



Faribault State School and Hospital.
Minutes of the Board of Trustees/Directors.

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For the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31) eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897):

First—For printing, advertising and binding a may be provided by contract for the five (5) classes of printing for the several state departments and officers, thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000.00).

Second—For the purchase of paper for the several state departments and paper for public printing, ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00).

Third—For publishing synopsis of constitutional amendments for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), nineteen hundred and twenty dollars (\$1,920.00).

Fourth—For printing first half of volume three (3) of report of the geological and natural history survey of Minnesota, nine thousand one hundred dollars (\$9,100.00).

Fifth—For second half of volume three (3) of the geological and natural history survey of Minnesota, seven thousand dollars (\$7,000.00).

Sixth—For purchase of Minnesota reports, three thousand four hundred dollars (\$3,400.00).

Seventh—For expenses in selecting and examining swamp lands for the grant to state institutions, five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00).

Eighth—For extra help to care for ventilating system and electric light dynamos during the legislative session of eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897), six hundred and twenty dollars (\$620.00).

Sec. 5. That the following sums of money, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same are hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the following purposes:

First—For publishing the laws of the legislature of eighteen hundred and ninety-five (1895), in the newspapers of the state, forty thousand dollars (\$40,000.00).

Second—(A) To provide for the expense of preserving the forests of the state and for the prevention of forest fires and prairie fires, for the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00). (B) To provide for the expense of preserving the forests of the state and for the prevention of forest and prairie fires, for the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897), six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00).

Third—State Historical society, for additional expenses, one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00).

Fourth—Balance due Thomas E. Cooley on contract for vault furniture on file in state auditor's office, ninety-eight dollars and thirty-three cents (\$98.33).

Fifth—For the expenses of the state conference of charities and corrections, three hundred dollars (\$300.00) for the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), and annually thereafter.

Sixth—For the compensation of assessors for making returns in accordance with chapter one hundred and thirteen (113) of the General Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-five (1885), one thousand six hundred dollars (\$1,600.00).

Seventh—For reimbursing national guard fund for expense incurred during the railroad strike, four thousand four hundred and twenty-four dollars and eight cents (\$4,424.08), one-half available in eighteen hundred and ninety-five (1895) and one-half in eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896).

Eighth—For the relief of fire sufferers in Pine and adjacent counties, payable to the order of the Minnesota State Fire Relief commission, for the purchase of seed, etc., ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00).

Ninth—For the school for the deaf, for deficiency in current expense appropriations for the fiscal years eighteen hundred and ninety-four (1894) and eighteen hundred and ninety-five (1895), four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00).

Tenth—For the school for feeble-minded, for deficiency in current expense appropriations for the fiscal years eighteen hundred and ninety-four (1894) and eighteen hundred and ninety-five (1895), seven thousand dollars (\$7,000.00).

Eleventh—For the state public school: (A) For the state agency for the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00). (B) For the state agency for the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897), three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00).

Sec. 6. Appropriations for current expenses of the state correctional and charitable institutions.—The following sums of money are hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the current expenses of the institutions named for the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), in addition to annual appropriations heretofore established by law.

First—For the St. Peter hospital, thirty-six thousand dollars (\$36,000.00).

Second—For the Rochester state hospital, forty-six thousand four hundred dollars (\$46,400.00).

Third—For the Fergus Falls state hospital, one hundred and thirty-six thousand six hundred dollars (\$136,600.00).

Fourth—For the school for the deaf, sixteen thousand four hundred dollars (\$16,400.00).

Fifth—For the school for the blind, seven thousand three hundred and fifty dollars (\$7,350.00).

Sixth—For the school for feeble-minded, forty thousand five hundred dollars (\$40,500.00).

Seventh—For the state public school, nineteen thousand dollars (\$19,000.00).

Eighth—For the state training school, twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00).

Ninth—For the state reformatory, thirty-one thousand nine hundred dollars (\$31,900.00).

Tenth—For the state prison, twenty-three thousand dollars (\$23,000.00).

Sec. 7. The following sums of money are hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, for current expenses of the institutions named for the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897), in addition to annual appropriations heretofore established by law:

First—For St. Peter's hospital, thirty-six thousand dollars (\$36,000.00).

Second—For the Rochester state hospital, forty-six thousand four hundred dollars (\$46,400.00).

Third—For the Fergus Falls state hospital, one hundred and fifty-one thousand dollars (\$151,000.00).

Fourth—For the school for the deaf, seventeen thousand five hundred dollars (\$17,500.00).

Fifth—For the school for the blind, nine thousand three hundred dollars (\$9,300.00).

Sixth—For the school for feeble-minded, sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00).

Seventh—For the state public school, nineteen thousand dollars (\$19,000.00).

Eighth—For the Minnesota state training school, twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00).

Ninth—For the state reformatory, thirty-one thousand nine hundred dollars (\$31,900.00).

Tenth—For the state prison, twenty-eight thousand dollars (\$28,000.00).

Sec. 8. Appropriations for extraordinary repairs and improvements.—The following sums of money are hereby appropriated out of any funds in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, for extraordinary improvements and repairs for the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896).

First—For the St. Peter state hospital, five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00).

Second—For the Rochester state hospital, five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00).

Third—For the Fergus Falls state hospital, four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00).

Fourth—For the soldiers' home, two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00).

Fifth—For the school for the deaf, two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00).

Sixth—For the school for the blind, six hundred dollars (\$600.00).

Seventh—For the school for feeble-minded, two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00).

Eighth—For the state public school, one thousand four hundred dollars (\$1,400.00).

Ninth—For the Minnesota state training school, two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00).

Tenth—For the state reformatory, one thousand eight hundred dollars (\$1,800.00).

Eleventh—For the state prison, two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00).

Sec. 9. The following sums of money are hereby appropriated out of any funds in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, for extraordinary improvements and repairs for the institutions named for the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897):

First—For the St. Peter state hospital, five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00).

Second—For the Rochester state hospital, five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00).

Third—For the Fergus Falls state hospital, four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00).

Fourth—For the soldiers' home, two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00).

Fifth—For the school for the deaf, two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00).

Sixth—For the school for the blind, six hundred dollars (\$600.00).

Seventh—For the school for feeble-minded, two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00).

Eighth—For the state public school, one thousand four hundred dollars (\$1,400.00).

Ninth—For the Minnesota state training school, two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00).

Tenth—For the state reformatory, one thousand eight hundred dollars (\$1,800.00).

Eleventh—For the state prison, two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00).

Sec. 10. Appropriations for the State University and School of Agriculture.—That the following sums of money, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same hereby are appropriated out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, as follows:

First—For the erection of a dormitory and dining hall for the School of Agriculture, forty-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$42,500.00).

Second—For the erection of an addition to the dairy hall and equipment of the same at the School of Agriculture, fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00).

Third—For the erection of buildings at the experimental station at the School of Agriculture for poultry house, with equipment, blacksmith shop and for the care of sheep and swine, seven thousand dollars (\$7,000.00).

Fourth—For the erection of a building for the histological and pathological laboratory for the college of pharmacy and for the apparatus and equipment of the same, forty thousand dollars (\$40,000.00), one-half to be available for the years ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), and one-half for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

Fifth—For the erection of an observatory and telescope at the state university, ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

Sixth—For the erection of an assembly and drill hall at the state university and for equipment of same, seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000.00), one-half to be available for the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), and one-half for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

Seventh—For the purchase of books for the general university library, twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00), one-half available for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), and one-half for the year ending July

thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

Eighth—For the normal school at Moorhead: (a) For sewer and improvement of st. plumbing; repairs, window screens, fire escape, Normal Home, nine thousand one hundred and fifty dollars (\$9,100.00). The sum of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000.00) to become available for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), and eleven hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,150.00) for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

(b) For furnishing Normal Home, three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00).

(c) For library and museum, fixtures, books and apparatus, two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00).

(d) For instruments to laboratory, two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250.00).

Ninth—For the St. Cloud Normal School.—For building addition complete and for changes, repairs, heating, etc., for main building, twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00), and the normal board shall not exceed this appropriation; twelve thousand five hundred dollars (\$12,500.00) thereof to be available July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), and twelve thousand five hundred dollars (\$12,500.00) to be available July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

Tenth—For Mankato Normal School.—For deficiency in heating and furnishing, for repairs on main building, seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500.00).

Eleventh—For the Winona Normal School.—For completing and heating east wing, twenty-two thousand dollars (\$22,000.00).

Sec. 11. Miscellaneous Appropriations, Normal Schools, etc.—That the following sums of money, or as much thereof as may be necessary, are hereby appropriated from any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the following purposes:

First—For the normal school at Moorhead, additional allowance for miscellaneous expenses, one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for each of the fiscal years ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896) and July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

Second—For the normal school at St. Cloud, additional allowance for miscellaneous expenses, two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00), for each of the fiscal years ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896) and July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

Third—For the normal school at Mankato, additional allowance for miscellaneous expenses, two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) for each of the fiscal years ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896) and July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

Fourth—For the normal school at Winona, additional allowance for miscellaneous expenses, two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) for each of the fiscal years ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896) and July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

Fifth—For the state university, for the improvement of campus, twelve thousand five hundred dollars (\$12,500.00).

Sixth—For the state university, for the support of the school of mines, five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), and annually thereafter five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00).

Sec. 12. Appropriation for Buildings, Improvements, etc., of State Institutions.—That the following sums of money, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same are hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated:

First—For the St. Peter state hospital:

A. For remodeling closets, ventilation, sewerage, etc., ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00).

B. For electric light service and repairing heating plant, ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00).

C. For new pump house and boilers, four thousand seven hundred dollars (\$4,700.00).

D. For fire alarm and fire apparatus, two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00).

E. For furnishing wards, one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500.00).

F. For slaughter house and feeding stable, three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00).

Of which sum, sixteen thousand dollars (\$16,000.00) shall be available for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), and the remainder for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

Second—For the Rochester state hospital:

A. For congregate dining hall, chapel and amusement hall, forty thousand dollars (\$40,000.00), of which sum twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) shall be available for the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-five (1895), and twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) for the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896).

B. For cold storage building, to be available for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00).

C. For the purchase of forty (40) acres of land, to be available for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500.00).

Third—For the Fergus Falls state hospital:

A. For erecting administration building, fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00).

B. For erecting congregate dining hall, chapel and amusement hall, thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000.00).

C. For extension of northeast wing, ninety thousand dollars (\$90,000.00).

D. For erecting barn for cows, four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00).

Of which sum twenty-four thousand dollars (\$24,000.00) shall be available for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-five (1895), seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000.00) for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), and the remainder for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

Fourth—For the Minnesota Institute for Defectives: For additional lands and improvements for the institute, twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000.00), to be available for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896).

Fifth—For the School for the Deaf: For carpenter shop, machinery and sewerage, three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00).

Sixth—For the School for the Blind:

A. For extension of the main building, heating, etc., fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00).

B. For completing cottage and sewerage for the institution, two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00).

Of which sum five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) shall be available for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-five (1895), six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00) for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), and six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00) for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

Seventh—For the School for Feeble-Minded: For building and furnishing custodial building for boys and for central heating plant and sewerage, ninety-five thousand dollars (\$95,000.00), of which sum five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) shall be available for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-five (1895), forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000.00) for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), and the remainder for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

Eighth—For the State Public School:

A. For furniture and household supplies, including bedsteads, mattresses, cooking apparatus, laundry machinery, telephone exchange, library and root cellar, two thousand four hundred and fifty dollars (\$2,450.00).

B. For new buildings and for reconstruction and for additions, and for additional water supply, stand pipe, fencing, cement walks and purchasing additional lands, twelve thousand five hundred dollars (\$12,500.00).

Of which sum four thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars (\$4,950.00) shall be available for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-five (1895), five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), and the remainder for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

Ninth—For the Minnesota State Training School:

A. For completing workshop and building barns, nine thousand dollars (\$9,000.00).

B. For purchasing tools, etc., three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500.00).

C. For library and school books, one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00).

Of which sum six thousand five hundred dollars (\$6,500.00) shall be available for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-five (1895), and the remainder for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896).

Tenth—For the State Reformatory: For erecting buildings for cell room and securing water supply, dynamo and electrical supplies, and for the purchase of land, forty thousand dollars (\$40,000.00). Of this sum twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) shall be available for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-five (1895), twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), and the remainder for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

For the railroad and warehouse commission, for the carrying out the provisions of the several laws under which they act, the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-five (1895), and three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), in addition to the amount heretofore appropriated. Also that no part of same shall be used for payment of attorneys or counsel fees; provided, however, that no part of the sums hereby appropriated shall be applied to the payment of salaries of said commissioners or any of their office employees.

Sec. 13. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 25, 1895.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,

Department of Secretary.

I, Albert Berg, Secretary of the State of Minnesota, do hereby certify that the foregoing general laws, passed by the legislature of 1895, so far as they are printed in full, have been compared with the enrolled copies of said laws deposited in the office of the Secretary of State, and that they are true and correct copies of said enrolled laws, and are an official publication thereof.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 16th day of May, A. D. 1895.

ALBERT BERG,
Secretary of State.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION to congress relative to deep waterways to the west:

Whereas, the growth and development of the entire Northwest, and especially this state, is dependent upon cheap transportation to and from the western seaboard; and,

Whereas, we firmly believe that the natural waterways, which extend from our state to the markets of the world by the lake route to the East, when properly improved, the cost of transportation would be so greatly reduced as to enable our people to command a reasonable compensation for their labors; and,

Whereas, the appropriations heretofore made by congress for the improvement of our rivers and harbors, as well as the canals which connect us with the markets, have resulted in the constant decrease in the expenses of transportation until the bulk of all our products now find their way to market by water at less rates than would be possible to expect on railways without water competition; and,

Whereas, we further believe that by more liberal allowance to enable the engineers of the United States to carry out their well devised plans for the improvement of these several water routes, as contained in their several reports, will still further reduce the cost of transportation on all that we send out or bring in; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota, That, in the name of the people of the State of Minnesota, we do most earnestly memorialize and petition the congress of the United States to make liberal appropriations for the carrying on of those much-needed works, and provide for pushing the work now in hand so as to enable the engineers to complete them within the shortest time possible, and thus afford to this people minimum rates of transportation; that our senators and representatives be requested to use all possible effort to secure liberal appropriations for said work to the end that the contemplated deep waterways to our Eastern seaboard may be completed with as little delay as possible; that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to each of our senators and members of the house of representatives.

Approved April 25, 1895.

NO. 422.—H. F. NO. 876.

AN ACT to appropriate money for the general expenses of the state government, and for other purposes therein named.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. That the following sums of money, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are hereby appropriated from any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896).

First—For expenses examining, appraising and selling state lands, estimating and scaling pine timber, detecting trespass upon and caring for the public lands belonging to the state, for inspecting the output of iron ore and other minerals on state lands, and for expenses incurred in prosecutions for trespass upon the public lands of the state, fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00).

Second—For fees of registers and receivers of the United States land offices in making abstracts of final entries of public lands for taxation as provided by section one hundred and eighteen (118) of the General Tax Law, five hundred dollars (\$500.00).

Third—For payment of fees of referees of district courts, as provided by chapter fifty-five (55) of the General Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-five (1885), one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00).

Fourth—For the payment of costs in suits instituted by the attorney general on behalf of the state, and for costs incurred by him in suits instituted against the state, five hundred dollars (\$500.00).

Fifth—For the payment of expenses of requisition of fugitives from justice, and rewards for detecting criminals, one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00).

Sixth—For the payment of rewards for arrests and conviction of horse thieves, two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00).

Seventh—For expenses of sheriffs conveying prisoners to state prison and reformatory, six thousand five hundred dollars (\$6,500.00).

Eighth—For payment of express and exchange on remittances of county treasurers to state treasurer and expenses collecting bonds and coupons, one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00).

Ninth—For mileage and per diem of the state board of equalization, twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00).

Tenth—For payment of bounty for killing wolves, as provided by chapter one hundred and forty-seven (147) of General Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-three (1893), ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00).

Eleventh—For allowance for extra land clerks in state auditor's office additional, twenty-seven hundred dollars (\$2,700.00).

Twelfth—For allowance for extra auditor's clerks in the state auditor's office, additional, one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00).

Thirteenth—For additional clerk hire in the office of the state treasurer for the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-five (1895), and annually thereafter, nine hundred dollars (\$900.00).

Fourteenth—For salary of state librarian's assistant appointed under chapter twelve (12), General Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-three (1893), nine hundred dollars (\$900.00).

Fifteenth—For extra janitors of the state capitol, additional, thirteen hundred dollars (\$1,300.00).

Sixteenth—For repairs and furnishing capitol, three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00).

Seventeenth—For fuel and lights, water, ice, etc., for the state capitol, four thousand eight hundred dollars (\$4,800.00).

Eighteenth—For rent of telephone instruments, two hundred dollars (\$200.00).

Nineteenth—For the expenses of the horticultural society for the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), and annually thereafter, in addition to the annual appropriation of one thousand (1,000.00) dollars already made, which is hereby confirmed and renewed, five hundred dollars (\$500.00).

Twentieth—For additional salary for the engineer of the state capitol as authorized by chapter ninety-nine (99), General Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-three (1893), three hundred dollars (\$300.00).

Twenty-first—For the Minnesota Forestry Association, to be expended by said association for the promotion and encouragement of raising forest trees on the open prairie, for the free distribution of forest seeds and plants to such citizens of the state as will follow its instructions, and in the preparation of new editions of the Forest Tree Planters' Manual, together with other forestry literature containing plain and concise information for the people upon practical forestry, and in payment of actual necessary expenses of the officers, three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00); provided, that no part of this appropriation shall be paid for salaries of officers of such association; and provided, further, that an itemized account of all expenditures of this appropriation shall be reported to the governor at the end of each fiscal year; fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) available in the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896), and fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) for the year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

Sec. 2. That the following sums of money, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are hereby appropriated from any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-seven (1897).

First—For expenses examining, appraising and selling state lands, estimating and scaling pine timber, detecting trespass upon and caring for the public lands belonging to the state, for inspecting the output of iron ore and other minerals on state lands, and for expenses incurred in prosecutions for trespass upon the public lands of the state, fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00).

Second—For fees of registers and receivers of the United States land offices in making abstracts of final entries of public lands for taxation, as provided by section one hundred and eighteen (118) of the General Tax Law, five hundred dollars (\$500.00).

Third—For the payment of fees for referees of district courts as provided by chapter fifty-five (55) of the General Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-five (1885), one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00).

Fourth—For the payment of costs in suits instituted by the attorney general on behalf of the state, and for costs incurred by him in suits instituted against the state, five hundred dollars (\$500.00).

Fifth—For the payment of expenses of requisition of fugitives from justice, and rewards for detecting criminals, one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00).

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Twelfth—For allowance for extra auditor's clerks in the state auditor's office, additional, one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00).

Thirteenth—For salary of state librarian's assistant appointed under chapter twelve (12), General Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-three (1893), nine hundred dollars (\$900.00).

Fourteenth—The additional salary for the engineer of the state capitol as authorized by chapter ninety-nine (99), General Laws eighteen hundred and ninety-three (1893), three hundred dollars (\$300.00).

Fifteenth—For extra janitors of the state capitol, additional, thirteen hundred dollars (\$1,300.00).

Sixteenth—For repairs and furnishing capitol, three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00).

Seventeenth—For fuel and lights, water, ice, etc., for the state capitol, four thousand eight hundred dollars (\$4,800.00).

Eighteenth—For rent of telephone instruments, two hundred dollars (\$200.00).

Sec. 3. That the following sums of money, or as much thereof as may be necessary, are hereby appropriated from any moneys in the state treasury belonging to the general revenue fund, not otherwise appropriated, for the following purposes, for the fiscal year ending July thirty-first (31), eighteen hundred and ninety-six (1896):

First—For printing, advertising and binding as may be provided by contract for the five (5) classes of printing for the several state departments and officers, twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00).

Second—For the purchase of stationery for the several state departments and paper for public printing, six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00).

Third—For the purchase of Minnesota reports as provided by law, three thousand four hundred dollars (\$3,400.00).

Fourth—For expenses in selecting and examining swamp lands for the grant to state institutions,

Section 1. That section one hundred and eighty-eight (188) of the General Statutes of one hundred and seventy-eight (1878), relating to attorneys and counselors,

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. That section one hundred and eighty-eight (188) of the General Statutes of one hundred and seventy-eight (1878), relating to attorneys and counselors, be and hereby amended so as to read as follows, to wit:

Sec. 1. When the attorney of a party to any proceeding in any court of record in this state becomes insane or is suspended, the party to such action or proceeding for whom such attorney appears as the sole attorney, shall within ten days after such disability appoint another attorney and forthwith notify the adverse party or his attorney in writing thereof; and in case such party fails within said time to appoint another attorney, and at least twenty days before any further proceedings be had against him, he shall be required by notice in writing by such adverse party to appoint another attorney; provided, if such party is a non-resident, such notice may be served on the clerk of the court wherein such action or proceeding is pending.

Sec. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 25, 1895.

NO. 414.—S. F. NO. 546.

AN ACT to amend section thirty (30) of chapter one hundred and forty-five (145) of the General Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-five (1885), entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of villages and to define their duties and powers, and to repeal certain laws in relation thereto."

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. That section thirty (30) of chapter one hundred and forty-five (145) of the General Laws of 1885 be amended so as to read as follows:

"Sec. 30. The village council may cause any street or any part of any street to be graded, paved, macadamized or otherwise improved, or any sidewalk or gutter to be built, upon a petition therefor in writing, signed by at least a majority of all the owners of real estate bounding both sides of such street or part of street to be improved; or order any sidewalk or gutter on one (1) side of a street to be built, on the petition of a majority of such owners, and may order any sidewalk or gutter previously built, to be put in repairs, when necessary, without petition. For the purpose of so improving any street, or building or repairing any sidewalk or gutter, the village council may levy and cause to be collected upon the lots, tracts or parcels of ground on such street or part of street improved, or on the side thereof where only such sidewalk or gutter is to be built, and upon the owners thereof, a tax sufficient to pay the expense of constructing such improvements as ordered opposite such property to the center of the street, or such proportion thereof, not less than one-half (1/2), as they shall deem justly assessable to such property, if they shall think the whole ought not to be so assessed, in which case the remainder shall be paid from the village treasury. Every such tax for repair shall be for the entire cost of repairs in front of the property so assessed. If any tax levied under this section shall prove insufficient to pay the cost or proportion thereof assessed to such property, the village council may levy an additional tax thereon to make good such deficiency."

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 25, 1895.

NO. 415.—S. F. NO. 539.

AN ACT to amend chapter two hundred (200) of the Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-nine (1889), entitled "An act giving liens for the better security of mechanics, material men, laborers and others."

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. That section one (1) of chapter two hundred (200) of the General Laws of 1889 be amended by adding thereto at the end thereof the words: "Such liens shall attach at the time of the furnishing of the first item of such labor, skill, material or machinery, and shall be preferred and be prior to any mortgage or other incumbrance of which the lienholder had no notice at the time of furnishing such first item, and which mortgage or other incumbrance was unrecorded at the time such lien attached."

Sec. 2. That section ten of said act be amended by adding thereto at the end thereof the following words: "Every lienholder who has obtained a lien under this chapter, whether he is plaintiff or defendant, shall be entitled to tax as costs a sum to be fixed by the court, not to exceed twenty-five (25) dollars where the amount recovered is less than five hundred dollars, and a sum not to exceed five (5) per cent of the amount recovered when such amount is five hundred dollars or over. Such costs shall be inserted in the judgment and made a lien upon the property against which recovery has been had with a like effect as the amount recovered."

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 25, 1895.

NO. 416.—S. F. NO. 674.

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April 21, 1893, and relating to village elections.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. That section one hundred and ninety-nine (199) of an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April 21, 1893, being section one hundred and ninety-nine (199) of chapter four (4) of the General Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-three (1893) of Minnesota, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Sec. 199. This act shall apply to all general and special elections in the State of Minnesota, except township and village elections, and shall be known as the general election law of this state; provided, however, that sections seventy-seven (77), seventy-eight (78), seventy-nine (79), one hundred eleven (111), one hundred twelve (112), one hundred thirteen (113), one hundred fourteen (114), one hundred fifteen (115) and one hundred sixteen (116) thereof shall apply, so far as applicable, to all village elections in this state, whether such villages be organized under a general or a special act of the legislature."

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 23, 1895.

NO. 417.—S. F. NO. 523.

AN ACT to amend section one (1) of chapter twenty-four (24), General Statutes eighteen hundred and seventy-eight (1878), relating to the "regulation of labor."

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. That section one of chapter twenty-four of General Statutes 1878 be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows, to wit:

"Section 1. In all trades, professions, callings, workshops, departments of labor and in all manufactures, workshops, mills and other places wherein persons are employed to perform labor for hire or reward, in this state, the time of labor for the persons so employed and performing labor shall not exceed eight hours for each day, and any owner, stockholder or overseer, employer, clerk or foreman who shall compel any person or shall permit any child under the age of fourteen years, so employed, to labor for any more than ten hours in any one day, where such owner, stockholder or overseer, clerk or foreman has control, such person so offending shall be liable to a prosecution in the name of the State of Minnesota before any justice of the peace or court of competent jurisdiction of the county wherein the same occurs, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not less than ten nor more than one hundred dollars; provided, that the provisions of this section shall not apply to agricultural laborers and domestics employed by the month and to persons engaged in the care of live stock; and, provided, further, that extra labor may be performed for extra compensation, except in the case of children under fourteen years."

Sec. 2. That this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 23, 1895.

NO. 418.—S. F. NO. 605.

AN ACT to amend section three (3) of chapter sixty-four (64) of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight (1878), in regard to the powers of the district court.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. That section 3 of chapter 64 of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"Sec. 3. The said courts in term time, and the judges thereof in vacation, have power to award throughout the state, returnable to the proper party, any and all writs necessary for the abatement of any nuisance, writs of injunction, repleat, and all other writs or processes necessary to do perfect exercise of the powers with which they are vested and the due administration of justice."

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 25, 1895.

NO. 419.—S. F. NO. 621.

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "An act to protect the owners of bottles, boxes, syphons, tins, kegs, half-barrels and barrels, cans and tubs in the sale of soda water, mineral water or aerated waters, porter, ale, ginger ale, small beer, weiss beer, beer, white beer, malt extract or other beverages, also milk, cream, ice cream and butter," approved March 12th, 1895, (being House File No. 306).

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. That section three of an act entitled "An act to protect the owners of bottles, boxes, syphons, tins, kegs, half-barrels and barrels, cans and tubs in the sale of soda water, mineral or aerated waters, porter, ale, ginger ale, small beer, weiss beer, beer, white beer, malt extract or other beverages, also milk, cream, ice cream and butter," approved March 12th, 1895 (being House File No. 306), be and the same is hereby amended by adding at the end of said section the words shall and is hereby declared to be presumptive evidence of the said unlawful use, purchase and traffic in such bottles, boxes, syphons, tins, kegs, half-barrels and tubs."

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 25, 1895.

NO. 420.—S. F. NO. 650.

AN ACT to amend section two hundred and ten (210) of title thirteen (13) of chapter sixty-six (66) of the General Statutes of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878), relative to security where judgment is entered by default, as amended by chapter thirteen (13) of General Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-one (1881).

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. That subdivision "third" of section

Death of Monroe Shiere.

FARIBAULT REPUBLICAN;—The death of Monroe Shiere, of St. Paul, which occurred last Saturday, the 23d inst., deserves of Faribault people interested in our State Institutions more than a passing notice. He has been the responsible architect in the erection of all the State buildings in our city. He has taken the crude plans furnished him by the local officers and transformed them into palaces of symmetry, durability and utility.

He was remarkable for his thorough knowledge of his business. He was a thorough mechanic, not a mere picture maker. He was equally at home as a journeyman, a master-builder or a plan-

ning and supervising architect. Good mechanics had little difficulty in following his clear and simple specifications. He was ever courteous and obliging; always laboring hard to adapt and qualify his own preferences to the wishes of his patrons. He was a man of wonderful industry, and especially during his last years of suffering when he well knew his days were numbered, he taxed all his powers to continue his work. He took great satisfaction in the results of his work in this city, and on his last visit here, which he said to the writer, would probably be his last, he brought his wife, to show and explain to her these enduring monuments of his faithful manhood.

The Board of Directors of this Institute tender this tribute to his memory.

R. A. MORT.

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned, until the morning of April 9, 1888 for constructing and completing a new building for the Feeble-minded department of the Minnesota Institute for Defectives, according to the plans and specifications to be exhibited at my office, on Main street, at Faribault, Minnesota, from and after March 19, 1888. Bonds required of successful bidders. The directors reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

H. E. BARRON,
Superintendent of Construction.

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WARDS OF THE STATE.

Secretary Hart's Report of the Cost of Maintaining the Charitable and Corrective Institutions of Minnesota.

The eighteenth regular quarterly meeting of the board of corrections and charities was held at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, with Gov. McGill in the chair. The quarterly report of Secretary Hart, of which the following is a synopsis, was read and adopted:

Since the last meeting the board has visited all the state institutions subject to the supervision of the board. The new building at Rochester, which is now ready for occupancy, is well planned. The St. Peter hospital will be much benefited by the new store rooms and offices, but the appropriation is insignificant to provide an adequate building. The managers of the state reform school have erected a wooden cottage for temporary use at a cost of \$5,000, all the work on which was done by the boys confined in the school. It is doubtful if the school is removed under the present law, the reason for which is the fact that the Milwaukee road has failed to carry out its proposition to furnish proper railroad facilities. Work on the solitary cells at the state prison has been suspended, but the new kitchen is nearly completed. At Faribault extensive repairs have been made on the school for the deaf and feeble-minded. The cost of lighting the school—\$1 per month for each scholar—is considered entirely too great. It is found that the food furnished at the state prison is of good quality and wholesome. The county commissioners of St. Louis county submitted plans for an addition to the jail, but on the recommendation of this board the plans were changed. The plans of the board will be adopted in building a new jail at Red Wing. Plans for a city lock-up at Minneapolis are not approved. The sheriff of Goodhue county is keeping his prisoners on the separate plan, and expresses himself greatly pleased at the result.

Mr. Hart also submitted a comparative statement of the average prices paid for the principal articles of food in the state institutions in 1881 and 1887. The prices this year are greater than that of 1881, but the report states that it does not necessarily imply a criticism. Comparison is also made with the cost of articles in Illinois and Wisconsin, showing the price to be somewhat less than in Minnesota. There seems to be a marked difference in prices in different parts of the state. The total cost of food purchased during the year ending July 31 for all the state institutions was \$108,689.68. If purchased at Rochester prices the cost would have been \$3104,101.42; at the state prison, \$110,295.60; at St. Peter, \$111,425.12; at Owatonna, \$121,129.64; at school for deaf, \$125,231.26; at school for feeble-minded, \$125,696.35; at school for the blind, \$126,881.13; at reform school, \$136,163.10.

A resolution was adopted instructing the committee on institutions at Faribault to present a special report at the next quarterly meeting on the workings of those institutions. A committee of three was appointed to prepare a circular calling the attention of the clergy to the condition of prisons in the various cities of the state.

Immediately after adjourning the members of the board took carriages and visited the city and county jails. While the board did not express its views as to the manner in which these institutions are conducted, it was thought that the proposed city and county jail should be built without delay.

stitutions, and, finally, a tabular statement giving the average prices paid by the Steward of the institute on twenty-eight leading articles of consumption compared with the prices at the other five institutions. This shows that in the case of but six of these articles did a majority of the institutions pay a less price than did the Faribault Institute, while for the remaining twenty-two articles half or more than half of the institutions paid an equal or greater price than did this institute. Furthermore, in the case of no one article did this Institute pay the highest price paid that year, while this is true of no other institution in the State.

In regard to the school for the Feeble Minded, it is shown that Mr. Hart selected for his comparisons the year when the expenses were for good and sufficient reasons well known to its author unusually high, and compared them with those of similar schools in Illinois, Ohio and Massachusetts at periods when their populations were varying but little, while the population of the Illinois school was over three times and that of the Ohio school over seven times the population of the Faribault school at the time of comparison. The fact that the per capita cost of conducting the more populous institutions should be less than in those recently established does not seem to have impressed this statistical expert, the fairness of whose general deductions may be inferred from the numerous examples of comparisons where the unequal conditions were not taken into account.

The sum and substance of the matter, so far as the animus of Mr. Hart is concerned appears to be, that the gentleman has unfortunately formed an undue estimate of the nature of the duties as well as the responsibility that legitimately attach to his office, and his vaulting ambition has led him to imagine that he represents in his own proper person all the power and importance that attaches to the board of Charities and Corrections, of which he is simply the creature and servant. He has framed in his own mind a Procrustean system to which he thinks all the charitable and reformatory institutions of the State should be brought, and his lack of practical experience in the carrying out of details has caused him to be oblivious to the many obstacles that convict his theories of being inexpedient in many respects and in others impracticable. The Faribault Board of Directors, it would appear, have not been inclined to yield that deference to Mr. Hart that he has assumed should be shown to the great "I am" of the Board of Charities and Corrections, and he has undertaken to make an example of them as a warning to other Boards who may exhibit like contumacy. If he is not satisfied with his experience in this direction thus far, the Board intimate that they have plenty of facts in store, not alluded to in their reply, that will be given whenever

the Secretary may evince a disposition to call them out. So far as his report goes, it may be said of it as President Lincoln said of the dog that swallowed a torpedo, after the explosion, "that dog, as a dog, won't be of much account any more."

SEC. HART'S REPORT.

What the Press Has to Say Upon this Splenetic Effusion.

A Case of Pernicious Activity.

St. Paul Dispatch, 30th.

We do not know how the component members of the state board of charities and corrections will regard the extraordinary document of the secretary of that body which has just found its way before the state legislature, or what, under the circumstances, they will be disposed to regard as their relation to the work and responsibility of the board itself.

For a considerable time past the public have been compelled wholly to lose sight of the fact that the board of charities and corrections did not consist exclusively of Mr. Hart, who it may be observed here, is simply a single member of that body, with no greater or less responsibility than any one of his fellows. The report, of date August, 1888, on the subject of the state institutions at Faribault, which is now before the legislature, will help to confirm the erroneous impression that Mr. Hart is the board. We have hitherto found occasion to call public attention to the strenuous efforts which this gentleman has been putting forward as the representative of the board of charities and corrections to revive the ancient glories of the contract labor system in this State.

The more recent public appearance of Secretary Hart more than justifies the claim that he unwarrantably arrogates to himself a public importance and a representative significance which neither his superior ability or judgment, nor his relation to his fellow members justifies. His "report," whether it be regarded as an official document or a mere expression of individual judgment, is, in our opinion, properly characterized as "rambling, discursive, contradictory and pointless," without any specific object in view, apparently, other than the discrediting of the directors who are attacked, and without any intelligent recommendation worthy of the serious consideration of the legislature, excepting alone that regarding the assignment to each of the institutions of a specific proportion of the aggregate appropriation.

It is proper to inquire on what principle is to be justified the assumption by the secretary of a given public body of the functions which inhere in that body. If the practice is recommended and concurred in by the remaining members of the board as one which best comports with the public interests, it would be quite as well that the legislature should relieve the other members of their nominal responsibility, and seriously consider the advisability of investing Mr. Hart with all the powers and responsibilities which attach to that department of the State government. If, on the other, these several manifestations of the absolute and autocratic in relation to his official associates, to which Mr. Hart has been treating the public, have not the sanction of his associates in office, it might be desirable to consider whether a secretary not so fatally afflicted with the official disorder known as "pernicious activity" might not be more useful for the purposes of the board. However either of these propositions may be regarded, the remarkable ebullition of official gall which the "report" of Mr. Hart embodies, should not pass without fitting recognition.

The Report "A Trivial Business."

Pioneer Press Editorial, 30th.

A glance will show how trivial is the whole business. The only criticisms made in the report that amount to anything are directed against the practice of having one steward for three institutions, and against the rule which makes a majority of the directing board residents of the city of Faribault. It was hardly worth while to bring the power of the legislature to bear on matters as

A TEAPOT TEMPEST.

It is distinctly to be regretted that even the appearance of a controversy should have arisen between the state board of charities and corrections, or an officer of it, and the management of the great institutions for the defective at Faribault. It is unfortunate, because such criticism is always to be deprecated unless there is ample ground and serious reason for it; because it tends to undermine the confidence of the people in those who are doing a great and noble work; because it disturbs that harmonious action between all the different boards and authorities interested in such work which is essential to the best results; and because it is a hardship to honorable men to be dragged before the public in such a controversy, unless the occasion demands it, by showing real abuses to be remedied.

The substance of the whole matter seems to be about as follows: The state board of charities and corrections is properly jealous of its powers and privileges, and the board of directors for the Faribault institutions is equally and properly jealous on its own account; between two such bodies there not unnaturally arises some friction and misunderstanding. There were some features in the internal management of these institutions which the secretary of the board did not entirely approve, they being minor points and largely questions of private opinion, having nothing to do with the efficiency and only a little to do with the economical conduct of the several schools. This difference of opinion was embodied in a report, entirely proper to be made, calling the attention of the board to the matter. This brought up the points in question for discussion among those interested. Then some

one thought that capital might be made out of the business by inducing the legislature to call for the report, intimating that it contained matter grave and scandalous. It was so called for, its publication made necessary a defense on the part of the Faribault management, and so we have a little tempest in a teapot over business details which business men could settle between themselves in short order, but which in no way reflect upon the institutions in question.

A glance will show how trivial is the whole business. The only criticisms made in the report that amount to anything are directed against the practice of having one steward for three institutions, and against the rule which makes a majority of the directing board residents of the city of Faribault. It was hardly worth while to bring the power of the legislature to bear on matters as mighty as these. In fact, it appears that there can be decided economies resulting from making all purchases through a single agent; and the reports show that the expenses of the Faribault institutions compare favorably with others, both in this state and without it. The opposition to a resident board will seem to most people unworthy. It can only serve to awaken a miserable jealousy from other sections, which may harm but cannot help. The inference, of course, is that the maintenance of these institutions is made to add to the prosperity of Faribault. Well, suppose it were! Naturally, the home market would be the one in which purchases could be made to most advantage; and what would be gained by making the Rochester asylum buy its provisions in Duluth, or the St. Cloud reformatory draw its supplies from New Ulm, is not clear. As a matter of statistics, however, the reply of the board appears to answer clearly the questions raised, and to show that these particular institutions are managed conservatively and economically.

This much, at least, the public does know; that the gentlemen who compose the board in charge of the institute for defectives rank among the most honored and honorable citizens of the state. It would be impossible to get a better, though all our eighty counties were searched for them. And if there are a majority of citizens of Faribault upon it, these men are enthusiasts in the noble work which those institutions are doing, and hold their devotion to them and their duty to them superior to their allegiance to the city in which they live. As far as the criticisms and recommendations made reflect upon such men as the Hon. R. A. Mott, a man with the enthusiasm and self-sacrificing devotion of the born philanthropist, or the Hon. Hudson Wilson, who has given time and labor unsparingly, they need no refutation among the people of this state. It seems to those who have examined the Faribault institutions that the plan of a united management is singularly economical and effective. It is certain that their work is a glory and an honor to Minnesota. When we look at what they have done and are doing, and see the readiness of their managements to submit to the public eye the smallest detail of their business conduct, we must feel that criticism, though made in the utmost good faith, should be reserved until it has something more serious and substantial to go upon.

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Has Met His Waterloo.

Saint Paul News.

Secretary Hart has not had a very great success in attacking the board of directors of the Faribault institutions. Indeed, according to the report of the committee selected to investigate the secretary's charges, it might be said that that gentleman has met his Waterloo.

Fully Exonerated.

Secretary Hart, of the board of charities, evidently took a large contract when he assailed the management of the state institutions at Faribault. The legislative committee, as noted elsewhere, reports very emphatically against his charges and heartily sustains the management.

We have been handed a copy of the "Address of the Board of Directors of the Minnesota Institute for Defectives" replying to the criticisms of Sec. Hart, of the State Board of Charities and Corrections, on the management of the state institutions here. The address presents an able and exhaustive argument, bristling with facts and figures to sustain it, and tears to shreds the statements of Sec. Hart as badly as though they had been struck with a dynamite bomb. The people of Faribault know that the state institutions here are run economically, and according to business methods. We advise Sec. Hart to chew the plums he finds in the address and not to dip for any more.

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Secretary Hart's Report on the Minnesota Institute for Defectives.

H. H. Hart, the Secretary of the State Board of Charities and Corrections, under date of Aug. 7, 1888, made a report to that body, embodying various criticisms upon the management of the School for Defectives at Faribault. The board do not appear to have attached sufficient importance to the document to have judged it worthy of publication, but the St. Paul *Globe*, following its bent to acquire notoriety as an exponent of sensational journalism, evidently thought it saw in the matter something that would minister to its ambition in this direction, and secured the adoption of a resolution in the House for the appointment of a special committee to investigate, with authority to publish the report if deemed advisable. The committee, after due investigation, exonerated the Faribault board from the charges of having been guilty of irregularity and delinquency, but authorized the report to be given to the papers. The following is the report of the investigating committee in full:

ST. PAUL, MINN., March 28, '89.

MR. SPEAKER:—The undersigned, your committee appointed to examine the report of Secretary Hart, of the board of

on the schools

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS will be received by the Directors of the Minnesota Institute for Defectives, for furnishing materials and for the erection and completion of a custodial building on the State grounds in Faribault, Minnesota, for the School for the Feeble-Minded, during the present season, according to plans and specifications furnished by W. B. Dunnell, architect, as amended, now on file at the office of J. R. Parshall, steward, in Faribault, until Monday, July 10th, 1893.

CONDITIONS.

Bids to be made on blanks prepared by the Directors, sealed, and left with, or directed to J. R. Parshall, steward of said Institute, and will be opened July 10th, 1893, at two o'clock, P. M.

All bids must contain the names of at least two responsible persons who shall consent in writing to become sureties for the bidder in the sum of \$15,000.

The Directors reserve the right to reject any and all bids received.

The successful bidder must execute a written contract and file a bond approved by the Directors before entering upon the work.

June 8th, 1893.

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R. A. MOTT, Secretary.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received until Thursday noon, July 30th, 1893, for furnishing materials, erecting and completing a stone dormitory building for the deaf department of the Minnesota Institute for Defectives, at Faribault, Minnesota.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the architect, E. P. Bassford, at St. Paul, and at the office of H. E. Barron, in Faribault, on and after July 20th.

The directors reserve the right to reject any and all bids received. Proposals to be addressed to the undersigned at Faribault, Minn.

H. E. BARRON,

Superintendent of Construction.

Dated July 9th, 1893.

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Notice to Contractors.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED until Sept. 26th, inst., at 12 o'clock m., for excavating, furnishing all material, and constructing a stone foundation for the Custodial Building on the grounds of the School for the Feeble Minded at Faribault, Minnesota, according to plans and specifications furnished by W. B. Dunnell, Architect, and to be found at the Steward's office over Haskell's store in this city.

Address all bids to R. A. Mott, Sec'y. The Board of Directors reserve the right to commence and proceed with the grading and excavation necessary to said foundation before any award shall be made on said bids.

They also reserve the right to decline the acceptance of any and all bids that may be presented.

A specific contract will be made with the successful bidder.

Faribault, Minn., Sept. 17th, 1892.

On behalf of the Board of Directors,
1w-22 R. A. MOTT, Secretary.

The ipecac will work quicker if there be something in the stomach. Vomiting must be induced, but anyone can see how hard it will be if the stomach be empty as it usually is. Putting your finger down the throat far enough to gag the child is sometimes allowable, but do it carefully so as not to injure mouth or throat with the finger nail. Repeat the dose of ipecac if vomiting does not speedily ensue, for by that means the rapidly forming phlegm will be thrown off. In some cases in the writer's experience, a tobacco poultice on the throat has caused loosening of the phlegm or membrane, and copious vomiting when tracheotomy seemed the only alternative. It is made by soaking common plug tobacco in warm water and putting it on warm, binding it loosely round the throat.

Alum and sugar, equal quantities, half a teaspoonful of the mixture dissolved in water and given every ten or twenty minutes according to breathing. Don't attempt to blow the powder into the throat as is occasionally recommended. Give nothing dry, it increases strangling as in genuine membranous croup the tendency to re-formation of the membrane for several days requires continual care and treatment. In common croup the attack is usually over within a few hours, except a debilitated condition that makes another attack the following night possible unless guarded against. Not so true croup, where there's only temporary relief day or night as small pieces of membrane are thrown off.

The best plan known to the profession, recommended by Dr. Cohen, of Philadelphia, is to place the patient as soon as the presence of membrane is manifested, in a closed room heated to a temperature of eighty degrees, which should be constantly maintained without intermission until the child is out of danger. The room is then surcharged with moisture by hanging pieces of cloth or towels, wet with hot water, about the room. Water is placed upon the stove or grate and by putting hot flats or bricks into pans of water, sufficient steam is generated to produce considerable moisture. It is claimed the steam softens the membrane and causes its exfoliation. Turpentine or vinegar can be added to the water in small quantities to increase the penetrating power of the steam.—*Good Housekeeping.*

CANADA AS A REFUGE FOR BOODLERS.

—When Prof. Weldon introduced his bill into the Canadian parliament providing for the extradition of boodlers he said: "I, as well as any respectable man in the dominion, am suffering from the facility with which a thief or blackmailer or briber or embezzler can find a refuge here. I go to a hotel and the chances are that my name is preceded by that of some well known American boodler or defaulter. In the dining room the chances are that I am put at the same table with this thief. I ride beside him on railroad cars; he sits in the galleries of this house and mixes with my family and friends; he lobbies in the halls of legislation; he is omnipresent, leers into your face and obtrudes his unsavory personality and worse character at every turn you make; he occupies a box at the theatre, while you sit in the stalls; he obtains control of important manufacturing interests, and becomes a director in corporations chartered by the dominion or provinces. He is a social Pariah, a national disgrace, a menace to our institutions, and a temptation to our clerks or business men, our cashiers, our bank officials and our children to do wrong and live in luxury on the other side of the line safe from pursuit and punishment."

Electricity in Surgery.

SCRANTON, Pa., March 22.—Doctors and scientific men in this city are interested in a peculiar case which developed in this city. A week ago Charles Mier ran a needle into his foot. Surgeons sought in vain for it. This afternoon Mier was taken to the plant of the suburban electric railway and his foot held near one of the dynamos. In fifteen minutes the needle was drawn out.

A New Superintendent.

Dr. J. L. Noyes, Superintendent of the Minnesota School for the Deaf, has resigned his position to take effect at the close of the present school year, and the Board, in accepting it, elected Mr. James N. Tate, of Fulton, Mo., as his successor. Dr. Noyes' resignation has been caused by the condition of his health, which after thirty years of continuous active service in the institution of which he has been the head, has become so far weakened that he feels the necessity of retirement from a field involving so much of care and responsibility. Dr. Noyes is the second superintendent the school has had, having succeeded Prof. R. H. Kinney who served three years. At the time Dr. Noyes assumed charge the school was located in the old Fowler store building, on Front street near the head of Main. All of the fine structures appertaining to the school upon the bluff have been erected during the Doctor's superintendency. He has been most efficient in the discharge of the duties of his position and holds a high rank among the veteran instructors of the deaf in the country at large. When he retires it will be with the assurance that his labors are highly appreciated, and that he will bear with him the respect and esteem of the people of our city generally and be remembered with gratitude and love by the great number of persons who have from time to time been inmates of or connected with the institution.

It affords us pleasure to state that Dr. Noyes proposes to remain with us, and is now building a residence in our city.

The new superintendent, Mr. Tate, will come among us with the highest recommendations from the locality in which he has previously labored, and is recognized by the instructors in that branch throughout the country as one of the foremost men in the field. The following notice will serve to show the appreciation manifested for him in his home city:

From the Fulton, Mo., Deaf-Mute Record.

SUPT. TATE RESIGNS.—This announcement will be received with surprise by our readers and the profession generally. At a meeting of the Board of Managers held at this Institution last Tuesday evening, Superintendent James N. Tate tendered his resignation to take effect in June next. This action was brought about in consequence of his election to a similar position in the Minnesota School for the Deaf at Faribault.

The question, no doubt, will be asked why Mr. Tate should wish to leave so large and prosperous an institution as ours to accept a similar position in one that in some respects is smaller, though none the less so in the importance and character of its work. In replying to this question we feel justified in saying that between Mr. Tate and the Board of Managers and all others in any way associated with this Institution, the best of feeling exists, harmony prevails in every department, and there was no cause to suggest or call for his resignation. The offer to go to Minnesota came to him some time ago unsolicited, was duly considered, and if there was any motive that could influence him in its acceptance it was the belief that he could be of more service in another field.

Mr. Tate's work with the deaf began here in 1877, and his connection with this school has continued without intermission until the present time: first as teacher, then as assistant superintendent, and when the revered Dr. Kerr retired in 1889, he was called to assume entire control of the Institution. Thus he has gone through a practical course in every grade of institution work. Under his charge the school has taken the sixth place in point of attendance among the schools of its kind in the country and has risen in the scope of its work in keeping with its size. The magnificent buildings which now grace our grounds stand in a great measure as a monument to his management, and his successor whoever he may be, will find everything in perfect order when he assumes charge.

While all here regret Mr. Tate's departure, we feel that Minnesota gains a man well worthy of the honor and confidence that has been shown him; one ripe in experience, in the prime of life, and robust in manhood; one who is pure in character, fair and just in his opinions, dignified and courteous in manner, kind and sympathetic in feeling, and possessed of deep-rooted pious convictions. The position of superintendent is one that demands the best

SUDDEN AND FATAL.

Hon. H. E. Barron is Stricken
with Death in the Midst
of Life.



No more sudden shock has overtaken our community than was experienced on Saturday morning last when the intelligence was flashed around that Horace E. Barron was dead. It seemed incredible, for there were those among our citizens who had seen him upon our streets but a few brief hours before, apparently in the full enjoyment of his usual rugged health and vigor. Rarely, indeed, except through accident or conflict, does Death strike such a sudden blow. Mr. Barron, as has been said, was around the city Friday afternoon, and dropped in at the business places of several citizens, with whom he chatted for a time, in his usual manner. Mr. S. S. Watkins, of St. Paul, state fish commissioner, called upon him in the afternoon, and Mr. Barron conveyed him to the 4:30 train. On returning home he ate supper with a good appetite, and nothing unusual occurred until about 10 o'clock when a fire alarm was sounded, and a bright glow appeared on the bluff to the southeast and east of the river. Mr. Barron went down to the river bank to obtain a better view, and returning hurriedly told his wife that the fire appeared to be in the blind or imbecile school. He started out on foot, but changed his mind, and hastening back to his house, secured his horse, and left, telling Mrs. Barron that a large number of the poor children of the institution were likely to be turned out without shelter, and as they had considerable room preparations should be made to receive them. On reaching Third street, he learned that the fire was not in the school buildings, and returned home. Meanwhile he had been seized with severe pains in the chest, and on reaching home, lay down upon the lounge. To his wife, and Judge Buckham, who is a boarder at the house, he complained of extreme weakness, but thought the ailment was only temporary. Dr. G. W. Wood, however, was sent for, and on arrival gave him treatment that seemed to relieve him, and after he had been placed in bed, left him in apparently a comfortable condition. Mr. Barron said to his wife that he did not feel sleepy, and asked her to read to him from a magazine. She commenced reading, but after a time looked up and was startled by his changed appearance. She immediately called Judge Buckham, who had retired to his room. The latter on entering the room, found Mr. Barron seemingly unconscious and with a very feeble pulse. A messenger was immediately sent for Dr. Wood, but the patient continued to sink, and expired before the doctor's arrival. When Dr. Wood came he was unable to detect any evidence of life, but he sent for Dr. Rose, and the two, after making a

thorough examination, were forced to assure the agonized wife that her husband had, indeed, passed away.

The death of Mr. Barron removes from our city one of its early pioneers and most respected, influential and widely known citizens. As proprietor and landlord of the Barron House for many years, he formed the acquaintance of many in the state and throughout the Northwest who will be saddened by his departure. But to the residents of this city, and especially to those whose recollection goes back to its early days, and to the officers and inmates of our charitable institutions, with whom the relations of the deceased have been so intimate and cordial, the blow strikes home with peculiar force. Although bluff and outspoken in his intercourse with his fellow men, giving little thought to policy, but expressing his opinions freely as they were conceived, all who came in contact with him learned to respect his honest sincerity, and appreciate his sterling worth. As a citizen he was enterprising and liberal, and always responded generously to every appeal for aid or influence in advancing the prosperity of our city. In the responsible position of Steward for the State schools he developed a business ability and capacity for conducting affairs requiring intimate knowledge of various branches of industry that stamped him as eminently the right man for the place, and it will be difficult to find a successor so well equipped at all points for the management of the trust confided to him. Mr. Barron's innate kindness of heart was manifested in various ways, but especially in his relations with the unfortunate wards of the state, all of whom recognized him as a friend and benefactor, and will mourn his departure as a personal bereavement. The deceased preserved that active interest in the delights of the sportsman that was a prominent characteristic of many of the pioneers who came to the state when game was abundant, and his most enjoyable recreation was found in the lake or forest, with rod and gun. The state fish commissioner found in him an active coadjutor in the work of restocking and developing the fish producing capacity of our lakes. In political life Mr. Barron was an out-spoken and earnest advocate of Republican principles, to which he adhered with the constancy that was characteristic of his sturdy and unswerving nature. He will be remembered as one of the types of vigorous manhood developed in the settlement of new states, whose strong and self-reliant character, and ready capacity for adaptation to the work they find to do, commands the respect and esteem of the entire community in which their lot has been cast.

The funeral services were held on Monday at 1:30, p. m. A prayer was offered at the residence by Rev. Wm. Gardam, and the remains were then conveyed to the Cathedral of Our Merciful Saviour, where a very large concourse had assembled. The services were conducted in accordance with the ritual of the Episcopal church Reverends Gardam, Bill, Dobbin and Wilson officiating. The bearers were as follows:

Honorary: R. A. Mott, H. Chaffee, H. Wilson, G. W. Batchelder, A. C. Rogers, L. Tuttle, J. L. Noyes, M. B. Sheffield.

Acting: D. Cavanaugh, J. J. Dow, A. W. Stockton, H. P. Sime, J. Hutchinson, Thomas Carpenter.

The floral decorations were elaborate

and beautiful, including some lovely Orotom lilies and banks of cut flowers; a basket of roses and ferns; a beautiful wreath with initials, "H. E. B."; a broken column; two elegant crosses, one bearing the inscription, "Rest", and a very handsome sickle and sheaf of wheat.

All the officers and teachers of the State Schools and the older classes of pupils were present. A noticeable feature of the long procession to the grave was the carriage containing the band of the Imbecile School, in uniform, carrying a handsome flag, furled and draped, which had been presented to them by Mr. Barron.

The interment took place in Maple Lawn cemetery.

The chair which Mr. Barron usually occupied at the office of the Imbecile School is to be draped in mourning for thirty days.

BIOGRAPHICAL.

Horace Everett Barron was born in Bradford, Vt., March 21st, 1826. His family was prominent in colonial history, his great grandfather, Wm. Barron, who originated in Chelmsford, Mass., having been a scout in the French and Indian war, and commanded a company from Lyndeboro, New Hampshire, in the Revolutionary war, which took part in the battle of Bunker Hill. The roll of the company is preserved in the state department at Concord, N. H. Micah Barron, his eldest son, moved to Bradford, Orange Co., Vt., in 1788. He was sheriff or deputy for his county for 23 years, and a brigadier general in the state militia. William Barron, father of Horace E., was a colonel of the state militia, and held the position of U. S. Marshal for the district of Vermont, by appointment of President Harrison, for four years.

Horace E. Barron spent his boyhood on his father's farm, and attended the Bradford Academy. He afterwards took a course of study in engineering in the Norwich Military school, and when about eighteen years of age assisted in the first survey of the railroad running from White River Junction to Derby line, in which he was engaged till the completion of the road. In October, 1850, Mr. Barron went to Chicago, which he made his headquarters for five years, while traveling for wholesale houses, his trips extending over Illinois and portions of Michigan and Indiana. In October, 1855, he came to Fairbault, which then contained but two or three frame houses and a number of log cabins. During the succeeding winter he purchased a site for a hotel, and went east, leaving the work of securing lumber and making preliminary preparations in the hands of resident parties, among whom were the late J. B. Berry, and Postmaster E. N. Leavelle, who attended to kiln drying the lumber. The following spring he erected the Barron House, which became widely known as a popular hotel, and which he personally conducted for many years. In 1870 he built a large stone addition to the hotel, in which a room was leased for the postoffice, the remainder being used for hotel purposes. Mr. Barron leased the hotel in 1879, and on the 17th of March, 1882, it was consumed by fire.

Mr. Barron was one of the aldermen chosen at the first city election in April, 1872, and was elected president of the board, serving two years. In 1874 he was elected a member of the Minnesota House of Representatives, and served on the committee of ways and means. He took an active interest from the outset in the establishment of the state charitable institutions in this city, and was appointed one of the board of directors by Gov. Marshall in 1876. He was elected president of the board in 1870, in which office he was continued till 1880. In 1881 he resigned his position as Director to accept that of Steward, which he continued to fill with the utmost fidelity and marked ability to the hour of his death.

Mr. Barron was married Feb. 22, 1876, in St. Louis, to Kate Winton Gray, who survives him, with the youngest of four children, a daughter, May Belle, the others having died in infancy.

AN OVERDOSE OF LAUDANUM.

Causes the Death of Mrs. Nellie B. Luce

At the State school for the blind.

Saturday morning a jury was summoned by coroner D. M. Cool, to hold an inquest over the body of Mrs. Nellie B. Luce of Minneapolis, who died at the school for the blind in this city, Friday afternoon. The facts of the case are that the deceased, who was the wife of W. L. Luce, a grain-dealer of Minneapolis, had lost her sight several months ago as a result of disease. About the first of October last, being over legal age, she was admitted by a special resolution of the board of directors as a pupil of the school for the blind, to ascertain what could be done in educating her so that she might find occupation for her mind in reading and music, in order to counteract the mental depression which is so sure to affect those who lose their sight in adult life. Mrs. Luce had been in the school nearly six weeks and was making as good progress as could have been expected from one of her age, and while she was troubled with nervousness and depression of spirits, there was nothing in her actions or disposition to attract notice or require any special care or attention. A week ago last Saturday evening, Mr Luce came and spent Sunday with her, taking her with him to Minneapolis on the afternoon train. When returning to the school Monday evening, she requested the cab driver to stop at a drug store where she bought some laudanum, sweet oil and spirits of camphor, for the purpose she said, of making a liniment. Thursday night last her room mate was absent from the school, and when she returned Friday morning she found Mrs. Luce unconscious. When an empty bottle which had contained laudanum, was found in her bed, the conclusion was that she had attempted suicide. Physicians were summoned, and every possible effort, both medical and mechanical, was used to counteract the effects of the drug, and it was thought for a time that her life could be saved, but late Friday afternoon she died. As indicated above, suicide was the first thought in the minds of those who heard of the affair, but at the inquest, it was stated that since her return from Minneapolis she had been more cheerful than usual and, as was also stated, she frequently used liniment since her sickness, and she was troubled at times with insomnia and neuralgia, it was thought most likely that having the laudanum at hand, she had used it to cause sleep and had taken an overdose. The jury, after a thorough and lengthy investigation, returned the following

VERDICT.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } s. s.
COUNTY OF RICE, }

An inquisition taken at the School for the Blind in Faribault, in the County of Rice, Minnesota, on the 14th day of November, A. D. 1891, before Dr. D. M. Cool, coroner of said county of Rice, Minnesota, upon view of the body of Mrs. Nellie B. Luce lying there dead, by the oaths of the jurors, whose names are hereto subscribed, who being sworn to inquire, on behalf of the State of Minnesota when, how, and by what means the said Nellie B. Luce came to her death, upon their oaths do say, that the said Nellie B. Luce came to her death by taking an overdose of laudanum of her own accord, in her sleeping room at the School for the Blind in the city of Faribault, Minn., on the 13th day of November, 1891, (whether ignorantly or otherwise does not certainly appear from the evidence) but entirely without the knowledge of any person connected with the said School for the Blind.

In testimony whereof, the said coroner and jurors of this inquest have hereunto set their hands the day and year aforesaid.

A. E. HAYES,
D. CAVANAUGH,
C. J. M'CALLF,
CHAS. D. MCKELLIP,
FRANK WILSON,
J. C. N. COTPRELL.

Attest:
D. M. COOL,
Coroner of Rice County.

At a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Minnesota Institute for Defectives held on this 29th day of February, 1892, the following sentiments awakened by the sudden death of the Hon. Horace E. Barron found unanimous expression by the members of the Board and the superintendents of the several schools there present.

WHEREAS one of our foremost citizens, our personal friend and associate for many years, one intensely active to promote the best interest of our Institution and our commonwealth, has been suddenly stricken down and removed by death from our midst, now, therefore, be it resolved:

1st, That we sympathize most deeply with the bereaved widow and daughter of our departed friend and co-worker for their unspeakable loss.

2d, We desire to record our emphatic testimony to his transparent honesty, untiring zeal, faithfulness and unselfishness during his unbroken connection for a quarter of a century with our State Institution work as Director, President of the Board, and of late years as its fiscal agent and superintendent of construction. In the discharge of the functions of these several places of trust, he has revealed himself perhaps more fully to us than to most others as the man of large heart and fearless integrity, while his tenderness for all the unfortunate was a perennial spring.

3d, In earnest of our personal affection and as a monument to his noble character, we hereby dedicate the new building of the school for the Deaf to his memory, and name it Barron Hall.

T. B. CLEMENT,
HUDSON WILSON,
R. A. MOTT,
GEO. E. SKINNER,
ANTHONY KELLY,
J. L. NOYES,
Supt. School for Deaf.
J. J. Dow,
Supt. School for Blind.
A. C. ROBERTS,
Supt. School for Feeble-Minded.

Submitted by W. B. Dunnell of Minneapolis—

This design shows staircases well placed but poorly arranged. Its corridors are spacious and well lighted by interior wells. The house of representatives was placed in the central south pavilion and was shown to be lighted only by windows which were overshadowed by the heavy overhanging colonnade. This pavilion has an excessive and awkward projection from the body of the building. The committee rooms give directly off the main corridor and could not be controlled except by an officer at each door. The offices of lieutenant governor and speaker of the house are accessible only through the legislative chambers. The governor's suit of rooms, while fairly located, is badly arranged. The clerk of the supreme court is placed on the first floor at a point widely distant from the supreme court on the second floor. The judges would be required to pass through the main corridors to reach the court room from their offices. The exterior design is commonplace and is somewhat faulty in proportion. The general form and treatment of the dome is good, but it springs too suddenly from the roof of the building, having no transitional features. The approaches to the building are much too abrupt. The design, as a whole, considering both plan and external treatment is far removed from the other four prelated designs.

It has been awarded a prize, not upon absolute but upon relative merit, and your can in no wise recommend the of such a building.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Separate sealed bids will be received on or before September 12th, 1895, for heating and plumbing the new Custodial building on the grounds of the Minnesota Institute for Defectives, in Faribault, Minnesota, according to plans and specifications to be found at the office of W. B. Dunnell, architect, in Minneapolis, and at the office of J. R. Parshall, Steward.

Address bids to J. R. Parshall, Faribault, Minn., on blanks to be furnished by him.

The Board of Directors reserves the right to decline an award on any and all bids offered. A specific contract will be made with the successful bidder, and bonds complying with the law will be required.

Faribault, Minn., Aug. 9th, 1895.
R. A. MOTT, Secretary.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS ARE SOLICITED and will be received by the Directors of the Minnesota Institute for Defectives, for furnishing material and for the erection and completion of a custodial building on the State grounds in Faribault, for the School for the Feeble-Minded, during the present season, according to plans and specifications furnished by W. B. Dunnell, architect, which may be examined at the office of the Steward at Faribault, or at the office of the architect at Minneapolis, from and after May 15th, 1895.

CONDITIONS.

1st. Sealed proposals to be directed to or left with J. R. Parshall, Steward, at Faribault, Minn., on or before Tuesday, May 24th, at 12 o'clock m., 1895.

2d. Each bid shall contain the names of at least two responsible persons, who shall consent in writing to become security for the bidder, in the sum of \$15,000 for the entire job, or in like proportion for any portion thereof.

3d. The bids may be (a) for the entire work (b) for the mason work or (c) for all except the masonry.

4th. The Directors reserve the right to reject any or all bids received, add to, deduct from, or change the plans or materials and to pay accordingly.

5th. The successful bidder shall execute a written contract and file a bond approved by the Directors before he enters on the work.

6th. All bids to insure consideration must be made on blank forms prepared by the Directors.

46w2 R. A. MOTT, Secy.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received on or before June 10th, 1895, at 12 o'clock m., for furnishing material and constructing a building on the grounds of the State School for the Blind at Faribault, according to plans and specifications to be found at the office of the architect, E. P. Bassford, Gillfillan Block, St. Paul, and at the office of J. R. Parshall, steward, in Faribault, on and after May 20th, 1895.

Address bids to J. R. Parshall, Faribault, Minnesota.

The Board of Directors reserve the right to decline an award on any and all bids that may be presented. A specific contract will be entered into with the successful bidder and reasonable bonds be required.

Faribault, Minn., May 3d, 1895.
On behalf of the Board of Directors,
R. A. MOTT, Secretary.

CANCELED APPROPRIATIONS.

A New Law Sets the Managers of State Institutions Thinking.

The managers of the several state institutions are at present discussing the prospect of losing a portion of their appropriations under the new law passed last winter. This law requires that the unused portion of the annual appropriation for any state institution shall be canceled at the end of each fiscal year—July 31—unless the appropriation is extended by a commission composed of the governor, attorney general and secretary of state. If all the appropriations due to be canceled under the new law are canceled July 31, the state will be ahead \$150,451.33, \$33,269.76 of this being in special appropriations and \$117,181.57 in current appropriations. The insane asylums would be the heaviest sufferers, losing altogether \$72,381.96.

Notice to Contractors

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED on or before noon of Friday, June 28th, 1895, for furnishing material, erecting and completing a custodial building on the grounds of the State School for the Feeble-Minded (a department of the Minnesota Institute for Defectives) at Faribault, Minnesota, according to plans and specifications to be found at the office of W. B. Dunnell, architect, in Minneapolis, and at the office of J. R. Parshall, steward, on and after June 10th, 1895.

Address bids to J. R. Parshall, Faribault, Minn., on blanks to be furnished by him. The Board of Directors reserves the right to decline an award on any and all bids made. A specified contract will be made with the successful bidder, and bonds complying with the statutes will be required.

Faribault, Minn., May 23d.
On behalf of the Board of Directors,
R. A. MOTT,
Secretary.

	Appropriated 1896-97.	Estimate 1898-99.	Increase.
Insane hospitals.	\$1,062,400	\$1,234,300	\$171,900
Soldiers' home...	40,000	65,000	25,000
School for deaf...	103,900	97,100	*6,800
School for blind...	40,650	41,300	650
Feeble minded...	190,500	210,000	19,500
State public school	68,900	72,000	3,100
State normal school	101,100	108,900	7,800
State reformatory.	93,500	95,000	1,500
State prison.....	131,000	124,000	7,000
Total	\$1,832,250	\$2,047,600	\$215,350

*Decrease.

NO. 194.—S. F. NO. 411.
AN ACT to appropriate money for certain purposes to the Minnesota Institute for Defectives.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. That the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500) be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of completing and furnishing a school building in process of erection on the grounds of the school for the feeble-minded at the city of Faribault in this state. Three thousand dollars (\$3,000) of the moneys so appropriated shall be employed in completing the construction of the said building, and the remainder thereof shall be employed in furnishing the same when completed for the use of the said school.

Sec. 2. The moneys hereby appropriated shall be and become immediately available upon the passage of this act for the purposes provided in section one thereof, and the state auditor is authorized to draw his warrants for the payment of the same in favor of the person or persons indicated by the order or orders of the board of directors of the said institute.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.
Approved March 8, 1895.

NO. 27.—S. F. NO. 489.
AN ACT providing for the giving of bonds by contractors for public works and improvements and for the better security of the state and the public corporations thereof, and parties performing labor and furnishing material therefor.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Before any contract whatever for the doing of any work or labor or furnishing of any skill or material by the State of Minnesota, any county, township, village, school district, city or other public corporation of the state, for the erection, construction, alteration or repair of any bridge, public building, or other public structure, work or improvement, or in the making of any public improvement whatsoever shall be valid for any purpose, the contractor therefor shall enter into a bond with the state or such county, township, village, school district, city or other public corporation for the use of the same,

and also for the use of all persons who may perform any work or labor or furnish any skill or material in the execution of such contract, conditioned to pay as they become due, all just claims for all work and labor performed and all skill and material furnished in the execution of such contract, and also to save the obligee named in such bond harmless from any cost, charge and expense that may accrue on account of the doing of the work specified in such contract, and also to complete such contract according to the terms thereof and the contract price, and to comply with all the requirements of law, which bond shall be in an amount not less than the contract price agreed to be paid for the performance of such contract, and shall be duly signed and acknowledged by such contractor and two or more sufficient sureties, which bond shall be approved by and filed in the office of the treasurer of the

type of physical and moral manhood, and that he will be able to fulfill all that is required is the highest compliment that we could wish to pay him. That the same success will attend his efforts in Minnesota that has blessed his work here is the hope and expectation of his many friends in Missouri.

RESOLUTIONS.
At a meeting of the teachers, the following resolutions were adopted:

"WHEREAS, we learn with sorrow that Mr. James N. Tate has tendered his resignation as Superintendent of this School to accept a similar position with the Minnesota School for the Deaf, therefore be it

Resolved, That in his departure from the State, the deaf of Missouri lose a sincere friend, who for twenty years has assiduously labored for their welfare, and has ever had their best interests at heart;

Resolved, That the Faculty of the School loses a capable leader and a valued associate, whose sterling counsel and varied experience has at all times been at their service;

Resolved, That the State loses an exemplary citizen and efficient officer, under whose able management the school has risen to its high position;

Resolved, That Superintendent Tate and his estimable wife and family carry with them to their Northern home the best wishes of all connected with the School.

And be it further Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be presented to Mr. Tate and his family, and that the press of Fulton be furnished with copies for publication."

obligee therein named, except that the bonds so given on account of the erection of any new building for the state, or the enlargement or improvement of those already in existence, for the several state institutions, the same shall be approved by and filed with those who under authority of the state have respectively the care, control and management of the several state institutions, and except that the bonds so given to any incorporated city shall be approved by the mayor of the city, and filed with the contract in the office of the custodian of such contract.

Sec. 2. The sureties on such bond shall take and subscribe an oath that he is a resident of the State of Minnesota and that he is seized in fee of real estate situated in said state, and not exempt by law from sale on execution, of the value and worth over and above all incumbrances thereon of the sum for which he is to justify in said bond. More than two sureties may be accepted on such bond and they may justify in separate and different sums less than the sum specified in such bond; provided, that the aggregate of their justification shall be equal to sureties, each justifying in a sum equal to the amount of said bond. No assignment of such contract, no modification of the structure or work covered thereby and no extension of the time within which to complete such contract shall have the effect to release the sureties on said bond.

Sec. 3. Any company organized under chapter one hundred and seven (107) of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1883, entitled "An act to authorize the organization and incorporation of annuity, safe deposit and trust companies as amended," and any company referred to and complying with the provisions of chapter 42 of the General Laws of 1893, entitled "An act relative to recognizances, stipulations, bonds, obligations and undertakings and to allow corporations to be accepted as surety thereon," approved April 18, 1893, if satisfactory to the obligee therein may become sole surety under any bond required by this act, and in such case so much of the provisions of this act as requires two or more good and sufficient sureties shall be considered to be fully satisfied by the execution of any such bond by such corporation, and none of the provisions of this act relating to sureties or approvals shall be required.

Sec. 4. Whoever shall perform or cause to be performed any work or labor or furnish or cause to be furnished any skill or material, including any work, labor, skill or material necessary in the repair of any tool or machine and including the use of any tool or machine or material furnished particularly for such contract and used therefor in the execution of such contract at the request of the contractor, his agents, heirs, administrators, executors or assigns, or at the request of any sub-contractor, his heirs, agents, administrators, executors or assigns, or at the request of the obligee named in said bond, in case such obligee shall have determined such contract, and shall have completed the same at the cost of the contractors shall be considered a party in interest in said bond, and may bring an action thereon for the reasonable value or agreed price as the case may be of the work or labor performed or skill or material or tool or machine furnished in the performance of such contract, such action may be brought by any party authorized as hereinbefore set forth to begin the same, whenever his claims are not paid as the same become due. At the time of bringing such suit the plaintiff therein shall notify the obligee named in said bond letting such contract, that said suit has been commenced, specifying the names of the parties to said suit, the bond upon which the said suit is brought and the amount and nature of plaintiff's claim, and judgment shall not be entered on such action until thirty days after said notice has been given. Any party having a cause of action on such bond may on petition be made a party to any action which may be brought thereon and in said action the court shall adjudicate and determine the right of all parties to said action and if the amount realized on said bond shall not be sufficient to discharge all such claims in full, the amount realized shall be distributed pro rata, in discharge of the claims of the parties in said action, and the obligee named in any such bond shall also be considered a party in interest and may bring an action thereon whenever a right of action thereon in favor of such obligee shall have accrued.

Sec. 5. The obligee named in any such bond, whenever in its judgment one or more of the sureties on such bond have become insolvent or for any cause are no longer proper and sufficient sureties, may require the contractor to furnish a new or additional bond within ten days after notice to that effect; and thereupon, if so ordered by such obligee all work on such contract shall cease, or until such new or additional bond shall be furnished as required, and if a new or additional bond shall not be so furnished as and within the time above required, then said obligee may at its option determine such contract and complete the same as the agent and at the expense of such contractor and bondmen.

Sec. 6. No action shall be maintained on any such bond unless the same shall be commenced within one year after the cause of action accrues.

Sec. 7. All acts and parts of acts, whether general or special, inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 8. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 24, 1895.

Death of Hon. Geo. E. Skinner.

Hon. Geo. E. Skinner died at his residence in St. Paul on Saturday morning, 21st inst. His fatal illness lasted but twelve days, although he had long been afflicted with heart trouble, which caused his retirement from active business about six years ago. The funeral took place from the family residence 220 Summit avenue, St. Paul, yesterday afternoon, and was strictly private. The interment was at Oakland, Dr. Egbert, of the House of Hope, conducted the services. The honorary pall bearers were C. H. Bigelow, R. M. Newport and D. C. Sheppard of St. Paul; J. L. Noyes and H. Wilson of Faribault and C. S. Hulbert of Minneapolis. The active pall bearers were W. J. C. Kenyon, Emerson Hadley, Horace Eddy, W. E. Howard, A. G. O. Rice and O. L. Taylor, all of St. Paul.

Mr. Skinner was born in Leroy, Genesee county, N. Y. in 1825 and lived there until he was twenty-four years old. In 1849 he went to California to practice law but subsequently went to Buffalo, N. Y. to engage in business. While there he married Miss Elizabeth Gibson. Mr. and Mrs. Skinner came to Faribault, Minn. in 1857, where Mr. S. engaged in the lumber business with his father-in-law, the late James Gibson, and subsequently carried on a farm for a time. He was elected Senator for the 5th district in the first legislature in 1857, and was afterwards postmaster. At an early period he was appointed Land Commissioner for the Minnesota Central and Hastings & Dakota railroad companies, which he has held continuously. He was for twenty years, and to the time of his death a member of the board of directors of the Minnesota Institute for Defectives. Politically he was a Democrat, and in early days took an active part in politics in the county, and was elected a delegate to Democratic national conventions. He had decided and strong political convictions. As a citizen, he ever took a prominent part in promoting the interests of the city which he was proud to call his home.

Owing to the growth of the business of the land department Mr. Skinner was reluctantly induced to abandon his residence in Faribault and remove to St. Paul in 1880, where he has since continued to reside. The *Pioneer Press* of the 23d says of the deceased:

For many years Mr. Skinner was a member of the House of Hope church, and his daily life was a silent expression of his Christian belief. Always gentle, kindly and sincere, always outspoken for whatever was noble, manly and of good report, forceful in all his opinions, his influence naturally tended toward the higher life, and all who came in contact with his exalted character were made better by having known him.

Mr. Skinner is survived by his wife and his two children, Mrs. Edward Pratt of Atlanta, Georgia, and James H. Skinner of St. Paul, member of the firm of Lanpher, Finch & Skinner.

MEMORIAL.

At a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Minnesota Institute for Defectives, held on this 23d day of September, 1895, the following sentiments and resolutions were unanimously expressed and adopted by the members of the Board and the several Superintendents of the Institute relative to the death of Hon. Geo. E. Skinner:

WHEREAS, one of the leading citizens of the State, our personal friend and associate for many years, ever vigilant to promote the best interests of our Institute, has been stricken down and removed by death from our midst.

Now, therefore, be it resolved:

1st. That we sympathize most deeply with the bereaved widow and children of our friend for their unspeakable loss.

2d. We desire to testify to his untiring zeal and unselfish devotion to this Institute, active as he was in securing the location of the Institute in this city by the first legislature of the State of Minnesota, of which he was a member, and by his faithful service as a member of this Board for now nearly twenty years.

3d. In earnest of our personal affection and as a monument to the nobility of his character, we hereby dedicate the new Custodial building for the School for the Feeble Minded to his memory and name it "Skinner Hall."

THOMAS B. CLEMENT,
HUDSON WILSON,
ANTHONY KELLY,
RODNEY A. MOTT,
Directors.

J. L. NOYES,
Supt. School for the Deaf.
J. J. DOW,
Supt. School for the Blind.

A. C. ROGERS,
Supt. School for the Feeble Minded.

NO NEW SCHOOL WANTED.

It would have been difficult to have packed more misstatements into the same space than were contained in one of the speeches reported on this page of Saturday's issue as delivered at the meeting of the Minnesota Association of the Deaf at the capitol. Minnesota needs a new school for the deaf about as much as St. Paul needs a new court house. The splendid institution at Faribault not only meets all the requirements of the present, but with an occasional enlargement will meet all those of fifty years to come. A number of states with a population from two to three times as great as that of Minnesota get along finely with only a single school of this character; and the concentration of pupils and resources at one point insures advantages and economies far beyond the mere saving on a few individual railway fares by maintaining several schools in different localities. The three state institutions at Faribault—the school for the deaf, the school for the blind and the school for the feeble-minded—are not, as was stated, "under one roof;" and they are under one management only in the same sense that the St. Paul high school, the several graded schools and the manual training school are under the management of one school board. The Faribault management has maintained each institution at the highest grade of efficiency—each with its group of separate buildings in a different quarter of the town, its special corps of teachers and its independent supervision. Finally, the thin-skinned individuals who object to the classification of the state's efforts for its deaf children among the state's "charities" show a very poor appreciation of the state's bounties. The cost of educating the deaf children is many times the amount per capita spent upon other children, and every cent of the excess must be regarded as bestowed in the purest charity. Divest the plea for annual appropriations for the Faribault school of the charitable motive, and the school would fare poorly at the hands of the people's representatives. The fact that the school is maintained as a matter of benevolence as well as of duty does not, however, by any means make "paupers" of its beneficiaries.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received, directed to J. R. Parshall, Faribault, Minn., on blanks furnished by him, on or before September 10th, 1897, for furnishing material, erecting and completing on the basement to be put in by the State, a stone Cottage for epileptics on the grounds of the State School for the Feeble-minded at Faribault, Minnesota, according to the plans and specifications to be found in the office of Olof Hanson, Architect, and at the office of J. R. Parshall, both in Faribault. The Directors reserve the right to decline an award on any and all bids offered.

Each bidder will name at least two sufficient sureties. A specific contract will be made with the successful bidder, and bonds complying with the Statutes will be required.

On behalf of the Board of Directors.
R. A. MOTT, Secretary.
Faribault, Minn., Aug. 9th, 1897.

That Sewer Tax.

As considerable talk has been indulged in regarding the East side sewer and the prospective tax on the city, the *Democrat* has taken occasion to investigate the matter. According to the engineer's report, the total length of the sewer is 10,828 feet, and the cost is about \$1.00 per foot. The various schools along the line will pay for the work across their own grounds as follows: Shattuck School 2,148 feet, School for the Deaf 1,239 feet, St. Mary's Hall 792 feet, Seabury Divinity School 310 feet, Schools for the Blind and Feeble-Minded 2,471 feet, a total of 6,960 feet. The city will be obliged to pay for 544 feet across streets. This will leave 3,324 feet, a large part of which will be charged up against the adjoining property, the same as was done with the down-town sewers. Of course, where it will be impossible for the owners of adjoining property, from the position of the land, to make use of the sewer, it would be manifestly unjust to ask them to pay, and for that portion of the route the cost will be taxed against the city.—*Democrat*.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received, directed to J. R. Parshall, Faribault, Minnesota, according to blanks furnished by him, on or before noon of the 17th day of July, 1899, for furnishing material, erecting and completing a hospital building on the grounds of the State School for Feeble-minded at Faribault, Minnesota, according to the plans and specifications on file in the office of Clarence H. Johnston, Architect, Manhattan Building, St. Paul, Minn., and at the office of J. R. Parshall, Faribault, Minnesota.

The Directors reserve the right to decline an award on any bids offered, or any part thereof.

Reasonable security will be required of the successful bidder, who must name his sureties; and an executed contract and bonds complying with the Statutes will be required.

June 13th, 1899.
On behalf of the Board of Directors.
R. A. MOTT, Secretary.
June 15—5Thursdays

The following are the Graduates:
Martha Goetz and Agnes Hanson, of St. Paul; Lily Hedlund, of Lamson; Bertha Jansen, of Minneapolis; Anna C. Johnson, of Duluth; Annie Normandin, of Osseo; Maria Samshal, of Christina; Oscar Dahlen, of Farwell; John Erickson, of Newfolden; Joseph Kucera, of New Prague; Mike Roizowicz, of Wilno; Carl Samshal, Christina; Mike Slind, of St. Paul; Joseph Stumpf, of St. Paul; Frank Walser, of Minnesota Lake.

Inaugurating the New System.

Harry D. Stocker, Jr., has been visiting the state institutions at Faribault as chairman of the committee authorized to purchase supplies for these institutions. Mr. Stocker says the new system for the purchase of supplies is about to be inaugurated. He believes a material saving to the state will result. Heretofore supplies have been purchased as needed from local merchants. It is now intended to advertise for supplies sufficient for a given period. It is expected the merchants of Faribault will be displeased with the new method. The contracts to be awarded are very considerable. Contracts will be awarded Aug. 14.

State Charities Board Impressed
With Needs of More Room in the
Hospitals—Epileptics at Faribault Trespass on Accommodations for the Feeble-Minded—Stimulus to Project for New Colony for Epileptics—Hunting Down Rumors of Bad Treatment.

Hundreds of Cases.

And there are many more in the state for whom the treatment of an epileptic colony would probably be advantageous. Dr. Rogers has undertaken to find out how many there are. He sent inquiries to 1,525 doctors. He has answers from 434 of them, who report 570 cases, checked to prevent duplication of names, of their knowledge. The number in the institutions where they do not belong, with the number known to a little more than one-fourth of the physicians, are more than 800 persons.

The state charities conference has undertaken to make a study of it, and it seems conclusive that epilepsy is, like insanity, proper cause for state treatment, it is evident that there are more than enough cases to justify beginning. Even among the insane and feeble-minded there are 250 of the epileptics who should have separate treatment.

At Faribault Secretary Jackson was instructed to look up or chase down reports of cruelty in the school for the feeble-minded. The nearer he came to the reports the less specific they became, until he reached the man who spoke from actual observation. And he said that two years ago last July he saw a man on the road who was probably one of the attendants beating a boy who was probably one of the patients—judging from the general appearance of both of them. That was as near as they could get.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED, directed to J. R. Parshall, Faribault, Minnesota, on blanks furnished by him on or before August 31st, 1900, to be opened September 1st, 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, for furnishing material, erecting and completing on the basement prepared by the State, a brick farm Cottage on the grounds of the Feeble Minded Department of the Minnesota Institute for Defectives, according to the plans and specifications prepared by Olof Hanson, Architect, and to be found at the office of J. R. Parshall, aforesaid Superintendent of Construction.

The Directors reserve the right to decline an award on any and all bids offered.

Each bidder will name at least two sufficient sureties.

A specific contract will be made with the successful bidder, and bonds complying with the Statutes will be required.

On behalf of the Board of Directors.
R. A. MOTT, Secretary.
Faribault, Minnesota, August 3, 1900.

MINNESOTA

SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF.

MEAT TICKET

Contract for meat with L. Tuttle

Faribault Aug 20 1899
Flat rate of 8 cts per pound

KINDS.	POUNDS ORDERED.	LOS. SENT.	PRICE.
Beef (Round).....			5-10¢
" (Sirloin).....	All down the list as		
" (Porterhouse).....	ordered		
" Roast.....			
" Corned.....			
" Tongue.....			
" Boiling pieces.....			
" Sides.....			
" Chipped.....			
Pork Roast.....			
" Steak.....			
" Salt.....			
Mutton Roast.....			
" Chops.....			
Veal Roast.....			
" Cutlets.....			
Lamb Roast.....			
Liver.....			
Fish.....			
Turkey.....			
Chicken.....			
Ham.....			
Bacon.....			
Sausage.....			
" Bologna.....			
" Link.....			
Lard.....			

L. Tuttle

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Presented by Gov. Lincoln
Resolved that Messrs Lykes, Lewis and
Sheffield be ~~constituted~~ constituted a Com-
mittee to investigate and report to the
Board at its next meeting what changes
should be made in the organization
of the force to insure compliance
with the provisions of Secs. 7975 and
7976 of the Revised Statutes.

Resolution - carried unanimously.



Chicago, March 15, 1900.

My dear Mr. Loybed:

I confess considerable surprise at the action of the Board for defectives in electing me to a position which hitherto has paid \$1,500 per annum and then a month later cutting the salary to \$1,200. What did the body fix Mr. Parrshall's salary at? I was inclined, although I haven't earned less than \$3,000 any year in the last winter, to come to doubt and fill the position at \$1,500, but I couldn't squeeze out a living for my family at \$1,200. Unless the board is willing to reconsider and put the salary back to the old figures, I shall be obliged to decline. As I understood it the steward's salary was \$1,500 and Mr. Massey's \$1,000 and on that basis each of the salaries might have been at least \$1,500.

Yours very truly,
G. F. Lifford

Chicago, March 21, 1900.

Dear Mr. Loybed:

I thank you most kindly for the interest you have taken in the matter of the salary of purchasing agent of the schools for defectives. I would simply suggest that you consult with Mr. Mott and Mr. Sheffield. If you three are willing that the salary should be at the old figure, \$1,500, call a special meeting and fix it at that amount. If any one of you is not favorable to the proposition, drop the whole matter and elect a new purchasing agent at \$1,200 at the next regular meeting.

Yours sincerely,

G. F. Lifford.

Motion by H. D. Stocker, Jr.

Seconded by R. A. LUATT

Resolved:

That the three superintendents of this Institution be, and are, hereby, required to report to this Board, for such action as ^{they} ~~it~~ may deem proper, in each and every case where an employee has been discovered abusing or ill-treating any person under their care; or, in any case of disobedience of the rules of this Institution, that the secretary of this Board notify each superintendent of the passage of this motion.

Motion by H. D. Stocker, Jr.

Seconded by R. A. LUATT

Resolved:

That the purchasing agent be, and hereby is, given power and authority, and it will be considered his duty, to have direct supervision of the use and consumption of all goods and products purchased by him for ^{departments of the} ~~this~~ institution; and the various matrons of the different departments shall respect and follow all directions and orders by him given, relative to the same.

Motion by H. D. Stocker, Jr.,

Seconded by R. A. LUATT

Resolved: That the purchasing agent ~~be~~, and he is hereby, instructed in all instances ^{of purchases} ~~for~~ the Minnesota Institute for Defectives, to discriminate in favor of goods and products, sold, manufactured, and produced in Minnesota, when ever same can be done without loss to the state.

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FARIBAULT, MINN.

Superintendent's Nominations for the Year Beginning Aug. 1, 1900

Miss Sabitha De Harms nominated & confirmed as matron
Aug 14 - 1900 - at \$450. for 12 months

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Compensation</u>	<u>Period</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
Benj. P. Choppli	H.S. Teacher	750	9 mos.	Resident - 100 inc.
Samuel Ladd	Teacher	400	9 mos.	Resident
Cynthia G. Cornwell	Teacher	360	9 mos.	Resident - 10 inc.
Grace Beardsley	Teacher	315	9 mos.	Resident
M. Ella Hoffner	Kinderg. + Slop. Tch.	400	9 mos.	Resident
Julia Johnson	Mus. Teacher	250	9 mos.	Resident
Edward Mann	Indus. Tea.	250	9 mos.	Resident
Wm Holden	Mus. Tea.	.50 pr hour	9 mos.	Non-Resident
F. M. Rose	Physician	150	9 mos.	Non-Resident ²⁵ inc.
A. F. Pringle	Oculist	50	9 mos.	Non-Resident

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School for the Blind
Report for Apr 1900
Recd Office May
8th 1900

July 14th 1900 - at an adj^d meeting of
the Board Subst Dow nominated

Miss Nannie A Birkell Head Music teacher at \$4.50.

H. J. Carpenter Music & tuning instructor at 3.60

Mr Holden's pay fixed at \$27.50 per month for
four hours 5 days per week Board out

R A West

Secretary

MINNESOTA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF.

Name.	Capacity.	1898-99	1899-00	Board	
A. B. Irvine	Engineer	1116.	1080.	out	180
Geo. D. Smith	Farmer	480.	480.	in	40
W.H. Robilliard	Physician & Surg.	300.	300.	out	33 1/3
A. F. Pringle	Specialist	50.	50.	out	5 1/9
H. P. Rood	Night watch	480.	480.	out	40
J. W. Jones	Trchr. Printing	585.	585.	out	66 1/9
Charles Suess	" Shoemaking	450.	495.	out	56 1/9
M. Desmarais	" carpentry	600.	660.	out	55
Georgia Sutton	" dressmaking	400.	400.	in	
X Nora Johnson	" sewing	225.	275.	in	50 = 320-
X Peter N. Peterson	" sloyd	522.	600.	out	9m @ 55 = 495. or 12 " @ 50 = 600.

Approved July 14th 1900.

Note. I would respectfully beg to submit the following statements:-

Names marked thus, (X) are entitled to an increase, based upon greater efficiency. These additions should be made gradually until the maximum is reached. If such encouragement is not given we may expect our best teachers to go elsewhere, sooner or later.

The two teachers whose names are marked thus, (P) expect to marry.

MINNESOTA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF.

Years of service

	Name.	Capacity.	1898-99.	1899-00.	Board
	24 James N. Tate,	Superintendent,	\$2000.	\$2000.	In
	9 Ella Boone,	Matron,	450.	500.	In
	17 J. L. Smith,	Teacher & Editor, 1025	1300.	1300. 1200	Out
	25 L. C. Tuck,	Teacher & Librarian, 800	1100.	1100. 975	Out
Px	5 A. C. Gaw,	Teacher, 700	700.	800. 875	In out
Px	2 C. E. White,	"		600. 775	In out
X	6 Thos. Sheridan,	" 600	525	575 600	In
X	10 John Schwirtz,	" 600	700.	725. 775	Out
	11 Alice N. Smith,	" 625	800.	800.	Out
	10 Alice J. Mott,	" 628	800.	800.	Out
	10 Anna Spears,	" 500		700. 675	Out
X	4 Mesa Barns,	" 400		500. 575	Out
X	8 Amy E. Snider,	" 500	475.	500. 675	In
X	10 Mary Kilpatrick,	" 500	475.	500. 675	In
X	1 Edith Vandegrift,	" 275		250. 275	In
X	5 Josephine Quinn,	" 400	400.	425. 400	In
	20 Mary M. Tate,	" 625	600.	600. 625	In
	11 Nannie Pollard,	" 625	650.	650. 625	In
X	3 Mazie S. Keefer,	" 275	250.	300. 275	In
	1 Sigrid Schwirtz,	" ,Cooking, laundry,		270.	Out
	6 Rose S. Andrews,	" of Art	375.	400.	In
	11 Anna G. Brown, Matron of Barron Hall,		270.	270.	In

We the Com. to whom was referred
 the matter of formulating a
 schedule of Teachers salaries
 for the Schools for the deaf and
 the ~~deaf~~ ^{Blind} beg to submit the
 following schedule of salaries

For Males ~~and~~ Deaf Schools,

- 1) Teacher \$ 625 - 725 - 825 - 925 - 1025 -
- 2) " 400 - 500 - 600 - 700 - 800
- 3) " 350 - 400 - 500 - 600 - 700
- 3) Teacher 240 - 330 - 420 - 510 - 600

For Female Teachers

- 2) Teacher 175 - 200 - 225 - 250 - 275
- 2) Teacher 200 - 250 - 300 - 350 - 400
- 3) " 250 - 314 - 376 - 438 - 500
- 4) " 250 - 347 - 453 - 539 - 625

We recommend following increases
 in salaries of teachers in the school
 for the blind, viz.

Miss Ladd	an increase of \$50	Salary	\$450
Ella Haffner	" "	" \$50	" \$450
Cornwell		\$25 -	\$385
Julia B. Johnson		\$25 -	\$250

That the ~~services~~ ^{services} of the Act Master
 be discontinued with

That the salary of the Master
 Mrs Bevan remain at \$500

That Supt Zait in making
 nominations for employees
 be requested to cut off all
 unnecessary employees or
 employees whom services can
 be performed by other employees

That persons be employed
 for winter months only

That the salary of the house keeper for
 the deaf be fixed at \$60 per month.

J. H. [Signature]
 J. H. Sheffield

On motion of Secretary Mott the rule for purchase of supplies was amended to read as follows

MINNESOTA INSTITUTE FOR DEFECTIVES.

Faribault, March 13th 1888.

RESOLVED—"That all supplies for the Institute shall be purchased by the ^{purchasing agent} steward, or some one authorized by him, and the following system, as near as may be, shall be carried out in each of the schools.

1. The acting head of each department shall daily (at such hour as the Superintendent shall name) furnish the Superintendent's office with a list of things needed in such department.

2. After such reports shall have been revised and approved by the Superintendent, his clerk shall make out a requisition in duplicate one copy of which shall be delivered to the ^{purchasing agent} Steward and the other filed in the office for reference.

3. The ^{purchasing agent} steward shall ^{buy} purchase the articles on such lists as soon as practicable (if in the market) on the best terms to be obtained, and where he can get them best and cheapest, and in case of goods in general use and not perishable in such quantities as to give him wholesale rates.

4. When goods are delivered at the Institution, they shall be accompanied by itemized bills, and they shall be counted, measured or weighed, as the case may be, and carefully compared with such bills, and the bill shall be filed and kept to compare with the regular monthly bills before they are audited."

on motion - Mott, Saybed & Sheffield were appointed such Committee, to advise the purchasing agent.

provided, that if in his judgment, the purchase of any items in any such requisition, is of doubtful expediency he may refer the same to the Board of Directors or a committee duly appointed thereby for decision.

E. H. Lyford Chairman - presents the following report

To the Board of Directors, Minnesota Institute for Defectives.

Gentlemen:-

Your committee appointed Feb. 16, 1900 to report such changes as may be necessary in the organization of the Minn. Institute for Defectives, hereby endorses the action of the Board on that date in doing away with the office of Steward, and designating in his place an Accounting officer and also a Purchasing Agent, in compliance with the provisions of Sec. 7975 and 7976 Gen. Statutes, and would respectfully recommend in addition to said action, that the secretary of the Board be authorized and instructed to examine all bills, and approve them if found correct, before they shall be ordered paid, and that he shall countersign all checks, made by the Accounting officer.

Respectfully submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

Wm. L. ...

... found correct, before they shall be ordered paid, and that he

... be authorized and directed to receive all bills, and approve

... and in addition to said matter, give the receipt of the

... of Gen. 1899 and 1900 Gen. Statement, and read respect-

... and also a Pennsylvania ...

... and disbursement in the place

Adopted & Filed
June 13th 1900
R. A. ...

NOMINATIONS OF OFFICERS AND TACHERS, SCHOOL FOR FEEBLE-MINDED.

For the fiscal year from August 1st,1900 to August 1st,1901.

Nominee	Position	Salary	Change	
F.W.Warren.M.D.D.	Attending Physician	\$ 660	same	
Fred Huxley.m.d.	Asst. Physician	800	In place of Massey	\$1000
Bertha Jensen	secretary Sten.	480	Wheeler increase	.780 60
Margaret Wood	Matron, Centre	600	increase	40
Eugenia Wylie	Matron, Skinner Hall	480	same	
Mary Slack	Matron, Sunnyside	480	same	
Lizzie Stephenson	Matron, Retreat	480	increase	24
Margaret Hatch	Matron, Annex	300	same	
Tabitha DeHarven	Housekeeper, Centre	330	same	
Belle Jackson	Housekeeper, Sunnyside	300	same	
Belle Bradfield	Housekeeper, Skinner Hall	300	same	
Katherine Jellineck	Book-keeper & clerk	420	increase	60
I.J.Wheeler	Store Clerk	480	same	
Margaret McLean	Principal Teacher	600	same	
Lizzie LaSelle	Teacher (Music & Med. gym)	440	increase including more time.	90
Addie B. Johnson	Teacher	350	same	
T. Emily Tanner	Teacher	350	same	
Maud R. Stewart	Teacher	350	same	
Dora McRoberts	Teacher	300	same	
Helen Heisser	Sloyd Teacher	350	same	
Agnes Dillingham	Kindergarten	300	decrease	50
Christine Bock	Teacher	300	new position	Lucina 300
Geo. E. Bray	Industrial Teacher	840	increase	240
W.H. Holden	Band Teacher	550	increase (1 mo.)	50
E.B. Dickinson	Engineer	1080	same	
A.R. Tracy	Electrician	360	same	
Zulma Requier	Teacher Sunnyside and Retreat	300	increase	60
Katherine Henderson	Teacher Skinner Hall and Annex	300	increase	60
J. Thom & Wife	Farmer and Wife	600	decrease	180

- Net decrease \$226 -

A. C. Jones
Supt.

Other considerations than salary.

No. resident

Board and Room

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Lives outside, takes dinner
at school (12 mos).
Lives outside (11 mos).

Lives outside, usually takes
two meals at school.
Board and Room

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Board and Room with two children.

Has smaller department than other
matrons, but no housekeeper
Dormitory building, only.

Increase \$150 because living
outside, balance for good service.
Has added one month time.

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To the Board of Directors of the
Minnesota Institute for Defectives.

Gentlemen: -

Your Committee to whom was referred the duty of investigating and reporting the charge made against the Superintendent and certain employees of the Deaf School together with the application for remuneration for certain alleged injuries claimed ^{to} have been sustained, by one Kate O'Keefe on or about September 15th 1899, begs to report the following.

That after hearing her written report and complaint together with the remarks of the Attorney Mr. Batchelder and one of her physicians, Dr. Smith also the affidavits of the Superintendent J.N. Tate, the Matron Ella Boone, and A. B. Irvine Chief Engineer, together with the answers to certain questions propounded to the Superintendent by different members of the Board, finds as follows:

I- That there is no evidence discovered by your committee to substantiate the charge, that the ladder which said Kate O'Keefe claims to have fallen from, was defectively constructed or out of repair.

II- Your committee is of the opinion that said Kate O'Keefe ^{is} telling the truth when she says that she fell from a step ladder while washing windows at said Deaf School, and that injuries resulted to her therefrom.

III- That the charges made against the Superintendent J.N. Tate and certain employees, by said Kate O'Keefe, in her said written report, we find to have been not proven and hence to be untrue.

IV- That ~~this Board~~ is not legally liable to said Kate O'Keefe or any other person for her, in any sum whatever by reason of any of the statements set forth in her complaint or report.

V- Your Committee recommends that as said Kate O'Keefe, as shown by her physicians statements, is in a very serious condition and has been, together with her Brother Eugene O'Keefe under a great expense in paying necessary bills as a result of her injury, and as

she was a faithful employee, when in the employ of the State, that her name be continued on the payroll from the time of her leaving the Institution December 23, 1899, down to the end of the School year ~~January~~^{June} 1900, and be paid the same as if she had performed services for the State during such time and

Secondly that the use of the New Hospital at the Institute for Defectives be tendered to her and her physicians free of charge for use in performing the operations claimed by the physicians to be now necessary.

VI- Your Committee by such recommendations desire it clearly understood that the same is done, believing this to be ^acharity ^{case} and not because we believe there is any legal obligation whatever on part of the Board so to do.

Respectfully submitted this 14th day of July 1900.

John O'Brien
H. O. Stocker Jr
W. B. Sheffield
Reellett } Committee.

During nearly fifteen years of intimate association with Mr Massey, I have always found him loyal to his duty and a hearty supporter of my efforts, under the direction of your Board, to build up and administer the institution in the best possible manner. I never knew him to neglect a known duty nor execute a piece of work once undertaken, in a slipshod manner. Any institution securing the services of Mr. Massey for duties to which his education and experience has qualified him, will be exceedingly fortunate. In leaving us, Mr. Massey carries from the School for Feeble-Minded the personal good will, so far as I know, of every one, and especially that of the writer.

Respectfully submitted,

A. C. Reynolds Supt

Testimonial.

The Board of Directors of the Minnesota Institute for Defectives, at a regular meeting thereof held at Paribault, July 14th 1900, by a resolution unanimously sustained, directed the Secretary to prepare and to present to Joseph M. Massey a written testimonial of their high appreciation of his long and faithful service; in view of his voluntary resignation from the position of Assistant Supt of the Feeble-minded Department of said Institute, which position he has held for the last seventeen years and to which he had just been unanimously re-elected.

It gives me great pleasure in obedience to this mandate of the Board to assure Mr. Massey and all whose friendly eyes may meet these lines, that these years of intelligent, sympathetic and loyal service will ever be remembered by his co-workers and the managers of the Institute, and we shall cherish the liveliest hopes for his future happiness and success.

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Nominations of Teachers and Officers
for School Year 1901-2

James J. Dow
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Name	Position	Compensation 1900-1	Compensation 1901-2	Remarks -
Mrs. J. De Haven	Matron	\$ 450	same	12 mos. - Res -
Dr. F. M. Rose	Physician	150	same	9 mos. - Non-res.
B. P. Chapple	High Sch. Teacher	750	same	9 mos. - Res -
Fannie E. Ladd	Teacher	450	same	9 mos. - Res -
Cynthia G. Cornwell	Teacher	385	400	9 mos. - Res -
Grace E. Beardsley	Teacher	315	350	9 mos. - Res -
Fannie H. Buskett	Music Teacher	450	same	9 mos. - Res -
H. J. Carpenter	Music Teacher	360	same	9 mos. - Res -
Julia B. Johnson	Music Teacher	250	same	9 mos. - Res -
Wm H. Holden	Music Teacher	275 360	360 -	9 mos. - Non-res.
Ella Hoffner	Kindergarten & Manual Training	450	same	9 mos. - Res -
Augusta Schewe	Sewing Teacher	225	same	9 mos. - Res -
Edward Mann	Broom & Mattress Teacher -	250	same	9 mos. - Res -

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SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF.

The following are for 12 months with board at Institution.

Name.	Capacity.	1901-02.
James N. Tate - -	Superintendent -	\$2000.
Ella Boone - - -	Matron - - - -	500.
Anna G. Brown - -	Matron Barron Hall -	400.

The following are for 9 months with board outside the Institution.

Name.	Capacity.	1901-02.
J. L. Smith - - -	Trchr & Editor -	\$1200. <i>Raised to \$14,000.</i>
L. C. Tuck - - -	" " Librarian -	975. <i>increased to \$1000 May 14-01</i>
A. debyns <i>debyns</i> - - -	Teacher - - -	1000. <i>\$800.</i>
Thomas Sheridan - -	" - - -	825.
C. E. White - - -	" - - -	775. <i>\$1000. May 14th</i>
John Schwirtz - -	" - - -	775.
Alice N. Smith - -	" - - -	800.
Alice J. Mott - -	" - - -	800.
<i>F R Wheeler</i> "John Doe" - - -	" - - -	750. <i>800.</i>
Mesa A. Barns - -	" - - -	621.
"John Doe" <i>Mary E Schmitts</i> - - -	" - - -	800. <i>675.</i>
<i>Amy E Snyder</i> Mary Kilpatrick - -	" - - -	<i>700</i> 675.
Josephine Quinn - -	" - - -	648.
Nannie A. Pollard - -	" - - -	800.
Mazie S. Keefer - -	" - - -	513.
Edith Vandegrift - -	" - - -	477.
Lois Walker - - -	" - - -	468.

The following are for 9 months with board at Institution.

Name.	Capacity.	1901-02.
L. A. Roth - - -	Boy's Supervisor -	\$243.
J. B. Baumgardner -	" - - -	243.
Mary Murray - - -	Girl's - - -	225.
Mamie Kinney - - -	" - - -	225.

approved Apr. 18th 1901

SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF.

The following are for 9 months with board outside the Institution.

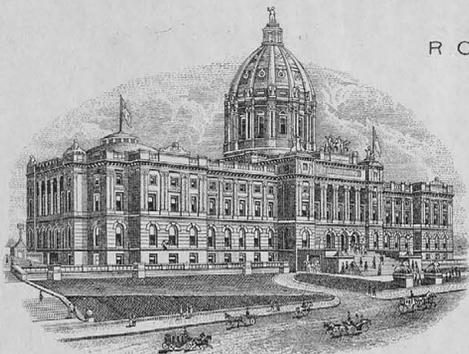
Name.	Capacity.	1901-02.
I. W. Jones - -	-T'chr Printing - -	-\$585.
Josias Desmarais - -	" Cabinet-making	660. (12 mos.)
Charles Suess - -	" Shoe-making -	495.
P. N. Peterson - -	" Sloyd - - -	600. (12 mos.)
Georgia A. Sutton -	" Dress-making -	500.
Rose S. Andrews - -	" Art - - -	575.
Hannah Dilland - -	" Sewing - -	425.
Sigrid Schwirtz - -	" Cooking - -	270.
W. H. Robilliard -	Physician - - -	300.
A. F. Pringle - -	Specialist - - -	50.

The following are for 12 months with board outside the Institution.

Name.	Capacity.	1901-02.
A. B. Irvine - -	Engineer - - -	\$1080.
H. B. Hill - - -	Clerk - - -	900.
Hubert Perkl - -	Ass't Engineer - -	405. (9 mos.)
N. P. Rood - - -	Night Watchman - -	480.

The following is for 12 months with board at Institution.

Name.	Capacity.	1901-02.
George D. Smith -	-Farmer - - -	-\$480.



NEW STATE CAPITOL IN COURSE OF CONSTRUCTION

R. C. DUNN,
STATE AUDITOR.

S. G. IVERSON,
DEPUTY AUDITOR.

State of Minnesota

AUDITOR OF STATE.

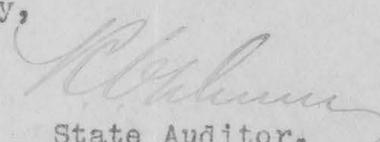
St. Paul, July 19, 1901

R.A. Mott, Sec'y., Institute for defectives,
Faribault, Minn.,

Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of your favor of yesterday, and in accordance with request made, the officers designated by law have signed the authorization needed to enable your institution to provide for the July expenses for school for the Feeble Minded. The same is enclosed herewith.

Very truly,


State Auditor.

To the Sup't. of the School for the Feeble-minded, a department of the Minnesota Institute for Defectives;

You are hereby authorized to provide for the subsistence of your School for the month of July, not to exceed in cost \$8,000.⁰⁰ and any deficiency in the current appropriation therefor may be charged to the appropriation for support available on and after August 1st, 1901.

Dated, July 19th 1901.

S. R. VauSant
Governor.

R. D. Sumner
State Auditor.

H. Block
State Treasurer.

By E. J. Pellyjohn Deputy

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN
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SUPERINTENDENT'S MONTHLY REPORT,

MINNESOTA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF

List of pupils who may be admitted
in 1901-2,
FARIBAULT, MINN.

<u>Name.</u>	<u>Town.</u>	<u>County.</u>	<u>State.</u>
Rosella Swee,	Roscoe,	Goodhue,	Minn.
John Lauritzen,	Fergus Falls,	Otter Tail,	Minn.
John A. Berglin,	Alexandria,	Douglas,	Minn.
Oscar V. Huseby,	Henning,	Otter Tail,	Minn.
Archie Lariviere,	Crookston,	Polk,	Minn.
Ragna Gudvangen,	Dennison,	Goodhue,	Minn.
George R. Wallen,	Duluth,	St. Louis,	Minn.
Mathias Mattson,	Russell,	Lyon,	Minn.
Willie Brugger,	Winona,	Winona,	Minn.
Frances E. Barron,	Rushmore,	Nobles,	Minn.
Mary Carlin,	St. Cloud,	Stearns,	Minn.
Jennie C. Peterson,	St. Paul,	Ramsey,	Minn.
Florence M. Klein,	St. Paul,	Ramsey,	Minn.
Randa W. Smith,	Nielsville,	Polk,	Minn.
Roy Magnuson,	Two Harbors,	Lake,	Minn.
Walter Sheehy,	Eveleth,	St. Louis,	Minn.
Pelagia Rozek,	Winona,	Winona,	Minn.
Mary G. Hefferin,	Brainerd,	Crow Wing,	Minn.
Alfred T. Anderson,	Pratt,	Steele,	Minn.
Adolph Dahl,	Ulen,	Clay,	Minn.
Clara V. Knütson,	Madison,	Lac qui Parle,	Minn.
John Staska,	Angus,	Polk,	Minn.
Elmer J. Forsythe,	Dugdale,	Polk,	Minn.
Johnney Dinkel,	Duluth,	St. Louis,	Minn.
John H. McFarlane,	Minneapolis,	Hennepin,	Minn.
Ingvall J. Dahl,	Lake Park,	Becker,	Minn.
John Wright,	Moffat,	Crow Wing,	Minn.
Henrietta Baker,	Frazee,	Becker,	Minn.
Elmer O. Stoa,	Ashby,	Grant,	Minn.
Rosina Kortan,	Sauk Center,	Stearns,	Minn.
Gustav H. Manthy,	Zimmerman,	Sherburne,	Minn.
Mary Savelkoul,	Meire Grove,	Stearns,	Minn.
Josey V. Bruner,	Farris,	Hubbard,	Minn.
Horace F. Bruner,	Farris,	Hubbard,	Minn.

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MINNESOTA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF

FARIBAULT, MINN.

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<u>Name.</u>	<u>Town.</u>	<u>County.</u>	<u>State.</u>
Walter Van Horn, -----	Hibbing, -----	St. Louis, --	Minn.
Nathan R. Christensen, -----	St. Hilaire, ----	Red Lake, --	Minn.
Florence G. Stearns, -----	Manley, -----	Rock, -----	Minn.
Jacob L. Miles, -----	Badoura, -----	Hubbard, ----	Minn.
Joseph E. Wadeau, -----	Centerville, ----	Anoka, -----	Minn.
Clara E. Krueger, -----	Rock Creek, ----	Pine, -----	Minn.
Andrew Johnson, -----	Wacouta, -----	Goodhue, ----	Minn.
Levi L. Larson, -----	Snake, -----	Marshall, --	Minn.
Truman G. Coughlan, -----	Waterville, ----	Le Sueur, ----	Minn.
M. F. Alice Blais, -----	West Duluth, ----	St. Louis, --	Minn.
Emil Gruening, -----	Chaska, -----	Carver, -----	Minn.
Lottie B. Matteson, -----	Bertha, -----	Todd, -----	Minn.
Hazel M. Boyd, -----	West Duluth, ----	St. Louis, --	Minn.
Jennie Lundahl, -----	Elk River, -----	Sherburne, --	Minn.
Malcolm Sundboom -----	Brunswick, ----	Kanabec, ----	Minn.
Clara S. Jonson, -----	Minneapolis, ----	Hennepin, --	Minn.
Florence J. Elstad, -----	Moorhead, -----	Clay, -----	Minn.
Henry Radke, -----	Souix Valley, ----	Jackson, ----	Minn.
Dora M. Fecht, -----	St. Paul, -----	Ramsey, ----	Minn.
John S. E. Martin, -----	Glencoe, -----	McLeod, ----	Minn.

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Michael Erickson -- Midway -- St Louis -- Minn
 Leslie H. Yarger -- Morris -- Stearns -- Minn

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Elizabeth R. Carroll - Stillwater - Washington - Minn

Rev. John Lind, ex-Officio;
J. H. Lewis, ex-Officio,
T. B. Clement, President,
John O'Brien, Vice, "
E. H. Loughed,
Albert B. Orvitt,
R. A. Matt, Secretary and Att'y.

MINNESOTA INSTITUTE FOR DEFECTIVES.

—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY.—

School for the Deaf,
J. N. Tate, Superintendent.
School for the Blind,
J. J. Dow, Superintendent.
School for Feeble-Minded,
A. C. Rogers, M. D., Superintendent.
J. R. Parshall, Steward.

Faribault, Sept., 30th, 1901 89

To the Hon. Board of Control of State Institutions:
Gentlemen:-

Yours of the 24th inst. was received Friday P.M., the 28th inst. Mr Sheffield being absent, we were unable to confer until Saturday after office hours. I have since conferred with Messrs Dow and Tate and Parshall. I find them all willing to assume the duties you suggest (under our direction) and for the salary you name.

We wish at the same time to respectfully insist -

1st. That we have the exclusive right under the law, to make contracts with all the employees of the Deaf and Blind Departments and fix their salaries.

2nd. We still believe that the transfer of the responsibility of the business of purchasing the supplies for these special technical Schools is unwise, and will make it more difficult to sustain the literary and industrial standard which they have attained.

Gov. John Lind, ex-Officio;
J. H. Lewis, ex-Officio,
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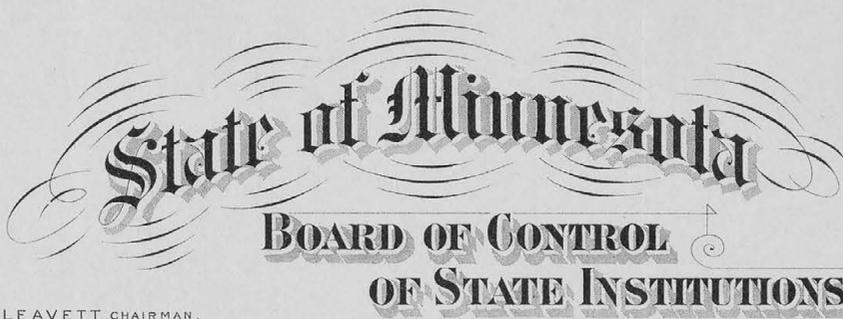
With this understanding, and in the spirit of harmony, we leave these questions to settle themselves in the future, and assent for the present to your proposition.

Truly yours
R. A. Matt Secy

SUBJECT TO FULL CONTROL

STATE HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE
ST. PETER.
STATE HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE
ROCHESTER.
STATE HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE
FENOUS FALLS.
STATE ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE
AROKA.
STATE ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE
HASTINGS.
SCHOOL FOR THE FEEBLE MINDED
FARIBAULT.
STATE TRAINING SCHOOL FOR BOYS
RED WING.
STATE TRAINING SCHOOL FOR GIRLS
(TO BE LOCATED)
STATE REFORMATORY
ST. CLOUD.
STATE PRISON
STILLWATER.

S. W. LEAVETT, CHAIRMAN.
W^m E. LEE.
O. B. GOULD,
H. W. WRIGHT, SECRETARY.



SUBJECT TO FINANCIAL CONTROL

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA
MINNEAPOLIS.
STATE NORMAL SCHOOL
WINONA.
STATE NORMAL SCHOOL
MANKATO.
STATE NORMAL SCHOOL
ST. CLOUD.
STATE NORMAL SCHOOL
MOORHEAD.
STATE NORMAL SCHOOL
DULUTH.
SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF
FARIBAULT.
SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND
FARIBAULT.
STATE PUBLIC SCHOOL
OWATONNA.

SUBJECT TO INSPECTION AND REGULATIONS
JAILS LOCKUPS AND INFIRMARIES.

Address all communications to
BOARD OF CONTROL OF STATE INSTITUTIONS.

St. Paul, Sept. 27, 1901.

R. A. Mott, Esq., Sec'y,
Faribault, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

When your Committee were at our office yesterday we had expected to visit your institutions in the early part of next week for the purpose of determining the matters under discussion at the time of our meeting with you. We find, however, that it will be impossible for us to make a trip to your city as early as contemplated and for that reason we have taken the matter up this morning and advise you as follows:

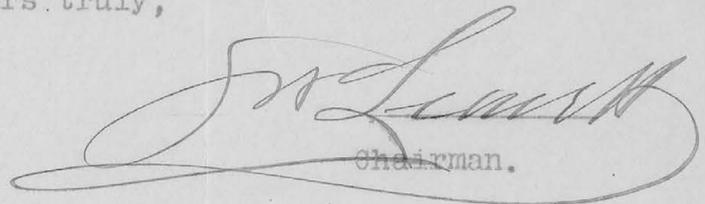
We are still of the opinion that it will be much better for the institutions and will facilitate the work in this office to a much greater degree if Doctors Dow and Tate accept the position of purchasing agents and qualify as such, and in view of the further fact that your Board requested us to continue our correspondence with the Presidents of the schools, not only regarding the purchase of supplies but all other matters relating to the institutions, it seems to us that it will be much better for your Board and much better for the Board of Control if you consent to this arrangement. We are also satisfied of the fact, from your statements and the statements of the above gentlemen to you, that it will be a hardship to require them to do this work without additional help, and for this reason we suggest that your steward and superintendent of the buildings, Mr. Parshall, be instructed by you that, in addition to such other duties as have been prescribed already, he shall also as-

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sist Messrs. Dow and Tate in all matters relating to their institutions whenever called upon by them to do so. We also think that a fair adjustment of Mr. Parshall's salary as your steward and superintendent would be \$40.00 for his work for the School for the Deaf and \$20.00 at the School for the Blind, it being understood that he is to receive no additional compensation for any duties or labors required of him by the Superintendents other than those designated by your Board.

It seems to us, looking at the matter from your own standpoint as well as ours, that this would be a fair and equitable arrangement and *to* judge from the tenor of your remarks at the close of our meeting here, this arrangement will be perfectly satisfactory to you. Kindly inform us as to the further determination of your Board in this matter as speedily as possible, and oblige

Yours truly,


Chairman.

MINNESOTA SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND.

Course of Study and Training.

The School Year is 39 weeks divided into three quarters.

Periods are 40 minutes each - 5 days in the week.

Hours are the number of hours per week.

Primary Course - 4 Years.

1st Year-

Kindergarten	3 Periods-	Singing	2 Hours	Beadwork	1 Period-
Point Reading	1	"			
Number Work	1	"			

2nd Year-

Kindergarten	2 Periods-	Singing	2 Hours	Beadwork	1 Period-
Point Reading	1	"	Piano	1 Period	
Number Work	1	"			
Writing & Spelling	1	"			

3rd Year-

Kindergarten	1 Period	Singing	2 Hours	Beadwork	1 Period-
Point Reading	1	"	Piano	1 Period	Hammock work
Mental Arithmetic	1	"			2 Hours
Writing & Spelling	1	"			
General Reading	1	"			

4th Year-

Point Reading	1 Period	Singing	2 Hours	Beadwork	1 Period-
Mental Arithmetic	1	"	Piano	1 Period	Hammock Work
Writing & Spelling	1	"			2 Hours-
Geography	1	"			Sewing
General Reading	1	"			1 Period

Intermediate Course - 4 Years-

1st Year - 5th Year of entire course.

Reading	1	Period	Singing	2	Hours	Sewing	2	Periods
Spelling	1	"	Piano	1	Period	or Broom-making	2	"
Mental Arithmetic	1	"				Sloyd & Reedwork	1	"
Geography	1	"						
Grammar	1	"						
General Reading	1	"						

2nd Year - 6th Year of entire Course-

Reading	1	Period	Singing	2	Hours	Sewing	2	Period
Spelling	1	"	Piano	1	Period	or Broom-making	2	"
Pract. Arithmetic	1	"				Sloyd & Reedwork	1	"
Geography	1	"						
Grammar	1	"						
General Reading	1	"						

3rd Year - 7th Year of entire Course-

Spelling	1	Period	Singing	2	Hours	Sewing	2	Period
Pract. Arithmetic	1	"	Piano	1	Period	or Broom-making	2	"
Geography	1	"	Harmony	2	Hours			
Primary U.S. History	1	"						
Grammar	1	"						
Typewriting	1	"						
General Reading	1	"						

4th Year - 8th Year of entire Course-

Etymology	1	Period	Singing	2	Hours	Sewing	2	Period
Composition 1/2 2nd	1	"	Piano	1	Period	or Broom-making	2	"
U. S. History	1	"	Harmony	2	Hours			
Physiology 2 yrs	1	"						
Typewriting	1	"						
General Reading	1	"						

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High School Course - 4 Years-

1st Year - 9th year of entire Course-

Algebra	1 Pd.	Singing	2 Hours	Piano Tuning	1 Pd.
Physical Geography	1 "	Piano	2 Period		
General History	1 "	Harmony	2 Hours		
Latin or Adv. History	1 "				
General Reading	1 "				

2nd Year-10-Year of entire Course-

Algebra	1 Pd.	Singing	2 Hours	Piano Tuning	1 Pd.
Civics & U.S. Const.	1 "	Piano	1 Period		
Physics	1 "	Pipe Organ	1 "		
Ceasar	1 "				
or Zoology	2 qr	1 "	Harmony	2 Hours	
and Botany	1 "	1 "			
General Reading	1 "	1 "			

3rd Year - 11th Year of entire Course-

Geometry	1 Pd.	Singing	2 Hours	Piano Tun. & Rep.	1 Pd.
Eng. & Am. Literature	1 "	Piano	1 Period	Organ Tuning	1 "
Cicero	1 "				
or Botany	1 qr	1 "			
Astronomy	1 "	1 "			
Geology	1 "	1 "		Counterpoint	2 Hours
German	1 "	1 "			
or Pol. Hist.	1 "	1 "			
Chemistry	1 "	1 "		Musical History	2 "
General Reading	1 "	1 "			

4th Year- 12th Year of entire Course-

Solid Geometry	1 qr	1 Pd.			
Pol. Economy	2 "	1 "	Singing	2 Hours	Piano Tun. & Rep. 1 Pds.
Psychology	2 "	1 "			
Ethics	1 "	1 "	Piano	1 Period	Organ Do 1 "
Vergil	1 "	1 "			
or Sociology	1 "	1 "			
Rhetoric	2 "	1 "	Piano Organ	1 Period	
German	1 "	1 "			
or English History	1 "	1 "	Musical Science	2 Hours	
General Reading	1 "	1 "	Musical History	2 "	

Financial Exhibit of the School for the Deaf to Feb 1st 1902

Support Fund	Appropriation	53,000.00	
	Cash receipts	833.01	
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Special:

	Paid out	Appropriation	
Repairs	476.61	2500.00	
" Misc. cash		29.39	
Water Tank		500.00	
Switchboard	347.50	450.00	
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Retubing boilers	59.40	1000.00	
Rewiring Buildings	87.35	350.00	
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Total cash receipts - \$ 862.40

SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF.

Name.	Capacity.	Salary.		
		1901-02	1902-03	
1 J. L. Smith	Teacher & Editor	\$ 1400.00	1400.00	J. L. Smith
2 L. C. Tuck	Teacher & Librarian	975.00	975.00	L. C. Tuck
3 C. E. White	Teacher	1000.00	1000.00	C. E. White
4 Thos. Sheridan	"	825.00	825.00	Thos Sheridan
5 John Schwirtz	"	775.00	775.00	John Schwirtz
6 A. W. Dobyys	"	800.00	850.00	A. W. Dobyys
7 F. R. Wheeler	"	750.00	825.00	F. R. Wheeler
8 Alice N. Smith	"	800.00	800.00	Alice N. Smith
9 Alice J. Mott	"	800.00	800.00	Alice J. Mott
10 Nannie A. Pollard	"	800.00	800.00	Nannie A. Pollard
11 Amy E. Snider	"	700.00	700.00	Amy E. Snider
12 Josephine Quinn	"	648.00	700.00	Josephine Quinn
13 Mary E. Scheetz	"	675.00	675.00	Mary E. Scheetz
14 Mary Kilpatrick	"	675.00	675.00	Miss Kilpatrick
15 Mesa A. Barns	"	621.00	646.00	Mesa A. Barns
16 Mazie S. Keefer	"	513.00	563.00	Mazie S. Keefer
17 Edith Vandegrift	"	477.00	502.00	Edith Vandegrift
18 Lois Walker	"	468.00	518.00	Lois Walker
19 - - - - -	"		425.00	
	Teacher of			
<i>Roth</i>	Printing	585.00	585.00	<i>\$ 50. per month without Board for this school year</i>
Moses Desmarais	Cabinet-making	495.00	495.00	Moses Desmarais
P. N. Peterson	Sloyd	450.00	495.00	P. N. Peterson
Charles Suess	Shoe-making	495.00	495.00	Chas Suess
Georgia A. Sutton	Dressmaking	500.00	500.00	Georgia A. Sutton
Hannah A. Dilland	Sewing	425.00	425.00	Hannah Dilland
J. B. Baumgardner	Art	575.00	575.00	J. B. Baumgardner
Sigrid Schwirtz	Cooking	270.00	270.00	Sigrid Schwirtz

The local Board of Directors met in Faribault April 15th. and agreed upon the above list of teachers and salaries. April 17th. the Board of Directors met in St. Paul. Board of Control of State Institutions was also present. The above list was confirmed by the full Board.

Board of Control made no claim to jurisdiction.

Name.	Capacity.	Salary.	
J. L. Smith	Teacher & Editor	\$ 1400.00	J. L. Smith
L. C. Tuck	Teacher & Librarian	975.00	L. C. Tuck
C. E. White	Teacher	1000.00	C. E. White
Thos. Sheridan	"	875.00	Thos. Sheridan
W. M. Kilpatrick	"	850.00	W. M. Kilpatrick
F. R. Wheeler	"	900.00	F. R. Wheeler
John Schwirtz	"	825.00	John Schwirtz
Alice N. Smith	"	800.00	Alice N. Smith
Alice J. Mott	"	800.00	No.
Nannie A. Pollard	"	800.00	Nannie A. Pollard
Josephine Quinn	"	725.00	Josephine Quinn
Amy E. Snider	"	725.00	Amy E. Snider
Mary Kilpatrick	"	700.00	Mary Kilpatrick
Mary E. Scheetz	"	700.00	Mary E. Scheetz
Mase A. Barns	"	700.00	Mesa A. Barns
Mazie S. Keefer	"	600.00	Mazie S. Keefer
	"	475.00	
Edith Vandegrift	"	527.00	Edith Vandegrift
Mollie Medcraft	"	465.00	Mollie Medcraft
L. A. Roth	Teacher of Printing	495.00	L. A. Roth
Moses Desmaries	Cabinet-making	540.00	Moses Desmaries
P. N. Peterson	Sloyd	525.00	P. N. Peterson
Charles Suess	Shoe-making	540.00	Chas. Suess
Sophie Peterson	Dress-making	500.00	Sophie Peterson
Hannah A. D. Behlke	Sewing	450.00	Hannah A. D. Behlke
J. B. Bumgardner	Art	600.00	J. B. Bumgardner
Sigrid Schwirtz	Cooking	300.00	Sigrid Schwirtz

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S CHOO L FOR THE DEAF.

Faribault, Minn. May 4th, 1903.

To the Honorable Board of Directors
of the Schools for the Blind and Deaf,
Faribault, Minn.,

Dear sirs:-

Total enrollment for 1902-03 - 269. Boys 143 - girls 126.

Total attendance at present - 259. Boys 135 - girls 124.

Health.

We have had a number of serious cases of sickness during the winter. Several of scarlet fever and of diphtheria and an occasional case of pneumonia. By care the contagious cases were prevented from spreading. All have recovered.

Discipline.

We have never passed a year more smoothly,- there having been scarcely a case that called for correction in the conduct of the pupils. For this we have reason for profound thankfulness.

Enthusiasm has characterized the work of officers, teachers and employes.

The usual closing exercises will be held with your approval on June 2nd. We expect several members of the Local Board to appear on the program. We hope the Board will all be present at these commencement exercises. It is probable that the string band of the School for the Blind will furnish music for the occasion.

Special Train.

Arrangements have been completed with the C. M. & St. P. railway to provide a special train on the morning of the 3rd. of June, to leave Faribault at 5:30 o'clock so as to reach the Cities in time for the outgoing trains. By this arrangement most of our pupils are delivered to their homes in daylight.

Appropriations.

Among the appropriations for the approaching two years we have \$25,000.00 for a school building. This is, as the Board are aware, only one half of the amount asked for. Upon the approval of the Board, I shall at once proceed to make plans for such part of the building for school

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For 12 months.

E. M. Christianson	Clerk	\$ 900.00		<i>P. M. Christianson</i>
R. O. Eggebrecht	Steward & Office Ass't.	700.00	With board.	<i>R. O. Eggebrecht</i>
Ella Boone	Matron	600.00	With board.	<i>Ella Boone</i>
Olga Bright	Matron B. H.	440.00	With board.	<i>Olga Bright</i>
C. D. McKellip	Sec'y. Board	300.00	(\$100.00 of this amount to be paid by Blind School.) <i>Chas. D. McKellip</i>	
N. P. Rood	Night watchman	468.00		<i>N. P. Rood</i>

For 9 months.

David Johnson	Boys' Supervisor	267.30	With board.	<i>D. E. Johnson</i>
Hubert LaRose	" "	267.30	With board.	<i>Hubert LaRose</i>
Mary E. Kenney	Girls' Supervisor	247.50	With board.	<i>Mary E. Kenney</i>
Anna Toso	" "	234.00	With board.	<i>Anna M. Toso</i>
W. H. Robilliard	Physician	300.00		<i>W. H. Robilliard</i>
A. F. Pringle	Specialist	100.00		<i>A. F. Pringle</i>
Nellie Sheehy	Nurse	247.50	With board.	<i>Nellie Sheehy</i>
Kate Keegan	Housekeeper	247.50	With board.	<i>Kate Keegan</i>

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I accept the position at the salary stated, for one year or such part thereof as my service is mutually satisfactory to myself and employer.

These appointments and salaries were approved by the full board, except Judge Flannery but including Governor Van Sant and Superintendent Olsen, May 20, 1903. Meeting was held in Capitol.

rooms as the \$25,000.00 will construct, with plans for a building that will ultimately be sufficiently large for the entire school, depending upon future appropriations to complete it.

We also have \$500.00 to be added to the \$1250.00 to enlarge the cabinet shop.. Under the instruction of the President of this Board I advertised and got bids from W. S. Kingsley, J. P. O'Niel, O'Niel & Son, Chas. Caron and H. C. Peltier.

The lowest of these bids was \$1385.00. This did not include inside wood-work, furnishing and setting windows and doors, and material for floors. We to do the excavating.

To come within the appropriation this will all have to ~~be~~ be done with \$365.00 cash. Since a large part of this finishing is to be done by the pupils of the cabinet-shop this balance will perhaps be sufficient.

We would request that the Board enact a specific ruling as to the relation they bear to the work of new buildings and repairs.

St. Louis Fair.

Since it would be desirable to have an exhibit of this school at this fair, I would respectfully suggest that this school request funds for the purpose of the Commission having in charge the \$100,000.00 appropriated by the last Legislature to be used by Minnesota for the purpose.

I would suggest \$1500.00 as a sufficient sum.

In addition to the still exhibit there will be a living one from the various state institutions. This means that there is to be a regular school in order to show the methods of teaching the Deaf in this country. Each school, that chooses, is to send a few pupils to remain one month. The expense incident to this would be borne by the state. *See letter,*

Graduates.

Diplomas will be granted to the following:-

Dean E. Tomlinson,	Minneapolis.
Fred O'Donnell,	Minneapolis.
J. H. McFarlane,	Minneapolis.
Harrison Pettitt'	Smith Lake.
Oscar Johnson,	Elmdale.
Mabel Newton,	Crookston.
Minnie Hauberg,	Henning.
Jennie Martinson,	Amor.

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Certificates will be granted to the following:-

Mary Nelson, Monticello. *Wright Co*

Ida Carlson, St. Paul. *St. Paul Co*

Emil Hruska, Waterville. *Des Moines Co*

Albin Highberg, St. Peter. (New Sweden.) *Nicollet Co*

Fred McNabb
Three or four of these will probably ~~stand~~ stand the College examinations preparatory to entering in the fall.

We can but regret that one whose length of tenure of office and faithfulness entitles him to be called a veteran in the service of the state, should now sever his connection with the work.

It seems that no man could want a more eloquent tribute than Judge Mott has in what is visible in the fine structures, the erection of which was so largely his work.

We all trust that his interest in the work of the schools will not abate, and that if there is such a thing as patriarch blessings in these days, that we may have his.

Upon invitation, I read a paper before the quarterly Conference of Superintendents of State Institutions at Des Moines, Iowa on March 18th.

The subject of the paper was "Manual Training as a Factor in Educating the Deaf."

I visited the State schools for the Deaf at Omaha, Neb., and Council Bluffs, Iowa.

I find upon comparison of methods and results accomplished that the Minnesota school does not suffer.

I herewith submit the quarterly statement of pupils funds.

I submit herewith the list of teachers for the ensuing year for the approval of the Board.

Respectfully submitted,

J. F. Tate

Nominations of Officers and Teachers
for the Year 1903-4

= Name =	= Place =	= Present Comp. =	= Recon. =	= Time =	= Remarks =
Mrs. J. De Haven	= Matron =	500 =	500 =	12 Mos. =	Board -
Dr. F. M. Rose	= Physician =	150 =	150 =	9 " =	No Board -
Dr. A. F. Pringle	= Oculist & Surgeon =	50 =	100 =	9 " =	" "
Berrie A. Parshall	= Book keeper =	660 =	660 =	12 " =	One meal a day.
Benj. P. Chapple	= High Sch. Teach. =	800 =	850 =	9 " =	Board
Fannie E. Gadd	= Interned. " =	450 =	450 =	9 " =	"
Cynthia G. Conwell	= Prim. Teach. + (Elocution & Phys. Cult.) =	425 =	450 =	9 " =	"
Grace E. Beardsley	= Prim. Teach. =	350 =	400 =	9 " =	"
Ella Hoffer	= Kind. + Manual Train. =	450 =	450 =	9 " =	"
Augusta Schewe	= Sewing Teacher + Seamstress =	250 =	270 =	9 " =	"
(not filled)	= Kindergarten =	— =	300 =	9 " =	"
Edward Mann	= Broom + Mattress =	250 =	250 =	9 " =	"
Ernestine A. Safford	= Head Music Teacher =	450 =	450 =	9 " =	"
Julia B. Johnson	= Prim. Mus. Teach. =	250 =	275 =	9 " =	"
H. J. Carpenter	= Instr. + Gen. Teach. =	360 =	360 =	9 " =	"
Wm. Holden	= Orchestra Teach. =	360 =	360 =	9 " =	No Board
Emma Branden	= Music Tutor =	45 =	90 =	9 " =	Pupil.

Respectfully Submitted,

James J. Dow,

Supt.

Accepted by Board of Directors, May 20, 1903 =

Faribault, Minn., December 27, 1906.

To the Honorable Board of Directors,

Gentlemen:- I, herewith, submit my estimate for running expenses of the Institution for the quarter beginning February 1st, 1907. The amount is less than estimate corresponding period a year ago by \$796.12. We have estimated for more coal this quarter than last by \$310.00. I also submit for reference a complete copy of the biennial report, the essential points of which have already been approved by this Board.

We have had a number of cases of Scarlet Fever. The first occurred on October 9th and the last on December 19th. Ten are back in school and the rest, ten in all, are dressed and practically well. Everything known to the profession has been done to stamp out the disease. It has been in a light form. No pupils were permitted to go to their homes on Christmas, which was in accordance with orders from Secretary of State Board of Health, Dr. H. M. Bracken. Boxes were sent to practically all the pupils by their friends and a program was rendered in the Chapel on Christmas morning. All this delighted the pupils. Our skating rink affords much pleasure. Besides this, skating parties were taken to the mill-pond near the woolen mills. Nothing was omitted that could lend pleasure to the pupils. Twelve holidays are given, one at a time, during the school year and school closes one week earlier in June because the whole of Christmas week is not given.

The death of Mr. Chas. D. McKellip, which occurred in Chicago on December 8th, 1906, was and is a source of profound grief to his many friends. Especially do we miss him as Secretary of this Board. He was a man concerning whose merits no reservation need be made in writing his obituary.

As to appropriations asked, I would urge the completion of the School Building as contemplated. Let the afflicted ones be provided for first, then let our University be enlarged as the state is able to do so. Except in the part of a school building erected four years ago, the School for the Deaf has made no demands for buildings for many years. Equipped with a completed school building and auditorium, many years will elapse before any demands will be made upon the state for buildings.

We were glad to be of service in controlling the fire that occurred in the attic of one wing of the main building of the School for the Feeble Minded on November 26th.

Our school, industrial and domestic departments are moving on in a well nigh ideal way.

Very respectfully,

J. M. Tate
Superintendent

Report of School
for Draft - Dec 27/06

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Superintendent's Report for the Quarter ending Dec. 31, 1906

Attendance - During the current year there have been in attendance 87 pupils - 57 male and 30 female. This is the largest attendance for the first quarter in the history of the school.

Health - There has been no serious illness in the school during the quarter. There have been three cases of Chicken pox which have called for the detention ^{of} pupils having it until the disappearance of the disease but they have not in any of the cases been more than slightly uncomfortable.

School work - This has progressed satisfactorily in all lines. The new kindergarten ^{and primary} teacher, Miss Driver, has fitted into her place admirably as has the new teacher of organ and tuning, Mr. Goy. The type-writer room has been fitted up with six Remingtons and one Underwood machine and a good start has been made in class work on them. Heretofore the teaching has been altogether individual and unsatisfactory on account of the lack of time needful for proper instruction in this way.

Other Improvements - The brown shop has been painted outside and the interior walls of the boys building

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are now during the holiday season receiving a coat of paint. Those of the boys who have not gone home have been temporarily moved into the main building while this is being done.

The steel picket fence for the brow of the terrace above the retaining wall north of the grounds was let by the Board of Control to the Perkins Manufacturing Co. of St. Paul and the holes were dug for the posts before the freezing of the ground but the fence has not yet been received and it will not be practicable now to place it until spring - This and the type writing outfit were the only special improvements provided for this year -

General - The biennial report is in the hands of the printer, and a copy has been filed with the State Board of Control, and the strictly educational portion has been presented to the Superintendent of Public Instruction for his report -

The recommendations made and approved by the last meeting of the Board were included but somewhat consolidated. If it is desired they

will be read in their present form —
The Board of Control as a body has not given any
expression as to their attitude toward these
recommendations but individual members
have expressed themselves favorably.

I submit herewith the estimates for the coming
year. They do not differ materially from those
of a year ago. The pay roll I recommend to remain
the same with a single exception. The engineer
who now receives \$37⁰⁰ a month and board I recom-
mend to be increased to \$42⁰⁰ a month, an increase of
5⁰⁰ a month to begin with the month of January.
This can be done without any total increase of pay roll
as the fire man is secured for much less than the
pay roll estimate, and as the engineer has now
been able to secure a first-grade engineer's
certificate he should be entitled to a little
better compensation —

I cannot close this report without a reference to
the sudden removal by death of the Secretary of this
Board Mr. Chas. D. Mc Kellip. Although his official
connection with the school had been comparatively

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short, he has throughout its existence been deeply interested in it and has unofficially through his connection with the press been ready to help it in all practicable ways. Since his connection ^{with it} this interest has strengthened and he has always been its warm and hearty supporter. True, genuine manhood never had a better exemplification than in Mr. McKellip and the school deeply mourns his loss. Poetry Memorial exercises were held in the school the morning following his funeral.

Respectfully submitted,

James J. Dow,
Supt.

Report of School for
Blind Dec 27/06

Superintendent's Report for the
Quarter ending March 20, 1907

Gentlemen:

The present attendance is 89, boys 59 and girls 30.

The health of the school has been somewhat unsatisfactory from the presence of continuing cases of chicken pox and from a large number of cases of tonsillitis and severe colds. In addition to these we have had one case of typhoid fever. The young man of this case was away for the holidays and about three weeks after his return became ill in an obscure way which did not fully develop itself as typhoid fever for nearly two weeks. Since then it has run a rather wild but very lingering course. The fever is now practically over but it will be some time before the patient is about. It has been necessary to have a trained nurse for this case at a cost of \$15 a week -
School -

The school has gone on as usual except that the work has been considerably broken in upon by the causes named above. The winter term closed March 16, the regular

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musical and literary examinations having been held during the preceding two weeks - General - The biennial report was duly published and has been distributed during the quarter. The members of the legislature each received a copy. The advance sheets of the Report ^{of the State Board of Control} shows that they have not recommended or have reduced several items recommended by me and approved by you. The changes made were as follows:

Additions to Superintendent's Cottage	\$3,000	- Not recommended
music and library equipment	\$1,500 each year	Reduced to ^{our} \$250
Current Expense for 1906-7	13,000	- reduced to \$12,000
" " " 1907-8	26,000	" " \$24,000
" " " 1908-9	26,000	" " \$25,000

In view of the proposed summer school the Board of Control will not now object to an additional \$1,000 for current expense, but prefer that the presentation of the request for it should come from me. They have not expressed themselves to me on the other items and I have not pressed them -

Report of School for
the Deaf - Blind
Mar 20-1907

Estimates and Pay Roll - I present herewith the estimates for the 4th quarter of the current year. The pay-roll will remain the same as at present except that I recommend an increase of the fireman from \$20⁰⁰ to \$25⁰⁰ per month. During the summer this man is put at the work of repairs and the extra work on the farm and grounds. It is not possible to get a good man in the summer for the amount paid in the winter, and this increase is in accordance with the practice of recent years.

Nominations in my list of recommendations for officers and teachers is not yet completed and will be ready to be presented at a special meeting in a month or so.

Respectfully submitted,
James J. Dow
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Faribault, Minn., March 20, 1907.

To the Honorable Board of Directors of the School for the Blind and the School for the Deaf.

Gentlemen:-

The health of the pupils is good, there being no cases of sickness in the hospital.

As the Board are aware we had an epidemic of Scarlet Fever early in the fall. The first case occurred on October 9th and the last on December 30th. There were twenty-two cases in all. Complete recovery of all was the record.

We have had thirty-two cases of Chicken Pox. There were no serious results in any case. The first one dates back to January 12th, and the last was March Third. Aside from these epidemics no serious cases of sickness have occurred.

The mid term examinations were held for the week beginning February 11th.

As a rule the character of the work was exceptionally good, - the best I have seen in years.

The papers were sent to the parents. Many favorable comments upon these papers, from the friends of the pupils, have been received.

The original estimate of the cost of the school building completed was \$85,000.00.

In the late report of the Board of Control we note the following comment. "The aggregate appropriations asked - for all institutions - forbids us to recommend the building of these two wings, although we feel that the institution is entitled to them."

A revised plan, and I think an excellent one, would cost \$74,000.00. The Board of Control have approved of the appropriation for the School Building at \$35,000.00, but not of that for the auditorium.

On March 4th, the Board of Control visited the School. They did not discourage the effort to add the amount necessary to complete the School Building and Chapel. Our senator thinks

the prospect for securing the \$74,00.00 is encouraging. I present revised plans of school building and chapel.

I understand the Council of Faribault has enacted an ordinance opening up 8th Street. This is done in connection with the scheme of having the Rock Island Railroad to construct a viaduct at its 8th Street crossing. I present a plat of the grounds. It will be seen that such a street would destroy all the privacy the institution has as to stables, and a back yard. A grade equal to that existing at 3rd Street cannot be secured in any case. So all the heavy hauling must continue to pass up 3rd Street.

I do not see that 8th Street opened, as proposed, would be of any particular benefit to any one. I, therefore, trust the city authorities will not insist upon the opening the new street but will be content to use the street now open to the foot of 8th Street. This Street was made and has been maintained for many years by the institution.

We will probably have five pupils to graduate on June fourth.

I hope to have an address by the Governor on that occasion.

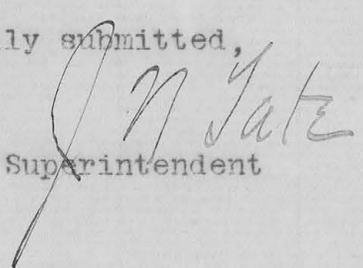
I, herewith, submit the quarterly estimate for supplies for May, June and July.

On February 1st, Mr. R. A. Schutz, the father of one of our pupils, gave our school an instructive lecture on the cultivation of strawberries and on grafting.

Later, Superintendent O. C. Gregg, of the Farmers' Institute sent us twenty-five copies of the Minnesota Farmers' Institute, which were distributed among our pupils who felt an interest in the subject.

Mr. Kilpatrick, one of our teachers, has undertaken to instruct a class of our pupils in horticulture. A space has been assigned to this work in our garden.

Respectfully submitted,


Superintendent

Report of School for
the Deaf Mar 20/07

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Report of the School for the Deaf

During the year the school has been successful in carrying out its work. The number of pupils has increased from 100 to 110. The school has been successful in carrying out its work. The number of pupils has increased from 100 to 110.

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Gentlemen:-

I, herewith, submit the following list of officers and teachers with salaries recommended. The aggregate increase, which includes the additional teacher for the Deaf-blind girl, is less than five per cent.

I requested the Board of Control to take care of the extraordinary expense, incident to the care and teaching of the Deaf-blind girl, Vera Gammon. They, however, thought it wise to let the expense go in with the general expense of the school.

We have a boy who is almost blind, as well as deaf. It will, perhaps, be wise next year, to place the two in a class.

I have heard of one or two other deaf-blind children in the state, who will probably be brought to the school in course of time. There are, also, other cases of deaf-blind boys, each of whom has lost his sight, since finishing his course at school.

Vera Gammon is making exceptional progress in the acquisition of language, and I have arranged with one of our speaking, lady teachers, Miss Bateman, to take upon herself the extra duty of instructing Vera in speech, next year.

Our graduating exercises will take place on the evening of May 22nd. Mr. L. A. Rosing, of the Board of Control, has consented to deliver an address on that occasion. The attendance upon these exercises has been so meager, in the last few years, that I have thought it advisable to issue five hundred invitations to the people of the town, as well as notices in the town press.

The ~~String Band~~^{Orchestra}, of the school for the Blind, will be provided by the management of that institution, and will, as it has done on similar occasions before, afford excellent music. For all this, we wish to acknowledge with thanks, the courtesy extended.

Plans and specifications for three new 150 horse power boilers, and one 75 ~~horse power~~ K. W. electric generator have been made and contracts for their installation, have probably been let

The Board of Control has requested us to prepare a brief sketch of this institution and provide cuts of the buildings and grounds, to be inserted in a pamphlet issued by that Board, for distribution to the members of the National Conference of Charities and Corrections, to be held in Minneapolis, beginning June twelvth.

The Superintendent of this school has been asked to prepare a paper on the "Relation of the State to the Education and Employment of Teachers."

The Superintendent, of this school, appeared before the sub-finance committee of the House and Senate, to give the reasons for the various appropriations requested by this Board. As the Board is aware, all appropriations requested were approved by the Board of Control, except that for an assembly room, of \$39,000.00. Most of the time, before the committee, was consumed in argument favoring the additional money for the assembly room.

Almost the whole committee was present. ~~The arguments used, seemed to be effective.~~

Very respectfully,

April 22, 1907

J. N. Tate
Superintendent

SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF, Faribault, Minn.

Salaries and Wages of Officers and Employees for the year 1907 & 1908.

Name	Occupation	Time	Board	Salary
<u>ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENT</u>				
J. N. Tate	Superintendent	12 Mos.	Yes	2200.00
R. O. Eggebrecht	Clerk, Steward, Storekeeper	12 "	"	900.00
Amanda J. Elstad	Office Ass't, Stenographer	12 "	"	480.00
E. H. Loyhed	Sec'y of Board	12 "	No	200.00
Ella Boone	Matron	12 "	Yes	600.00
Olga Bright	Matron, B. H.	12 "	"	500.00
	Boys' Supervisor	9 "	"	270.00
	Boys' Supervisor	9 "	"	247.50
	Girls' Supervisor	9 "	"	225.00
	Girls' Supervisor	9 "	"	225.00
W. H. Robilliard	Physician	9 "	No	300.00
A. F. Pringle	Specialist	9 "	"	100.00
Nellie Sheehy	Nurse	9 "	Yes	270.00
H. P. Rood	Night Watch	12 "	No	468.00
	Night Watch, H. B.	9 "	Yes	162.00
	Housekeeper	9 "	"	315.00

Name	Occupation	Time	Board	Salary
SCHOOL DEPARTMENT				
J. L. Smith	Teacher & Editor	9 Mos.	No	1400.00
L. G. Tuck	Teacher & Lib.	9 "	"	1000.00
C. F. White	Teacher	9 "	"	1150.00
A. P. Buchanan	"	9 "	"	1050.00
Thos. Sheridan	"	9 "	"	1000.00
W. M. Kilpatrick	"	9 "	"	1000.00
John Schwirtz	"	9 "	"	950.00
Nannie A. Pollard	Teacher & Principal Primary & Interme- diate Oral Dep'ts	9 "	"	900.00
Josephine Quinn	Teacher	9 "	"	800.00
Alice J. Mott	"	9 "	"	800.00
Mary Kilpatrick	"	9 "	"	750.00
Nettie Christy	"	9 "	"	750.00
Mazie S. Keefer	"	9 "	"	750.00
Edith Vandegrift	"	9 "	"	675.00
V. R. Spence	"	9 "	"	650.00
Mathilde Stodghill	"	9 "	"	625.00
Mollie Medcraft	"	9 "	"	625.00
Aldah H. Buchanan	"	9 "	"	625.00
Mary Grey Barron	"	9 "	"	600.00
Marian King	"	9 "	"	600.00
Grace M. Jewell	"	9 "	"	550.00
Clara Winter	"	9 "	"	550.00
Julia R. Bateman	Teacher & Oral teacher of Vera Gammon	9 "	Yes	600.00
Blanche Hansen	Teacher of Vera Gammon	9 "	"	270.00

Name	Occupation	Time	Board	Salary
INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT				
	Teacher of Art	9 Mos.	No	700.00
L. A. Roth	Printing	9 "	"	600.00
Moses Desmarias	Cabinet-making	9 "	"	600.00
P. N. Peterson	Sloyd	9 "	"	600.00
Charles Suess	Shoe-making	9 "	"	600.00
Gustav Pearson	Blacksmithing	9 "	"	50¢ Per Hr
Sophie Peterson	Dress-making	9 "	"	500.00
Susie Huseby	Sewing	9 "	"	400.00
Sigrid Schwirtz	Cooking	9 "	"	350.00
Mrs. J. L. Smith	Gymnastics	9 "	"	225.00

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

A. B. Irvine	Engineer	12 Mos.	No	1128.00
William Miller	Fireman	12 "	Yes	396.00
Chas. Zimmerman	Fireman	12 "	"	396.00
Vincent Sheall	Asst Fireman	6 "	"	120.00

FARM DEPARTMENT

George D. Smith	Farmer	12 Mos.	No	720.00
	Laborer	Per Day	"	1.50

LAUNDRY DEPARTMENT

	Head Laundress	Per Month	Yes	20.00
	Laundress	" "	"	17.40
	Laundress	" "	"	15.40

Name	Occupation	Time	Board	Salary
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DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT

Baker	Per Month	Yes		25.00
Officer's Cook	"	"	"	20.00
Pupil's Cook	"	"	"	25.00
Kitchen Ass't	"	"	"	13.20
General Work	"	"	"	5.00
General Work	"	"	"	13.20
General Work	"	"	"	13.20
Chambermaid, B. H.	"	"	"	13.20
Chambermaid, B. H.	"	"	"	13.20
Chambermaid	"	"	"	13.20
Scrubber	"	"	"	13.20
Supt's & Officer's Rooms	"	"	"	13.20
Pupil's Diningroom	"	"	"	15.40
Officer's Diningroom	"	"	"	13.20
Employe's Diningroom	"	"	"	13.20
Cleaner, S. B.	"	"	"	13.20
Choreman	"	"	"	24.00

To the State Board of Control,
St. Paul, Minnesota.

I, E. H. Loyhed, Secretary, do hereby certify that the above appointments and salaries were approved by the Board of Directors April 22nd, 1907, at a meeting held at St. Paul.

Dated at Faribault, Minnesota, this 25th day of April, 1907.

E. H. Loyhed

Secretary

Superintendent's Report for the Year
Ending June 30, 1907

Attendance. The school closed on June 4 with an entire attendance for the school year of 93, of whom 62 were boys and 31 girls.

Health. An invasion of measles occurred during the winter which was annoying but which was at no time a cause of anxiety as all of the cases were very mild.

School. The closing exercises were held on June 3 and on the following day the pupils were returned to their homes.

On June 19 the summer school for Blind men was opened. There are now 7 men in attendance. On account of the short time for the spread of information concerning it the attendance will probably be small. Thus far however it would have been hardly possible to have cared for more as the teachers have been kept very busy with those we have. They are a hopeful lot of men mainly of just the class we would desire.

General - The appropriation for the new boys cottage is available Aug. 1 and the State Architect assures me that he can have the plans

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ready for bidders so that the contract can be let by the middle of July. I have gone over the plans of the last building put up by us with him and suggested some slight changes to adapt it to the situation and these have met his approval as well as of Mr. Ringold, the buildings member of the Board of Control. The plan is as outlined in my biennial report for practically a duplicate of the last building, placed exactly opposite to and 125 feet eastward of that building. The west side of the new building will conform in appearance to the east side of the present building. As the east side of the new building will face the road it will be somewhat more ornate than the corresponding west side of the present building. The arrangement of the interior will be only very slightly changed except for the reversal of sides. I present herewith the original plans and the sketch plans for the new building. The location of the new building is arranged with reference to an ultimate school building back of the space

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between the two Cottages thus enclosing three sides of a square of 125 feet -

The steel fence on the brow of the terrace on the north side of the grounds is completed and is both an ornament and a protection.

Recommendations - Arrangements have been completed with Mr. A. W. Hurd to fill the vacancy of Head teacher reported at the last meeting. Mr. Hurd is a graduate of Hamline University and has had several years of experience as grade and high school teacher and comes to us from the Albert Lea High School at the compensation authorized viz. \$800 for the school year -

Three of the teachers elected at the last meeting have declined the positions. Miss Hamley, Head Music teacher to take the same position in the Wis. School for the Blind Miss Beckos, intermediate teacher, to accept a position at her home, and Miss Driver, the kindergarten, for a place near her home. I have completed an arrangement with Miss Ruth Burgess, for the last two years in the Red Wing Schools, and of six years experience

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in Miss Beckas position at a compensation of 400⁰⁰ for the school year. I am in negotiation for the other two places and expect to be able to fill them satisfactorily.

Miss Billie Smith our efficient assistant matron and nurse has asked that her compensation be raised from \$360 to 400⁰⁰ for the 12 months and our sewing teacher, Miss Augusta Schewe has asked for an increase of from 270⁰⁰ to 300⁰⁰ for the school year of ~~9~~ months. These ladies have had long experience with us and are invaluable in their departments and I recommend the granting of the increase in both cases. This increase will be more than made up in the reduction of salaries in the employment of new teachers.

I submit herewith the estimates for supplies for the 1st quarter of the fiscal year 1907-8. It will be seen that the estimates exceed those of the corresponding quarter by a little less \$200 -

Respectfully Submitted,

James J. Dow
JJD

State for the Blind
Superintendent's
Report
for the Quarter Ending
June 30, 1907

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For 1907

Summer School
Additional to Regular
Force -

1 Manual Training and History Teacher - Bd - 2 1/2 mos, 51 ⁰⁰	= 125.00
1 Room and Matress Teacher - 2 1/2 mos, Bd = 35 ⁰⁰	= 90.00
3 Girls @ 15 ⁰⁰ , 15 ⁰⁰ , 16 ⁰⁰ , 2 1/2 mos Bd = 46 ⁰⁰	= 115.00
1 Physician - 2 1/2 mos n. Bd =	= 50.00
1 Supervisor 2 1/2 mos Bd = 30	75.00
Total additional	455.00

School for the Blind

Twelfth Report

Apr. 27, 1907

Superintendents Report for
Special Meeting April 22, 1907

Board of Directors
Gentlemen:

I present herewith a statement of the annual payroll for the year 1907-8 as required by the State Board of Control with such increase or decrease as is made noted.

I also present the schedule of nominations of officers and teachers for the year 1907-8.

I also present an estimate of the expenditure for the Summer School for Blind Men with appointments for it.

I also request an increase of 3⁰⁰ a month to take effect May 1 for house yard and bone man making his compensation 30⁰⁰ a month.

Respectfully submitted,

James J. Dow

JJD

Salary and Wage Schedule

1907-8

Position	Time	Compensation recommended	Board	Compens. 06-7	Inc	Red.
Matron = 12 mos.		500.00	With	450.00	50.00	
Steward +	12 "	690.00	one meal	same		
Bookkeeper		450				
1st Assistant	12 "	565.00	with	360 ⁰⁰		
Matron						
2nd Assistant	9 "	225.00	with	same		
Supervisor	10 "	300.00	with	same		
Clerk						
Small Boys	9 "	200.00	with	198.00	2.00	
Attendant						
Small Girls	9 "	180.00	with	162.00	18.00	
Attendant						
Physician	9 "	150.00	without	same		
Oculist +	9 "	100.00	without	same		
Assist.						
Principal	9 "	800.00	with	950.00	^{without} 150.00	
Int. Teacher	9 "	500.00	with	same		
Librarian		400.00				
Int. Teacher	9 "	450.00	with	400.00	50.00	
Prim. Teacher	9 "	450.00	with	same		
Phys. Culture						
Prim. Teacher +	9 "	300.00	with	270.00	30.00	
Kindergarten						
Head Music Tea	9 ²	450.00	with	400.00	50.00	
Music + Indust.	9 "	300.00	with	same		
Teacher		200				
Music + Indust.	9 "	180.00	with	150.00	30.00	
Teacher						
Organ + Tuning	9 "	270.00	with	225.00	45.00	
Teacher						
Violin + Orchestral	9 "	400.00	without	same		
Teacher		300.00				
Sewing + Teacher	9 "	270.00	with	270 ⁰⁰	same	30.00
Seamstress						
Mechanical Training	9 "	450.00	with	same		
Person making	9 "	250.00	with	same		

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Position	Time	Compensatory recommended	Board	Camp, 06-7	= Inc	= Dec
Engineer	= 12 mos	= 504.00	= with	= 504.00	=	=
House, Yard & Barn man	= 12 "	= 360.00 ⁺	= with	= 324.00	= 36.00	=
Night Watch	= 9 "	= 297.00	= night lunch	= 297.00	=	=
Fireman & Hobber	= 12 "	= 300.00	= with	= 420.00 = Bal Board	= 120.00	=
				one meal		
1 st Cook	= 10 "	= 250.00	= with	= 250.00	=	=
2 nd Cook	= 12 "	= 192.00	= with	= 192.00	=	=
1 st Laundress	= 10 "	= 180.00	= with	= 180.00	=	=
2 nd Laundress	= 10 "	= 160.00	= with	= 160.00	=	=
3 rd Laundress	= 10 "	= 150.00	= with	= 150.00	=	=
Chambermaid	= 10 "	= 140.00	= with	= 140.00	=	=
Sup't's Col. Girl	= 12 "	= 180.00	= with	= 180.00	=	=
Dis. Riv. Girl	= 12 "	= 168.00	= with	= 168.00	=	=
Dis. Riv. Girl	= 10 "	= 140.00	= with	= 132.00	= 8.00	=
Dis. Riv. Girl	= 10 "	= 140.00	= with	= 132.00	= 8.00	=
Outside Laundry woman	= 9 "	= 40.00	= one meal	= 40.00	= (one day weekly)	=
Chambermaid	= 10 "	= 140.00	= with	= 132.00	= 8.00	=
Chambermaid	= 10 "	= 140.00	= with	= 132.00	= 8.00	=

+ Request increase to 30⁰⁰ per month to begin May 1, 07.

nomination of Officers and Teachers.

name	Position	Compensation	Board Time	Variations from 06-7
✓ Naomi Birch	matron	500.00	with - 12 mos	Inc. 30.00
✓ Bernice A. Parshall	steward senior	690.00	on duty = 12 mos	
✓ Billie Smith	1 st Asst. Matron	360.00	with - 12 mos	(wants increase \$45.00)
✓ Linda Jackson	2 ^d Asst. Matron	225.00	with - 9 mos	
✓ F. M. Rose	Physician	150.00	with - 9 mos	
✓ E. F. Pringle	Oculist & Artist	100.00	without - 12 mos	Inc. 3 mos
✓ A. W. Hord	Principal	800.00	with - 9 mos	Dec. 150.00 on Board
✓ Fannie E. Ladd	Int. Teacher + Librarian	500.00	with - 9 mos	
✓ Miss Beck	Int. Teacher	450.00	with - 9 mos	Declined Inc. 50.00
✓ Cynthia P. Cornell	Primary Dept	450.00	with - 9 mos	
✓ Joe	Physical Culture Primary Dept	300.00	with - 9 mos	Declined Inc. 30.00
✓ Miss Hardy	Kindergarten Head Miss	450.00	with - 9 mos	Declined Inc. 50.00
✓ Julia Johnson	Mus. & Ind. Teacher	300.00	with - 9 mos	
✓ Emma Braaten	nurse Int. Teo	150.00 200.00	with - 9 mos	Inc. 50.00
✓ Wilfred Esoy	Org & Gen. Hk	270.00	with - 9 mos	Inc. 45.00
✓ Wm. H. Holden	Violin & Orchestra	400.00	without - 9 mos	
✓ Augusta Scheel	Sewing Dept Seamstress	270.00	with - 9 mos	(wants increase 30.00)
✓ Ella Hoffner	Manual Training	450.00	with - 9 mos	
✓ Edward Mann	Broom & Mattress	250.00	with - 9 mos	

SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF.

Faribault, June 27, 1907.

To the Board of Directors,
Gentlemen:-

School closed on June 4th, when all pupils were sent to their homes.

A special train over the Rock Island left for the cities at 5:30 on that morning. Caretakers were sent to St. Paul, Minneapolis, Mankato, Austin and Owatonna with pupils.

Our graduating exercises took place on May 22nd. Four girls were graduated. They were Miss Mabel Sharp of Northfield, Miss Petra Fandrem of Minneapolis, Miss Eva Bush of Eyota and Miss Jennie C. Peterson of St. Paul.

The graduating exercises were well attended and seemed to please the audience. We had the pleasure of listening to a brief, impressive address by the president of this Board who delivered the diplomas, and to an extended one by the Hon. L. A. Rosing of the Board of Control.

The school year just closed seems to have been successful.

Appropriations available after August 1st, 1907 are as follows:

Additional for new boilers, \$1,000.00

Additional for Dynamo and Engine, \$2,500.00

Available for year ending July 31, 1908.

Grounds and Driveway, \$250.00

Library, \$250.00

Gallaudet College Students, \$300.00

Renovating pipe system, \$2,500.00

Gymnasium Equipment, \$700.00

Repairs and Betterments, \$4,000.00

Ice House, \$2,500.00

Current Expense, \$62,500.00

Available for year ending July 31, 1909.

Grounds and driveway, \$250.00

Library, \$250.00

Gaullaudet College Students, \$300.00

Oven and addition to kitchen and dining room, \$3,500.00

Constructing and equipping Wing to school building, \$35,000.00

Repairs and Betterments, \$4,000.00

Current Expense, \$62,500.00

All moneys of pupils in hands of the Superintendent have been sent to the state treasurer in conformity to the law passed by the last Legislature.

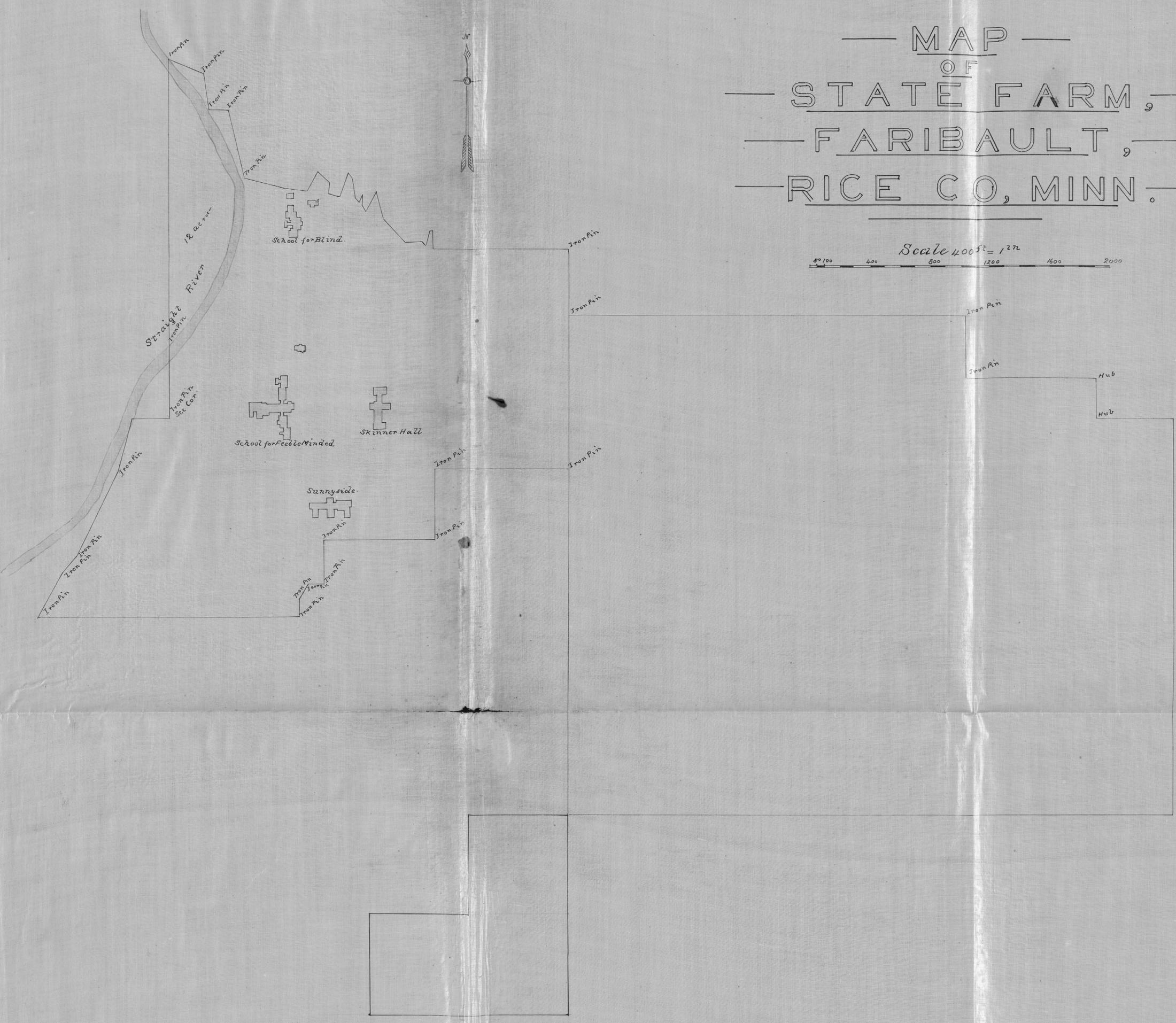
I, herewith, present my quarterly estimate for expenses for the quarter beginning Aug. 1st.

J. N. Tate

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DEAF AND DUMB GROUNDS

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