th 1887.

Adopted.

Commissioner Lemon offered the following resolution:

Resolved,

That a tax of one tenth of one per cent be and the same is hereby levied upon all taxable property in Hennepin County for the year 1888 for the support of public schools in accordance with the provisions of Sec 84 of Chap 36 of the General Laws of 1878 as amended by an act approved March 1887

Adopted.

Commissioner Erickson offered the following resolution:

Resolved,

That the following specified amounts be and are hereby levied upon all taxable property in Hennepin County for County Revenue for the year 1888:

		Dollars
✓	For Salaries of County Officers	45,000
✓	" Fees of County Offices	25,000
✓	" Expenses of District Courts	25,000
	" Court House Expenses	10,000
	" Jail Expenses	10,000
	" Court House + Jail Expenses	5,000
	" Roads + Bridges	30,000
	" Poorfarm	7,000
	" Dredge Boat + Lake Improvements	6000
	" Stationery	1,500
	" Printing	10,000
✓	" Insane	3,500
✓	" Coroners Inquests	2,000
✓	" Justice Courts	200
✓	" Municipal Courts	1,500
✓	" Police Offices + Constables Fees	1,000
✓	" Returns of Births and Deaths	3000
		185,700

For	Outside Relief	185700
"	Interest on Court House & City Hall Bonds	1,500 00
"	Incidentals	30,000
		5000
		222,700

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

/ Barlow
/ Ericksen
/ Lemon
/ Swift
/ Mr Chairman,

And so the resolution was adopted.

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution:

Resolved,

That the Petition of R. M. Mills and others for the change in a road, in the Town of Independence, said change Commencing at the N.E. Cor of Section 14 in said Town, be accepted and that the Chairman appoint a committee of three of this Board to meet at Cleveland's Hotel in Maple Plain on Saturday July 28th 1888 at 10 o'clock A.M to examine the proposed change

Adopted.

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution:

Resolved,

That the petition of R. M. Mills for a change in a road in the Town of Independence, Commencing at a point between Sections 11 & 12 in said Town be accepted and that the Chairman appoint a committee of three of this Board to meet at Cleveland's Hotel in Maple Plain on Saturday July 28th 1888 at 10 A. M to examine the proposed change

Adopted.

Monday July 16 th 1888.

On motion the Board adjourned
Attest-
L. A. Condit
Co Auditor

W. J. Shower Chairman

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

Present all the members of the Board.

Minutes of the July meetings read and approved.

Verbal applications were made by Clemens Newman and Mr Dunlap that personal taxes for 1887 assessed to said Clemens Newman and Gates and Dunlap be stricken from the Revised List of Delinquent Personal Taxes for the year 1887, filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court July 2d 1888.

Referred to the County Attorney

A Petition signed by C.M. Odell, and others, residents of the Town of Excelsior was received, asking that a time and place be fixed by this Board where the Electors residing on the NW¼ of the SE¼, NE¼ SW¼ and E½ NW¼ all in Section 34 Township 117 Range 23 may vote for against being annexed to the Village of Excelsior

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution:

Resolved,

That the petition of C.M. Odell and others be accepted and Tuesday September the 11th at 10 o'clock A.M be fixed as the date, and the Excelsior Academy in the Town of Excelsior be fixed as the place where the Electors shall meet to vote for or against annexation to the Village of Excelsior, and that E.E. Rogers, H.D. Burch and Charles Odell be appointed Inspectors of said election.

Adopted

Petitions signed L. F. Sampson, Fred D Pillsbury and others were received, asking that the County acquire ownership of land at some point at the out-let of Lake Minnetonka in order to control the stage of water of said Lake.

Referred to the County Attorney with the request that he advise the Board whether or not it has the legal right to control the stage of water in Lake Minnetonka, as contimplated in said petitions.

The report of the overseer of the Poorfarm for the month of July was received and placed on file

A Communication of R. K. Mills asking the Board to reconsider its action in the change of road in the Town of Independence, Petitioned for by John Gaspar and others; also a communication from Otiers Tautges claiming damages for land taken by said change, was referred to the County Attorney with the request to advise the Board as to the proper course to be taken in said matter.

A proposition from F. F. Middleton was read offering to tow either dredge boat to any part of the Lake for $10.00 a tow or $3.00 per hour and to transfer Coal to either boat for $10.00 per car.

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution:

Resolved,

That the proposition of F. F. Middleton to tow either dredge boat to any part of the Lake at $10.00 per tow and to transfer Coal to either dredge boat at $10.00 per car be accepted

Adopted

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution:

Resolved

That the Committee on roads & Bridges be authorized to Contract for a Ferry Boat to be

placed and run on the New Narrows, Lake Minnetonka,

adopted.

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution

Resolved,

That the committee on Roads and Bridges be authorized to advertise for proposals for constructing a pile bridge across the Old Narrows, Lake Minnetonka, and make contract for the same

Adopted.

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution

Resolved,

That the Clerk of this Board is hereby directed to advertise for proposals to supply the County with Hard and Soft Coal for use at the Court House, Jail, Poorfarm and Dredge Boat for one year, and that such proposals be deposited in the County Auditor's office on or before Wednesday August 15th 1888 at 10 o'clock A. M

Adopted

Commissioner Ericsson offered the following resolution:

Resolved.

That privilege is hereby granted to the Anoka Street Rail way Co to extend a single track of its line through the Village of Champlin, upon the County road leading to Dayton for the distance of one mile.

Said privilege to expire August 1st 1898

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

Barlow 1
Ericsson 1
Simon 1

Swift-1

1 Mr Chairman

and so the resolution was not-

adopted

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of Olaf Hoff and others for a change of a road in the Town of Medina made the following report:

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

The undersigned committee appointed by you to examine the proposed change of a highway, as stated in the petition referred to in your order of appointment made on the 2d day of July 1888, would respectfully report that we met at the time and place designated in in your said order and proceeded to examine the highway proposed to be changed viz:

To vacate all that part of the Minnetonka Lake Park and Maple Plain Road which is lying in Section 8 and the S.E¼ of Section 7 T117 N. R23 W 5th PM, and to layout a new road described as follows: Commencing at the point where said Minnetonka Lake Park and Maple Plain road intersects the South line of said Section 8, thence west to a point two (2) rods west of the South West Corner of said Section, thence North to the intersection of the Street marked "County road" on the recorded plat of "Saga Hill Revised", thence along said street to the East and West quarter Section line of said Section 7, where it intersects the said Minnetonka Lake Park and Maple Plain Road, where said proposed change is to terminate.

The names of the owners of the lands, as far as known, through which the same may pass are:

Mary McWilliams	Lot 5	Sec 8 T117 R23
Lydia Webb	" 5	" 7 " "
Saga Hill Association	"Saga Hill Revised" (Dedicated to the public)	

And do hereby recommend that the prayer of said petitioners be granted.

Given under our hands this 6th day of August A.D. 1888.

W S Chowen
J. B Swift
C. T. Erickson
Committee

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution:
Resolved
That the report of the committee be adopted.
Adopted.

Comr. Erickson from the Committee on Taxes reported back the following applications for abatement and recommended that they be allowed:

✓ Michael Tracy
✓ Anna Linn
✓ C. A. Smith & Co 1886-1887
✓ Ole P Gramstadt
✓ F. P. Sheldon
✓ F. E. Crary
✓ Hebrew Congregation
✓ Norw. Evan. Luth. Church

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved,
That the report of the committee be adopted and abatements made as recommended
adopted.

Com'r. Erickson from the Committee on Taxes reported on the applications for abatement made by Wm J. Godfrey for the years 1879, 1880, 1881 1882 and 1883, and recommended that they be not allowed.

Com'r. Swift offered the following resolution
Resolved,
That the report of the committee be adopted
adopted

L. St. Chowen presents a bill for work on Dredge Boat and for expenses incurred on account of Dredge Boat; amounting to $120 70

Com'r. Erickson offered the following resolution:

Resolved,

That the bill of L. St. Chowen be allowed,

The question was on the adoption of the resolution, and the roll being called there were 2 Yeas, and 2 Nays, as follows:

yeas		nays
	Barlow	/
/	Erickson	
	Lennon	/
/	Swift	

Mr Chairman, not voting

and so the resolution was not adopted

Commissioner Lennon from the committee on claims reported the following bills Correct and recommended that they be allowed.

		a/c Fees		
8783	P.O. Swenson	Sheriffs Fees	197	40
4	do	do	138	00
5	E.J. Davenport	Clerks Fees	546	92
6	F.E. Towers	Depy. Coroners Fees	36	95
7	W.P. Spring	do	68	60
8	R.J. Hill	Coroners Fees	188	90
9	W.P. Spring	Depy Coroners Fees	46	80
		a/c Court House		
8790	Miller Bros & Fletcher	Hardware	13	50
1	G.W. Libby	Sash Doors & Labor	522	50
Correct 2	Thomas McNamara	Work on Addition	62	50
Correct 8794	H.M. Burgess &	Crew Labor on addition	464	92
Correct 8793	F.B. O'Reilley	Sand for "	42	75
Correct 5	Wm Brown	Im roofing for "	73	28
6	Clough Bros	Lumber " "	121	87
Correct 7	Hunter Scott & Co	Plumbing	360	65
Correct 8	do	do	97	66
Correct 9	James Hagan	Labor	9	63
8800	C.C. Gibson	Team Work	30	63

8801	Painters Coöp Assoc	Painting & Paper Hanging	17	00
2	Vogt Benson & Johnson	Brick	1056	00
3	Mayville Lime Co	Lime	160	30
4	City of Mpls	Water	16	50
	Herzog Mfg Co	Iron Beams	45	96
5	do	"	54	60
	do	"	46	71
6	Geo L. Ellis	Iron Work	131	82
7	Miller Bros & Fletcher	Hardware	14	44
8	M of L Building Assn	Cut Stone	50	00
9	J. W. Day & Co	Timber	235	50
8810	L. Day & Sons	"	62	47
1	W. J. Maher	Stone work	208	68
2	Geo Hahn	Oil &c	44	00
cert 3	N. M. Burgess & Crew	Plastering	106	78
cert	do & Crew	Labor	201	10
4	Wm Anger	Hauling Sand	29	17
		a/c Jail		
5	P. P. Swenson	Board of prisoners	286	00
6	do	Brooms Soap &c	27	84
7	Salisbury Ralph & Co	Iron Beds	6	00
8	John Courtney	Painting	32	50
9	M. Mogan	Watching	60	00
		a/c Court House & Jail		
8820	C Bot J. W Smith	Hardware	10	95
1	Mpls Gas Light Co	Gas July	63	18
2	do	" June	95	40
		a/c Dredge Boat		
3	R. C. Moore	Rowboat &c	66	66
4	Taylor Coal Co	Coal	132	75
5	B. G. Shaver	Labor & Expenses	165	31
6	J. Farrell	Labor	54	00
7	P. Rourke	"	63	50
cert 8	M. McKeon	"	47	50
9	Peter Dahlem	"	28	00
8830	W. J. Poquett	"	60	00

8831	John Dorr	Labor	25 00
2	A. E. Norton	Furniture	24 50
3	Daniel Harrington	Labor	12 00
4	W. H. Wright	"	65 00
5	James Hogan	"	18 00
6	Minnetonka Freight Co	Towing	52 50
7	John Norton	Coal	52 50
8	C B & J H Smith	Hardware	238 89
9	C O Neil	Labor	30 00
		a/c Stationery	
8840	J. A. Schlener & Co	Stationery & Printing	47 93
1	R. E. Williamson	Seal Stamps	5 25
2	C. A. Mitchell	Books & Printing	187 50
	do	" "	102 58
3	Thomas A. Clark & Co	Printing	60 50
4	A. C. Bausman	Books	32 00
5	Evening Star Job Dept	Advertising	9 50
6	Cushman & Plummer	Stationery	20 70
		a/c Lake St Bridge	
	Canton Wrought		
6780	Iron Bridge Co	Iron work	2000 00
est 8847	W. M. Fox	Services as asst Engineer	62 50
8	J S Sewall	" " Engineer	100 00
9	P. H. Wright	" " Rodman	7 35
8850	G. W. Ferris & Co	Inspecting Iron work	400 00
		a/c Poor farm	
1	Couch & Mooney	Meat	31 86
2	S. E. Oleson & Co	Dry Goods	3 64
	do	"	72 05
3	J. H. Thompson	Clothing	36 00
4	Couch & Mooney	Meat	19 65
5	N. A. C Thompson	Sundry Expenses	25 56
6	Patterson & Dickinson	Hats	8 50
7	S. B. Hart & Son	Groceries	109 92
8	T. Ray & Co	Tea & Coffee	35 75
9	N. A. C Thompson	Hay	50 00
8860	Mpls Coop Furn Co	Shoes	13 10

		Miscellaneous a/c	
			145 00
cert 8861	E. F. Higbee	Draughting Plats	145 00
2	F. F. Davis	Office Rent & Supplies July	91 08
3	do	" " " June	97 03
4	F. Connolley & Co	Burial of A. C. W. Sutton (soldier)	35 00
5	J. Vanderlip	Expenses in Dist. Court	14 75
6	F. Connolley & Co	Burials of poor	71 05
	do	" "	147 80
7	C. J. Chapman	Plating Auditors Sub	67 50
8	L. A. Condit	Recording road papers	1.69 54
9	M. E. Thorne	Care of Ida Richardson	20 00
8870	W. O'Brien	Grave	10 00
1	C. M. Cory	Justices fees	6 50
2	Bank of Minneapolis	Rent for Co Supt Schools	75 00
3	Levi Gorman	Watching Henry Barrett	150 00
4	Enoch Ray	Services at Coroners Inquest	26 60
cert 5	Frank Plummer	Copying field notes and plats	96 00
6	J. F. Peterson	Recording	1 35
7	L. A. Condit	Services on Board of Audit & Stamps	20 40
8	Mpls Directory Co	City Directories	52 00
9	W. J. Warren	School manuals - postage	16 55
		a/c Roads & Bridges	
8880	Chas Parker	Work on River Road	176
1	Walter Green	" "	330
2	L. Goodale	" "	39 50
3	John Stewart	" "	51 25
4	Chas Green	" "	7 95
5	Henry Sinar	" "	42 00
6	J. Mooney	" "	21 00
7	Sam'l Hayden	" "	37 75
8	Andrew Johnson	" "	7 25
9	O. Cornforth	" "	10 57
8890	Geo Wally	" "	13 22
1	do	" "	21 18
2	Fred Abley	" "	14 56
3	Samuel Bell	" "	15 00
4	Sidney Gilmore	" "	176
5	Jerry Merrill	" "	2 20
6	Fred Ably	" "	17 98
7	A. F. Baker	" "	15 47

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8898	Cyrus Curtis	work on	River Road	22	40
9	Fred Faber	"	"	20	85
8900	Swan Dart	Work on	Waterstown Road	7	87
1	P. Hanson	Masonry	" "	70	00
2	N. F. Hoagland	Work on	" "	456	49
3	E. W. Gray	"	North Shore	138	25
4	Ernest Groff	"	"	41	55
5	Henry Rodner	"	"	122	49
6	E. Harrington	"	"	21	00
7	P. A. Parrish	"	"	41	55
8	D. A. Carlson	"	"	46	80
9	W. A. Chowen	"	"	41	55
8910	Albert Fallman	"	North Shore & Watertown Road	30	18
1	M. Lind	"	Shakopee Road	7	06
2	Albert Philips	"	"	65	13
3	D. C. Ferrell	"	"	141	50
4	Swan Peterson	"	"	62	86
5	B. O. Lind	"	"	51	75
6	Chas Strobeck	"	"	51	31
7	Wm Gabalka	"	"	12	83
8	John McColly	"	"	8	65
9	Nels Bengston	"	"	53	81
8920	Chas Millman	"	"	33	25
1	D. N. Hawkes	"	"	48	07
2	Henry Walters	"	"	10	94
3	B. O. Lind	"	Lake St Extension	21	88
4	Nels Bengston	"	"	21	88
5	E. S. Rudd	"	"	29	75
6	Chas Strobeck	"	"	21	88
7	Ole Persson	"	"	11	33
8	E. B. Yost	"	Roads in Plymouth	116	63
9	Jas Lindvig	"	"	50	75
8930	Wm Kennedy	"	"	86	63
1	Mangus Engstrom	"	"	37	19
2	John Collum	"	"	35	44
cont 3	Ole Semling	"	"	15	19
4	Edward Sweeney	"	"	58	63
5	Peter Miller	"	"	42	88
6	Sander Jones	"	"	10	50
7	Jacob Mengelock	"	"	44	63
8	Frank Northrop's Crew	"	Maplelrove Road	96	97
9	J. N. Mitchell	work on	Plank "	25	35

8940	T. J. Hennessy	Work on Maple Grove Road		16	12
1	Walter Evans	"	"	15	75
2	R. T. Banker	"	"	22	31
3	Joseph Plant	"	"	1	75
4	F. H. Mitchel	"	"	17	50
5	Henry Punt	"	"	7	44
6	L. P. Taylor	"	North Shore Road Watertown	77	00
7	Adolph Hentchell	"	"	42	43
8	Michael Dunnody	"	Crystal Lake Hill	17	57
9	John Dewey	"	"	3	50
8950	Clark Wallin	"	"	33	68
1	Hans Fredrickson	"	"	35	87
2	J. M. Balderston	"	"	22	90
3	L. Preston	"	"	19	90
4	B McCormack	"	"	17	50
5	Wm Brock	"	"	36	62
6	L. Shaber	"	"	39	70
7	James Feehan	"	"	37	60
8	Henry Zimmerman	"	"	56	00
9	Geo Foulkes	"	"	30	93
8960	Wm Berry	"	"	21	77
1	Michael Mooney	"	"	96	90
2	Thomas Cook	"	"	87	50
3	Peter Patoin	"	"	5	25
4	Peter Schaefer	"	"	3	50
5	Team Daly	"	"	9	62
6	Davis Malbon	"	"	74	37
7	C. H. Calburn	"	"	2	10
8	M. Neisen	"	"	102	50
9	A. Cameron	"	"	10	50
8970	J. M. Mooney	"	"	84	00
1	W. Cook	"	"	35	87
2	Thomas Owen	"	"	29	62
3	Wm Nolan	"	"	6	77
4	John Feehan	"	"	28	47
5	James Lynch	"	"	31	37
6	P. H. Corcoran	"	"	56	00
7	M Neisen	Board of men	"	139	52
8	John Duffy	mason work		4	50
9	Albert Smith	Road work in Richfield		68	25
8980	E. S. Philips	"	"	10	93

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8981	Chas Rixon	Work on Culvert	Glencoe Road	22 75
2	Thomas Murphy	"	"	14 00
3	August Medine	"	"	8 75
4	Chas Johnson	"	"	12 25
5	C.B. Waddell	"	"	28 00
6	C.J. Falvey	"	"	91 00
7	Chas Reinhold	"	"	12 25
8	Chas Hanke	"	"	36 75
9	Geo N. Moore	"	"	24 50
8990	Frank Nelson	"	"	24 50
1	Amel G. Kennedy	"	"	10 50
2	S.A. Gilmore	Work on Lyndale Ave		87 15
3	David Way	"	"	69 65
4	Robt Good	"	"	123 75
5	A. Bundy	"	"	46 82
6	Walls Saloon	"	"	71 75
7	John Simon	"	"	118 75
8	T.J. Maher	"	"	32 37
9	Edward Graham	"	"	9 45
9000	All Emslie	"	"	32 37
1	Philip Weber	"	"	26 00
2	E.T. Hall	"	"	39 55
3	Frank Nelson	"	"	38 85
4	G. H Smith	"	Middle Road	33 23
5	Fred N. Smith	"	"	17 50
6	Peter Raich	"	"	8 00
7	N. Bohannon	"	"	7 00
8	John Wales	"	"	15 45
9	Patrick Barrett	"	"	3 80
9010	Wm Bohannon	"	"	7 00
1	Deere & Co	Wheel Scrapers		84 00
2	G.A. Carlson	Cement		78 00
3	C.B. & J.N. Smith	Tools		13 70
cert 4	Frank Welch	Board of mun Crystal Lake Hill		10 50
5	J.S. Sewell	Expenses at Dayton Bridge		3 60
6	Olaf Hoff	Estimate on Bridge		96 00
7	Rugg Fuller & Co	Stone pipe for Lyndale Ave		6 72
8	John Simon	Board of mun "	"	13 00
9	Alfred Morin	Plank & work		10 00
9020	Deere & Co	Road Scraper		84 00
cert 1	Frank Welch	Board of mun Crystal Lake Hill		15 85

9027		Washburn Mill Co	Lumber for River Road	9	94
cert	3	A. J. Smith	Work on Monticello Road	144	75
	4	P. G. Wright	Expenses on a/c Dayton Bridge	5	45

~~Comr Erickson offered the following resolution:~~
~~Resolved,~~
~~That the report the committee be adopted~~
and bills allowed.
~~Adopted~~

~~On motion of Commissioner Swift the Board~~
~~adjourned to Friday August 10th at~~
~~2 o'clock P.M~~
~~Attest~~

~~Co Auditor~~ ~~Chairman~~

9025		J. W. Johnson	Boarding man River Road	59	56
	6	N. L. Hougland	Freight &c	26	65
	7	Geo McCulley	Stone watertown Road	9	00
cert	8	W. M. Fox	Expense Dayton Bridge	9	65
	9	C. C. Hanke & Co	Lumber Crystal Lake Hill	22	34
9030		Thomas Ohm	Masonry Carver Co Road	246	70
	1	John Craik	Boarding men Shakopee Road	10	90
	2	J. C. Grimberg	" "	4	75
	3	John Patterson	Stone Crystal Lake Hill Road	9	00
	4	Clough Bros	Lumber	22	46
	5	N. L. Hougland	Blacksmithing	8	35
	6	P. E. Walsh	Stone Lake Shore Road	4	00

Commissioner Erickson offered the following resolution
Resolved
That the report of the committee be adopted
and bills allowed.
Adopted.

On motion of Comr Swift the Board adjourned
to meet Friday August 10th, 1888 at 2 o'clock P.M
Attest
L. A. Leonidt
Co Auditor

W. S. Chase
Chairman

Friday August 10th 1888.

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

All the members present except Commissioner Erickson.

Commissioner Chowen reported on the matter of the application of Levi Longfellow to have a resolution passed authorizing the proper officers to execute partial releases of the Mortgage held by the County on the old Poorfarm, that he had been advised by the County Attorney that there were no legal objections to granting the prayer of the petitioners

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution:

Resolved that the proper officers of the Board of County Commissioners of Hennepin County, Minnesota be and they are hereby duly authorized to release and discharge by proper instruments from the lien and effect of a certain Mortgage made December 22nd 1886 by Gilbert O Farley and wife to the County of Hennepin aforesaid, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for said County in Book 176 of Mortgages on page 225, the following respective pieces of land, upon being paid the following respective amounts, to wit: Block 25 in West Minneapolis in Hennepin County, Minnesota, according to the recorded plat of said West Minneapolis on file or of record in the office of the Register of Deeds for said County for the sum of $1500. Block 26 in said West Minneapolis for the sum of $1500. Block 27 in said West

Minneapolis for the sum of $1500. Block 28 in said West Minneapolis for the sum of $1500. Blocks 29 and 30 in said West Minneapolis for the sum of $1500. Block 31 in said West Minneapolis for the sum of $3000. Blocks 40 and 41 in said West Minneapolis for the sum of $1500. Block 42 in said West Minneapolis for the sum of $1500. Block 43 in said West Minneapolis for the sum of $1500. Block 44 in said West Minneapolis for the sum of $1500. Block 45 in said West Minneapolis for the sum of $1500. Block 46 in said West Minneapolis for the sum of $1500. Block 47 in said West Minneapolis for the sum of $1500. Block 48 in said West Minneapolis for the sum of $1500. Block 49 in said West Minneapolis for the sum of $1500. Block 50 in said West Minneapolis for the sum of $1500. Block 51 in said West Minneapolis for the sum of $1500. Block 60 in said West Minneapolis for the sum of $1500. Block 61 in said West Minneapolis for the sum of $1500. Block 62 in said West Minneapolis for the sum of $1500. Block 63 in said West Minneapolis for the sum of $1500: The following described piece of land to wit: Commencing at a point on the East line of Section 23 in Township 117 of Range 22 West of the 5th principal meridian 2376 72/100 Ft. South of the North east corner of said Section 23, thence at right angles West 1320 Feet, thence at right angles South 660 Feet, thence East 1320 Ft thence at right angles North 660 Feet to the point of beginning, containing 20 acres, for the sum of $3000.; and all that part of the East half of Section 23 in Township 117 of Range 22 West of the 5th principal meridian, in said County, lying South of the several tracts and parcels of land herein before described,

for the sum of $4000. Hearing Hereby to authorize said officers to release each and any one of the foregoing tracts of land from the lien of the aforesaid Mortgage upon receipt by them of the amount specified to be paid therefor, and apply the amounts received on said Mortgage dept

Adopted

The Board then adjourned

W. S. Chowen Chairman
Attest L. A. Leonidt Co Auditor

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

Present= all the members of the Board

Minutes of the August meetings read and approved.

Adam Rodner and Edward Dunstrey asked that the Board of County Commissioners notify the Supervisors of the Town of Plymouth to open, grade and turnpike the road between Sections 29, 30, 31 and 32 Town 118 Range 2 W, on the line as established by the County Surveyor.

On motion the Auditor was instructed to give such notice to said Supervisors of the Town of Plymouth

A petition signed by Horation Hawkins and others praying for the construction of a public ditch or water course, Commencing at the outlet of Lake Harry in Lot 1 Section 33, Town 120 Range 23. Town of Nassau, and running in a Southeasterly direction until it intersects Rush Creek in the South half of Section 33 in said Town and Range, was recived and placed on file.

A remonstrance against the draining of Lake Harry, signed by Martin Mackey was recived and placed on file

Commissioner Fennon offered the following resolution;

Resolved.

That the hearing, in the matter of draining Lake Harry be Continued until our next regular meeting at 11 o'clock A.M

Adopted

The Committee to whom was referred the matter of receiving bids for Coal for the use of the Court-House, Jail, Poorfarm and Dredge Boat for one year, reported that they had opened and considered the bids recived and recommended that the Contract be let to John Norton, he being the lowest bidder.

Commissioner Lennon offered the following resolution:

Resolved,

That the bid of John Norton, for the best Nemona, Ill. Coal at $3.60 and Lehigh Egg and Grate at $7.55 per ton of 2000 pounds be accepted and that the Chairman be authorized to execute a Contract with him

Adopted

A Communication from the Taylor Coal Company was recived asking that the County continue to take Coal from said Company until the expiration of the Contract with them

Placed on file

Applications for the abatement of taxes were recived from the following parties and referred to the Committee on taxes

Joseph N. Cook
Chas Filzer
Wm Stevens
N. N. Bennett
Catherine A. Stevens

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution:

Resolved,

That In the matter of the enforcement of the order for admission of Freddie Keen to the State Public School at Owatonna for dependent and neglected Children, issued July 31st 1888 by the Judge of Probate, that the whole matter be refered to the County Attorney with the request

that he render an opinion as quickly as possible.

Adopted

M. N. Glenn made a proposition to change the present system of steam heating in the Old Court-House, put in heating apparatus for the new addition, including all material and brick work, furnishing a complete, first-class job for the sum of $2700.00

Referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings with power to act

Commissioner Chowen from the committee on Roads and Bridges made a verbal statement that the Iron for the Crow River Bridge at Dayton had been looked over and that it is all there and all right and recommended that A. J. Payne & Co be paid the sum of $1750.00 according to Contract

Commissioner Erickson offered the following resolution:

9037 Resolved that a warrant be drawn in favor of A. J. Payne & Co for the sum of Seventeen Hundred & fifty Dollars on a/c of his contract for building a bridge over Crow River at the Village of Dayton.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called there were 5 yeas and 0 Nays as follows:

- Barlow
- Erickson
- Fennon
- Swift
- Mr Chairman

And so the resolution was adopted

Comr. Erickson from the Committee on Taxes reports back the following applications for abatement and recommended that the same be granted

S.D. Napper
Joseph N. Cook
Chas Fitzer
N.H. Bennett
Catherine A. Stevens
Wm Stevens

and that on the application of Geo E. Warner an abatement of $200.00 valuation be allowed

Comr Swift offered the following resolution:

Resolved.

That the report of the Committee be adopted

Adopted.

Applications for license to sell liquor were received from Frank Chominard and Joseph Lapoint both of the Village of Dayton, and the hearing thereon was set on Monday October 1st 1888 at 3 o'clock PM

Comr Lennon offered the folling resolution:

Resolved

That the Plat of a change in the Minneapolis & Watertown Road in Sections 19-30 T29 R24 as surveyed by A.N. Koren, Deputy Co Surveyor, be accepted and filed in the office of the County Auditor

Adopted

Comr Lennon offered the following resolution:

Resolved.

That the Plat of a change in a County road in Sections 5 & 8 T117 R22 as surveyed by A.N. Koren, Deputy Co Surveyor be accepted and filed in the office of the County Auditor

Adopted

A. C. Rogers Superintendent of the Training School for Feeble minded at Faribault, Minn. made a report of the condition of the funds for the Care of the inmates from Hennepin County in said school with a requisition for $363.39 for payment of balance due.

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved,

That a warrant in the sum
9097 Error 66 (Returned by Rogers) of $369.39 be drawn in favor of A. C. Rogers Superintendent of the Training School for Feeble minded, for the support of the Inmates of said school from Hennepin County.

Adopted

Commissioner Erickson offered the following Resolution

Resolved,

That the Clerk of the District Court, Sheriff and Register of Deeds of Hennepin County are hereby instructed to file with this Board at its next regular meeting a certified and sworn statement in detail of all Costs, fees, percentages, penalties, allowances and other perquisites of every kind Charged in their respective offices during the year 1887 in accordance with Chapter VIII Section 265 General Statutes of 1878 and that the County Auditor is hereby requested to notify said officers of the action of this Board

Adopted

E. J. Phelps and others representing the Yacht Clubs of Lake Minnetonka addressed the Board and requested that the reefs and bars in said Lake be removed by the New Dredge Boat. The matter was referred to the Committee on Lake Improvements

Monday Sept 8th 1888.

Mr Adams and others addressed the Board and asked that the approach to the Lake St Bridge in this City be graded and made fit for travel.

Referred to the committee on roads and bridges with power to act

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of R.M. Wills and others for the change in a County Road in the Town of Independence made the following report:

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

The undersigned Committee appointed by you to examine the proposed change of a road as stated in the petition referred to in your order of appointment made on the 16th day of July 1888, 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 the North East Corner of Section 14 Town 118 Range 24 W and run thence North on the line between Sections 11 & 12 in said Township 68 rods to angle in County Road on said line between said Sections 11 & 12 and there terminate. The portion to be hereby discontinued is that which lays between the beginning and terminating point mentioned above and the East line between said Sections 11 & 12 and do hereby recommend that the prayer of said petitioners be granted

Given under our hands this 3d day of September A.D. 1888

W.S. Chowen
J.B. Swift
C.F. Erickson
Committee

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution:

Resolved,

That the report of the Committee be adopted

Adopted.

The Committee to whom was referred the petition R.W. Mills and others for a change in County Road in the Town of Independence made the following report:

To the Board of County Commissioners of Hennepin County:

The undersigned Committee appointed by you to examine the proposed change of a highway as stated in the petition referred to in your order of appointment made on the 16th day of July 1888 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 about 30 rods South of the North East Corner of Section 11 in Township 118 Range 24 W on line between said Section 11 & 12 and run thence South and Southwest on the most practicable route to a point 43 rods East of South East Corner of North East quarter of Section 10 in said Town and Range and there terminate

The portion to be hereby discontinued is that which lays between South Corner of the North East quarter of said Section 11 and the above asked Road.

And do hereby recommend that the prayer of of said petitioners be granted

Given under our hands this 3d day of September A.D 1888

W. S. Chowen
J. B. Swift
O. C. Erickson
Committee

Commissioner Barlow offered the the following resolution:

Resolved,

That the report of the Committee be adopted

Adopted

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution:

Resolved,

That that the vote of the last regular meeting disallowing the bill of L.St. Chowen, for work on Dredge Boat and expenses paid by him be reconsidered.

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 Barlow, Erickson, Swift and Mr Chairman. Nay Commissioner Lennon

And so the resolution was adopted.

Commissioner Erickson offered the following resolution:

Resolved,

That the bill of L.St. Chowen

9096 for $120.73 be allowed.

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and the roll being called there were 4 yeas and 1 nay as follows: Commissioners Messrs. Barlow, Erickson, Swift and Mr Chairman Nay: Commissioner Lennon

And so the resolution was adopted

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

		a/c Fees		
9038	P. P. Swensen	Sheriffs Fees	172	25
9	R. J. Hill	Coroners "	137	45
9040	F. E. Towers	Depty Coroners Fees	65	75
1	P. M. Dahl	Surveys of Comty Roads	130	15
	"	Work on Comty Road Maps	7	23
cert 2	"	Survey of Crossings at Minn River	31	60

		a/c Fees		
9041	P.M. Dahl	Surveyor County Road & Bridge	53	79
		a/c Court House & Jail		
9043	J.B. Curren	Hauling Sand	12	25
cert 4	N.M. Burgess	work on New Addition	611	38
cert 5	do	Expenses for " "	2	70
6	N.L. McCollum	Repairing Prison Cots	28	45
7	Hans P. Halthe	Washing	40	01
8	J.A. Modesette	Iron Shutters for new add.	557	00
9	Vogt Benson & Johnson	Brick " " "	266	40
9050	Wm Brown	Roof " " "	196	50
1	Painters Coöp assn	Painting " " "	72	
2	Herzog Mfg Co	Iron Beams " "	21	60
3	Miller Bros & Fletcher	Hardware & Glass "	74	87
4	Joanni Hansen & Co	Lumber "	10	
5	J.W. Day & Co	" " "	21	95
6	Pierre Doree	Brooms	3	50
7	E.A. Williamson	numbering machine	30	
8	Mayville Lime Co	Lime & Cement for new add	172	75
cert 9	Hunter Scott & Co	Plumbing " " "	305	65
9060	M.W. Glenn	Iron work at Jail	195	23
1	M. Mogan	watching "	60	
2	J.N. Thompson	Clothing for "	106	50
3	P.P. Swenson	Boarding Prisoners	387	67
		a/c Poor farm		
4	C.B & J.N Smith	Hardware	11	10
5	N.A.C Thompson	Sundry Expenses	11	71
6	Couch & Mooney	Meat	45	69
7	J.N. Thompson	Clothing	15	
8	S.E. Olson & Co	Dry Goods	5	48
		a/c Stationery & Printing		
9	Jno A Schleier & Co	Stationery	20	64
9070	C.A. Mitchell	Printing	46	
1	Cushman & Plummer	Stationery	57	80
2	Harrison & Smith	Record Books	222	
3	Thos A Clark & Co	Printing	46	50
4	Heisser & Co	Rubber Bands	10	50
5	F.F. Davis	Office Supplies & expense	93	15

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		a/c Lake St Bridge		
9076	J. S. Sewall	Services as engineer	100	
cert 7	W. M. Fox	" " asst engineer	62	50
8	P. G. Wright	" " rodsman	10	50
		a/c Dredge Boat-		
9079	F. F. Middleton	Sawing	54	55
9080	C. B. & J. H. Smith	Oil Sardine	46	72
1	J. B. Gray	Sard oil & waste	9	60
cert 2	Hunter Scott & Co	Plumbers goods	17	12
Pay M Grove 3	John Younger	Labor	41	05
cert 4	Dan'l Harrington	"	46	
5	W. J. Poquett	"	57	50
6	Frank Swenson	"	15	75
7	Patsey Rourke	"	67	50
8	Con O'Neill	"	54	
9	Jas Farrell	"	54	
9090	W. N. Wright	"	67	50
cert 1	James Nogan	"	46	
2	L. N. Chowen	" & expense	12	529
3	B. G. Shaver	"	108	
cert 4	Michael McKeon	"	67	50
Cert 5	John Courtney	"	58	
		a/c Miscellanious		
9098	Geo D. Wall	Fares to State School at Owatonna	14	14
9	James Doyle	Services at Coroners Inquests	5	20
9100	W O'Brien	Grave	6	
cert 1	E. F. Higbee	Draughting Plats	120	
2	M. E. Thorne	Care of Ida Richardson	20	
3	Michael Noy	Arrest of Wm Olson & expenses	24	
4	J. N. Parker	Constables Fees	5	45
5	G. N. Gibbs	Justice "	6	45
cert 6	J. C. Crowdy	Detective services	25	
7	Minnetonka Mirror	Advertising	1	70
8	John P. Noy	arresting A Rosenberg & expenses	136	90
9	Henry Krumvieda	services at Coroners inquest	17	05
9110	Gleason & Bjornum	Burials	43	40
1	Wirth Bros	Groceries for Henry Bault	81	06
2	Wachsmuth Bros	Meat " " Poor farm	52	58
3	Security Drug Store	Medical Supplies for "	4	75

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		a/c Miscellaneous		
9114	Barney & Ware	Insurance on poor farm	53	75
5	Phillips Bros	Livery	11	
		a/c Roads & Bridges		
9116	N. F. Brown	Lumber	29	91
7	Olaf Noff	Estimate of Minnesota River Bridge	8	
8	W.M. Fox	Engineering at Crow River Bridge	18	21
9	D.C. Ferrell	Boarding men	200	82
9120	Burnham Bros	Drain Pipes	30	50
1	Deere & Co.	Tools	7	50
2	B. Aronson	Stone	68	50
3	C Bo J & Smith	Tools	15	75
4	Excelsior Town	Pais for ditching & freight	22	58
5	E. S. Rudd	Work on Excelsior & Maple Plain Road	68	91
6	Frank Kokesk	" "	26	35
7	Gust Nelson	" "	40	77
8	Ole Peterson	" "	30	33
9	Benj Lind	" "	30	52
9130	Chas Strobuck	" "	30	52
1	Nels Bengston	" "	34	60
2	S. Peterson	" "	28	80
3	Thos Murphy	" "	94	53
4	A. F. Chowen	" "	20	65
5	A. P. Phillips	" "	65	50
6	H. Matt	" "	21	17
7	Grant Ferrell	" "	84	88
8	I. Gould	Work on Middle Road	17	50
9	L. Getchell	" "	24	50
9140	J. Norris	" "	18	37
1	Steve Munson	" "	31	50
2	Wm Johnson	" "	14	43
3	John Weishaar	" "	54	68
4	Chas Heesen	" "	41	
5	Michael Weishaar	" "	55	
6	John Heesen	" "	59	50
7	P. Normandin	" "	51	18
Certificate gone	J.A. Ward	" "	65	
9	C.C. Chandler	" "	49	55
9150	C.W. Colburn	" "	62	07
1	Ned Evans	" "	43	
2	Everett Howe	" "	20	

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			af Roads & Bridges	
9153	John Wales	Work on Middle Road	8	75
4	W. H. Howe	"	19	50
5	Fred Webber	"	41	48
6	E. F. Howe	"	16	33
7	E. Henderson	"	25	
8	T. Brekons	"	38	
9	Page Ajaw	"	21	
9160	Asia Marshon	"	81	02
1	L. Wilker	"	24	50
2	J. A. Hamilton	"	13	50
3	Josiah Dutton	work on Mpls & Monticello Road	22	75
4	Geo Kirkwood	"	129	90
5	Ed Milton	"	99	42
6	David Malbon	"	237	37
7	Al Gibenhain	"	91	85
8	E. Rivenbaugh	"	217	
9	Oscar Smith	"	21	
9170	Peter Schaefer	"	83	10
1	C. F. McCausland	"	105	
2	Ray Newell	"	28	
3	L. Tyler	"	69	10
4	H. H. Smith	"	203	75
5	Frank Chandler	"	193	
6	P. Beiman	"	17	50
7	Mike Nelsen	Boarding men on Mpls & Monticello road	9	46
8	Frank Jaggie	work on "	27	55
9	Wm H Cady	"	10	84
9180	Ed Erickson	"	29	18
1	Howard Russ	"	52	50
2	G. Lelland	"	63	55
3	And Larson	"	51	20
4	Hans Peterson	"	63	55
5	N. Crandal	"	81	37
6	Jos Woodley	"	63	55
7	Martin Wilson	"	35	45
8	A. J. Smith	"	94	92
9	Thos Howard	work on Roads in Maple Grove	10	50
9190	C. Banker	"	15	75
1	N. Punt	"	9	62
2	Wallis Evans	"	19	25
3	R. F. Banker	"	19	25

			a/c Roads & Bridges		
9	194	A.M. Parker	work in Maple Grove	5	25
	5	J.H. Mitchell	"	38	60
	6	F.W. Mitchell	"	19	25
	7	R McDonald	work on Road in Eden Prairie	17	67
	8	wm Berrick	"	47	55
	9	Thos Olsen	"	34	
9	200	Robt Good	"	118	62
	1	Phillip Weber	"	22	92
	2	W.A. Chowen	work on Mpls & Wayzata Road	41	55
	3	wm Gahalka	"	22	
	4	Albert Follman	"	77	87
	5	N.L. Haugland	"	371	62
	6	P. Hanson & Co	"	26	25
	7	A. Rodner	"	79	62
	8	E.W. Gray	"	141	75
	9	F.O. Berglund	"	34	55.
9	210	P.A. Parrish	"	38	93
	1	A Hentschell	"	42	43
	2	N.L. Haugland	Paid for Stone	14	60
	3	F. Goodale	work on River Road	47	25
	4	John Stewart	"	51	
	5	A.F. Baker	"	29	75
	6	Harry Holly	"	29	75
	7	Clarence Stewart	"	25	38
	8	Jerry Merrill	"	3	50
	9	E.F. Stewart	"	59	50
9	220	Fred Faber	"	8	71
	1	Chas Hinz	work on Crystal Lake Hill	20	88
	2	Albert Shuler	"	24	50
Pay M Nelson	3	Geo Faulkes	"	27	82
	4	M. Nelson	Boarding men on Crystal Lake Hill	210	43
	5	Thos Cook	work on "	77	
	6	M. Mooney	"	93	40
	7	O. Beaman	"	21	
	8	A Cameron	"	23	42
	9	wm Cook	"	81	37
9	230	John Shug	"	8	63
	1	wm Berry	"	24	50
	2	M Darmody	"	15	50
	3	Geo Johnson	"	24	50
	4	Thos Owen	"	28	63

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		a/c Roads & Bridges		
9235	Wm Nolan	work on Crystal Lake Hill	9	98
6	James Adcock	"	26	25
7	J.W. Mooney	"	132	50
8	And Jordon	work on Watertown Road in Golden Valley "	29	70
9	Ed Sweeny	"	85	75
9240	Jas Ludwig	"	65	63
1	Robt Sweeny	"	6	13
2	Peter Miller	"	80	50
3	And Skeer	"	78	75
4	M Engstrom	"	45	94
5	John Collom	"	49	07
6	M.B. Turner	"	24	50
7	E.B. Yost	"	197	07
8	W.W. Black	"	15	75
9	Jac Mengelkoch	"	73	50
9250	Oscar Smith	work on Middle Road	55	12
1	N. Walker	"	21	
2	John Johnson	"	56	75
3	W.S. Johnson	"	25	
4	Dan Weaver	"	38	
5	Mrs O. Edwards	"	63	89
6	Peter Johnson	"	81	67
7	Peter Raiche	"	54	50
8	Fred H Smith	"	98	
9	G.N. Smith	"	91	80
9260	Josiah Dutton	"	10	50
		a/c Miscellaneous		
cert 1	A.J. Smith	work on Mpls & Monticello Rd	72	
2	J.R. Jackson	" " " & Excelsior Road	26	
3	Geo W. Libby	work on new add to Court House	636	63
4	Mpls Gas Light Co	Gas for August	70	02
cert 5	W H Dennis	Superintending add to C House	375	
6	Wheaton Reynolds & Co	Oak flooring add to C House	140	
7	Taylor Coal Co	Coal C H & Jail	142	75
8	Mpls Coöp Furnishing Co	Stoves for Poorfarm & Jail	44	65
9	W.J. Warren	Paid for Teachers Institute	120	
9270	Mpls Tribune Co	Printing	64	82
1	J A Mason	work on Dredge Boat & tools	112	
2	P.P. Swenson	Suppressing Riot at Maple Plain	85	
3	"	Serving Citations	900	04
cert 4	Frank Plummer	Copying field notes	42	

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolutions:

Resolved,

That the report of the committee be adopted and bills allowed.

Adopted

On motion of Commissioner Swift the Board adjourned.

W. S. Chowen
Chairman

Attest- E. A. Condit
County Auditor

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

Present; all the members of the Board

The reading of the minutes of last regular meeting was dispensed with.

Reports Concerning the Receipts and Expenditures of their several offices for the year ending December 31st 1887 were received from the Register of Deeds, Sheriff and Clerk of the District Court, and after being read were ordered placed on file.

The Overseer of the Poor farm presented his report for the month of September.

Placed on file.

A Petition was received from Jos O. Hamel and others praying for the establishment and location of a County Road in the Towns of Plymouth and Medina.

Referred to the Committee on roads & bridges.

A petition was recevid from N. J. Moline and others asking for a change in the Minneapolis and Watertown road between Sections 36 and 25 Town 118 Range 24. Town of Independence.

Referred to the Committee on roads and bridges

A petition was received from John Zapfe and others, asking for the laying out of a highway in the Towns of Dayton and Maple Grove, intersecting the Territorial Road, so called.

Referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

A Communication was received from Alfred Beardy asking for license to run a ferry across the Mississippi River in the Town of Dayton for one year.

Placed on file.

The County Auditor laid before the Board a certified copy of a resolution of the Board of Tax Levy for Hennepin County fixing the maximum rate of taxation for County purposes for the year 1888 at the rate of one and four tenths (1 4/10) mills on each dollar of the taxable property of the County

Placed on file

Thos F. Andrews appeared before the Board and offered a deed to the County of a strip of land 60 ft wide in Section 5 Town 117 Range 22. Said strip of land to be used for road purposes.

Commissioner Lemon offered the following resolution.

Resolved:

That the deed of Thos F. Andrews and wife for a strip of land 60 ft wide in Section 5 Town 117 Range 22 as shown by a plat filed by the County surveyor and accepted by this Board Sept 3rd 1888, be accepted. Said strip of land to be used for the purpose of a public highway only

Adopted

Commissioner Lennon offered the following resolution;

Resolved:

That Frank Ghostly, C.E. Evans and M.F. Taylor be appointed viewers on the petition of Horatio Hawkins and others for the draining of Lake Harry in the Town of Nassau, said viewers to meet at the house of Horatio Hawkins in the Town of Nassau on Monday October 22d 1888 at 10 o'clock A.M.

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

J.L. Noyes Superintendent of the Minnesota School for the Deaf at Faribault presented an account for $24.00 for the Board of Thomas Swanton, an inmate of said School from Hennepin County.

Commissioner Swift offered the following Resolution,

Resolved:

That a warrant be drawn in favor of J.L. Noyes, Superintendent, for the sum of Twenty four dollars for the Board of Thomas Swanton an inmate from Hennepin County in the Minnesota school for the Deaf at Faribault.

9278

Adopted

To the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Hennepin.

Gentlemen:-

In as much as certain property belonging to the City of Minneapolis and used for park and parkway purposes under the control of the Board of Park Commissioners of said City has erroneously been included in the assessment and taxation lists for 1887 and previous years- the particular lots and parcells of lands and value and amount of tax being from time to time discovered I am directed to request your honorable body to direct the County Auditor on presentation of proper statements relative thereto, in specific cases, to indorse the same, and on satisfactory evidence of the correctness thereof to authorize the members of your board during recess to certify to the same and recommend the abatement of the tax so erroneously levied, the same to remain when practicable a lien on that portion of the same lots not included in property of the City- said statements, endorsements, certificates, & recommendations to be presented to the State Auditor in place of the ordinary formula provided in the matter of individual applications for reduction and abatement.

Respectfully
Ed. A. Stevens
Secretary Board of
Park Commissioners

Minneapolis,
Minn
Oct 1, 1888

Commissioner Lennon offered the following Resolution:

Resolved:

That the proposition of the Board of Park Commissioners be adopted subject to the approval of the County Attorney

Adopted

Monday, Oct 1st 1888.

Joseph Lapoint presented his bond in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars with Neil Mc Neil and Paul Goodin as sureties and having paid into the County Treasury the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, asked for a license to sell liquor in the village of Dayton

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution,

Resolved;

That license be granted to Joseph Lapoint to sell liquor in the village of Dayton and that his bond be approved

Adopted,

Frank Chouinard presented his bond in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars with James P Gray and Frank Guimont as sureties and having paid into the County Treasury the sum of $500.00 asked for license to sell liquor in the village of Dayton

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution.

Resolved;

That license to sell liquor in the village of Dayton be granted to Frank Chouinard and that his bond be approved

Adopted.

Applications for the abatement of taxes were filed by the following persons:

Geo R. Simmons
S. H. Davis
Chas Oliver
Geo R. Simmons
John Chamney
Wm Mc Crory for the years 1886 & 1887

Referred to the Committee on taxes

Chowen 10-8-88

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution,

Resolved:

That the petition of Jos O. Hamel and others for the location of a road in the Towns of Plymouth and Medina be accepted and that the Chairman appoint a committe of three of this Board to meet at the House of Jos O'Hamel in the Town of Medina on Tuesday October 9th 1888 at 10 o'clock A.M to examine said proposed road and the Chairman appointed Comr's Chowen, Swift and Erickson as such committee

Erickson 10-5-88

Comr. Swift offered the following resolution,

Resolved:

That the petition of N. J. Moline and others for a change in the Minneapolis and watertown Road in the Town of Independence, be accepted. and that the Chairman appoint a committee of three of this Board to meet at the house of Henry Nelson in the Town of Independence on Saturday Oct 6th 1888 at 10 o'clock a.m to examine the proposed change and the Chair appointed Mess Chowen Swift and Erickson as such committee

Chowen 10-8-88

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution,

Resolved:

That the petition of John Zoppi and others for the laying out of a highway in the Towns Dayton and Maple Grove be accepted and that a committee of three of this Board be appointed by the Chair to meet at the house of Thomas Powers in the Town of Dayton on Tuesday Oct 9th 1888 at 4 o'clock P.M to view the proposed road. and the Chair appointed Mess Chowen, Swift and Erickson as such committee

Commissioner Lennon offered the following resolution,

Resolved:

That license be granted to Alfred Beaudry to run a ferry across the Mississippi River in the Town of Dayton for one year upon payment into the County Treasury of this County of the sum of Five Dollars

Adopted.

Commissioner Erickson from the committee on taxes reported back the following applications for abatement and recommended the applications of S.W. Davis and Chas Oliver be not allowed.

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution,

Resolved, that the report of the committee be adopted

Adopted

Commissioner Lennon from the committee on Claims reported the following bills correct and recommended that they be allowed

		a/c Fees		
	P.P. Swenson	Sheriffs Fees		693 40
	"			80
9279	"			91 55
	"			
9280	R. J. Hill	Coroners Fees		213 00
1	F. E. Towers	Dep. Cor. Fees		109 05
2	E. J. Davenport	Clerks Fees		47 20
				569 70
		a/c Court-House		
3	Menzel & Ferguson	Castings new Add		35 87
4	M. W. Glenn	Steele Boiler		960 00
5	"	Taking out Boiler		74 80
6	Clough Bros	Flooring		52 00
7	Myles Wire Works	Repairs to railing		12 30
8	Painters Coöp Ass'n	Labor & material		271 50

		a/c Court-House		3710 33
9289		Geo Hulin	Mdse	17 25
9290		R. Alexander	Labor & Material	390 31
cert	1	N. M. Burgess	" self & crew	238 39
	2	Corser & Co	Insurance	100
	2	"	"	40
	3	Geo W. Libby	Labor & Material	442 07
	4	C. P. Stearns & Son	Office Chair	18
cert	5	Hunter Scott & Co	Plumbing	581 16
cert	6	"	"	62 78
	7	K. Aslesen	Soap & Matches new add	12 18 05
	8	John Norton	Coal & wood	212 33
	9	C. B. & J. W. Smith	Hardware	18 75
9300		Mayville Lime Co	Lime & Cement	59 40
cert	1	Peter Swenson	Labor	12 25
"	2	Gust Wickenburg	"	17 50
"	3	Frank Chell	"	17 25
"	4	Ivar Iverson	"	17 50
	5	Frank Styres	"	17 50
cert	6	D. McGrath	"	54 20
Day & Gr. Grove	7	John Youngren	"	13 75
	8	L. Day & Sons	Lumber	25 68
	8	"	"	32 16
	9	Wm Brown	Ventilating Tube	15 30
			a/c Jail	
9310		P. P. Swenson	Soap, towels & brooms	26 00
	1	"	Board of prisoners	516 26
cert	2	Hunter Scott & Co	Plumbing	26 20
	3	M. W. Mogan	watching Jail	60
	4	Phillips Bros	Iron Beds &c	196 50
	5	A. W. McCallum	Jail Cots & repairs	2509 5
			a/c Poor farm	
	6	Wm Peters	Blacksmithing	14 85
	7	N. A. C. Thompson	Sundry expenses	19 10
	8	Chr. Clark	Blacksmithing	15 25
	9	J. W. Day & Co	Lumber	120 28
9320		Wm McArdle	Groceries	112 10
				(6) 11 50

		a/c Poorfarm	611	50
9321	Hunter Scott & Co	Plumbing	18	80
2	C. B. & J. N. Smith	Household utensils	44	19
		a/c Printing & Stationery		
3	C. W. Dubois	Advertising	3	30
4	Mpls Tribune Co	Printing	89	68
5	Pioneer Press Co	Advertising	2	10
6	Thos A. Clark & Co	Printing	21	50
7	Heisser & Co	Rubber Bands	13	50
8	Harrison & Smith	Books	549	90
9	F. F. Davis	Office Supplies & Rent	88	
9330	J. A. Schlener & Co	Stationery	98	46
1	Cushman & Plummer	"	13	50
		a/c Dredge Boats		
2	L. N. Chowen	Labor & expenses	101	80
3	B. G. Shaver	"	128	85
4	M McKeon	labor	62	50
5	J Farrell	"	50	
6	P. Rourke	"	65	
7	C. O'Neill	"	52	
8	W. N. Wright	"	62	50
9	John Courtney	"	50	
9340	W. J. Poquett	"	62	50
1	James Nagan	"	52	
2	Danl Harrington	"	50	
3	F. F. Middleton	Towing	84	79
4	C B & J N Smith	Stone, oil &c	24	25
5	Hunter Scott & Co	Rubber Packing &c	8	52
6	Taylor Coal Co	Coal	90	50
7	Moses Bickford	Labor & Material	156	64
			8156	28
		a/c Lake Street Bridge		
9276	Wrought Iron Bridge Co	Estimate on Iron	6058	00
9348	J. S. Sewall	Services as Engineer	100	00
9	W. M Fox	" " Asst "	62	50
9350	P. G. Wright	" " Rodman	9	45

a/c Roads & Bridges

9358	J. Dutton	Work on Middle Road	14	00
9	Dan Weaver	" "	21	00
9360	Peter Johnson	" "	10	50
certf. 1	F. M. Robinson	" "	52	50
2	J. Dibbi	" "	21	00
certf. 3	F. M Robinson	" "	42	00
4	J. Dibb	" "	94	37
5	Peter Johnson	" "	13	12
6	John Johnson	" "	45	50
7	Ned Evans	" "	7	00
8	W. S. Johnson	" "	12	00
9	Peter Raicke	" "	18	00
9370	J. Woodley	" "	5	25
1	H. H. Smith	" "	17	50
certificate	G. H. Smith	" "	31	55
3	Levi Getchell	" "	24	50
4	C. Nelson	" "	21	00
5	John Nelson	" "	21	00
6	Mike Weishaar	" "	35	00
7	John Weishaar	" "	12	00
8	S. Marshon	" "	42	00
9	J. Norris	" "	21	00
9380	I. O. Gould	" "	21	00
1	T. Bracken	" "	38	00
2	L Walker	" "	21	00
3	H. Walker	" "	21	00
4	Steve Munson	" "	21	00
5	Fred Webber	" "	10	50
6	Page Yaw	" "	17	50
7	Peter Normandin	" "	9	00
certificate 8	Fred H. Smith	" "	63	00
9	C. C. Chandler	" "	10	50
9390	Peter Johnson	" "	21	00
1	Oscar Smith	" "	21	00
2	Peter Behmen	" "	10	50
3	J. A. Ward	" "	68	40
			930	19

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		a/c Roads & Bridges	030	19
9394	Jas Adcock	Work on Crystal Lake Hill	9	71
5	Albert Schuller	" "	24	50
6	Wm Nolan	" "	22	17
7	Wm Cook	" "	31	50
8	Wm Berry	" "	15	75
9	Thos Cook	" "	31	50
9400	John Adcock	" "	1	21
1	A. Cameron	" "	26	60
2	John Shug	" "	15	75
3	Thos Owen	" "	8	12
4	M. Dannody	" "	4	77
5	Peter Behmen	" "	14	00
6	Michael Mooney	" "	31	41
7	J.W. Mooney	" "	61	50
8	Geo Johnson	" "	15	75
9	M Nelsen	" " & Boarding	83	97
9410	Arthur Dickey	work on Mpls & Wayzata Road	38	50
1	N. L. Hoagland	" "	306	50
2	E. W. Gray	" "	146	12
3	Chas Lydiard	" "	24	50
4	Adolph Hentschell	" "	40	25
5	P. A. Parrish	" "	40	25
6	F. O. Berglund	" "	38	50
7	E. Goff	" "	12	68
8	Henry Rodner	" "	77	00
9	N. L. Hoagland	" "	107	62
9420	Leo Cook	work on Roads in Hassan	41	12
1	T. W. Mitchell	" "	18	37
2	Wm Rombo	" "	20	57
3	John Nellis	" "	5	25
4	Walter Evans	" "	58	62
5	Jas Miller	" "	30	20
6	Henry E. Punt	" "	31	07
7	J.W. Mitchell	" & Material	75	43
8	Amos Newell	work on Shakopee Road in Rutledge	33	25
	"	" "	15	75
9	Frank Nelson	work on Roads in Eden Prairie	34	30
9430	Wm Bonnick	" "	31	90
1	Phil Webber	" "	19	75
2	Robt Good	" "	103	75

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a/c Roads & Bridges

			2679	65
9433	Peter Winand	work on Mpls & Cocoran Road	7	85
4	Albert Mc Chain	" "	28	87
5	Robt Adcock	" "	57	00
6	Fred webb	" "	54	25
7	Jno Cook	" "	52	50
8	Lewbitz	" "	9	62
9	John Adcock	" "	50	75
9440	wm Comforck	" "	50	75
1	Fred Ramus	" "	14	00
2	wm Rode	" "	26	25
3	David Malbon	work on Mpls & Road Monticello	21	00
4	Jno Dougherty	" "	18	80
5	A. J. Smith	" "	150	75
6	H. H. Smith	" "	110	45
7	John Bennett	work on River Road	2	20
8	D. D. Moore	" Road in Town H. A.	84	20
9	wm Dickey	" Lake Shore Road	14	00
9450	John Tesmer	" Road in Greenwood	7	00
1	W Gould	" "	20	12
2	Zack Rollins	" "	23	62
3	Jno Cunningham	" "	32	37
4	Saml Warren	" "	27	12
5	Jno Moores	" "	54	25
6	Robt Stafton	" "	14	00
7	John Cassie	" "	43	75
8	A Krieger	" "	3	50
9	Andr Thompson	" "	104	55
9460	Gordon Ewing	" "	40	25
1	Aug Kottke	" "	36	75
2	Jas Mc Lane	" "	26	
3	Jas Jenkins	" "	33	25
4	Jno Miller	" "	23	62
5	Peter Kiser	" "	38	50
			3961	54

		a/c Roads + Bridges	3961 52	
9466	Jos Stokesh	work on Excelsior & Maple Plain Road	2	50
7	E. S. Rudd	" "	98	25
8	Swan Peterson	" "	50	
9	W. W. Carr	" "	24	50
9470	Harry Matt	" "	51	05
1	Ole Persson	" "	23	75
2	A. F. Chowen	" "	11	50
3	Frank Stokesh	" "	18	94
4	N. G. Ferrell	" "	50	40
5	B. O. ~~Lane~~ Lind	" "	20	76
6	Nels Bengston	" "	27	46
7	Chas Strobuck	" "	26	46
8	Gust Nelson	" "	23	92
9	L. R. Downs	" "	115	08
9480	Thos Murphy	" "	7	22
1	Aug Krumrey	work on Cedar Lake & Lake Minnetonka Road	19	25
2	D. J. Falvey	" " "	253	50
3	Geo N Moore	" " "	92	75
4	Wm Falvey	" " "	85	75
5	Emil Edlund	" " "	26	25
6	Chas Reinhold	" " "	39	35
7	Frank Nelson	" " "	78	75
8	Chris Johnson	" " "	42	
9	Wm Hannan	" " "	59	50
9490	Julius Krumrey	" " "	40	25
1	Dan'l E. Larkin	" " "	12	25
2	Thos Murphy	" " "	52	50
3	Aug G. Krumrey	" " "	38	50
4	Fred Webb	Stone work for Culvert on Minnetonka Road	8	
5	D. C. Ferrell	Boarding Hay Excelsior Road	135	92
6	Thos Olsen	" on Eden Prairie Road	26	60
7	Frank Velich	" " Crystal Lake Hill	21	00
8	D. R. Thompson	Plank Greenwood Road	23	77
9	Gottlieb Bilgert	use of plow	4	12
9500	N. L. Stoagland	Blacksmithing	8	25
1	Jas Rooney	Building Bridges on Rockford Road	21	10
2	Fred Webb	Repairs to road plows	2	00
3	C. B. & J. N. Smith	Tools	20	45
4	R. W. Smith	Culvert on Montcalm Road	18	88
			5648	87

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a/c Roads & Bridges

				5644	02
9505	C. A. Smith & Co	Plank		50	
6	Hall & Doucy Lumber Co	"		10	34
7	N. F. Brown	"		33	01
8	Clough Bros	"		99	07
	"	"		70	
9	Smith & Stewart	Repairing Plows		13	55
9510	Jos Hamilton	Road Grader		60	00
cost 1	M. Monahan	Inspecting Crow River Bridge		25	00
2	J. S. Sewall	expense examining Crow River Bridge		2	51
3	Wm M Fox	" "		17	79
4	P. G. Wright	" "		16	23
5	E. Stubner	Stone for Station Road		3	75
6	B Dirkmeier	" "		9	25
7	Russell Boynton & Co	Make Ferry Boat		6	33
9277	S M Hewitt	Building non-Explosion Truss Bridge		434	60
9275	A. G. Bayne & Co	Balance on Crow River Bridge		2757	00
	"	Iron tube for " "		120	"
9518	"	Driving piles " "		60	"

a/c Miscellaneous

9351	Wachsmuth Bros	Grand Jury bill for Henry & Barrett & Family 2 mos		58	82
	do	Meat Bill "		31	79
2	John P. Hay	arrest of Jno D Culp expenses		17	30
3	Swan Walton	Services at Coroners Inq-		9	30
4	Enoch Ray	" "		14	05
5	"	arrest of J E Plufrepp		3	95
cost 6	E. F. Stighee	Drawing Plats		120	00
7	M. E. Thorne	Care of Ida Richardson		20	00
				6707	66

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution

Resolved,

That the report of the committee be adopted and bills allowed

Adopted

Commissioner Ericson from the Committee on Taxes reported back the applications of Wm McCrory, Geo R. Nimmons and John Chamney with the recommendation that the same be allowed.

Commissioner Barlow offered the following resolution,

Resolved,

That the report of the Committee be adopted and abatements made as recommended

Adopted.

On motion the Board adjourned

attest W. S. Chowen
L. A. Leonidt
Co Auditor

Chairman of the Board
of County Commissioners

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to law and was called to order by the Chairman
Present Mess^rs Barlow, Erickson, Swift and Mr Chairman
Absent Mr Lennon

On motion of Commissioner Barlow the Board adjourned to Friday November 9th 1888 at 10 o'clock A. M.

W. S. Chowen
Chairman

Attest L. A. Condit
Co Auditor

Friday November 9th 1888.

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

Present: Messrs Barlow, Lennon, Swift and Mr Chairman
Absent Mr Erickson.

The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

A petition from James A Bull and 47 others, legal voters and residents of the Town of Richfield, was read, asking for the incorporation as a Village of a part of said town under the name of "Edina"

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution:

Resolved

That the petition of James A Bull and others for the incorporation of the Village of Edina be accepted and that December 12th 1888. be fixed as the time for holding the election on the question of incorporating "Edina" and that the election be held in Grange Hall in the Town of Richfield, Hennepin County, Minnesota, and that O J Wilson, Patrick A Ryan and Geo W. Baird be appointed inspectors of said election

Adopted.

The report of the Overseer of the Poor farm for the month of October and his report of crops raised on said farm were read and ordered placed on file

Applications for Abatement of Taxes were received from

N. H Heming

E C Lovereth
G A Moore
Maria Finley
Maternity Hospital Assn
Marion H Goodsell
Mrs M B Fuller
Seventh Day Adventist Church
Referred to the Committee on Taxes

A petition from F N Spaulding and 53 Others, Legal voters and residents of the Town of Richfield was read, asking for the incorporation as a Village of a part of said Town under the name of "Lyndale"

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution.
Resolved

That the petition of F N Spaulding and Others for the incorporation of the Village of Lyndale be accepted and that Wednesday, December 12th 1888 be fixed as the time for holding the election on the question of incorporating Lyndale that said election be held in the Richfield Town Hall in the Town of Richfield, Hennepin County, Minnesota, and that Charles Hohag, Charles Haeg and Joseph Pound be appointed inspectors of said election

Adopted

A report was received from L H Chovien Foreman Dredge Boat No 2, stating that work by said Dredge Boat had been done for the following parties

Paid Dec. 5th 1888 For Charles Gibson $ 47.25
" Oct. 10 - 1889 For Geo A Brackett 248.44
Paid Nov. 15th 1888 For A J Rosander 105.00

Placed on file

Commissioner Barlow offered the following

resolution
Resolved That the County Auditor cause the collection of said bills
Adopted.

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of N J Moline and others for a change in the Minneapolis and Waterlown road in the Town of Independence made the following report:
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 First day of October 1888, 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 the NW. corner of Section 36 Township 118 Range 24, and run thence East on the North line of said Section 36, to the NE corner of the NW quarter of said Section 36. and there terminate and discontinue the portion of the Minneapolis and Waterlown Road, which lays South of the above described line, and between the two points above mentioned.
And do hereby recommend, that the prayer of the petitioners be granted
Given under our hands this 9th day of November A D 1888
W. L. Chowen
J. B Swift

Com^r. Barlow offered the following resolution:
Resolved
That the report of the Committee be adopted
Adopted.

A petition from Mrs M E Thorn was received asking for an appropriation of $12.00 for Clothing for Ida Richardson, now in her charge

Com^r. Swift offered the following resolution
Resolved
9672 That a Warrant for $12.00 be drawn by the proper officers in favor of Mrs M E Thorn, for the purchase of Clothing for Ida Richardson
Adopted

A communication was received from J. L Noyes Superintendent of the Minnesota School for the Deaf, asking that a Warrant be drawn for $30.00 for the support of John E Witt an inmate of said school from this County

Com^r Barlow offered the following resolution
Resolved
9522 That a Warrant be drawn by the proper officers in favor of J. L Noyes Superintendent for the sum of $30.00 for the support of John E Witt at the School for the Deaf at Faribault
Adopted

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution
Resolved
That an order be made for the change of a Highway in the Town of Medina, as petitioned for by Olaf Hoff and others in accordance with the report of the Committee made August 6th 1888.
Adopted and the following order was made
State of Minnesota } S. S.
County of Hennepin }
At a meeting of the Board of County

Commissioners of said County, held August 6th 1888, a copy of the report of the Committee appointed by us at our last session, to examine the road herein after 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: To vacate all that part of the Minnetonka Lake Park and Maple Plain Road, in Section 8 and the SE¼ of Section 7 Town 117 Range 23, and to lay out a new road described as follows: "Commencing at the point where the said Minnetonka Lake Park and Maple Plain Road intersects the South line of said Section 8, thence West to a point 2 Rods West of the SW corner of said Section, thence North to the intersection of the street marked "County Road" on the recorded plat of Saga Hill Revised, thence along said street to the East and West quarter Section line of said Section 7, where it intersects the said Minnetonka Lake Park and Maple Plain Road, where said proposed change is to terminate.

And recommended, that the prayer of the petitioners for changing said High way be granted, and being of the opinion that the public interest would be promoted by the change of said high way, we do hereby order and determine that the prayer of said petitioners be granted and that the highway be and is hereby changed 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 changed, that they cause so much of said Highway as lies

in their respective towns to be opened without delay.
Given under my hand this 9th day of November A.D. 1888

W. I Chowen
Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners

(Official Seal)

attest
L A Conditt Co Auditor

A communication was received from L B Stetson of Excelsior asking that the Board take immediate steps to stop the waste of water in Lake Minnetonka, occasioned by the cutting of a hole in the dam at the Mills by unauthorized persons
Referred to the Chairman of this Board and the County Attorney.

Com^r Barlow from the Committee on Taxes reported back the applications for abatement of
E Loveseth
7th day Adventist Church
and Maternity Hospital Asso^n
and recommended that the same be granted

Com^r Jennon offered the following resolution
Resolved.
That the report of the Committee be adopted and abatements made as recommended
Adopted

Com^r Swift offered the following resolution:
Resolved
That the Bond of the County Auditor, elect, be fixed at Five Thousand Dollars, that the Bond of

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the County Treasurer, elect, be fixed at Five Hundred Thousand Dollars, that the Bond of the Register of Deeds, elect, be fixed at Five Thousand Dollars, that the Bond of the Sheriff, elect, be fixed at Five Thousand Dollars, that the Bond of the County Attorney elect be fixed at One Thousand Dollars, that the Bond of the County Surveyor, elect, be fixed at Five Hundred Dollars and that the Bond of the Coroner elect be fixed at Five Thousand Dollars

Adopted

Com^r Jenson from the Committee on Claims reported the following bills correct and recommended that they be allowed.

a/c Fees

9523	P. P. Swenson	Sheriff's	Fees	$96 30
4	R J Hill	Coroners	"	241 40
5	H. P. Spring	Dep'y Coroners	"	70 60

a/c Court House

cert 6	A Hackenburg	Labor	19 25
7	J Mc Cafferty	"	3 00
cert 8	Ira Davison	"	43 75
cert 9	H M Burgess & Crew	"	38 50
9530	Frank Shell	"	19 25
cert 1	Hunter Scott & Co.	Plumbing	14 85 84
2	Voght Benson & Johnson	Brick	186 00
Cert 3	D Mc Grath	Hauling Dec't	47 25
4	Peter Doree	Brooms	8 00
5	M H Glenn	Emory Rock & Breaking	27 619
6	M Mahony	Tools & Hauling	8 95
7	R Alexander	Furniture	499 00
8	W H Chittenden	Work on roof	9 38
9	G. Amundson	Repairs	4 50
9540	J O Therin	dressing tools	11 50
1	Bradstreet Thurber & Co.	rep'g chairs	2 25
2	Gale & Co.	Insurance	60 00
3	Hall & Ducy Lbr Co	Lumber	6 29
4	Clough & Bros	"	42 72

9545	Painters Coop Assn	Paint & Painting	26.00
6	J H Peterson	Linoleum Carpet & Shades	231 67
7	W J Wales	Stone	8.00
8	W H Dennis	Plans & Services	275.00
9	Thos McMaguire	Exam. Heating Plant	10.00
	a/c Jail		
9550	P P Swensen	Boarding prisoners	45267
1	A W McCallum	Labor on Coke	1373
2	Wm Morgan	Watching	60
3	J H Thompson	Clothing	8773
	a/c Court House & Jail		
4	John Norton	Coal	25229
5	C B & J H Smith	Hardware	2373
6	H D Hoeltke	Washing	2391
7	Mpls Gas Light Co	Gas for Sep & Oct	28314
	a/c Jail & Poor Farm		
8	Mpls Coop Furnishing Co	Shoes	5460
	a/c Roads & Bridges		
9	Geo Miller	Work on Co Road in Greenwood	1373
9560	Geo R Cunningham	" "	28.00
1	O Ashelman	" "	3850
2	Saml Warren	" "	873
3	W S Gould	" "	787
4	Geo Moore	" "	250
5	Geo Hall	" "	1373
6	Bradford Hall	" "	1925
7	C F Tessner	" "	1750
8	Andr Thompson	" "	10843
9	Gordon Ewing	" "	1663
9570	John Casey	" "	21.00
1	A L Frederick	" "	1925
2	H M Jenkins	" "	2693
3	Dayton Keesling	Work on Excelsior & Maple Plain Road	173
4	L L Downs	" "	7.00
5	Henry Webb	Work on Mpls & Orcoran Road	7.00
6	A McClain	" "	350
7	John Adcock	" "	18.00
8	A J Smith	Work on Mpls & Monticello Road	50.00
9	E H Mitchell	Work on Co Road in Maple Grove	873
9580	H E Hunt	" "	438
1	J H Mitchell	" "	9.00

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9587	Walter Evans	Work on Co Road in Maple Grove		$ 7 75
3	G. H. Mitchell	"	"	6 12
4	J O Berglund	Work on Mpls & Hayzata Road		35 43
5	E H Gray	"	"	42 00
6	A L Hoaglund	"	"	33 50
7	Richard Cassin	Work on Co Road in	Richfield	17 50
8	Edward Phillips	"	"	11 38
9	J R Jackson	"	"	12 50
9590	Amos Nevell	"	"	11 81
1	Martin Anderson	Work on Middle Road		14 00
2	C H Colburn	"	"	8 54
3	G H Smith	"	"	17 43
4	Neil McNeil & Crew	Work on Co Roads in	Dayton	45 75
5	"	"	"	33 69
6	J N Gilman	Work on Lyndale Ave		42 70
7	Ole Lindekug	Blacksmithing		3 60
8	G A Carlson	Cement		22 50
9	D Kennedy Jr.	Blacksmithing		13 13
9600	Frank Smith	"	"	4 75
1	A G Bayne & Co	Balance on Dayton	Bridge	20 00
2	P. McGinty	Road Damage		15 00
3	Burnham Bros	Drain Pipe		21 00
4	Rugg Fuller & Co	"		28 70
5	H. Petran	Gravel for Crystal Lake Road		200 00

a/c Dredge Boat

Cert 6	C O'Neil	Labor		54 00
Cert 7	M McKeon	"		67 50
8	W J Paquett	"		67 50
9	Dan Harrington	"		54 00
9610	J Farrell	"		54 00
1	W H Wright	"		67 50
Cert 2	P O Rourke	"		67 50
3	B G Shaver	"	& Expenses	114 10
4	J H Clowes	"	"	108 45
5	Excelsior Iron Wks	Tools & Labor		287 45
6	Ole Lindekug	Blacksmithing		1 30
7	W J Stubbs	Wood		12 50
8	A G Stapp	"		18 00
9	John Norton	Coal		266 50
9620	Henry Note	Blacksmithing		13 25
1	O B & J H Smith	Merchandize		9 18
2	F F Middleton	Towing		100 48

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9623	Smith & Richardson	Plumbers goods	16 20
	a/c Lake Street Br'dge		
9619	Wrought Iron Br'dge Co.	Iron Work	9130 00
9624	J. L. Sewall	Salary Engineer	100 00
5	W M Fox.	" Assistant Engr.	62 50
6	P. G. Wright	" Rodman	3 25
	a/c Stationery & Printing		
7	S M Williams	Stationery	6 20
8	J A Kellener & Co.	"	7 56
9	Cushman & Plummer	"	30 73
9630	Mpls Stamp Co	Band dates	3 50
1	Heisser & Co	Stamps	1 00
2	F F Davis	Office Expenses & supplies	98 75
3	C A Mitchell	Books & printing	272 75
4	Tribune Co.	Printing	34 33
5	J A Clark & Co	"	27 75
6	Sanford Niles	"	5 00
7	H C Travis	Rebinding	9 00
8	Swinburne Print Co.	Tax Lists	425 00
9	Harrison & Smith	Books	91 90
	a/c Poor farm		
9640	Couch & Mooney	Meat Sept & Oct	844 03
1	J H Thompson	Clothing	71 75
2	N W Telephone Co	Telephone Service 5 mos	50 00
3	B P Keesling	Sorghum	60 04
4	Hunter Scott & Co	Plumbing	22 65
5	H A Thompson	Sundry Expenses	28 83
6	J E Olson & Co	Dry goods	156 16
7	C B & J H Smith	H H goods & tools	18 05
8	John Norton	Coal	258 42
9	Phillips Bros	Chairs	34 00
9650	B B Hart & Son	Groceries	193 68
1	Louis Lundgreen	Straw	40
2	T. Ray & Co.	Tea & Coffee	54 30
	Miscellaneous Fees		
3	Ace P Abell	Services as Court Com'r.	27 00
4	C M Cory	Justices Fees	13 55
5	H S Parker	"	5 05
6	Jos Lawrence	Arrest of G. W. Post & Expenses	131 75
7	Thos Vessey	Constable Fees	3 30
8	W E Brickford	"	8 50
9	Enoch Ray	Services at Corners Inquests	35 40
9660	P Krumweide	" "	20 05

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Incidental Expenses

ea 9661	A L Lennon	Exp's of Lake St Bridge	11 75
2	F M Thatcher	use of Hack	5 00
3	Jas H Morse	Inspecting Boilers	17 00
4	J E Olson & Co	Dry goods to Barretts	5 97
5	M A Thorn	care of Ida A. Richardson	20 00
ea 6	E F Higbee	Dredging Working Platt	170 00
7	H O Brien	Grave	4 00
8	H C Dickey	Grave & Burying	11 50
9	Thos Gardiner	& Battery	17 00
9670	C J Chapman	Plats for City Assessor	32 80
1	C L Wells	Med. Services at Barrett trial	5 00
299. 21304. Aud. 21311	John Hay et al	carrying Election Returns	11660

Com'r Swift offered the following resolution

Resolved

That the report of the Committee be adopted and bills allowed.

Adopted.

On motion the Board adjourned

W. S. Bowen
Chairman

attest L. A. Goudit
Co Auditor

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to Law and was called to order by the Chairman.
Present Messrs Erickson, Lennon, Swift and Mr Chairman.
Absent Mr Barlow.
Minutes of the last Meeting read and approved.

The report of the Overseer of the Poor Farm for the Month of November was read and placed on file.

James H Ege Sheriff-elect presented his bond for the sum of Five thousand dollars with George Kuhn and Robert B. Langdon as sureties and asked its approval
Commissioner Erickson offered the following resolution:
Resolved That the bond of James H. Ege Sheriff-elect be approved.
Adopted.

James R. Walker, Recorder of the Village of Excelsior presented a bill for $339.90 for money expended by said Village in the year 1885 in caring for a Small-pox patient and asked that it be allowed.
Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution
Resolved That the Bill of the Village of Excelsior be allowed.
Adopted.

Jacob Weber presented a Complaint of Anton Brockhaus against him, the said Jacob Weber, for constructing a highway in the Towns of Corcoran and Hassan. also an injunction paper from the District Court, restraining him from constructing said highway during the pendency of the action of said Brockhaus
Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution
Resolved, That the County Atty be and is hereby requested to defend Jacob Weber in the action of Anton Brockhaus against him
Adopted

A Supplemental report was received from the Viewers appointed to lay out a Ditch to drain Rice Lake, asking that the time for Constructing said Ditch be extended to December 1st 1889 on account the extremely unfavorable season for doing the work.

Commissioner Lennon offered the following resolution,

Resolved, That the time for completing the ditch petitioned for by Wyman Elliott and others for the draining of Rice Lake be extended to Dec 1st 1889 and that the County Auditor is hereby instructed to advertise for bids at such time as to him shall seem advisable and best.

Adopted.

Commissioner Erickson from the Committee on Taxes, reported back the application of Maria Finley for abatement and recommended that it be not allowed.

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution.

Resolved that the report of the Committee be adopted

Adopted.

Commissioner Erickson from the Committee on Taxes. reported back the applications for abatement of

John M Bjork
M B Fuller
G A Moore
Lake Street M E Church
Como avenue Congregational Church and

recommended that they be allowed.

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution

Resolved That the report of the Committee be adopted.

Adopted.

On Motion the Board took a recess until 2. oclock p m

at 2 O'clock p m The Board was called to order by the Chairman.
Present Messrs Erickson. Swift and Mr Chairman
Absent Mess Barlow and Lennon.

A Communication was received from A. C. Rogers. Superintendent of the School for Feeble minded at Faribault, asking for the sum of $30 for the support of Otto Johnson at said School, from Hennepin County.

Commissioner Erickson offered the following resolution
Resolved That a warrant be drawn by the proper Officers in favor of A. C. Rogers, Superintendent of the School for Feeble Minded, for the sum of $30 for the support of Otto Johnson at said School.
Adopted.

A Communication was received from J. L. Noyes Superintendent of the School for Deaf at Faribault, showing the Condition of the funds for clothing and transportation of the persons who are inmates of said School from Hennepin County and asking that the sum of $188 75/100 be allowed for the further support of, said persons.

Commissioner Erickson offered the following resolution.
Resolved That a warrant for the sum of $188 75/100 be drawn by the proper Officers in favor of J. L. Noyes Superintendent of the School for the Deaf at Faribault, for the support of the inmates at said School from Hennepin County.
Adopted.

E. J. Davenport presented a bill for $693 60/100 for entering Real Estate Tax Judgments for Delinquent Tax of 1881.
Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution.
Resolved. That the Bill of E. J. Davenport be not allowed
Adopted.

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution.

Resolved. That an order be made for the change of a highway in the Town of Independence, as petitioned for by R. M. Mills and others in accordance with the report of the Committee made Sept 3rd. 1888.

Adopted. and the following order was made.

State of Minnesota }
County of Hennepin }

At a Meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of said County, held Sept 3rd 1888, a copy of the report of the Committee appointed by us at our last session, to examine the road, herinafter 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. X Beginning at the North East corner of Sec 14 Town 118 Range 24 and run then North on the line between Sections 11 & 12 in said Town 68 rods to an angle in County road on said line between said sections 11 & 12 and there terminate.

The portion to be hereby discontinued is that which lies between the beginning and terminating point mentioned above, East of line between said sections 11 & 12, 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 change of said highway, and that the change of said road would be of sufficient advantage to the county to warrant the paying of damages herinafter 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, 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 changes of said road in the lands over which the same passes and to

the owners thereof. as follows.

9676 To V. Santges twenty dollars ($20) and to all others 10 cents each

Given under my hand this 3rd day of December 1888

W. S. Chowen

Chairman Board of County Commissioners

(Official Seal)

Attest

L. A. Condit Co Auditor.

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution.
Resolved That an order be made for the change of a highway in the Town of Independence as petitioned for by R M Mills and others in accordance with the report of the Committee made September 3rd. 1888.
Adopted. and the following order was made.

State of Minnesota }
County of Hennepin }

At a Meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of said County. held September 3rd 1888. 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 about 30 rods South of the North East corner of Section 11 Town 118 range 24 on line between sections 11 & 12 and run thence South and South West on the most practicable route to a point 43 rods East of South East corner of North East 1/4 of section 10 in said town and range and there terminate × The portion to be hereby discontinued is that which lies between the South East corner of the North East 1/4 of said section 11 and the above asked for 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 change of said highway and that the change 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, 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 road to the lands over which the same passes and to the owners thereof as follows

9677 To John Wagner, Fifty dollars ($50) and to all others 10 cents each.

Given under my hand this 3rd day of Dec a.d. 1888

W. S Chowen

Chairman Board of County Commissioners

(Official Seal.)

Attest

L. A. Condit. Co Auditor.

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of John Zophi and others for the laying out of a road in the Towns of Dayton and Maple Grove, made the following report.

To The Board of County Commissioners of the County of Hennepin.

The undersigned Committee appointed by you to examine the proposed opening of highway, as stated in the petition referred to in your order of appointment, made on the 1st day of October 1888, 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 opened Viz. Beginning at the centre of road running from Maple Grove to Champlin where section line between sections 34 & 35 crosses the same near North West corner of South West 1/4 of section 35 town 120 range 22 running South on said line as near as practicable within 60 rods of the South West corner of Sec 2 Town 119 range 22 thence in a Southwestern direction to the South West corner of the South East 1/4 of Section 3 Town 119 range 22 thence West on the Section line until it intersects the Territorial road so called.

And do hereby recommend that the prayer of

said petitioners be allowed

Given under our hands this 3rd day of December a d. 1888.

W. S. Chowen
O. J. Erickson.

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution.

Resolved That the report of the Committee be adopted.

Adopted,

The Committee to whom was refered the petition of Jos O'Hamel and others for the opening of a road in the Touns of Plymouth and Medina, made the following report

To The Board of County Commissioners of the County of Hennepin.

The undersigned Committee appointed by you to examine the proposed opening of highway, as stated in the petition referred to in your order of appointment, made on the 1st day of October 1888, 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 opened Viz.

Beginning at the Northwest corner of the Town of Plymouth and the North East corner of the Town of Medina thence due south on the division line of said towns to a point two rods South of the Southwest corner of Section 6 in said town of Plymouth and the South East corner of Section 1 in said Town of Medina, thence running due West 2 rods, South along said section line between sections 1 & 12 of Medina to a point 30 rods fum said corner of said sections 6 & 1, thence in a Southerly direction crossing Elm Creek over present Bridge on old road, thence running about South and South East to a point connecting with North East end of Depot Street in the plat of Hamel in Section 12 of said Town of Medina, and thence terminate

And do hereby recommend that the prayer of the said petitioners be granted

Given under our hands this 3rd day of December a d. 1888.

W. S. Chowen
O. J. Erickson
Committee

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution
Resolved That the report of the Commitie be adopted
Adopted.

P. M Dahl County Surveyor elect, presented his Bond in the sum of $500. with Rufus C. Haywood and Charles W. Weeks as sureties and asked its approval.
Commissioner Erickson offered the following resolution
Resolved That the bond of P M Dahl be approved.
Adopted.

Commissior Erickson offered the following resolution
Resolved. That in Consideration of $1 in hand paid by Levi Longfellow to the County of Hennepin Minnesota. the receipt thereof is hereby acknowledged, the time for the payment of a certain Mortgage and the note therein described, made on Dec 22. 1886. by Gilbert C Farley and wife to the County of Hennepin aforesaid and recorded in the Office of Register of deeds for said County in Book 176 of Mortgages on page 225, be and the same is hereby extended to and until the 22nd day of December 1891. to the full extent and with like effect as if said mortgage and Mortgage debt had originally been made to mature on said last named date, instead of on Dec 22nd 1888.
Adopted.

Commissioner Chowen from the Committee on Claims reported the following Bills correct and recommended that they be allowed

A/c Fees

9678	P P Swenson	Sheriffs Fees	507.15
	P P Swenson	Sheriffs Fees	317.00
9	R J Hill	Coroners Fees	87.90
9680	E J Davenport	Clerks Fees	848.01

		a/c Court House	
9681	Minneapolis City Water Works.	Water Rent.	122.00
2	M W. Glenn.	Iron Work	73.73
3	M D. Swenson	Team Work	39.00
4	Bank of Minneapolis	Office rent	75.00
5	H. J. Pyle	Keys and repairs	16.85
6	Chas P. Stevens.	Repairs to Furniture	2.00
7	Geo Huhn	Merchandise	29.90
8	Mayville Lime Co	Lime & Cement	51.30
9	R. Alexander	Material & Labor	117.60
9690	J. Simon	Brooms	5.50
		a/c Jail.	
1	Wm Towers	Repairs	10.00
2	J. H Thompson	Clothing	74.85
3	M W. Mogan	Watching	60.00
		a/c Court House & Jail	
5	Mpls Gas Light Co	Gas	214.02
4	Hunter Scott & Co	Plumbing	104.69
6	John Norton	Coal	235.46
7	C. B and J. H Smith	Hardware	46.60
		a/c Lake Street Bridge	
8	J. S. Sewall	Services as Engineer	50.00
9	W. M Fox	Services as Asst Engineer	62.50
9520	Wrought Iron Bridge Co	Iron	3440.00
		a/c Poor Farm.	
9700	H A. C Thompson	Sundry Expenses	8.84
1	S. E Olson & Co	Dry Goods	9.85
2	S E Olson & Co	"	176.30
3	Couch & Mooney	Meat	41.85
4	C B & J H Smith	Household Goods	13.75
		a/c Roads and Bridges	
9521	C P. Jones	Bulding Draw Bridge at Grays Lake. Minnetonka	1.145.00
9705	C P. Jones	Approaches to Draw Bridge &c	22.97
6	Walter Evans	Work on Rd in Maple Grove	4.38
7	G. A. Carlson	Cement	4.50
8	H F. Brown	Lumber	43.67
9	D. D. Moore	Work on Rds in St Anthony	156.27

		a/c Printing & Stationery	
9710	Thos A Clark & Co	Printing	79.25
1	C. J. Hibbard	Indexes	129.50
2	A. C Bausman	Books & Printing	104.00
3	J A Schlener & Co	Stationery	110.64
4	Cushman and Plummer	"	22.35
5	Farnes and Rothier	"	7.20
6	C A. Mitchell	Printing	148.50
	C A Mitchell	"	139.75
		a/c Dredge Boat.	
7	F. F. Middleton	Towing	45.00
8	John Courtney	Labor	54.00
9	Jas Hagan	"	54.00
9720	L. H Chowen	"	55.60
1	W F. Poquett	"	32.50
2	W. H. Wright	"	32.50
3	Daniel Harrington	"	18.00
4	John Courtney	"	22.00
5	Jas Hagan	"	26.00
6	Patsey Rourke	"	30.00
7	Jos Farrell	"	24.00
8	C. O'Neil	"	24.00
9	M McKeon	"	32.50
9730	B G Shaver	"	49.15
1	C B and J H Smith	Hardware	12.78
		a/c Miscellanous Fees	
2	John Diver	Witness Fees	7.32
3	F. W. Golden	"	7.80
4	F E Golden	"	7.80
5	Eric Larson	"	7.32
6	H Krumweide	Services at Coroners Inquests	8.00
		a/c Incidentals	
7	M. E. Thorne	Care of Ida Richardson	20.00
8	R. Jamison	Paid Levi Gorman	173.00
9	Robert Pratt	Wood & Coal for Barretto	32.75
9740	Levi Gorman	Attending H. Barrett	100.00
1	Wachsmuth Bros	Meat & Groceries for H. Barrett	51.44
2	F. F. Davis	Office Supplies and expenses	90.90

9743	Gleason & Byorum	Burial of Mr Conroy (soldier)	35 00
3	do	Filed Kemppfer	5.60
4	J. R. Corrigan	Services as bier in District Court	10.00
5	E. F. Higbee	Draughting Plats	95.00
6	F. Burton	Medical Expert Dist Court	50.00
7	R. J Hill	"	50.00
8	W. A Jones	"	50.00
9	G. F. Hitchcock	Transcript of Testimony	137.70
9750	C. E Evans	Services as Ditch Viewer	3.00
1	A. b Fairbairn	Medical Services	10.00
and W. 21312	Jas McConnell et al	Election returns	4.80
2	W. J. Warren	Copying	48.35
3	E. A Dressell	Attendance at County Board of Equalization	7 70
4	Jos Weinzierl	"	7.70
5	John Wendt	"	7.70

Commissioner Erickson offered the following resolution.
Resolved That the report of the Committee be adopted and Bills allowed
Adopted.

On Motion the Board adjourned to Monday December 31st 1888 at 10 Oclock a m/

W. S. Chaves
Chairman

Attest
L. A. Condit Co Auditor

of Hennepin County, Minnesota,
Monday December 17th 1888.

A Special Meeting of the Board of County Commissioners was held pursuant to the following call

L. A. Condit
County Auditor

Dear Sir

You are hereby requested to call a Special Meeting of the Board of County Commissioners, to to held on Monday December 17th 1888 at 10 O'clock a m for the purpose of considering and allowing claims against the County.

W. S Chowen
O. J. Erickson } Co Commissioners
J. B. Swift

Present Commissioners Barlow, Erickson, Swift and
Mr Chairman
Absent, Commissioner Lennon.

The Board was called to order by the Chairman.

Commissioner Barlow from the Committee on claims reported the following Bills correct and recommended that they be allowed.

9757	P. P. Swenson	Sheriffs Fees	$711.76
9758	P. P Swenson	Paid for Soap. Towels & brooms	$30.70

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution.
Resolved. That the report of the Committee be adopted and the Bills allowed.
Adopted

On Motion the Board adjourned

W. S. Chowen
Chairman

attest
L. A. Condit Co Auditor

Journal of the Board of County Commissioners

Monday December 31st 1888.

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

Present Mr Erickson and Mr Chairman
Absent Messr Barlow. Lennon and Swift

No Quorum

Adjourned to Friday. January 4th 1889 at 10. a m

W. S. Chowen
Chairman

Attest L. A. Condit
County Auditor

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

Present Messr Lennon, Swift and Mr Chairman
Absent Messr Barlow and Erickson.
Minutes of the December meetings read and approved

The Overseer of the Poor Farm presented his report for the Month of December, also his annual report for the year 1888.
Placed on file.

L. A. Condit County Auditor-elect presented his bond in the sum of $5000. with Geo C. Merrill and Geo L. Matchan as sureties, and asked its approval.
Commissioner Lennon offered the following resolution.
Resolved That the Bond of L A. Condit, County Auditor elect. be approved.
Adopted.

Willis A. James. County Treasurer elect presented his bond in the sum of $500,000. with Robert B. Langdon. John B. Gilfillan, Henry F. Brown, Wm W. Huntington. John S. Pillsbury. Elwood S. Corser, Andrew C. Haugan, Reinert A Leinde. Jacob A Wolverton. Thomas J Buxton, Seaver & Olson. Samuel Hill, Nelson F. Griswold, Emerson Cole and Adin C Austin, as sureties. and asked its approval
Commissioner Lennon offered the following resolution
Resolved That the Bond of Willis A James.. County Treasurer elect be approved
Adopted.

Chesley B Tirrell, Clerk of District Court elect, presented his bond in the sum of $1000. with Charles A Pillsbury and Charles H Woods as sureties and asked its approval
Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution
Resolved. That the Bond of Chesley B Tirrell. Clerk of District Court elect be approved.
Adopted.

Frederick Von Schlegell, Judge of Probate elect, presented his Bond in the sum of $1000 with John Watson and Daniel Fish as sureties and asked its approval
Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution
Resolved That the Bond of Frederick Von Schlegell, Judge of Probate elect be approved.
Adopted.

John F. Peterson, Register of Deeds elect, presented his bond in the sum of $5000 with Charles Peterson and Olof N Ostrom as Sureties, and asked its approval.
Commissioner Lennon offered the following resolution
Resolved, That the Bond of John F. Peterson, Register of Deeds elect be approved
Adopted

Robert Jamison County atty elect presented his bond in the sum of $1000, with Fred B. Snyder and Francis B. Hart as sureties, and asked its approval.
Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution
Resolved. That the Bond of Robert Jamison, County atty elect be approved.
Adopted

Frank E. Towers Coroner elect presented his bond in the sum of $5000 with Sidney J. Towers and Robert Pratt as sureties and asked its approval
Commissioner Lennon offered the following resolution
Resolved That the bond of Frank E Towers, Coroner elect be approved.
Adopted

Ace P Abell, Court Commissioner elect presented his bond in the sum of $2000. with J. B. Ungerman and Theodore C Ungerman as sureties and asked its approval
Commissioner Lennon offered the following resolution
Resolved That the Bond of Ace P Abell Court Commissioner elect be approved.
Adopted

Willis P. Spring presented his appointment as Deputy Coroner by F. E. Towers Coroner elect, and his bond in the sum of $500 with Charles Simpson and Anson H Rose as sureties, and asked its approval.
Commissioner Lennon offered the following resolution
Resolved That the appointment of W P. Spring as Deputy Coroner be confirmed and his bond approved.
Adopted.

The Overseer of the Poor Farm presented the following bills for the Board and Care of Poor at the Poor Farm during the year 1888.

Against the Town of Champlin	$104.00
Against the Town of Medina	104.00
Against the Town of Minnetonka	328.00
Against the Village of Crystal	104.00

Commissioner Lennon offered the following resolution
Resolved That the County Auditor is hereby directed to transmit said bills to the County Treasurer for collection
Adopted

A Communication from Dr F. A. Dunsmoor, asking for the refundment of a penalty on taxes paid by him, was placed on file.

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

9759	W P Spring.	Deputy Coroners Fees	33.70
9760	F E Towers	" "	76.35
1	R. Alexander	Material & Labor at Court House	154.55
2	J. W. Day & Co	Lumber for "	2.26
3	K. Aslesen & Co	Soap & Matches for "	11.90
4	B. B. Marshall & Son	Clocks for "	34.00
5	P. Doree	Scraper & Brush "	5.00
6	J. H Thompson	Clothing for Jail	60.00
7	M W Mogan	Watching "	60.00
8	H. P. Hoethe	Washing for C H and Jail	16.02
9	Minneapolis Gas Co	Gas for "	255.96
9770	John Norton.	Coal & Wood for "	187.30
1	W. J. Nott Co	Sheeting for Poor Farm	12.60
2	C. A Pillsbury & Co	Flour for "	96.00
3	C. A Couch & Co	Meat for "	73.99

9774	K. Aslesen	Crockery for Poor Farm		43.99
5	Haxtun Steam Htg Co	Work on Boiler	"	18.81
6	John Norton	Coal for	"	378.05
7	Patterson & Dickinson	Caps for	"	7.75
8	Chas Chervenny	Wood for	"	170.00
9	John Feldt & Co	"	"	110.00
9780	Jos Bren	"	"	160.00
1	J. H. Thompson	Clothing for	"	101.00
2	Wm McArdle	Groceries for	"	105.81
3	H. A. & Thompson	Sundry Expenses	"	29.34
4	J. J. Sewall	Services on Lake St Bridge		50.00
5	W. M Fox	"	"	62.50
6	John Nelson	Work on	"	36.75
7	A. L. Burnham	Drain pipe for County roads		12.37
8	Minneapolis Tribune Co	Printing		40.00
9	Swinburne & Co	Postal Cards		132.00
9790	W. J. Booth	Blanks		9.85
1	C. J. Hibbard	re-binding		27.00
2	J. A. Schlener & Co	Stationery		54.46
3	Heisser & Co	Rubber bands		1.87
4	F. F. Davis	Office rent and expenses		95.60
5	H. R. Stillman	Justice Fees		6.90
6	Chas Hommes	Constable Fees		8.70
7	A. Anderson	Witness Fees		1.48
8	Peter Behmen	"		2.48
9	Chas E. Sands	"		2.68
9800	H Krumweide	Services at Coroners Inquests		7.20
1	Enoch Ray	"	"	15.28
2	Ole J. Urner	Serving Subpoenas		3.30
3	E. F. Higbee	Draughting Plats		140.00
4	T. Connolly & Co	Burials & Coffins		177.10
5	Associated Charities	Transportation of Mr Nolan. Insane		25.00
6	J. F. Peterson	Recording		2.10
7	Marcus Hayne	Services as Juer in Dist Court		10.00
8	M E. Thorne	Care of Ida Richardson		20.00

Commissioner Swift offered the following resolution.
Resolved That the report of the Committee be adopted and the bills allowed
Adopted
On Motion of Commissioner Swift the Board Adjourned Sine die

W. S. Chervenn
Chairman

Attest
L. A. Condit Co Auditor



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