

Special August Session, 1903

November Session, 1903.

March Session, 1904.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

COUNTY BOARD
OF **SUPERVISORS**

WINNEBAGO COUNTY
WISCONSIN

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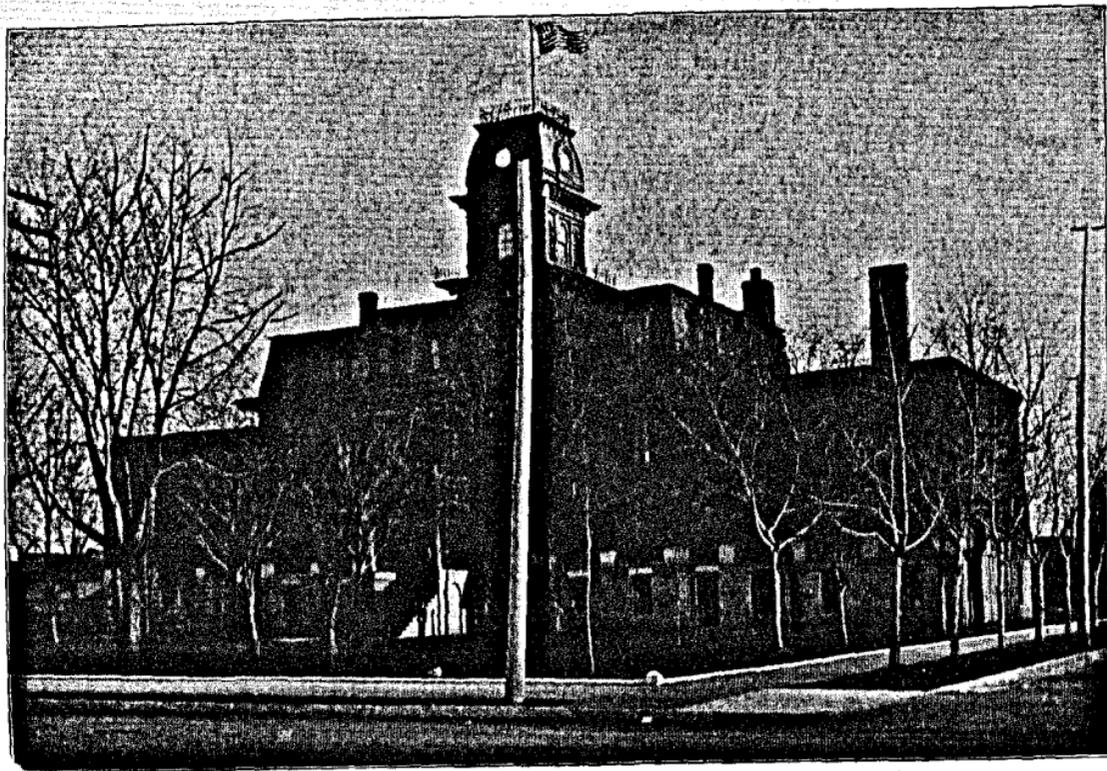


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County Board of Supervisors.

1903--1904.

Algoma.....	Oshkosh, R. D. No. 5.....	M. V. Sperbeck
Black Wolf.....	Oshkosh, R. D. No. 2.....	Casper Pfeifer
Clayton.....	Neenah, R. D. No. 10.....	F. L. Palmer
Menasha.....	Neenah, R. D. No. 11.....	Isaac Tipler
Neenah.....	Neenah, R. D. No. 9.....	Jackson Tullar
Nekimi.....	Oshkosh, R. D. No. 2.....	Albert Koplitz
Nepesuskun.....	Berlin, R. D. No. 2.....	O. P. Ream
Omro.....	Omro, R. D. No. 24.....	W. P. Bussey
Omro Village.....	Omro.....	G. H. Charlesworth
Oshkosh.....	Oshkosh, R. D. No. 6.....	C. A. Pride
Poygan.....	Omro, R. D. No. 22.....	Jas. Heffron Jr.
Rushford.....	Omro, R. D. No. 24.....	Geo. W. Ellis
Utica.....	Pickett, R. D. No. 27.....	Robt. W. Mackie
Vinland.....	Allenville, R. D. No. 18.....	E. E. Manuel
Winchester.....	Larsen, R. D. No. 14.....	Ed Uvaas
Winneconne.....	Winneconne, R. D. No. 19.....	Peter J. Gunderson
Winneconne Village.....	Winneconne.....	Geo. E. Welson
Wolf River.....	Fremont, R. D. No. 16.....	John Hoffberger Jr
Menasha City, First Ward.....		M. M. Schoetz
" " Second Ward.....		M. J. Riley
" " Third Ward.....		Phillip Artt
" " Fourth Ward.....		Silas Bullard
Neenah City, First Ward.....		A. W. Kellogg
" " Second Ward.....		Wm. Arndemann
" " Third Ward.....		A. T. Lueckenbach
" " Fourth Ward.....		F. T. Russell
Oshkosh City, First Ward.....		H. C. Nash
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" " Seventh Ward.....		Otis F. Chase
" " Eighth Ward.....		Aug. Gruenhagen
" " Ninth Ward.....		Edward Ganzer
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" " Eleventh Ward.....		Solomon Rhoades
" " Twelfth Ward.....		Edward M. Wilson
" " Thirteenth Ward.....		Frederick Beduhn



WINNEBAGO COUNTY COURT HOUSE.

PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
OF
WINNEBAGO COUNTY, WIS.

SPECIAL AUGUST SESSION--1903.

SUPERVISORS' ROOM, OSHKOSH, WIS.,
Monday, August 24, 1903.

Agreeable to a request, made in writing, to the County Clerk of the county of Winnebago, dated August 14, 1903, signed by twenty Supervisors of said county, who constitute a majority of the County Board of Supervisors, that a Special Session of said County Board of Supervisors be held on the twenty-fourth day of August, A. D. 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, in conformity with said request the present session of this County Board of Supervisors convened, and was called to order by Chairman John Harrington.

PETITION FOR SPECIAL SESSION.

To J. J. Fish, County Clerk of Winnebago County, Wisconsin:

DEAR SIR: Please take notice that we, the undersigned members of the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis., hereby request that a special meeting of said County Board be held at the Supervisors' Room, in the Court House, in the city of Oshkosh, Wisconsin, on the twenty-fourth (24th) day of August, A. D. 1903, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

Dated August 14, 1903.

A. W. EHRGOTT, Fourth Ward, City of Neenah.
WM. ARNEMANN, Second Ward, City of Neenah.
H. C. NASH, First Ward, City of Oshkosh.
JAMES KENNY, Second Ward, City of Oshkosh.

J. G. MENZEL, Third Ward, City of Oshkosh.
 H. A. ATWOOD, Fourth Ward, City of Oshhosh.
 L. H. LAWSON, Fifth Ward, City of Oshkosh.
 J. C. HEISE, Sixth Ward, City of Oshkosh.
 ED GANZER, Ninth Ward, City of Oshkosh.
 SOLOMON RHOADES, Eleventh Ward, City of Oshkosh.
 E. M. WILSON, Twelfth Ward, City of Oshkosh.
 FRED BEDUHN, Thirteenth Ward, City of Oshkosh.
 M. V. SPERBECK, Town of Algoma.
 CASPER PFEIFFER, Town of Black Wolf.
 ALBERT KOPLITZ, Town of Nekimi.
 CHAS. A. PRIDE, Town of Oshkosh.
 W. P. BUSSEY, Town of Omro.
 ROBERT W. MACKIE, Utica.
 E. E. MANUEL, Vinland.
 JOHN HOFBERGER, Jr., Wolf River.

Filed August 14, 1903.

JOHN J. FISH, *County Clerk.*

On call of the roll the following Supervisors of said County Board responded, who, after severally subscribing to the oath of office, were duly sworn as such supervisors by C. D. Cleveland, County Judge:

Town of Algoma.....	M. V. Sperbeck
“ “ Black Wolf.....	Casper Pfeiffer
“ “ Clayton.....	F. L. Palmer
“ “ Menasha.....	Isaac Tipler
“ “ Neenah.....	Jackson Tullar
“ “ Nekimi.....	Albert Koplitz
“ “ Nepeuskun.....	O P. Ream
“ “ Omro.....	W. P. Bussey
Village of Omro.....	G. H. Charlesworth
Town of Oshkosh.....	C. A. Pride
“ “ Poygan.....	Jas. Heffron Jr.
“ “ Rushford.....	Geo W Ellis
“ “ Utica.....	Robt. W. Mackie
“ “ Vinland.....	E. E. Manuel
Town of Winchester.....	Ed Uvaas
“ “ Winneconne.....	Peter J. Gunderson
“ “ Wolf River.....	John Hofberger, Jr.
Village of Winneconne.....	Geo. E. Welson
City of Menasha, First Ward.....	M. M. Schoetz
“ “ “ Second Ward.....	M. J. Reiley
“ “ “ Third Ward.....	Philip Arft
“ “ “ Fourth Ward.....	Silas Bullard
“ “ Neenah, First Ward.....	A. W. Kelloug
“ “ “ Second ward.....	Wm. Arneemann
“ “ “ Third Ward.....	A. T. Lueckenbach

City of Neenah, Fourth Ward.....	Adam W. Ehrgott
" " Oshkosh First Ward.....	H. C. Nash
" " " Second Ward.....	James Kenny
" " " Third Ward.....	John G Menzel
" " " Fourth Ward.....	Herbert A. Atwood
" " " Fifth Ward.....	Lester H. Lawson
" " " Sixth Ward.....	John C. Heise
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ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN.

Supervisor Chase moved that an informal ballot for chairman be taken. Carried.

Chairman Harrington appointed Supervisors Arft and Ganzer as tellers and made a few very appropriate remarks before leaving the chair.

Informal ballot resulted as follows: H. C. Nash, 27; Wm. Arnemann, 6; Silas Bullard, 4; Otis F. Chase 1. Total, 38.

Supervisor Schoetz moved that the informal ballot be made formal, Carried. And Supervisor H. C. Nash declared elected chairman of the board.

Supervisors Chase, Arnemann and Bullard were appointed to escort Chairman Nash to the chair, who upon taking same thanked the members of the board for the honor conferred.

Supervisor Chase moved that the rules of the board for the last year be adopted. Carried.

Supervisor Arnemann moved to adjourn to 2 o'clock p. m. to give Chairman Nash an opportunity to select his committees. Remarks by Supervisors Bullard, Schoetz, Tullar and Arnemann.

Supervisor Arnemann withdrew his motion and Supervisor Bullard moved that Rules 3 and 4 be suspended and chairman be authorized to appoint such committees as necessary to transact the business of the session and leave the balance of committees to be appointed at November session. Remarks by Supervisors Arnemann and Kenny. Motion lost.

Supervisor Arnemann renewed his motion to adjourn to 2 o'clock p. m. Supervisor Bullard moved to amend making it 9 a. m. Tuesday. Amendment lost, Original motion carried and Board adjourned.

Board convened at 2 o'clock p. m. and Chairman Nash named his committees as follows:

STANDING COMMITTEES 1903 1904.

Equalization—Bussey, Chase, Arnemann, Pfeiffer, Lawson, Ellis, Palmer, Dunham, Mackie, Kenny, Bullard, Hofberger, Atwood.

Finance—Bullard, Rhoades, Tipler, Menzel, Bussey, Koplitz, Charlesworth, Wilson, Heise.

General Accounts—Beduhn, Ehr Gott, Arft, Tullar, Gunderson, Heffron, Ream, Uvaas, Sperbeck.

Illegal Assessments—Schoetz, Arft, Lueckenbach, Ellis, Mackie.

Justices' and Constables' Accounts—Manuel, Pride, Palmer, Kellogg, Gruenhagen, Pfeiffer, Schoetz, Ellis, Tipler.

Sheriff's and Coroners' Accounts—Charlesworth, Tipler, Arnemann, Lueckenbach, Dunham, Welson, Sperbeck, Tullar, Riley.

Insane—Gunderson, Mackie, Atwood, Rhoades, Heffron.

Poor and Poor Farm—Kenny, Ehr Gott, Pride, Gunderson, Manuel.

Work House—Chase, Kellogg, Heise.

Corporations—Lawson, Hofberger, Schoetz, Uvaas, Wilson.

Public Buildings—Arnemann, Ganzer, Charlesworth, Lawson, Dunham.

Roads and Bridges—Koplitz, Hofberger, Uvaas, Heffron, Pfeiffer.

Per Diem and Mileage—Arft, Welson, Manuel, Ream, Beduhn.

Printing—Welson, Dunham, Gruenhagen, Ream, Uvaas.

Bonds and Salaries—Ganzer, Chase, Arft, Lueckenbach, Bullard, Bussey, Menzel.

Supervisor Arnemann made a verbal report of insurance received on barn and contents as follows: Barn, \$2,500; hay, \$1,032; tools, \$24.50.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON POOR AND POOR FARM

Supervisor Kenny made the following report No. 1:

To the Hon. the chairman of the County Board of Winnebago County, Wis.

SIR: The Committee on Poor and Poor Farm of the County of Winnebago, met at the Poor Farm on the 13th day of August, 1903, and discovered the cattle barn destroyed by fire. The loss of said buildings has rendered great inconvenience, and it appears impossible to proceed with the care of the stock on said farm, and the storing of feed for said stock, without replacing the same.

Your committee respectfully recommend that immediate steps be taken to replace the new barn destroyed.

Dated this 13th day of August, 1903.

Signed,

JAMES KENNY,
A. W. EHRGOTT,
ALBERT KOPLITZ,
C. A. PRIDE,
FRED BEDUHN

Supervisor Arnemann moved to amend report to read: That a galvanized iron roof be placed on new barn. Remarks by Supervisors Chase and Kenny. Amendment carried and report adopted.

BARN AT POOR FARM.

Supervisor Kenny offered resolution No. 1 to rebuild barn on Poor Farm as follows:

WHEREAS, The new stock and hay barn on the County Poor Farm, built in 1902, was destroyed by fire on the 8th day of August, A. D. 1903, and

WHEREAS, It is necessary and for the best interests of the county that the same be replaced by a new barn without delay so as to be in readiness for use the coming winter; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago county, that the committee on Poor and Poor Farm be and they are hereby authorized and instructed to adopt and approve plans and specifications for a new stock and hay barn with basement and root cellar for the County Poor Farm, to replace the barn recently destroyed; said new barn to conform generally in size and plan to the barn so destroyed; but said committee shall have power to make such changes and variations in the same as shall seem to them a reasonable and desirable improvement upon the former plans.

Resolved, That said committee be, and they are hereby authorized and directed to proceed and secure the erection, construction and completion of said barn; to advertise for and receive bids; to enter into and execute all necessary contracts therefor; to supervise and direct the performance of all necessary work and building operations; to require and receive, subject to the approval of the District Attorney, all proper and sufficient bonds and securities for the performance of said contract and work as agreed upon, and within such time as may be fixed by said committee, and providing for such penalties and forfeitures as may be necessary and proper.

Resolved further, That the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2500) which was received from the insurance on said barn, together with (\$600) six hundred dollars in addition thereto, making thirty-one hundred dollars (\$3100) in all, be appropriated for the purpose of building and completing the said barn, and that the same be paid out as the work progresses and is completed, upon certificates signed by the Chairman and at least two other members of said committee, the same to be filed with the County Clerk, and County orders to be duly issued for the amount of the same.

JAMES KENNY.

Your committee on Poor and Poor Farm recommend the adoption of the above resolution.

JAMES KENNY,
ADAM EHRGOTT,
C. A. PRIDE,
FRED BEDUHN,
ALBERT KOPLITZ

Supervisor Bullard moved that resolution be amended to include a galvanized iron roof. Remarks by Supervisors Arnemann, Bullard, Kenny, Lueckenbach, Menzel and Sperbeck. Motion carried.

Supervisor Lueckenbach moved to further amend and make appropriation read \$3500 instead of \$3100. Amendment carried. Resolution adopted by the following vote: Ayes 36; absent 3, Arft, Gruenhagen, Schoetz.

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TO PURCHASE HAY.

Supervisor Kenny offered the following resolution No. 2:

Resolved. By the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that the Superintendent of the County Poor and Poor Farm under the direction and advice of the committee on Poor and Poor Farm be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to contract for and purchase hay and other fodder and supplies for use in caring for and keeping the stock on the poor farm the same to be purchased at such time and in such manner as shall seem for the best interest of the County, and as shall be approved by said committee.

Resolved further. That there be and hereby is appropriated the amount of insurance to be received for hay destroyed by fire, to-wit: the sum of \$1022, and in addition the further sum of \$500, in all the sum of \$1522, or such part thereof as may be necessary, said amount to be credited to the proper Poor Farm fund by the County Treasurer, and paid out as heretofore provided.

Dated Aug. 24th, 1903.

Signed,

JAMES KENNY,
ADAM EHRGOTT,
FRED BEDUHN,
C. A. PRIDE,
ALBERT KOPLITZ.

Supervisor Kenny moved adoption. Resolution adopted by the following vote: Aye 36; absent 3, Arft, Gruenhagen, Schoetz.

TO REPAIR ICE HOUSE ON COUNTY POOR FARM

Supervisor Kenny offered the following resolution No. 3:

WHEREAS, The ice house on the County Poor Farm is in such poor condition that the filling of said house with ice for the coming season is impracticable, therefore be it

Resolved, That the sum of \$150 be and is hereby appropriated for the purpose of repairing said ice house, and that the Committee on Poor and Poor Farm be empowered to superintend the work of repairing.

JAMES KENNY.

Supervisor Kenny moved adoption.

Supervisor Tullar moved amendment. That resolution be made to read: "or so much as is necessary." The amendment was lost. Resolution adopted by the following vote: Ayes 37; absent 2, Gruenhagen and Schoetz.

PER DIEM AND MILEAGE.

Supervisor Arft, chairman Per Diem and Mileage committee, offered report No. 2 as follows:

To the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wisconsin:

GENTLEMEN: Your committee on Per Diem and Mileage would respectfully report that we find the following supervisors entitled to the amount set opposite their respective names for attendance at the present session of the Board.

Dated Oshkosh Aug. 24, 1903

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Name	Mileage	Amount
Casper Pfeiffer.....	\$ 72	\$ 3 72
F. L. Palmer.....	1 44	4 44
Isaac Tipler.....	2 16	5 16
Jackson Tullar.....	1 56	4 56
Albert Koplitz.....	84	3 84
O. P. Ream.....	2 16	5 16
W. P. Bussey.....	1 56	4 56
G. H. Charlesworth.....	1 44	4 44
C. A. Pride.....	72	3 72
James Heffron Jr.....	1 9	4 92
G. W. Ellis.....	2 40	5 40
Robt. W. Mackie.....	1 68	4 68
E. E. Manuel.....	1 56	4 56
Ed Uvaas.....	2 16	5 16
Peter J. Gunderson.....	1 68	4 68
Geo. E. Welton.....	1 68	4 68
John Hofberger.....	3 36	6 36
M. M. Schoetz.....	1 92	4 92
M. J. Riley.....	1 92	4 92
Philip Arft.....	1 92	4 92
Silas Bullard.....	1 92	4 92
C. W. Kellogg.....	1 80	4 80
Wm. Arnemann.....	1 80	4 80
A. T. Lueckenbach.....	1 80	4 80
A. W. Ehr Gott.....	1 80	4 80
H. C. Nash.....	12	3 12
James Kenny.....	12	3 12
John G. Menzel.....	12	3 12
Herbert A. Atwood.....	12	3 12
Lester H. Lawson.....	12	3 12
John C. Heise.....	12	3 12
Otis F. Chase.....	12	3 12
Edward Ganzer.....	12	3 12
C. A. Dunham.....	12	3 12
Solomon Rhoades.....	12	3 12
Ed M. Wilson.....	36	3 36
Frederick Beduhn.....	12	3 12

Signed,

PHILIP ARFT,
 E. E. MANUEL,
 GEO. E. WELSON,
 O. P. REAM,
 FRED BEDUHN.

Supervisor Arnemann moved report be adopted. Motion carried by the following vote: Ayes 37; absent 2, Gruenhagen and Schoetz

TO SELL OLD IRON.

Supervisor Arnemann asked for authority to sell old iron and pipes after boilers are placed. Motion to grant same carried.

Supervisor Kenny spoke regarding metal roof at poor house needing repairs and paint. Superintendent Appley also recommended that the work be done.

Supervisor Lueckenbach moved work be done and paid for from appropriation for ice house repairs. Motion carried.

FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY CITY OF OSHKOSH

The clerk read letter from Geo E Williams, secretary committee on celebration of 50th anniversary of city of Oshkosh as follows:

J. J. Fish, Esq., City:

DEAR SIR: The committee in charge of the celebration of the Fiftieth anniversary of the city of Oshkosh, take pleasure in inviting through you the board of supervisors and all county officials to take part in the parade, which will be had on next Wednesday at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Trusting that you will bring this matter to the attention of the board and the different county officials,

I remain yours truly,

GEO. E. WILLIAMS, *Secretary.*

Supervisor Lueckenbach moved that invitation be accepted and that as many of the board attend as possible. Carried.

Supervisor Ganzer moved that all members who could do so meet at supervisors' room at the court house for parade at 9:30 a. m. the 26th. Carried.

Supervisor Arnemann said the members wished to present Mr. Harrington, retiring chairman, a token of their esteem but as Mr. Harrington could not be found moved that the presentation be deferred until the 26th when the members meet for the parade. Carried.

Supervisor Chase moved to adjourn. Carried. Adjourned.

STATE OF WISCONSIN }
COUNTY OF WINNEBAGO } SS

I hereby certify the above and foregoing to be a true and full copy of the record of proceedings of the County Board of Supervisors of said county at its special session, August 24, 1903.

Dated Oshkosh, Wis., Aug. 26, 1903.

{ SEAL }

J. J. FISH,
County Clerk.

Pursuant to a resolution of the County Board adopted at its special session. August 24, 1903, the members of the board met at the supervisors' room, in the court house, at 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon, on "Oshkosh Day," August 26, 1903, for the purpose of taking part in the semi-centennial celebration of the organization of Oshkosh as a city, Chairman Nash presiding. John Harrington, the retiring chairman, was sent for and called to the desk by Chairman Nash. Supervisor Arnemann then arose, and on behalf of the supervisors, presented Mr. Harrington with a handsome gold watch and chain; and in a brief address expressed the high appreciation and regard of the members of the board for their past chairman. Mr. Harrington was taken completely by surprise, and feelingly thanked the members, not only for their beautiful token of respect and remembrance, but for their unflinching courtesy and consideration in the past, and for their faithful and intelligent devotion to the interests of the tax payers and of the county. The members of the board and county officers, preceded by Chairman Nash and ex-Chairman Harrington then formed and marched in a body to participate in the exercises of the day.

PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
OF
WINNEBAGO COUNTY, WIS.

NOVEMBER SESSION--1903.

TUESDAY—FIRST DAY.

SUPERVISOR'S ROOM, OSHKOSH, WIS.

Nov. 10th, 1903, 10 o'clock a. m.

The County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago county convened in annual session at the Court House in the City of Oshkosh on the 10th day of November, A. D. 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and was called to order by Chairman Nash.

On call of roll all members were present except Supervisors Hofberger and Schoetz, excused.

Supervisor Schroeder subscribed to the oath of office.

Accounts, petitions, etc., presented and referred to appropriate committees.

TO VISIT COUNTY ASYLUM AND POOR FARM.

Supervisor O. F. Chase introduced the following resolution No. 1:

Resolved, By the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that the annual visit thereof to the County Asylum and Poor Farm be made the special order for Tuesday, Nov. 17th, and that an invitation is hereby extended to Dr. W. A. Gordon, Superintendent of the Northern Hospital, ex-Chairman of the County Board, John Harrington, ex-Chairman of the County Board, E. R. Hicks, ex-trustee of the County Asylum, W. C. Kimball, Supervisor of Assessments, J. M. Shea, ex-Superintendent of the County Asylum, A. C. Austin, the county officers, circuit and municipal judges and their court reporters, clerk of the municipal court, superintendent of workhouse, members of the assembly and one representative from each of the newspapers published in the county to accompany said board as their guests.

Further Resolved, That when the Board adjourns on Monday, the 16th, it be to meet at the County Farm on the morning of the 17th, at 9 o'clock a. m. or as soon thereafter as convenient, instead of meeting in the Supervisor's Room, as heretofore.

Also that the County Clerk be directed to immediately notify Superintendent Appleby of said intended visit, giving date thereof.

Supervisor Kenny moved to strike out that part of report instructing Clerk to notify Supt. Appleby. Motion lost. Report adopted.

OUTLAWED COUNTY ORDERS.

Clerk read Report No. 1 of outlawed county orders to be cancelled as follows:

To the Honorable, the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis:

GENTLEMEN: In compliance with the provisions of Sec. 688, Chapter 36 of the Revised Statutes, I herewith present a descriptive list of outlawed county orders and would recommend that the same be compared with the order books and the orders described therein (if found correct) be cancelled and destroyed.

November 10, 1903.

J. J. FISH.

No. of Order	Book	Name	Date	Amt.
664	T	Dr. J. T. Ruoe.....	Mch. 14, 1900	\$ 25
67	U	Rosa Hultz.....	Dec. 5, 1900	86
94	U	C. Yagers.....	" " "	1 16
96	U	Ernest Stevens.....	" " "	1 16
138	U	Richard Powers.....	" " "	83
111	U	Geo. Tindler.....	" " "	83
137	U	Barbara Kolf.....	" " "	83
142	U	C. J. Nesbitt.....	" " "	1 20
143		Elmer Crandall.....	" " "	1 40
145		Michael Garrity.....	" " "	1 08
152		Harvey Blake.....	" " "	83
205		Jay Bouldin.....	" 6, "	1 20
219		Ida Schmidt.....	" " "	83
219		Louisa Schuiting.....	" " "	83
223		J. Foss.....	" " "	2 08
234		Mary Foss.....	" " "	2 08
235		Ida Langlotz.....	" " "	1 08
240		John Kletke.....	" " "	83
246	U	Amil Mancho.....	" " "	83
248	U	Fred Finske.....	" " "	83
251	U	J. L. Courtney.....	" " "	83
271	U	Herman Shuman.....	" " "	1 16
273	U	Anton Beckman.....	" " "	1 16
327	U	Erna Tull.....	" 7, "	1 08
328	U	August Japp.....	" " "	1 08
335	U	John Lucy.....	" " "	1 91
338	U	David Morehouse.....	" " "	1 91
363	U	Robert Anger.....	" " "	50
373	U	Chas. Kersen.....	" " "	83
374	U	Edward Schubert.....	" " "	83
375	U	Herman Schmidt.....	" " "	83
393	U	Wm. Neff.....	" " "	83
395	U	A. E. Zilmer.....	" " "	83
396	U	John Kelly.....	" " "	83
399	U	Clyde Pollock.....	" " "	83

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No. of Order	Book	Name	Date	Amt.
401	U	Emma Weise.....	Dec. 7, 1900	83
415	U	Chas. Lunden.....	" " "	1 08
416	U	Wm. Mack.....	" " "	1 08
427	U	Chas. Kempf.....	" " "	83
428	U	Willie Kempf.....	" " "	83
429	U	Gustave Fratzke.....	" " "	1 66
430	U	Hattie Fratzke.....	" " "	1 66
431	U	Carl Hagert.....	" " "	1 66
432	U	Lucile Freda.....	" " "	1 66
433	U	Lizzie Fratzke.....	" " "	83
434	U	Frede Bell.....	" " "	83
435	U	Jennie Sippl.....	" " "	83
436	U	Moritz Wolf.....	" " "	1 08
481	U	Chas. Nichols.....	" " "	1 72
482	U	Ralph Nichols.....	" " "	1 72
483	U	Abram Botoh.....	" " "	83
484	U	John Botoh.....	" " "	83
524	U	Geo. Simonds.....	Jan. 12, 1901	50
542	U	Mary A. Hughes.....	" " "	83
571	U	August Hedke.....	Mch. 15, "	83
572	U	Augusta Hedke.....	" " "	83
590	U	Albert Naubauer.....	" " "	83
582	U	Theodore Rudiszki.....	" " "	83
593	U	Wm. Chase.....	" " "	83
594	U	W. R. Church.....	" " "	83
608	U	W. B. Cankins.....	" " "	96
615	U	Mrs. J. C. Nelson.....	" " "	83
678	U	Anna Rogers.....	" " "	75
681	U	Paul Poneth.....	" " "	2 95
691	U	John Melcher.....	" " "	83
700	U	Paulina Brethaur.....	" " "	83
706	U	Annie Braze.....	" " "	1 66
740	U	Peter Robertson.....	" " "	83
748	U	Peter Wing.....	" " "	1 16
768	U	John Pipkle.....	" 18, "	1 99
782	U	Chas. Hansen.....	" " "	91
785	U	Emily Van Diater.....	" " "	91
786	U	Choe Hicks.....	" " "	91
791	U	Wm. Brunstine.....	" " "	1 16
802	U	Paul Schug.....	" " "	83
805	U	Joseph Urbin.....	" " "	5 15
815	U	Ernest Meyer.....	Nov. 29, 1901	83
881	U	Robert Walters.....	" " "	1 16
897	U	Tracy Youngworth.....	" " "	1 12
898	U	Paul Youngworth.....	" " "	1 12
899	U	Robert Walters.....	" " "	1 08
906	U	Mary Christenson.....	" " "	1 08
930	U	Alley Goulan.....	" " "	83
932	U	Fred Busch.....	" " "	1 32
933	U	Robert Boyce.....	" " "	83
939	U	Geo. Lehman.....	" " "	74
941	U	Mrs. Wendt.....	" " "	1 16
942	U	D. W. Smidt.....	" " "	1 16
943	U	Anna Weban.....	" " "	1 16
944	U	Marie Weydeski.....	" " "	1 08
945	U	John Urbau.....	" " "	1 08

No. of Order	Book	Name	Date	Amt.
946	U	Eva Urban	Nov. 29, 1901	1 08
948	U	Ernest Boeckman.....	" " "	1 16
949	U	Martin Mulrany.....	" " "	83
951	U	Geo. Hietiel.....	" " "	62
985	U	Mrs. Mary Webber.....	" " "	83
386	V	Dr. H. G. Martin.....	Dec. 3, 1900	25
387	V	Dr. W. H. Williams.....	" " "	25
392	V	Dr. Z. M. Lonby.....	" " "	25
393	V	Dr. A. C. Howard.....	" " "	75
404	V	Dr. J. A. Hepfelt.....	" " "	25
417	V	Dr. E. Kelgross.....	" " "	25
423	V	Dr. G. M. Goodrick.....	" " "	25
427	V	Dr. W. Z. Lannigan.....	" " "	25
432	V	Dr. H. A. Grimes.....	" " "	1 25
435	V	C. W. L. Zimmerman.....	" " "	1 00
438	V	Dr. A. W. Kanause.....	" " "	25
439	V	Dr. Edgar C. Barnes.....	" " "	25
455	V	C. W. L. Zimmerman.....	" " "	10 65
457	V	George Jones.....	" " "	15
469	V	J. Martin.....	" " "	15
470	V	G. P. McKenney.....	" " "	15
652	V	H. E. Barnes.....	Jan. 11, 1901	1 00
677	V	A. Z. Howard.....	" " "	25
684	V	M. A. Streeter.....	" " "	25
685	V	N. Pappe.....	" " "	25
690		Ed Mattan.....	" " "	30
698		Ray Williams.....	" 12 "	30
701		Fred Kunde.....	" " "	45
712		Geo. McCallan.....	" 22 "	5 35
713		Wm. Kanrod.....	" " "	7 25
913		J. M. Smick.....	Mch. 15, 1901	1 15

The report was referred to the Finance Committee

PURCHASING AGENT'S ACCOUNTS.

The Clerk read Report No. 1½, as Purchasing Agent:

To the Honorable, the County Board of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: Following is the itemized statement of the amounts expended by me, as Purchasing Agent, from January 1, 1903, to November 1, 1903, inclusive, for books, printing, blanks, stamps, stationery, fuel and miscellaneous supplies, vouchers for which are on file in the office of the county clerk:

No.	In whose favor Drawn.	Nature of account.	Amount.
1	E. M. Crane,	postage stamps.....	\$25 00
2	John M. Hurn,	type writing books and ribbon.....	2 00
3	M. E. Barnett,	ink and stationery.....	5 45
4	P. M. Wright,	stationery for register of deeds.....	9 15
5	Medberry Findelson Co.,	paper and envelopes.....	3 35
6	John M. Hurn,	pads, diary, etc., for district attorney.....	2 15
7	" " "	books for sheriff.....	1 65
8	The Medberry Findelson Co.,	ink wells.....	2 25
9	P. M. Wright,	printing bill heads.....	3 50
10	E. M. Crane P. M.,	postal cards.....	1 00

No	In whose favor drawn	Nature of account	Amount
11	Merle Tuttle, mortgage blanks.....		25
12	O. McCorrison, feather dusters.....		3 90
13	George E. Burdick, freight and parcel delivery.....		1 00
14	West Disinfecting Co., Chloro Naphtholeum for jail.....		25 00
15	Ford & Lawson, blanks for register of deeds.....		1 50
16	The Whitney Mfg. Co., document files.....		2 50
17	J. J. Fish, express, etc.....		1 20
18	S. V. Sanger & Co., pens.....		5 00
19	L. H. Kimball P. M., postage stamps.....		50 00
20	M. J. Rounds, paper weight.....		1 50
21	Geo. Mayer, repairing clock for county treasurer.....		1 50
22	Campbell & Cameron, wood.....		5 50
23	Castle Pierce Printing Co., stationery, printing, etc., for register, treasurer and sheriff.....		9 15
24	The Warwick & Cole Co., coal and wood.....		823 79
25	Mueller & Hafeman, book for entering advertised sales.....		2 00
26	J. J. Fish, express.....		45
27	The H. G. Razall Mfg. Co., stationery.....		20 05
28	L. Hilton, clock.....		4 25
29	U. S. Express Co., express.....		45
30	James & Edwards, stationery for clerk of court.....		3 60
31	J. C. Klinker, tax deed notice.....		5 00
32	M. E. Barnett & Co., rubber bands.....		18 00
33	The H. G. Razall Mfg. Co., order books.....		30 00
34	M. E. Barnett & Co., pens.....		6 60
35	Medberry Findelson Co., stationery, envelopes, etc.....		21 19
35	Ernst Sarau, stationery for register.....		5 40
37	Bates Mfg. Co., repair numbering machine.....		2 53
39	Mueller & Hafeman, books for clerk of court.....		27 00
39	J. J. Fish, miscellaneous supplies.....		1 39
40	U. S. Express Co., book from Milwaukee for clerk of court.....		35
41	The H. G. Razall Mfg. Co., book for register of deeds.....		18 00
42	The Hicks Printing Co., county map.....		3 00
43	John M. Hurn, books for county clerk.....		3 00
44	Wm. Hawthorne, merchandise for court room.....		2 60
45	J. J. Fish, sponges.....		56
46	News Publishing Co., blanks for soldiers' relief committee.....		4 00
47	U. S. Express Co., road warrants from Milwaukee.....		45
48	The Warwick & Cole Co., coal and wood.....		280 34
49	L. H. Kimball P. M., postage stamps.....		25 00
50	M. J. Rounds, printed postal cards.....		1 75
51	Ford & Lawson, stationery for circuit and county court.....		12 65
52	J. W. F. Decker, flower pots for janitor.....		2 94
53	Duggan Printing Co., blanks for register, treasurer, clerk of court and county clerk.....		5 77
1	" " " blanks for register, treasurer, clerk of court and county clerk.....		9 43
2	John O'Brien, waste basket.....		1 00
3	Duggan Printing Co., blanks for county judge.....		12 25
4	Campbell Cameron Co., wood.....		4 81
5	The H G Razall Mfg. Co., stationery.....		14 90
6	J J Fish, paid express, etc.....		1 05
7	J C Klinker, printing tax deed blanks.....		2 00
8	Mueller & Hafeman, books for treasurer.....		17 75
9	L H Kimball, postage stamps.....		25 00
10	M J Rounds, brush.....		1 00

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

No	In whose favor drawn	Nature of account	Amount
11	E M Crane P. M.,	postage stamps for D M Shea	3 00
12	The Warwick & Cole Co.,	coal	80 51
13	H G Razall Mfg. Co.,	books for treasurer and clerk of court	32 50
14	Ernst Sarau,	calendar for clerk of court	40 00
15	The H G Razall Mfg. Co.,	tax certificate book for county treasurer	11 50
16	J J Fish,	paid express	75
17	The Hicks Printing Co.,	county map for D M Shea	3 00
18	The Morgan Co.,	wood	2 00
19	J J Fish,	miscellaneous supplies	1 00
20	Duggan Printing Co.,	printing blanks for register	13 35
21	Allen & Weidner,	envelopes for sheriff	3 50
22	L H Kimball,	postage stamps	25 00
23	The H G Razall Mfg. Co.,	stationery	4 95
24	The Morgan Co.,	wood	4 00
25	Frank P Gillen,	laundry for court house	2 10
26	Ernst Sarau,	postal cards for clerk of courts	1 75
27	Castle Pierce Printing Co.,	seal for probate court	5 40
28	Superintendent Public Property,	town laws	3 00
29	Robt. Hellard,	blank books	50
30	J M Hurn,	blank books	25
31	Geo. Stinn,	envelopes for register of deeds	4 50
32	Castle Pierce Printing Co.,	rubber stamps	50
33	E M Crane P. M.,	postage stamps	25 00
34	John Harrington,	paid for map for D M Shea	7 00
35	The H G Razall Mfg. Co.,	book for clerk of courts	15 00
36	P M Wright,	supervisor cards	5 00
37	H C Miller & Co.,	book for register of deeds	15 00
38	Duggan Printing Co.,	blanks for county judge and clerk	16 60
39	Ernst Sarau,	blanks for sheriff and register of deeds	8 25
40	Ford & Lawson,	stationery for probate clerk	10 60
41	Ernst Sarau,	blanks for county judge	25
42	John M Hurn,	envelopes for county clerk	50
43	J J Fish,	express and miscellaneous supplies	3 85
44	Remington Typewriter Co.,	repairs for typewriter	1 30
45	L H Kimball P. M.,	postage stamps	25
46	C W Dougherty,	map	98
47	The H G Razall Mfg. Co.,	books for register of deeds	18 00
48	Allen & Weidner,	books for register of deeds	20 75
49	E M Crane P. M.,	postage stamps (one-cent) for county clerk	1 00
50	Ernst Sarau,	blanks for register of deeds	5 75
51	The News Publishing Co.,	blanks for clerk of court	10 00
52	John M Hurn,	stationery for register and Shea	6 00
53	E M Crane P. M.,	postage stamps	5 00
54	The H G Razall Mfg. Co.,	record book for supervisor and county clerk	18 00
55	Frank P Gillen,	laundry for court house	1 25
56	The Globe Printing Co.,	letter heads for Dr. Brown	2 50
57	E M Crane P. M.,	envelopes for county clerk	10 70
58	L H Kimball,	postage stamps	25 00
59	Geo. D Barnard & Co.,	books for clerk of court	35 00
60	Campbell & Cameron Co.,	fuel	4 81
61	G F Eastman,	typewriter supplies for W C Kimball	2 75
62	City of Neenah,	city map for D M Shea	5 00
63	Dinsmore Typewriter Co.,	ribbon for probate clerk	75
64	Ernst Sarau,	blanks for county judge	2 75
65	" " " " "	treasurer	1 00
66	J J Fish,	paid for stationery	1 35
67	Thos. A Wakeman,	acid for janitor	70

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

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No	In whose favor drawn	Nature of account	Amount
68	M E Barnett & Co., pens, etc.....		7 60
69	W E Glover, rural directory.....		1 50
70	Ford and Lawson, envelopes.....		1 75
Total.....			\$1659 59

RECAPITULATION.

Freight and express.....	\$ 9 55
Printing.....	97 70
Blanks and books.....	331 50
Stamps.....	242 70
Fuel.....	710 76
Stationery.....	164 39
Miscellaneous.....	102 99
Total.....	\$1659 59

Dated this 1st day of November, 1903

J. J. FISH, *Purchasing Agent.*

Referred to the Finance Committee.

Supervisor Chase moved that the election of officers be made the special order of business for Wednesday, Nov. 18th, at 10 o'clock a. m. Carried.

Supervisor Beduhn moved to adjourn for committee work. Carried. Adjourned.

WEDNESDAY—SECOND DAY.

SUPERVISOR'S ROOM, OSHKOSH, WIS.

Nov. 11, 1903, 9 o'clock A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, Chairman Nash presiding. Present full board.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved

Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

DOCKET OF A. H. GOSS, MUNICIPAL JUDGE.

Supervisor Kenny read report No. 2, as follows:

To the County Board of Winnebago County, Wis:

The undersigned, supervisor of the second ward, city of Oshkosh, in Winnebago county, would respectfully report that he has examined the dockets of Judge A. H. Goss of the municipal court and find that he has received (\$448.00) four hundred forty eight dollars for fines from Nov. 1, 1902, to Oct. 31, 1903, which sum has been paid to Treasurer Spink. Of this sum \$45.00 was paid to the county March 22, 1903, and the balance (\$403.00) will be paid to the county treasurer in

March, 1904, which is the time of settlement between the county of Winnebago and the city of Oshkosh.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES KENNY, *Supervisor.*

The report was adopted.

Supervisor Kenny asked that the Poor and Poor Farm committees be excused to attend to a matter at the Poor Farm. Request granted.

TRUSTEES' ANNUAL REPORT.

To the Honorable County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis.:

GENTLEMEN: You will notice upon examination of this report that we have separated the expense account of the Asylum from the Poor House and Poor Farm, and the tabulated expenses of the Poor Farm is only itemized from January 1, 1903, for the reason that no records were available to make an itemized report for months of October, November and December of 1902. We have secured record books for the Poor Farm, and hereafter, whether the two institutions are under one head or not, an intelligent report can be made.

We desire to thank your honorable body for the liberal appropriation, (\$4,500) made at the last session of the county board for boilers. The trustees acting with the Committee on Insane let the contract February 23, 1903, to Battis Bros. of Oshkosh, for two 150 horse power boilers, of the Scotch Marine type, to be placed in the boiler room at the county asylum, for the sum of \$4,352.50. Owing to strikes, etc, and some unnecessary delays, the work was not completed as soon as the contract called for and has caused the management at the asylum a great inconvenience. However, at this writing, the work is nearly completed. The Building Committee will, doubtless, render a report as to the disposition of the old boilers. There certainly ought to be power enough to light the poor house and barn with electric light, and that can be done at any time.

We made contracts for coal at \$3.35 per ton and purchased 1026 tons of Illinois screen lump coal. Our coal shed would not hold this amount of coal and we have been obliged to pile some outside; but we prefer this rather than run short of coal in mid-winter and have to pay \$6.50 per ton, as we were obliged to do last winter for a short time.

The attic in the third story of the asylum has been finished for a sleeping apartment for the best class of patients, and we find it a great convenience, besides increasing the capacity of the building. A fire escape has been built but needs an extension to make it complete, which will be done soon.

Total cost of furnishing the attic.....	\$386.65
Total cost of the fire escape.....	90.00

Tile floors have been put in the kitchen, and all the bath rooms,

which add not only to the looks and convenience of the building, but helps the sanitary condition as well. Total cost of tile floors, \$669.80.

Many minor changes have been made and new ideas in the conduct of the institution introduced by the new management, looking toward the making of the asylum homelike for the patients, all of which we approve. In fact, our aim has been, and will continue to be, to make the asylum approach as nearly as possible a pleasant home for the inmates. A new range has been placed in the asylum during the year to replace the old one which was worn out. Cost of range \$175.00.

There has been considerable discussion for the past two years as regards the erection of a water tower and tank at the asylum for the purpose of supplying the asylum and poor house with water, and furnishing additional fire protection. There are several reasons why this should be done:

I. The poor house is now supplied with water pumped by a gasoline engine into a tank in the upper part of the building. Gasoline power is unreliable at best, and if the poor house could be connected with the large water supply at the asylum it would be a great convenience.

II. The tank in the asylum building is badly rusted and should be replaced by a new one.

III. The tank in the asylum is too small, holding only one hundred and ten barrels.

IV. The tank in the asylum building is not high enough to supply the third story with water unless it is kept full all the time. The hydrants, which are connected with the Northern Hospital and upon which they give us a powerful direct pressure in time of fire, furnish a splendid fire protection, so if that were the only reason for erecting a tower we would say that we could dispense with it; but the reasons above set forth, we believe, make it plainly a necessity.

Following is a tabulated statement of the expense account for the Asylum from June 30, 1902, to July 1, 1903:

MONTH.	Wages and Salaries	Subsistence	Fuel and Lights	Clothing	Furniture	Repairs	Miscellaneous	Total Current Expenses	Permanent Improvements
July.....	\$519 79	\$601 52	\$1327 99	\$96 24	.....	\$14 73	\$60 26	\$2647 53	.....
August.....	515 09	559 21	902 46	117 57	.....	78 98	45 58	2218 89	.....
September.....	608 54	486 29	19 63	154 89	.....	88 95	53 56	1309 85	\$198 50
October.....	515 67	602 51	3 60	277 23	\$40 24	100 62	119 12	1658 99	52 02
November.....	517 67	596 23	6 80	238 42	1 25	.....	101 98	1464 35	.....
December.....	543 67	514 66	62 30	31 55	.....	78 94	144 55	1375 67	.....
January.....	479 08	465 24	657 71	55 55	1 35	17 46	76 53	1753 52	.....
February.....	550 33	393 48	921 48	122 67	43 80	48 31	106 93	2196 00	8 25
March.....	560 36	463 59	9 35	109 06	.....	51 18	35 59	1229 13	.....
April.....	523 67	439 15	321 20	106 06	20 00	20 08	125 35	1555 53	144 79
May.....	530 33	432 14	381 44	145 77	23 18	154 19	49 17	1716 24	186 64
June.....	513 09	544 89	110 18	28 17	.....	145 40	23 85	1362 06	.....
Total.....	\$2821 89	\$6100 90	\$4724 14	\$1481 20	\$129 82	\$828 84	\$940 97	\$20487 76	\$590 20

The following is a tabulated statement of the expense account for the Poor Farm from Sept. 30, 1902, to October 1, 1903:

MONTH.	Wages and Salaries	Subsistence	Fuel and Lights	Clothing	Furniture	Repairs	Miscellaneous	Total Current Expenses	Permanent Improvements
October.....								\$501 54	
November.....								574 08	
December.....								780 26	
January.....	\$218 56	\$242 41	\$10 45	\$12 69	\$ 1 60	\$23 51	\$ 45 45	554 67	
February.....	136 00	585 70	7 50	4 50	30 00	42 70	121 53	927 93	\$48 53
March.....	135 00	194 52	4 40	5 20		61 55	16 48	417 15	
April.....	167 20	385 95	4 40	2 30		60 71	7 97	637 53	
May.....	172 00	172 39	4 40	18 10		95 44	2 80	454 93	
June.....	172 00	306 17	577 41	6 50		163 49	2 10	1127 67	
July.....	172 00	156 51	10 10	11 59		100 85		451 16	
August.....	163 78	148 74	3 65	48 00		53 33	7 39	424 91	
September.....	170 80	224 42	7 11	53 32		3 25	6 97	465 87	
Total.....	\$1507 34	\$2318 81	\$629 42	\$162 20	\$31 60	\$613 95	\$210 49	\$7307 64	\$48 53

There has been 10064-1 weeks' board furnished inmates of the County Asylum for the last fiscal year, and 2692-4 weeks' board furnished inmates of the Poor House for the past year.

Per capita in the asylum. \$1 88
Per capita in the poor house. 2 13

The following is a statement of the earnings of the institution for the past year:

Due from State for County insane.	9685 08
“ “ “ “ State at large insane	1457 30
“ “ other counties, care of insane.	9632 50
“ “ our own county, care of insane.	11661 50
Received for sale of iron, etc., and paid to county treasurer.	82 08
Amount paid county treasurer for support of insane.	672 13
Amount received from trustees Jan. 5, 1903.	50 66
Total earnings.	\$33241 25

CONTRA CREDIT.

Asylum orders paid.	\$21077 96
Interest on bonds paid.	2385 00
Bonds paid during the year.	5500 00
Total earnings.	\$28962 96
Balance in favor of asylum fund.	\$4278 29

EARNINGS OF COUNTY POOR FARM FOR LAST FISCAL YEAR.

Due from towns, cities and villages, care of poor.	\$3034 94
Due from our own county, care of poor.	1364 96
Sale of farm produce turned over to county treasurer.	675 76
Insurance on hay and feed, turned into county treasury.	1032 00
	\$6107 66

CONTRA CREDIT.

By Poor Farm orders paid for nine months.	\$5520 34
By amounts paid by Poor Farm committee for three months.	1835 83
Total.	\$7356 17
Balance against Poor Fund.	\$1248 83

BONDS STILL UNPAID.

To state.	\$37000 00
To Farson, Leach & Co.	17500 00
Total unpaid.	\$54500 00

Following is a list of patients who have died in the asylum and left small amounts of money which is in the hands of the superintendent. We recommend that the money be ordered by a resolution turned into the county treasury.

	Amount.
Edward Becker.	\$ 80
J G Clark.	2 06
Geo. W Bawder.	94
Philip De Forth.	75

	Amount
Christ Dahl.....	21 75
Mary Freeman.....	2 00
Ole Hanson.....	50
Hans Johnson.....	5 70
Wm. Kelly.....	6 22
Richard Lodeman.....	2 17
Rosa Thies.....	37
Fred R Thompson.....	1 00
Christian Voss.....	2 59
John Wiltgen.....	05
Geo. Yagers.....	00
Ernest Saline.....	52
James Smith.....	96
Gustav Goetz.....	36
John Powers.....	1 91
P C Clifford (no record).....	9 70
Ole Halverson.....	5 00
Total.....	\$86 97

You will find hereto attached the report of Supt. C. F. Appley for the Poor Farm giving amount of produce raised, population, etc. Also the report of County Physician Dr. F. W. A. Brown, reporting deaths, sanitary condition, etc.

A great many things might be said in praise of the new management at the asylum. It has been highly satisfactory to us.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS HOUGH,
W. W. NOBLE,

Trustees.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE INSANE ASYLUM
AND POOR FARM OF WINNEBAGO COUNTY FOR YEAR
ENDING JUNE 30, 1903.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand Sept. 30, 1902, working fund.....	\$ 150 00
Amount received from sale of farm produce, etc., from poor farm.....	675 76
Working fund received Jan. 5, 1903.....	230 76
Sale of old iron, etc., from asylum.....	82 08
Received from trustees Jan. 3, 1903.....	50 66
Total amount received.....	\$1189 26

DISBURSEMENTS.

Sale of farm produce, etc.....	\$675 76
Sale of old iron, etc., from asylum.....	82 08
Amount from trustees Jan. 3, 1903.....	50 66
Total.....	\$808 50
Balance on hand.....	\$380 76

PRODUCE.

	No. Bushels or Pounds	Price	Total Amt.
Apples, bushels.....	225	50	\$ 112 50
Parsnips, bushels.....	110	50	55 00
Butter, pounds.....	4842	20	480 40

	No bushels or pounds	Price	Total Amt
Rye, bushels.....	38	40	15 20
Oats, bushels.....	2300	34	782 00
Corn, ears, bushels.....	3000	20	600 00
Potatoes, bushels.....	1148	50	574 00
Onions, bushels.....	1400	35	490 00
Carrots, bushels.....	600		90 00
Mangles, bushels.....	4000	10	400 00
Beets, bushels.....	600	25	150 00
Rutabagas, bushels.....	150	40	60 00
Beans, bushels.....	118	2 00	236 00
Cucumbers, bushels.....	163	25	40 75
Tomatoes, bushels.....	160	25	40 00
Hay, tons.....	124	8 00	992 00
Tobacco, pounds.....	1900	06	144 00
Asparagus, bunches.....	400		20 00
Pie Plant, pounds.....	800	01	8 00
Black Berries, quarts.....	80	08	6 40
Radishes, bushels.....	100	25	25 00
Canned goods, quarts.....	1150	25	287 50
Dill Pickels, barrels.....	6	5 00	30 00
Ground Cherries, bushels.....	20	75	15 00
Straw, tons.....	75	3 00	225 00
Squash (winter), number.....	450	04	18 00
Squash (summer) number.....	1000	01	10 00
Cabbage, number.....	8000	02	160 00
Sauerkraut, barrels.....	12	3 00	36 00
Corn Stalks, loads.....	70	3 00	210 00
Pork, slaughtered, pounds.....	14789	08 1/4	1257 13
Beef, slaughtered, pounds.....	2665	05	132 25
Chickens, slaughtered, pounds.....	300	08	24 00
Eggs, dozens.....	290		46 40
Raspberries, quarts.....	225	08	18 00
Strawberries, quarts.....	250	06	15 00
String Beans, bushels.....	60	50	30 00
Green Peas, bushels.....	80	50	40 00
Lettuce, bushels.....	60	06	3 60
Green Corn, bushels.....	230	30	69 00
Melons, number.....	1000	04	40 00
Currants, bushels.....	4 1/2	1 00	4 50
Gooseberries, bushels.....	1 1/4	1 00	1 25
Total.....			\$7984 88

POPULATION POOR HOUSE.

	Male	Female	Total
Whole number Sept. 30, 1902.....	34	16	50
Whole number born during year.....		1	1
Whole number otherwise received.....	8	8	16
Total population.....	42	25	67
Number discharged during the year.....	6	4	10
Number died during the year.....	2	1	3
Total loss of population during the year.....	8	5	13
Number remaining Sept. 30, 1903.....	34	20	54

POPULATION INSANE ASYLUM.

	Male	Female	Total
Whole number in county asylum June 30, 1902.....	117	82	199
Whole number transferred from state hospital.....	17	9	26
Whole number returned from leave of absence.....	3	2	5
Total population.....	137	93	230
Whole number discharged during the year.....	13	5	18
Whole number out on leave of absence.....	2	1	3
Whole number died during the year.....	7	3	11
Whole number remaining June 30, 1903.....	115	83	198
		Weeks	Days
Number weeks board furnished insane.....		10064	1
Number weeks board furnished poor.....		2692	4
Total weeks board furnished all patients.....		12756	5
The cost per capita, in asylum \$1.88; in poor house \$2.13.			

AMOUNT DUE FOR CARE OF INMATES.

For care of insane—

From state for county insane.....	\$ 9685 08
" " at large.....	1457 30
" our own county.....	11661 50
" Mariette ".....	1309 37
" Bayfield ".....	254 67
" Florence ".....	330 28
" Lincoln ".....	748 60
" Taylor ".....	578 61
" Ashland ".....	523 18
" Douglas ".....	329 34
" Iron ".....	452 06
" Calumet ".....	168 76
" Oconto ".....	807 64
" Waushara ".....	781 98
" Green Lake ".....	813 74
" Oneida ".....	271 60
" Langlade ".....	171 09
" Shawano ".....	640 97
" Vilas ".....	209 49
" Marquette ".....	163 61
" Wood ".....	330 46
" Kewaunee ".....	305 33
" Portage ".....	194 23
" Price ".....	83 26
" Waupaca ".....	134 23
Total for insane.....	\$32436 38

For care of poor—

From city of Oshkosh.....	\$ 1466 79
" " Menasha.....	445 13
" " Neenah.....	424 98
" Winnebago county.....	1364 96
" Town of Rushford.....	163 96
" " Winchester.....	159 56
" " Black Wolf.....	166 19
" " Omro.....	84 26
" " Neenab.....	43 80

From town of Winneconne.....	80 27
Total for poor.....	\$ 4399 90
Total amount due.....	36836 28

COUNTY FARM, Sept. 30, 1903.

I hereby certify that the within report is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. F. APPLEY,
Superintendent

Supervisor Schoetz asked Trustee Noble for information regarding some parts of report which was given.

Supervisor Chase moved to refer report to Finance committee carried.

COUNTY PHYSICIAN'S REPORT.

County Physician F. W. A. Brown read his annual report, No. 4, as follows:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wisconsin.

GENTLEMEN: In submitting my annual report as your County Physician, I wish to express my thanks to the superintendents of the county institutions for their unflinching courtesy, and hearty co-operation in everything pertaining to the welfare of the unfortunates under their charge.

COUNTY ASYLUM.

In this institution there has been an earnest effort put forth to make the surroundings more homelike, and with this end in view cosy seats have been provided, which, while much appreciated by the patients, also adds materially to the appearance of the rooms.

In addition to the customary modes of entertainment, a Sunday evening song service has been introduced, much to the pleasure of the patients, who eagerly look forward to participating in the next Sunday's singing. A gramophone has also been installed which is a source of much enjoyment. In this connection, I may say, that additional amusements are in contemplation, such as magic lantern shows, concerts, slight of hand performances, etc. If these prove to be useful, the necessity for an amusement hall will be presented for your consideration.

During the present year, the third story has been turned into a dormitory. Its use for such a purpose renders it necessary that a fire escape be provided at once.

No epidemic has occurred, but one of the attendants was unfortunate enough to contract smallpox; he was immediately isolated, a tent being put up for his accommodation. I believe that the vaccination of the inmates the previous year, was instrumental in preventing an epidemic.

The past year has seen seven deaths, all but one being due to chronic conditions. When it is considered that the death rate in institu-

tions of this kind is six times greater than the normal, I think we have a low death rate. The welfare of the patients is carefully looked after by Supt. Appley and his enthusiastic matron, Miss Drussilla Appley. The comfort and well being of the unfortunates under their charge being the chief consideration.

THE POOR HOUSE.

The population in this place is composed of the "wrecks of humanity," some becoming such by their own vicious conduct; some on account of hereditary misfortune; some from disease; some, weak brothers who have "fallen by the wayside" unable to compete in the struggle, and a few from unfortunate accidents effectually preventing them from earning a livelihood.

It is a sad commentary on our modern civilization, that although some of these people have well-to-do relatives, they are a burden upon the county. It seems to me that people who shirk their manifest duty should be compelled to contribute to their relatives support or in default held up to public execration.

So many of the inmates are feeble and infirm that it is a wonder no accident to lamps has caused a fire. Now that the new boilers are in place, I would urge upon the board the immediate lighting of the building by electricity.

THE WORK HOUSE.

I have not been called to this place this year. I have however visited it and found everything eminently satisfactory.

THE COUNTY JAIL.

I have nothing but commendation for the manner in which those in this institution are treated by the sheriff and his assistants.

This summer's wet weather has, however, brought into prominence a state of affairs which should be remedied. During the summer the prevailing condition was one of dampness. In fact, the walls of the prison were as wet as if water had been dashed upon them; even the bed clothes were moist. This condition, I believe, is caused by defective ventilation. I would advise that the services of a competent architect be obtained to secure proper ventilation, and prevent a recurrence of a condition so fraught with menace to the health of any one confined here.

CRIME.

THE CRIMINAL AND THE INDETERMINATE SENTENCE.

From time immemorial there has been a constant struggle of society to protect itself against the criminal class; with what result, the multiplication of jails, prisons and reformatories tell only too well. There is a more or less constant stream going to or being discharged

from them, therefore a study of the criminal becomes a more and more pressing necessity.

Mr. Boies, in his admirable work on Penology says:

"It is the province of science to discover the laws, and of preachers, philanthropists, sociologists and political economists, from the pulpit, the rostrum and the press to educate the public into a knowledge and acceptance of the fundamental principles which govern the subject. Then, when popular sentiment has compelled what Buckle calls 'the most useful of all legislation, the repeal of former legislation,' and the enactment of an entirely new and comprehensive code of criminal law, in accord with these principles, some positive and useful result will ensue from the tremendous struggle with the criminal class."

The report of the National Prison association for 1900 estimates the cost of crime to be the enormous sum of \$600,000,000 a year.

Can any part of this be saved, and can any of the criminals be reformed?

Statistics do not show any decrease in crime nor in the proportion of criminals.

In spite of our prisons, jails, reformatories, etc., crime is an ever present menace. Scarcely an issue of any paper that does not contain a more or less extended account of some crime.

According to the prevailing criminal code, the criminal is punished by sentences, more or less severe, which vary according to the offense committed, that is, a balance is struck, and the commission of an offense is expiated by the payment of a fine or imprisonment. But this condition has not diminished crime, which the infliction of punishment is supposed to do; therefore, is it not evident that the criminal code, as at present constituted, is a failure?

Criminal codes are more or less the old *lex talionis* an "eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth."

If then criminal codes are failures—the question is asked, why? If certain stated punishments for certain crimes do not deter others from committing crime, therefore, it must follow that the fear of punishment does not deter crime. We must then seek for an explanation of why crime exists.

For centuries the unfortunate person who had become insane was treated by the most barbarous methods. He was loaded with chains, immured in dungeons, whipped and scourged, and regarded more or less as a wild beast. No improvement in his condition obtained, but with the spread of knowledge that the extravagances committed were nothing more or less than the manifestations of a disordered intellect, the unfortunate was placed under the care of the physician, and by the kind and humane treatment necessarily given him, many cures have been effected, and those who are chronically insane are given the benefits of an enlightened humanitarianism.

Upon the criminal has been inflicted, at times, the most fiendish

torture that ingenuity could devise. At the time when these conditions obtained and when human life was taken by the state in fancied expiation of crime, and the day of execution looked upon as a holiday life was never held more cheaply and crime was rampant

If then, the fear of punishment does not deter crime, even when associated with horrible torture, we must look for the cause in the individual; and as an insane person is one who is mentally depraved, so a criminal is one who is morally depraved. Therefore it follows that crime is the result of moral depravity on the part of the criminal.

Given a certain population, there will be a definite proportion of defectives; blind; deaf; deformed; insane and criminal. It is estimated that two per cent of the population belongs to the criminal class. That is, two people out of every hundred who can not or will not be governed by the safeguards which society has thrown out for its protection, and who prey upon the industry and intelligence of those who obey the law.

From what sources then is this two per cent criminal parasitic class recruited? Mr. Boies says it is "largely composed of criminals, the offspring of criminals and depraved parents; defective, orphaned, illegitimate, abandoned, neglected and incorrigible children, the progeny of debased, poverty enveloped in an environment of corruption. Many have inherited the criminal taint; the rest are becoming saturated with it from their surroundings. Their environment arrests the development of the altruistic moral faculties, and stimulates into abnormal growth the selfish abnormal instincts. As the progress of civilization and the condensation of population is largely responsible for this product, and society must suffer for it and bear the burden of its refined criminality, it is incumbent upon society to assume its care in the plastic age and exert itself to train it up into good citizenship. * * * Drunkenness, prostitution, the neglect of parental training of children, parental abandonment, orphanage, the depraved from other lands, constitutional deterioration from luxurious and vicious living, ignorance, a partial education, irreligion, incompetence for or an aversion to continuous work, social conditions producing a super-stimulated desire for indulgences honestly unattainable, ungoverned passions and perhaps the popular American sentiment of freedom and independence encouraging an inordinate egotism, selfish importance, and defiance of restraint, these are the principal social sources and causes of criminality in our country."

Mr. H. M. Boies states that of the 10,000 convicts examined by Mr. Brockway at Elmira, 28.8 per cent were non moral, having no vestige of the sense of pity or probity; 43.1 per cent were immoral below the average of safe inhabitancy; 22.6 per cent normal as usual; 5.5 per cent superstitious or abnormal. He states that "criminal codes must be designed to correct the moral depravity of culprits."

If it be true that imprisonment as punishment has little remedial

value and that ninety per cent of the convicts discharged from prison return to a criminal life, then it follows, that for the protection of society a criminal should be confined for life, that is, his criminal life.

Taking the experience of the Elmira prison as reported in the year book of the most admirable system in vogue in that institution, have been restored to honest and industrious lives, therefore it would seem that the state should have hospitals for the treatment of the acutely morally depraved similar to our Northern Hospital and places for the detention of the chronic incorrigibles similar to our county chronic insane hospitals.

The idea, a fixed penalty for a stated crime, an idea which has prevailed and controlled legislation in spite of the constant demonstration of its utter inefficiency to protect society from crime must give way to more intelligent procedures. What is to be done?

If then crime be due to moral depravity, in other words, sick as to his morals, do to him as has been done to those who are insane or sick as to his mind. Supply the physician.

Is it proposed to do away with all punishment? Not at all. Nature teaches us that violation of the physical laws brings its own punishment and scripture informs us that as a man soweth so shall he reap. But as retributive punishment has not been a success, it must give way to punitive reformation.

Society has already assumed the control of and responsibility for the convicted criminal. It is proposed to extend this jurisdiction. It is proposed to do so by what is known as "The Indeterminate Sentence," that is, that a criminal shall be retained in duration until he has given evidence that his reformation is accomplished just as a man is confined in an insane asylum.

If crime be a disease of the moral nature, it is just as rational to confine a man in an insane asylum for a certain period and then expect him cured as it is to sentence a man to a certain term and expect to have him come out as a useful citizen.

Crime is the overt symptom of criminality or the disease of moral depravity. It has progressed in some much further than in others. Therefore it will require a longer time to effect a cure in some than in others. As every one who is taken sick does not recover, it must be expected that some incorrigibles will be found, and these for the protection of society must be kept permanently confined.

How is it proposed to make good citizens out of criminals? It is proposed to substitute the habit of doing right for that of doing wrong. It is proposed to make hospitals for the morally sick out of our state's prisons, etc.

Mr. Z. R. Brockway, who may be described as the Father of the Reformatory Idea, in this country, in 1867 made the draft which was elaborated at Elmira in 1896. This man, who perhaps has done more than any other in this connection, is entitled to be called an eminent

Public Benefactor. In 1900 he said: "The reformatory prison system belongs to the school of the utilitarians and experimentalists. It is ranged under a motto which reverses that of the classical school of penologists, its motto being 'prevention the principle, punishment the incident.' It seeks the public protection through the reformation of criminals, and counts it of little moment whether the prisoner undergoing the reformation process is pleased or displeased thereat. It is held by the advocates of this system, that all the ends sought by punishment for crime by all the schools, are best attained, when protection by reformation constitutes the whole purpose and method of prison treatment; and that by this means there is incidentally reached the nearest possible equalization of justice, the equitable adjustment of pain to sin. The real reformation demanded by this reformatory system is necessarily a rigorous experience for prisoners; so irksome that they would scarcely choose it, yet because the purpose of it is to accomplish a remedial result, it can scarcely be considered either by the subject of such experiences, or by the observer as an unjust penalty. The just retribution for crime or sin is always the necessary cost to the criminal or sinner of recovery.

The principles of treatment thus adopted are applicable to all grades of criminals, felons and misdemeanants, whether they are estimated at conviction as corrigible or incorrigible. It is a self evident proposition that the criminal shut up for the public protection should remain restrained of liberty, until he is so changed of character as to be reasonably safe for release. The prisoners are taken into the custody of the state because they were adjudged to be dangerous if at large. During their imprisonment they are to be transformed into safe citizens of the state. This is the reformation in the State sense of the term. What more can the state desire or require than that criminals, when released from prison, shall obtain legitimately the means of their subsistence and satisfaction and in all respects obey the law? What less should the state demand? Let the comparative value of prison systems be judged by this standard and their method by this result. If such reformations are best wrought out by retributive punishments, that method should be pursued. If by penitence, the product of presenting the religious motive and the influence of personal persuasion, then make the most of moral and religious ministrations and, if such an actual change of life and social relations can be promoted by wise training of prisoners in their behavior, their moods and moral tendencies not only, but also a worldly training in industry, economy, in intelligence and self regulation, then despise not and neglect not such an agency."

Dr. Eugene Smith says: "The indeterminate sentence treats the criminal as belonging to the abnormal, defective classes who are the wards of the government. By the true psychology of crimes, the criminal demands governmental care and treatment on the same

grounds with the lunatic, the idiot, the blind and the dumb. He is a defective, mal-developed, abnormal being, differing from the other classes which are more distinctly recognized as the defective classes, in two particulars. It is more dangerous to the community that he be at large because of the direct injury which he does and because of the corrupting influence he exerts; and in the second place he is more amenable to correct treatment and more easily curable than any other class of public wards."

Mr. Charleton Lewis says: "The method of apportioning penalties, according to the degree of guilt implied by the defined offense is as completely discredited and is as incapable of a part in any reasonable system of social organization, as the practice of astrology or the police against witchcraft. It holds its place merely by the tenacity of custom and the inertia of opinion controlled by tradition."

The indeterminate sentence is then a commitment of a criminal the same as an insane person to an asylum, that is to stay in confinement until he is cured. The term of cure rests largely with the convict. He is to remain restrained of his liberty until it is safe or reasonably safe to society that he once more be made a member of it.

I will briefly allude to part of the method in vogue at Elmira.

Reveille at 5:40 a. m.; fatigue call 5:30 a. m.; assembly 6:00 a. m. for breakfast; recall at 6:35 a. m.; return to cells 6:55 a. m.; officers' call, (officers' bucket turnout), 7:05 a. m.; fatigue call, general bucket turnout, 7:10 a. m.; assembly turning out with buckets, 7:35 a. m.; fatigue call, shop turnout, 7:40 a. m.; assembly (turnout for work) 12 m.; first whistle 12:05 p. m.; second whistle, return from shop, 12:17 to 12:47 p. m.; dinner 1:00 p. m.; whistle for work 1:35 p. m. first whistle, cease work, 3:40 p. m.; second whistle, turn out for armory; after drill and dress parade the inmates are marched to their dining rooms, take supper, are counted and marched to their cells; 6:00 p. m. school call (trade school evening); 6:15 assembly for trade school (on school of letters evening these calls are at 6:20 and 6:35 p. m.); 8:30 p. m. first call, recall of officers; 8:35 p. m. recall of inmates to their cells; 9:00 p. m. tattoo; 9:30 p. m. taps, lights out. In this way the prisoner is held under strict discipline during every working hour, and is tired enough to welcome sleep. In this manner the habit of being orderly is established.

Physical development is looked after and a gymnasium training forced upon the undeveloped. Organic defects are carefully looked after under the supervision of a trained director, etc.

Believing then that the reformatory system and the indeterminate sentence to be the best for the individual as well as for the state, I think that there should be a central bureau at the most accessible place (in this state, say at Milwaukee or Madison) of detectives, who should be called in to assist, if necessary, the local guardians of the peace, when any offense against the law has been committed. Seek

the offender. Ferret out the violator Get him, no matter at what time or expense. Get him, no matter where but get him. Bring him back Give him a fair trial. Reform him if possible, if not keep him secluded, if necessary, forever. I would have every criminal know, and every one about to commit a crime to know, that the Commonwealth of Wisconsin, was not to be defied; that if an offense were committed, her righteous wrath would be invoked and that the erring one would be placed where he could be taught to live aright.

I would have this state of ours lead in all that pertains to the uplifting of humanity, and I would that to the county of Winnebago should belong the honor of being the pioneer, by taking such steps as this board deems fit to bring before the legislature the desirability of modifying or annulling its criminal codes and the enactment of others based on the broad grounds of science, religion, civilization and humanity.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED W. A. BROWN, M. D.

Supervisor Schoetz moved the report be accepted and placed on file. Carried.

REPORT OF COUNTY TREASURER.

County Treasurer Benjamin Edwards read Report No. 5, as follows:
To the Honorable County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis.

GENTLEMEN: I herewith present my annual report as Treasurer of said County, showing receipts and disbursements of said office from Jan. 5th, 1903 to Oct. 31, 1903. BENJ. EDWARDS, *County Treasurer.*

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand Jan. 5th, 1903, general fund.....	\$16425 61	
Asylum fund.....	2182 52	\$ 18618 13
Indigent Soldiers' fund (overdrawn).....		436 61
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		\$ 18181 52
Fish and Game fund.....	579 74	
Bridge fund.....	432 94	
Fine money.....	795 98	
Suit tax.....	116 00	\$ 20106 18

Taxes received as follows:

1 Algoma.....	4760 62
2 Black Wolf.....	4310 32
3 Clayton.....	6582 97
4 Menasha.....	3044 13
5 Neenah.....	3226 04
6 Nekimi.....	6302 78
7 Nepeuskun.....	4611 08
8 Oshkosh.....	4479 90
9 Omro.....	6184 47
10 Omro Village.....	4493 72
11 Poygan.....	3104 62
12 Rushford.....	5963 58
13 Utica.....	5765 37

14 Vinland	\$ 6103 56	
15 Winchester	4630 59	
16 Winneconne	3677 11	
17 Winneconne Village	2922 19	
18 Wolf River	4199 84	
19 Menasha City	14828 83	
20 Neenah City	18441 51	
21 Oshkosh City	93925 29	\$211558 67
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Delinquent taxes and fees received before sale	\$ 2574 45	
Proceeds of Tax sale	5990 61	
Personal property tax collected by Sheriff	97 87	
Personal property tax collected by Treasurer	30 70	
Inheritance tax received from State (under Chap. 297, Laws 1903)	15835 71	
School Fund Income from State	43387 33	
Suit tax from Clerk of Court	76 00	
Municipal Court fines from City of Oshkosh	324 00	
From State Treasurer for care of the insane and paupers	14885 75	
From County Clerk	446 30	\$ 83638 72
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Miscellaneous Receipts:

For care of Collins children	\$ 62 65	
Amount received from M. J. Rounds for iron kettle	5 00	
" " " Tax certificate sold to E. W. Thomas	2 04	
" " " J. J. Fish for telephone toll	60	
R. E. Abrams for sale of crushed stone	48 75	
C. F. Appley for sale of farm produce	675 76	
Insurance company for loss on County barn	3556 50	
Municipal Court costs in State cases	300 73	
J. J. Fish for marriage license fees	186 00	
J. J. Fish for abstract, printing and county fees	148 35	
J. J. Fish for registering physicians' certificates	9 00	
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Total miscellaneous receipts		\$ 4975 38

Street railway license fees from—

1 City of Oshkosh	\$ 164 49	
2 " " Neenah	25 00	
3 " " Menasha	17 67	
4 Town of Oshkosh	15 77	
5 " " Neenah	13 28	
6 " " Clayton	4 45	
7 " " Vinland	15 91	
8 " " Algoma	6 25	
9 " " Black Wolf	4 47	\$ 267 29
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Fines received from Justices—

Baird	\$ 5 00	
Little	6 00	
Bradley	2 00	
N. Jensen	23 00	
C. Jensen	25 00	
J. McGinn	18 00	\$ 79 00
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Total Receipts

\$320625 14

DISBURSEMENTS AND CREDITS.

Amounts paid State Treasurer—

State tax.....	\$ 28222.51	
School fund income, one mill tax.....	46041 34	
School district loans.....	2003 65	
Special loans.....	7030 00	
Suit tax.....	94 00	
Suit tax balance.....	19 00	
Fines collected.....	711 13	\$ 84121 63

County School Fund as follows—

1 Algoma.....	\$ 564 74	
2 Black Wolf.....	606 65	
3 Clayton.....	936 71	
4 Menasha.....	544 88	
5 Neenah.....	458 85	
6 Nekimi.....	668 42	
7 Nepeuskun.....	595 62	
8 Oshkosh.....	514 20	
9 Omro.....	805 19	
10 Omro Village.....	739 01	
11 Poygan.....	575 77	
12 Rushford.....	997 11	
13 Utica.....	672 83	
14 Vinland.....	718 16	
15 Winchester.....	891 22	
16 Winneconne.....	485 32	
17 Winneconne Village.....	849 31	
18 Wolf River.....	882 40	
19 Menasha City.....	5087 04	
20 Neenah City.....	4281 85	
21 Oshkosh City.....	19584 87	\$ 41460 15

State School Fund paid as follows—

1 Algoma.....	\$ 655 15	
2 Black Wolf.....	612 66	
3 Clayton.....	874 28	
4 Menasha.....	496 39	
5 Neenah.....	467 32	
6 Nekimi.....	655 15	
7 Nepeuskun.....	639 59	
8 Oshkosh.....	370 18	
9 Omro.....	816 14	
10 Omro Village.....	831 79	
11 Poygan.....	567 94	
12 Rushford.....	1037 50	
13 Utica.....	695 40	
14 Vinland.....	737 88	
15 Winchester.....	876 51	
16 Winneconne.....	453 91	
17 Winneconne Village.....	858 62	
18 Wolf River.....	876 51	
19 Menasha City.....	5207 64	
20 Neenah City.....	4237 22	
21 Oshkosh.....	21219 64	\$ 43387 23

South Side Exchange, jail notes and interest.....	\$ 5300 00	
Farson, Leach & Co., asylum bonds and coupons.....	2355 00	
Exchange on notes.....	4 00	
Street Railway, license fees paid State Treasurer.....	178 19	
Treasurer for making returns.....	38 58	
Inheritance tax paid (Chap. 297, Laws 1903).....	18061 94	\$ 25937 71

Miscellaneous bills paid--

Insurance premiums.....	\$ 1432 13	
Oshkosh Gas Light company.....	178 95	
Oshkosh Electric Light and Power company.....	171 46	
Oshkosh Water Works company.....	188 42	
Wisconsin Telephone company.....	108 00	
Hicks Printing company, for printing tax sales.....	156 50	
West Publishing company, books for circuit court.....	192 00	
General Fund, orders paid.....	35093 02	
Asylum and Poor orders paid.....	24035 67	
Special Poor Fund orders paid.....	1020 00	
Indigent soldiers orders paid.....	3422 00	
Circuit Court orders paid.....	5189 23	
Municipal Court orders paid.....	431 16	
County Court orders paid.....	727 58	\$ 72346 12
Total disbursements and credits.....		\$267252 94

Balance on hand distributed as follows--

General Fund.....	\$ 50290 70	
Asylum Fund overdrawn.....	2691 57	\$ 47569 13
Indigent Soldiers Fund.....	141 39	
Fish and Game Fund.....	579 74	
Bridge Fund.....	432 94	
Fine money.....	403 00	
Suit Tax.....	54 00	
Special Poor Fund.....	4162 00	\$ 5773 07
Cash on hand.....		\$ 53372 20

STATE OF WISCONSIN }
 COUNTY OF WINNEBAGO } SS

I, Benjamin Edwards, Treasurer of said County, being duly sworn on oath, say that the foregoing report and the statements therein contained are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief

BENJ. EDWARDS, *County Treasurer.*

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 9th day of November, 1903

J. J. FISH, *County Clerk.*

Supervisor Schoetz moved to refer to Finance Committee.
 Carried.

On motion the Board adjourned.

THURSDAY—THIRD DAY.

SUPERVISORS' ROOM, OSHKOSH, WIS
November 12th, 1903, 9 o'clock A. M.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment, Chairman Nash presiding.

Present full Board except Supervisor Lawson.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Accounts were presented and referred to appropriate committees.

Chairman Nash informed the members of the Board that they were invited by Superintendent Abrams to visit the Work House Thursday evening, Nov. 19th.

Supervisor Heise moved to adjourn for committee work.

The motion was carried and the Board adjourned.

FRIDAY—FOURTH DAY.

SUPERVISOR'S ROOM, OSHKOSH, WIS.
November 13th, 1903, 9 o'clock A. M.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment. Chairman Nash presiding.

Present full Board except Supervisor Lawson

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Accounts were presented and referred to appropriate committees.

TO PRINT PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNTY BOARD.

Supervisor O F Chase introduced the following Resolution No. 2:

Resolved, By the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that the County Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to cause to be printed, in pamphlet form, 1000 copies of the proceedings of this board, for special session August 24, 1903, regular session November 1903 and March session 1904, together with such statistics and tabulated statements as are usually contained therein; said pamphlets to be properly indexed and twenty copies thereof be delivered by the County Clerk to each member of the Board; that said proof be carefully read and corrected by the County Clerk or by his direction; and that the contract for said pamphlets shall require their delivery to the County Clerk on or before July 1, 1904, and contain a forfeiture clause stipulating that one dollar per day shall be deducted from the contract price, for each and every day that the delivery of said pamphlets shall be delayed, after the foregoing time limit; and the County Clerk is hereby instructed to withhold the amount of said forfeiture (if any) from the contract price of said job when he audits and pays said bill; and further

Resolved, That said work be let to the lowest responsible bidder, by party or parties engaged in printing business in Winnebago County; and said work shall not be accepted unless completed in a correct and workmanlike manner.

Supervisor Arnemann moved its adoption.

On call of roll 37 voted aye, absent 2, Lawson and Pfeiffer, and the

resolution was adopted.

Supervisor Chase moved to add to list of invited guests to visit the County Asylum and Poor Farm the name of Jas. G. Pickett. Supervisor Bussey moved that the name of I. A. Tuttle be added. Carried.

Clerk read resignation of Lillian G. Kimball as trustee of Board of Libraries, as follows:

OSHKOSH, WIS., Nov. 12, 1903

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby tender my resignation as a member of the Board of Traveling Libraries of this county.

Very Respectfully,
LILLIAN G. KIMBALL.

Supervisor Schoetz moved to accept same.

Supervisor Bullard moved to amend and accept resignation to take effect when her successor is elected.

The motion as amended was adopted.

Supervisor Sperbeck moved to adjourn for committee work.

The motion was carried and the Board adjourned.

SATURDAY—FIFTH DAY.

SUPERVISOR'S ROOM, OSHKOSH, WIS.

November 14th, 1903, 9 o'clock A. M.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment, Chairman Nash presiding.

Present full Board except Supervisor Lawson.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Accounts were presented and referred to appropriate committees.

WORK HOUSE.

Supervisor Chase offered Report No 6, as follows:

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 290, General Laws of 1895 and amendments thereto known as the "Work House Law" we have the honor to submit the following report:

COMMITMENTS.

The commitments to the County Work House during the year ending Oct. 31st, 1903, were as follows:

Tramps.....	42
Drunks.....	88
Petit Larceny.....	1

Disorderly Conduct.....	11
Total.....	142

BY WHOM COMMITTED

Judge Goss, City of Oshkosh.....	98
Justice Vredenburg, Village of Winneconne.....	1
Justice Baird, City of Neenah.....	5
Justice Little, City of Menasha.....	13
Justice Ferriss, Village of Omro.....	2
Justice McGinn, City of Neenah.....	9
Justice Jensen, City of Neenah.....	5
Justice Bradley, City of Menasha.....	8
Justice Glines, Village of Omro.....	1
Total.....	142

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF WORK HOUSE.

Superintendent Abrams reports financial transactions under his supervision as follows:

RECEIPTS.

Fines and costs received after commitment and paid to Municipal Court	\$117 35
Stone chips sold, 97½ yards at 50c per yard.....	48 75

DISBURSEMENTS

For 65½ loads of stone at 60c per load.....	\$ 39 30
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REPAIR APPROPRIATION.

At the November session, 1902, the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150.00) was appropriated for improvements, repairs and contingencies, from which the following expenditures have been made to wit:

Name.	Nature of claim.	Amount.
Fred Radtke, for repairing pump.....		\$ 75
J. G. Menzel, for hardware		1 92
Fred Radtke, for pump.....		4 50
Stroud & Thompson, for paints and oils.....		11 45
Midland Chemical Co., for vermin antidote.....		11 88
Castle Pierce Printing Co., for receipt book, etc.....		5 75
Clough & Co., for repairing pump.....		1 50
J.G. Menzel, for hardware.....		9 44
Total.....		\$ 47 19

Leaving an unexpended balance of one hundred and two and .81 dollars (\$102.81)

The aforesaid bills have all been paid by county orders for which sworn detailed vouchers are on file in the office of the County Clerk. We therefore recommend that there be appropriated for similar purposes aforesaid, the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) and to provide therefor present herewith the following resolution for adoption:

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that there be and hereby is appropriated for the ensuing supervisor year, the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) to be known as the Work House Repair and Contingent Fund, to be

used for the purpose thereby indicated, or such portion thereof as may be required; same to be expended under the direction of the Work House Committee by county orders issued upon sworn bills duly authorized and audited by said committee.

CONCLUSION.

In conclusion we are pleased to note that the County Work House during the past year has exemplified the fact more forcibly, if possible, than ever that it is an important factor in ridding the county of and keeping therefrom professional tramps, who so menaced its treasury a few years ago before the work house was installed. Their patronage is growing less from year to year; when once caught and "serve time" they seldom desire to renew their friendship or repeat their visits at the county stone pile, thus leaving their quarters as a heritage to drunks and other offenders, many of whom are not so modest and obliging to the taxpayers but repeat their visits many times during the year, thereby keeping up the average aggregate.

LOCAL MANAGEMENT.

The local management under Mr. and Mrs. Abrams, superintendent and matron, has been commendable. As in former years their enforced cleanliness of inmates, sleeping hammocks and quarters has made sanitation at all times so complete that no contagious disease has found sustenance nor even birthplace therein. There has been but little sickness among the inmates and when required County Physician F. W. A. Brown has promptly responded to calls.

Respectfully submitted,

O. F. CHASE,

JOHN SCHNEIDER,

W. L. TRITT,

Work House Committee.

Supervisor Arnemann moved to accept report and refer to Finance Committee.

Supervisors Schoetz and Hoffberger asked to be excused from Monday morning session.

Request granted by Chairman Nash.

Supervisor Arnemann called the attention of the members to some repairs needed in the Register of Deeds' office.

Clerk read a letter from Herman Grotophorst of State Board of Control in reference to a fire escape at the hospital.

Chairman Nash said the matter had already been attended to.

Supervisor Sperbeck with a few pleasant remarks offered the members a basket of fine Snow apples from his farm which were accepted with a vote of thanks.

Supervisor Pfeiffer moved to adjourn for committee work.

The motion was carried and the Board adjourned.

MONDAY—SIXTH DAY.

SUPERVISOR'S ROOM, OSHKOSH, WIS.
November 16, 1903, 9 o'clock A. M.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment, Chairman Nash presiding.

Present full Board except Supervisors Lawson and Menzel. Hoffberger and Schoetz excused.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Accounts were presented and referred to appropriate committees.

TO PURCHASE SESSION LAWS.

Supervisor Ellis introduced the following Resolution No. 4:

Resolved, By the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that the Purchasing Agent be and he is hereby authorized to purchase on behalf of Winnebago County for each member of this Board a copy of the Session Laws of Wisconsin of 1902 and that the Chairman of this Board and the County Clerk be and are hereby authorized to issue a county order in payment of same.

Dated this 16th day of November, 1903

On call of roll 28 voted aye; absent 8, Ganzer, Gunderson, Heise, Lueckenbach, Lawson, Mackie, Menzel and Welson. Excused 2, Hoffberger and Schoetz.

NEW BARN AT COUNTY POOR FARM.

Supervisor Kenny submitted the following report No. 7:

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis.

GENTLEMEN: Your committee on Poor and Poor Farm would respectfully report that they advertised for bids for building a new barn to replace the burnt one as per your instructions given at a special session August 24th, 1903. That the lowest bidder for the carpenter work was H. A. Porath for \$2450.00 to which we added extra for metal ventilators above the roof, rope, etc., amounting to \$23.56, and the lowest bidder for mason work was Norman Horton for \$650.00; total, \$3123.56. That the amount of money placed in our hands to rebuild the barn was \$3500.00 which left a balance on hand of \$376.44. That we were given \$150.00 additional to repair the ice house and paint the roof of the Poor House, of which we have a balance on hand of \$80.03, making a total in special fund of \$456.47; also that you have placed in the hands of the committee on Poor and Poor Farm and Superintendent Appley, the sum of \$1032.00, received from insurance on burnt hay and \$500.00 additional to purchase hay, of which sum we have expended to Nov. 1st, 1903, none.

Your committee would report, that while our attention for the last few years has been centered on the replacing of the burnt barn and that with the money received from insurance, the condition of the

Poor House has been getting very poor indeed; notably the pine floors which are getting thin all over the house and should be replaced with a hard floor as soon as possible. Your committee would recommend that the \$456.47, which is the balance in the barn and ice funds, be placed at the disposal of the committee on Poor and Poor Farm to be used in replacing the floors of the poor house.

We would also recommend that the spare boiler taken out of the County Asylum be saved to replace the hot air system now in use as the present system is getting old and dangerous.

We wish to call your attention to the poultry department and recommend that a new henery be built. Fresh eggs should be a specialty on the farm, but for lack of good quarters the hens have become diseased and seem to have lost the laying habit. The building of a new hen house is an immediate necessity.

We recommend that a sum such as you may deem necessary may be set aside to raise and repair the barn so as to keep the sills from further decay.

We deem it well to call your attention to these matters at the present time, so you can view them at your annual visit to the farm.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES KENNY,
ADAM EHRGOTT,
C. A. PRIDE,
P. J. GUNDERSON,
E. MANUEL.

Committee on Poor and Poor Farm

Supervisor Arnemann moved the report be adopted.

Remarks by Supervisors Kenny and Gunderson.

The motion was carried.

Supervisor Gunderson spoke in reference to the water tower at the Asylum.

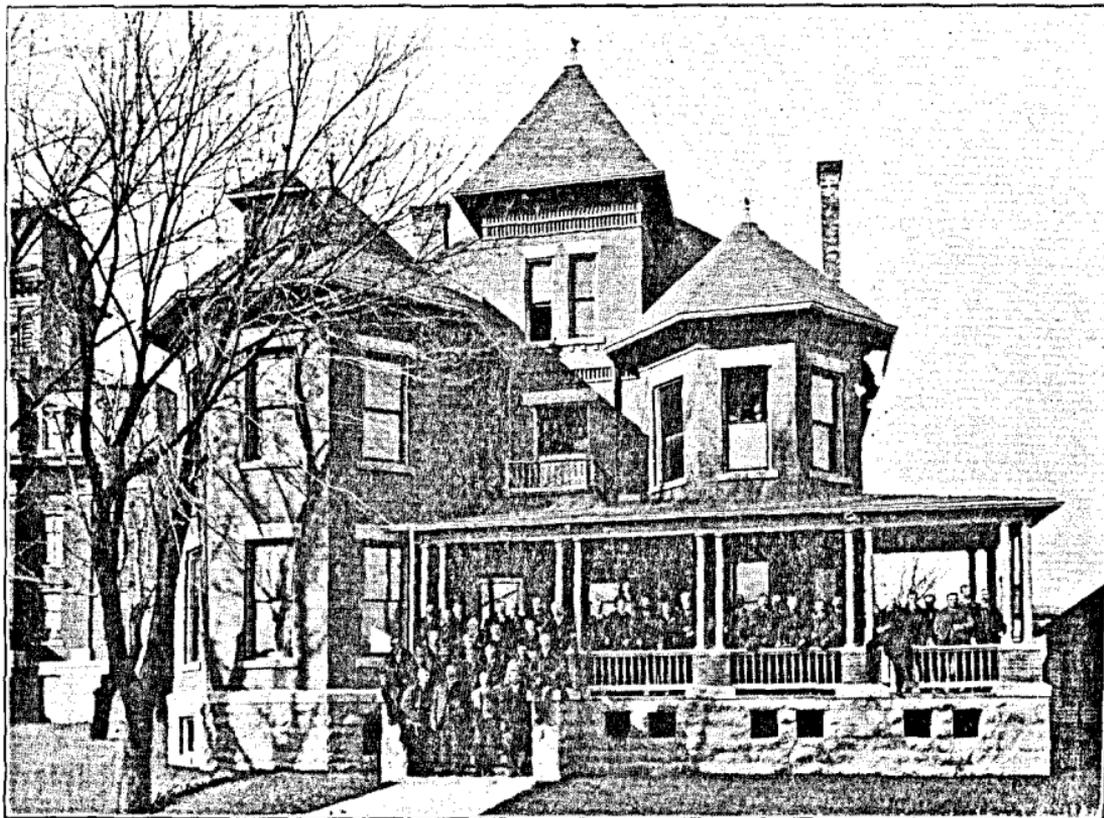
REPORT OF THE BOARD OF LIBRARIES OF WINNEBAGO COUNTY.

The Clerk read the report of the Board of Libraries as follows:

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County.

Since the last report of the Board of Libraries, dated Nov. 17, 1902, no appropriation for the purchase of books has been asked for, and no new libraries added to those on hand. The county now owns twenty seven libraries of fifty-five books each.

During the past summer Miss L. E. Stearns, state organizer, and our Supervising Librarian, Miss Turner, spent two days, July 30th and 31st, in finding suitable places for library stations, with the result that six libraries were placed as follows: Crete, Delhi, Gillingham's Corners, Rush Lake, Zion and Mears Corners. The traveling library



WINNEBAGO COUNTY JAIL AND SHERIFF'S RESIDENCE.

was new to each one of these neighborhoods, except Gillingham's Corners, where a library had been placed two years ago, but after a time discontinued.

Of the twenty seven, twenty-four are now in circulation, the other three being kept in the public library of Oshkosh for exchange. The twenty-four libraries out are in the following places: Algoma, Allen-ville, Black Wolf, Boom, Butte des Morts, Crete, Delhi, Elo, Eureka, 2, Fisk, Gillingham's Corners, Koro, Mear's Corners, N. Clayton, Omro, 2, Omro Junction, Oshkosh, Pickett's, Poygan, Rush Lake, Waukau and Zion.

Reports of local librarians show that the total circulation of books from these libraries during the past year was 4221.

The Board as constituted at your last meeting consisted of Mr. Wm. Hesse of Neenah, Mr. Root of Omro, Mr. Bradt of Eureka, Mr. Hough and Miss Kimball. Mr. Hough sent in his resignation in January, 1903, Mr. Root presented his resignation in February, 1903, and Miss Kimball has also resigned. Mr. Bradt's term also expires at this time, hence it is necessary to appoint four new members, as follows:

One for 1 year to succeed Mr. Hough.

One for 2 years to succeed Miss Kimball.

Two for 3 years to succeed Mr. Root and Mr. Bradt.

The financial report of the Board is as follows:

On hand Nov. 17, 1902.....		\$ 83 80
Paid for books.....	\$ 22 78	
Paid for printing and postage.....	3 62	
Paid for labor.....	3 00	29 40
On hand Nov. 12, 1903.....		\$ 54 40

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN G. KIMBALL, *Sec'y.*

per EMILY TURNER, *Supervising Librarian.*

Supervisor Bussey moved to accept and place on file.

Remarks by Supervisor Kenny.

The motion was carried.

The Clerk read invitation from Mrs. Treleven of Omro for members of the Board to visit Chrysanthemum Fair. Invitation was accepted with thanks

Supervisor Lueckenbach moved that roll be called Tuesday at 12 o'clock noon at the asylum.

The motion was carried.

Supervisor Beduhn moved to adjourn for committee work.

The motion was carried and the Board adjourned.

TUESDAY—SEVENTH DAY.

SUPERVISORS' ROOM, OSHKOSH, WIS.
November 17th, 1903, 12 o'clock M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, Chairman Nash presiding.
Present full Board except Supervisors Lawson and Menzel.
After partaking of a bountiful dinner and inspecting the Poor Farm, House, Asylum and Northern Hospital the Board adjourned.

WEDNESDAY—EIGHTH DAY.

SUPERVISORS' ROOM, OSHKOSH, WIS.
November 18th, 1903, 9 o'clock A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, Chairman Nash presiding.
Present full Board except Supervisor Lawson.
Minutes of last meeting read and approved.
Accounts were presented and referred to appropriate committees.

REPAIR OF POOR FARM BARN.

Supervisor Kenny offered Resolution No. 5 and moved its adoption.
Supervisor Bullard moved to refer it back to committee on Poor and Poor Farm to say what amount they recommend for repairs.

BOUNTY ON HEN HAWKS AND CROWS.

Supervisor Bussey offered Resolution No. 6, as follows:

Resolved, By the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that any person who shall kill any crow in Winnebago County shall be entitled to a reward of ten cents (10c), and any person who shall kill a hen hawk in Winnebago County shall be entitled to a reward of twenty-five cents (25c). It is the intention of this resolution to carry out the purpose of Chapter 414 of the Laws of Wisconsin of the year 1903 and said rewards shall be paid by the County of Winnebago only upon the persons demanding such rewards having fully complied with all the requirements of said law.

Referred to special committee.

SALARIES.

Supervisor Ganzer offered the following Report No. 8.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County.

GENTLEMEN: Your committee on Bonds and Salaries would recommend the passage of the following resolution:

Resolved, By the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that the following salaries be paid for the next ensuing year to the following officers: County Physician, Five Hundred Dollars per annum, for all medical services in the County Insane Asylum, County Poor House, County Jail and County Work House;

medical services for any county poor or non-resident poor in the county; and that said sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) be for all services rendered; all medicines necessary for use in the above County Insitutions to be purchased by the superintendent in charge, as prescribed by said County Physician; said Superintendent to make a full report of all such medicines purchased at the end of the year; such report to be accompanied by certified vouchers and itemized statements \$ 500 00

Superintendent of County Poor Farm.....	1000 00
Matron of County Poor House.....	300 00
Superintendent of the Work House, Twenty-Four Hundred Dollars; this sum to be for all clothing, washing, fuel and food furnished prisoners and care and custody of all prisoners committed therein.....	2400 00
Secretary of the Indigent Soldiers Commission, in full for all services and expenses.....	50 00
Purchasing Agent, One Hundred Dollars.....	100 00
Janitor of the Court House and Jail, Seven Hundred and Twenty Dollars per annum. The duties of the Janitor shall be to keep the Court House neat and clean; to keep the building well heated; keep the entire ground and lawn clean and properly mown; and all sidewalks cleaned; take all charge of firing and care of boilers in court house and jail, do the washing of towels used in toilet rooms of Court House, and for all other services rendered by said janitor; the services of said janitor to meet the requirements of the Building Committee of this Board.....	720 00

The Committee further report that said janitor be and is hereby permitted and allowed to occupy the living rooms in said Court House.

Signed

EDWARD GANZER,
O. CHASE,
PHILLIP ARFT,
A. T. LUECKENBACH,
SILAS BULLARD,
W. P. BUSSEY,
J. G. MENZEL.

Supervisor Arft moved the adoption of the Report. Carried Ayes 38; absent 1, Lawson.

WATER TOWER AT COUNTY ASYLUM.

Supervisor Gunderson presented the following Report No. 9, and Resolution No. 6.

To the Honorable, the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wisconsin:

GENTLEMEN: Your committee to whom was referred the matter of the advisability of erecting a water tower at the County Asylum, beg leave to report as follows:

We find the following conditions exist at the County Asylum:

There is at present a tank in the Asylum building which is too small holding only 110 barrels and it is badly rusted. That it is so located as to be of little use in supplying the third story with water.

The Poorhouse is supplied with water by being pumped with gaso-

line engine which is very unreliable. We find upon investigation that several counties throughout the state have erected steel water towers and tanks as follows:

La Crosse county, height 114½ feet, capacity 80000 gallons, cost \$5500
 Vernon county, height 100 feet, capacity 40000 gallons, cost. . . 2850

And we learn that they are very satisfactory. We believe after a thorough investigation that the erection of a water tower at, or near the Asylum building is a necessity, and we recommend the passage of the following resolution:

Resolved, By the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that there be appropriated out of any fund not otherwise appropriated to the Trustees of the County Asylum together with the Committee on Insane the sum of Fifty-Five Hundred Dollars for the purpose of erecting a water tower and tank and the placing of a water works system at the County Asylum and Poor House, and that the Trustees with the Committee on Insane of this Board is hereby authorized to receive specifications and bids and let contracts therefor and pay for the same out of the appropriation hereby made; said Trustees and Committee on Insane to have full control and supervision of all said work, the same to be done under their direction

Respectfully submitted,

W. W. NOBLE,
 THOS. HOUGH,

Trustees.

PETER J. GUNDERSON,
 JAS. HEFFRON JR.,
 SOLOMON RHOADES,
 H. A. ATWOOD,
 ROBT. W. MACKIE,

Committee on Insane.

Supervisor Gunderson moved its adoption. Carried. Ayes 38; absent 1, Lawson.

Supervisor Arnemann asked if the Board wished insurance placed on the boilers in the Court House and moved that the Building Committee place insurance of \$5000.

Remarks by Supervisors Tullar, Schoetz, Bullard, Arnemann and Lueckenbach.

The motion was carried.

ORDER OF ELECTION.

Supervisor Chase introduced the following Resolution No. 7:

Resolved, By the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that the Board proceed under the special order, to the election of officers, in the following order, the first vote on each office to be informal, unless otherwise specially ordered, to wit:

1. Trustee of County Asylum, in place of E. D. Mathewson, present incumbent.
2. Supt. Poor Farm, in place of C. F. Appley, present incumbent.
3. Matron of Poor House, in place of Mrs. C. F. Appley, present incumbent.
4. Supt of Workhouse, in place of Robt. E. Abrams, present incumbent.

5. County Physician, in place of F. W. A. Brown, present incumbent.
6. Janitor of Court House, in place of C. B. Williams, present incumbent.
7. Purchasing Agent, in place of J. J. Fish, present incumbent.

Supervisor Chase moved its adoption.

Remarks by Supervisors Schoetz, Kenny and Manuel.

The resolution was adopted.

Supervisor Manuel moved that a recess of ten minutes be taken, that nomination speeches be dispensed with and that names of candidates be sent to the desk. Carried.

Chairman Nash appointed as tellers Supervisors Welson and Heise.

The informal ballot for Trustee of Asylum resulted as follows: L. J. Pinkerton, 13; Adam W. Ehrigott, 16; A. H. F. Krueger, 8; blank 1; total 38.

First formal ballot—L. J. Pinkerton, 12; Adam W. Ehrigott, 19; A. H. F. Krueger, 7; total 38.

Second formal ballot—L. J. Pinkerton, 13; Adam W. Ehrigott, 22; A. H. F. Krueger, 3; total 38.

A. W. Ehrigott having received a majority, Chairman Nash declared him elected.

The informal ballot for Superintendent of Poor Farm resulted as follows: G. W. Webster, 3; A. C. Austin, 4; C. F. Appley, 31; total 38.

Supervisor Heise moved that informal ballot be made formal. Carried and C. F. Appley declared elected.

Supervisor Heise moved that the clerk cast the ballot of Board for Mrs. C. F. Appley for matron.

Ballot was cast and Mrs. C. F. Appley declared elected.

The informal ballot for Superintendent of Work House resulted as follows: Robt. E. Abrams, 27; J. O. Rourk, 9; blank, 2; total 38.

Supervisor Chase moved that informal ballot be made formal. Carried and Robt. E. Abrams was declared elected.

The informal ballot for County Physician resulted as follows: Fred W. A. Brown, 16; Frank Brockway, 22; total 38.

Supervisor Lueckenbach moved that informal ballot be made formal. Carried and Frank Brockway declared elected.

Supervisor Ganzer moved that the clerk cast ballot of Board for janitor for Chas. B. Williams. Carried.

Ballot cast and Chas. B. Williams declared elected.

Supervisor Bussey moved as there was no opposing candidate, that Clerk cast ballot of Board for Purchasing Agent for Benj. Edwards. Carried.

Ballot was cast and Benj. Edwards declared elected.

Supervisor Bullard moved to adjourn for committee work.

The motion was carried and the Board adjourned.

THURSDAY—NINTH DAY.

SUPERVISORS' ROOM, OSHKOSH, WIS.
November 19th, 1903, 9 o'clock A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, Chairman Nash presiding.
Present full Board except Supervisor Lawson
Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.
Accounts were presented and referred to appropriate committees.

BOILERS AT COUNTY ASYLUM.

Supervisor Gunderson presented the following report No. 10:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wisconsin:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Insane with the Trustees to whom was appropriated the sum of Four Thousand Dollars by Resolution No. 1 of January 8, to install two new boilers in the County Asylum, beg leave to report as follows:

That they did on the 23rd of February enter into a contract with Battis Brothers of the city of Oshkosh for the construction and the installing of said boilers for the sum of Four Thousand Three Hundred Fifty-Two and .50 Dollars. The appropriation of January 8th by resolution No. 1 not being sufficient to cover the expense, we asked and received from you by resolution No. 2, March 7, an additional appropriation of Five Hundred Dollars to cover contract price.

On Nov. 3rd, we met at the County Asylum, inspected and tested the boilers and found them to be satisfactory in every respect after which we accepted and paid for them at a price of Nine and .60 Dollars less than the contract price, for the reason that it was impossible to put four flues in the boilers for which we received said credit, making the cost for the two boilers Forty-Three Hundred and Forty-Two and .90 Dollars. The changing of the boilers necessitates the placing of new and larger valves as well as pipes with the labor of connecting the same costing One Hundred Fifty-Seven and .10 Dollars which consumed the appropriation of Four Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. HOUGH,
W. W. NOBLE,
Trustees.

PETER J. GUNDERSON,
JAS. HEFFRON,
ROBERT W. MACKIE,
H. A. ATWOOD,
S. RHOADES,

Committee on Insane.

The report was adopted.

Chairman Nash named as special committee to consider resolution No. 6, by Supervisor Bussey as follows: Supervisors Heffron, Sperbeck, Atwood, Tullar and Lueckenbach.

POOR CONTINGENT FUND.

Chairman Nash made the following report No. 11:

To the Honorable, the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: I have to report as required by resolution of this Board, providing a Poor Contingent Fund of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) that I have paid out of said fund during my term of office the following amount:

Oct. 7, 1903, railroad fare and meals to Mike Lamb to St. Louis \$15.35

By way of explanation I may state: Mr. Lamb was returning from the northern part of the state by the W. C. R. R. some time in February without a ticket or pass and was put off the train at Winnebago station, but as soon as the train started he tried to get aboard again; he slipped, fell and had one of his feet partly cut off; having no money he was taken to the Poor House and remained there until his foot got well and then he told Mr. Appley and myself that he had a brother living at St. Louis and that if we would pay his expenses he would go and live with him, which I did as per above statement. Three or four days after his departure Mr. Appley received a letter from him stating that he arrived there safely; his brother was glad to have him come and that he was very much pleased with the change of location.

Respectfully submitted,

H. C. NASH, *Chairman*

Supervisor Kellogg moved that the report be adopted Carried
 Superintendent Overton read his report No. 12, as follows:

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS—1903.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: It is a source of gratification to be able to report to your honorable body that during the year just passed we have had the most successful session of school since I have had the honor to be your superintendent.

TEACHERS EXAMINATIONS

During the last year but one regular examination was held in the several examination districts. Special examinations were held as the law provides at intervals during the year in this building. The plan that has been attempted in this county has been to have all certificates expire at the end of the school year, thus relieving teachers of the worry incumbent on preparing for an examination during the session of school. The examinations are held at the close of the summer institute.

The legislature of 1901 passed a law providing for additional branches for the various grades of certificates, also extending the life of a second grade to three years and of a first to five. I am very much pleased to be able to report that an increasing number are adapting themselves to the new conditions and are applying for the advanced grades of certificates. At the last examination two received first grade, twenty-two second, forty eight third and two limited third grade certificates. Five failed to reach the required standard.

WAGES.

In the spring of 1902 at least twenty-five teachers worked for \$20 per month. During the year four male and forty female teachers worked for less than \$26 per month. This year so far as reported one teacher is receiving \$50, one \$45, at least two \$40 and the large majority \$30 or more. Only two cases have come to my notice where teachers are receiving less than \$25.

This is a very good showing and is due not altogether so much to the "good times" that has reigned throughout the country as to the increasing interest that people are taking in the schools. The supply of good teachers has been somewhat less than the demand the past year. This increase in wages, slight as it is, has had the effect of giving us the services of a better class of teachers. Every year I have interviews with persons who wish to work in this county. They appear satisfied with all of the conditions to be found here till the question of wages is mentioned and then I am confronted with the statement that they can get from \$35 to \$50 for the same work that here pays from \$28 to \$35 with the cost of living about the same. We thus lose the chance of getting the best that the market affords.

Since I have been in office I have at all times tried to improve the efficiency of the teaching force. Nearly all of the superannuated ones have dropped out of the work, and we have tried to hold the bars rigidly against allowing any who are incompetent to enter the field. While it is true that at times some have slipped through, it is because they were able to pass the written test and we had no way of determining their capacity for doing the work of the teacher if they had been put to the test in the school room. In the matter of hiring teachers there is a tendency more than ever to hire teachers by the year. This is very commendable as it enables a teacher to do what is for the greatest good for the greatest number and not have the fear of the "axe" constantly over her head. Much of the poor work that has been done in our schools in past years can be directly attributed to the plan of changing teachers at the end of every term. The only argument against this plan is that "if we do not like the teacher we can change." While this may be true, the facts of the case are that to prove a good teacher consists largely in catering to the whims of the pampered child of some influential family in the district.

This year the teachers of this county met in convention and passed a series of resolutions asking for a fair wage scale, that teachers be hired for the full year and deprecating the practice of one teacher underbidding another when applying for positions. I regret to report that there is a tendency still in some districts to hire the teacher who has the "pull" regardless of her training or fitness for the position.

COURSE OF STUDY AND CLASSIFICATION.

The County Board at its session in November, 1901, passed a resolution adopting and authorizing the purchase of a system of classification and grading for the country schools of the county. This system is now thoroughly in force and all of the schools are working under the course of study. While it has been a hard matter to properly grade the schools and to keep the number of classes within reasonable bounds on account of lack of interest among the patrons causing irregular attendance and tardiness, one of the greatest drawbacks has been and still is the opposition of certain of the patrons of the school who measure the advancement of a pupil as shown by the number of pages canvassed in a book and not by the knowledge he may have attained of the subject itself. Young teachers are too apt to try to keep peace in the district by deferring to the wishes of those who think it an honor to have their child a few pages ahead of the child of a neighbor and try to hear from twenty-five to thirty classes a day. The natural result of this sort of work is that little or no teaching is possible and the work becomes a series of mental gymnastics of parrotlike question and answer that is utterly without value to the pupil and is extremely trying to the teacher. If patrons would consult with the teachers about the standing and progress of their children and supply all necessary textbooks and supplies promptly at the time they are needed, the efficiency of the schools would be greatly increased.

GRADUATION.

Each year in May sets of questions are sent to the schools to test those who have finished the course of study. Last year twenty-five completed the course and this year a less number. This would seem to indicate that there is a woeful lack of interest in school work in this county. Such is not altogether the case. A great many of our young people have been in the habit of attending some of the nearby High schools as soon as they were old enough to be admitted to the High school course. Not all High schools had the same standard for admission, some being lower than that required to gain a diploma. This year, however, the legislature took the matter in hand and made the county superintendent the sole judge of the qualifications necessary to be admitted to a High school in order to have the tuition of the pupil charged back upon the town in which he is a resident. Un-

der this law all students from this county in all High schools were obliged to have a diploma issued from this office. About one hundred such diplomas have been issued to date. After this, all who enter the High schools must pass the regular diploma examination

TRUANT LAWS.

The legislature at its last session passed laws to regulate the attendance at school and compelling the attendance of all children between seven and fourteen at some school for at least five months of the year, unless incapacitated from attending school or are otherwise instructed. Also all between the ages of fourteen and sixteen, unless regularly employed, for the same length of time. The law further provides that truant officers may be appointed by the district boards and paid from the funds of the district. If the board does not appoint such truant officer then the duties of the truant officer shall be performed by the members of the board themselves. In case of the neglect of a truant officer to perform his duty within fifteen days after being served written notice by any tax payer or qualified elector, he is himself liable to a fine that exceeds that imposed on the original offender.

SCHOOL OFFICERS CONVENTION.

On March 11th of this year I called a conference of the school officers of the county. The convention met in this room. While there were not as many present as was expected, on account of the condition of the roads, those present made up in enthusiasm and earnestness of purpose for the lack in numbers. Papers were given along the lines of the duties of school officers by the county superintendent. Also excellent addresses by Prof. W. C. Hewitt, Prof. L. L. Summers, W. H. Levings and the Hon. E. R. Hicks. After each of the addresses informal discussions were held at which many questions were asked and very much valuable information given by the various experienced officers. This meeting proved what was all along suspected, namely that a great deal of the laxity in the management of the schools by the officers elected at the annual meetings was not caused by wilful neglect, but by a lack of definite knowledge of what their duties consisted.

The good that has come of this meeting is very evident as I inspect schools this fall. Many of the younger officers who were prone to either let things go as they saw fit or to let the older members have all of the "say," have developed into aggressive reformers who are standing out for the rights of the schools and are accomplishing good things in their respective districts.

I was so much encouraged with the success of this meeting that I am planning to call another along the same lines this winter, and if the demand is sufficient to make it an annual event.

INTERIOR DECORATION.

During the past three years a great deal has been done to improve the condition and appearance of the school rooms. It is now the exception rather than the rule to see a dingy unkempt room. The improvements have been largely of a substantial nature, consisting of hardwood floors, paint for the woodwork and kalsomine. In some instances new furniture has been added and some modern apparatus purchased. Not enough care is given to keeping up the small supplies of the schools. Too many teachers are like paupers, having to beg for every little thing that should be on hand, and often being curtly denied anything that will lighten her drudgery or make her work more efficient.

The good work will not be allowed to stop here. The walls should be further decorated with a few good pictures. Excellent reproductions of noted paintings may now be had for a very little money. A small sum invested in this manner will add something to the room whose worth cannot be estimated in dollars and cents.

The Art Department of the 20th Century Club of this city raised funds and decorated one school house in this county. The teacher of this school reported to me after a long period of observation, that the order in and about the room at intermissions was perfect, and during the sessions very much improved, the interest in the recitations and the library greatly increased and the whole tone of the school raised.

'SANITATION AND WATER SUPPLY.

I regret to report that in a great many schools there is no provision for pure drinking water. In most schools, even including those having a good well on the premises, the water is kept in an open pail. Water kept in this way soon gets warm and unwholesome. I have often seen a scum of dust and filth on the surface of the water which was stirred in and dissolved by the first little fellow who came to drink. This is unsanitary in the extreme. A cork lined cooler that will keep the water pure and cool will cost but a few dollars and will insure the little folks plenty of wholesome drink at all times.

Many districts have greatly improved the condition of the out houses either by building a new or by repairing the old ones. There is still much to be done. While many of the buildings are neat in appearance the interiors are little better than before. Lack of urinal facilities and roughly made and unpainted benches soon cause the building to become untidy, and after the first offense there is a rapid decline to a state of absolute filthiness.

INSTITUTE.

This year the usual ten day institute was held in the Normal building. The enrollment was 104, a slight increase over last year. The

average attendance was 92 as compared with 85 last year. The work attempted was on a few lines which were clear cut and definitely planned. The amount of work that any teacher could take was limited and she was held strictly accountable for the faithful preparation and recitation of all that was assigned to the whole section. In the recitations the conductors attempted to exemplify the manner of conducting a model class at each meeting of the section. The spirit which the teachers, especially the older ones, showed was the best ever in evidence at an institute held in this county.

The only departure in the work this year was the introduction of manual training. The section of experienced teachers who had the work in agriculture last year were given training in this subject. The work taken up included paper cutting, designing, cardboard work, weaving and basketry.

While this work is new in this country, all of the leading European nations have long recognized its merits. They realize that to attempt to train the intellectual side only of a child before all of the mental faculties are developed is a waste of time and energy. If the work is as successful when applied in the schools as it was in the Institute I am very sanguine of its success. The great interest in the work of the Institute was in a large measure due to the effect of the manual training. The teachers became so interested in their work that they had to be driven from the room at closing time, and the last day none of those taking the subject asked to be excused at noon as is the usual custom other years. The interest was not confined to the manual training but each of the other conductors reported to me that their work never progressed with so little friction, and attributed this state of affairs to the great interest in all of the work. I am expecting to report some good things of the work that is being done in the schools this year.

Again thanking your Honorable Body for the many favors that you have shown to my department.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE OVERTON,

Supt. of Schools for Winnebago County.

Supervisor Schoetz moved the report be accepted and made part of the proceedings.

The motion was carried.

Supervisor Sperbeck moved to adjourn for committee work.

The motion was carried and the Board adjourned.

FRIDAY—TENTH DAY.

SUPERVISOR'S ROOM, OSHKOSH, WIS.

November 20th, 1903, 9 o'clock A. M.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment. Chairman Nash presiding.

Present full Board except Supervisor Lawson

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Accounts were presented and referred to appropriate committees.

TO REPAIR POOR FARM BARN.

Supervisor Kenny offered Resolution No. 8 as follows.

Resolved, That the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars or as much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of rebuilding and repairing the Poor Farm barn; and that same be paid out as the work progresses and is completed upon certificates signed by the chairman and at least two other members of the Poor Committee. The same to be filed with the County Clerk and county orders be duly issued for the amount of the same.

Signed

J. KENNY,

C. A. PRIDE,

PETER J. GUNDERSON,

ADAM W. EHRGOTT,

E. E. MANUEL.

Supervisor Arnemann moved adoption Carried. Ayes 36; nay 1, Ellis; absent 2, Bullard and Lawson.

TO REPAIR POOR HOUSE BUILDINGS.

Supervisor Kenny offered the following Resolution No. 9:

Resolved, That the balance left in the ice house and barn funds, namely: Four hundred and fifty-six and 47 dollars be placed at the disposal of the Committee on Poor and Poor Farm to be used in placing the Poor House buildings in good repair. The same be paid out as the work progresses upon certificates signed by the Chairman and at least two other members of the Poor and Poor Farm committee, and the same to be filed with the County Clerk and county orders be duly issued for the amount of the same

Signed,

J. KENNY,

ADAM W. EHRGOTT,

C. A. PRIDE,

PETER J. GUNDERSON,

E. E. MANUEL.

Supervisor Kenny moved adoption.

Remarks by Supervisors Kenny, Lueckenbach, Tullar, Arnemann and Schoetz.

Supervisor Schoetz moved to reconsider and later withdrew motion.

The resolution was adopted. Ayes 38; absent 1, Lawson.

SHELVING FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS' OFFICE.

Supervisor Arnemann offered the following Resolution No 10:

Be it Resolved, By the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that the sum of One Hundred and Eighty Dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the County Treasury not otherwise appropriated to be used under the direction of the Building Committee, to purchase fireproof shelving and files for the Register of Deeds office in said Winnebago County.

Dated Nov. 20, 1903.

WM. ARNEMANN.

Supervisor Ganzer moved its adoption. Carried. Ayes 37; absent 2, Gruenhagen and Lawson.

REPORT OF SOLDIER COMMISSION.

Secretary N. C. Coates read annual report No. 13 as follows:

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis.

GENTLEMEN: I have the honor to submit the following statement of orders drawn on the Indigent Soldiers fund of Winnebago county for each and every month beginning with the month of December, 1902, and ending November 13, 1903:

Date	Amount
December, 1902.....	\$ 443 00
January, 1903.....	444 00
February.....	460 00
March.....	406 00
April.....	257 00
May.....	257 00
June.....	254 00
July.....	248 00
August.....	339 00
September.....	344 00
October.....	410 00
November.....	440 00
Total.....	\$4302 00
Less cancelled orders.....	7 00
Net amount drawn.....	\$4295 00

RECAPITULATION.

Place	No. of Beneficiaries	Amount
Oshkosh	50	\$1740 00
Neenah	14	615 00
Menasha	15	649 00
Omro	12	486 00
Winneconne	12	542 00
Rushford	4	157 00
Vinland	1	49 00
Utica	2	54 00
Poygan	1	10 00
	111	\$4302 00
Less orders cancelled.....		00
		\$4295 00

FINANCE.

Balance on hand Dec. 1. 1902.....	\$ 45 39
Appropriation for 1903.....	4000 00
Total.....	\$4045 39
Amount of orders drawn.....	\$4295 00
Overdrawn.....	\$ 249 61

T. S. ALLEN, *President*,
 ROBERT BRAND, *Examiner*,
 N. C. CATES, *Secretary*.

Supervisor Chase moved the report be referred to Finance committee and published with the proceedings, omitting the names of the beneficiaries. Carried.

Robert Brand addressed the members of the Board regarding the Indigent Soldiers fund.

Supervisor Chase moved that so much of report of Committee on Bonds and Salaries as referred to pay of secretary of commission be reconsidered.

Remarks by Supervisors Chase, Schoetz, Bullard and Ganzer.

Supervisor Chase withdrew the motion.

Supervisor Arnemann moved that the matter be referred to the committee on Bonds and Salaries to report at next meeting. Carried.

Supervisor Schoetz moved that when the Board adjourn it be to Monday, Nov. 23d, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Supervisor Bullard moved to amend to meet Friday afternoon.

Supervisor Bullard withdrew his amendment and Supervisor Schoetz withdrew his motion.

Supervisor Beduhn moved that no bills be acted upon after Monday noon, the 23d. Carried.

TO REVISE ABSTRACT.

Supervisor Bullard offered Resolution No. 11 as follows:

The undersigned would most respectfully show to your honorable body that it is necessary that a new abstract book of taxes be made for the city of Oshkosh for the following reasons, viz.:

That the book now in use is wholly inadequate both in size and scope for the purpose for which it is now used, or intended to be used.

When the book was made, whoever ordered it did not have it properly divided as to wards nor take into consideration the increase in number of additions and subdivisions which would naturally be made in some of the wards and left no space in which to put them. That in some cases the additions have been put in only in part and then it was necessary to put them in different places instead of in regular order for ready reference so that when people come in to find out if there are taxes against this or that lot in such addition it is at times almost impossible to make sure in regard to same without spending a great deal of time in examining the Sale Books for the different years.

That from time to time parts of the new addition have been entered in the book most anywhere in a hap-hazard and incomplete sort of way, making it extremely difficult for any one making search for taxes against certain pieces or lots, to find

taxes which properly ought to be charged against the said pieces or lots of land or to tell with certainty there are or are not taxes against the same.

That one is taking chances every day in certifying that certain property is clear of taxes, on account of the condition in which the abstract book is at the present time and there is no way of properly systematizing the tax sales without a new book for the same.

I would therefore respectfully recommend that the clerk be authorized to purchase and prepare an abstract book of sales of the City of Oshkosh for twelve years from and including sale 1895 at legal rates.

SILAS BULLARD.

Supervisor Arnemann moved its adoption. Carried. Ayes 38; absent 1, Lawson.

Supervisor Schoetz made some remarks regarding the election of the trustee of the asylum followed by District Attorney Jackson and Supervisor Bullard.

Supervisor Pfeiffer moved to adjourn for committee work.
The motion was carried and the Board adjourned.

SATURDAY—ELEVENTH DAY.

SUPERVISOR'S ROOM, OSHKOSH, WIS.

November 21st, 1903, 9 o'clock A. M.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment, Chairman Nash presiding.

Present full Board except Supervisors Lawson and Schoetz.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Accounts were presented and referred to appropriate committees.

Supervisor Pride offered Resolution No. 12 and moved its adoption.

APPROPRIATION TO SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 9.

WHEREAS, School District No. 9 in the town of Oshkosh has had taken from its tax roll land owned by the Northern State Hospital and County Farm amounting to 620 acres, all of which is exempt from taxation and

WHEREAS, Children from the Poor Farm are from time to time receiving benefit of said school; therefore be it

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County that there be and hereby is appropriated the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50) from the county treasury, and that the chairman and clerk of this county board are hereby authorized and instructed to issue a county order therefor to the treasurer of School District No. 9 of said Town of Oshkosh.

C. A. PRIDE.

Adopted Ayes 37; absent 2, Lawson and Schoetz.

TO INCREASE SALARY OF SECRETARY OF SOLDIERS COMMISSION.

Supervisor Ganzer offered the following Resolution No. 13:

To the Honorable, the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: We, your Committee on Bonds and Salaries, would recommend the passage of the following resolution:

Be it Resolved, By the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that the salary of the secretary of the Indigent Soldiers Commission for the ensuing year be and the same is hereby fixed at Seventy-Five Dollars (\$75.00) and no more in full for all services and expenses.

EDWARD GANZER,
A. T. LUECKENBACH,
SILAS BULLARD,
W. P. BUSSEY,
O. F. CHASE,
PHILIP ARFT,
J. G. MENZEL.

The resolution was adopted Ayes 37; absent 2, Lawson and Schoetz.

The clerk read a communication from C. A. Dinsmore regarding the salary of the clerk of municipal court. The same was referred to bonds and salary committee.

BONDS.

Supervisor Ganzer offered Report No. 14, as follows:

To the Honorable, the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County Wis:

GENTLEMEN: We, your Committee on Bonds and Salaries would recommend the passage of the following resolution:

Resolved, By the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that the bonds of the herein named officers be fixed as follows:

Superintendent of Poor.....	\$5000 00
Superintendent of Work House.....	1500 00
Trustees of County Asylum each.....	1000 00
Purchasing Agent.....	500 00

EDWARD GANZER,
A. T. LUECKENBACH,
O. F. CHASE,
SILAS BULLARD,
PHILIP ARFT,
W. P. BUSSEY,
J. G. MENZEL.

Supervisor Arnemann moved its adoption. Carried. Ayes 37; absent 2, Lawson and Schoetz

Supervisor Bussey reported on bills of Merle Tuttle and Miss Leupold.

Supervisor Nash named the committee on work house the same as at the special session.

Supervisor Bussey moved when Board adjourn it be to Friday, the

27th. Carried by rising vote of 20 for to 11 against.

RESIGNATION OF A. W. EHRGOTT.

The clerk read the resignation of A. W. Ehrgott as supervisor in the 4th ward of the city of Neenah.

Supervisor Kenny moved to accept. Carried, A. W. Ehrgott retiring from the County Board.

Supervisor Heise moved that the rules be suspended and the clerk cast ballot of Board for A. W. Ehrgott for trustee of Asylum for three years.

The motion was carried and the ballot cast and A. W. Ehrgott declared elected.

Supervisor Chase moved to adjourn for committee work to Friday, the 27th.

The motion was carried and the Board adjourned.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S REPORT.

STATE OF WISCONSIN }
WINNEBAGO COUNTY } SS

Carl Jackson, being first duly sworn on oath, says that he is the District Attorney for said county, that since the 7th day of November, A. D. 1902, and the last annual statement of deponent, I have received no money in my capacity of District Attorney for said county.

C. D. JACKSON,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of November, A. D. 1903.

FRED BADGER,

Clerk of Circuit Court, Winnebago County, Wis.

FRIDAY--TWELFTH DAY.

SUPERVISORS' ROOM, OSHKOSH, WIS
November 27th, 1903, 9 o'clock A. M.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment, Chairman Nash presiding.

Present full Board except Supervisor Lawson.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

Accounts were presented and referred to appropriate committees.

Rev. Van Slyke of Cleveland, O., addressed the members of the Board in reference to the Bethel mission.

SALARY OF MUNICIPAL CLERK.

Supervisor Ganzer offered Report No. 15, as follows:

The Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: Your committee on Bonds and Salaries would report that they have carefully examined the communication referred to them and would recommend the passage of the following resolution:

Resolved. By the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that the salary of the Clerk of Municipal Court be fixed at Nine Hundred Dollars (\$900.00) per annum for all services rendered.

EDWARD GANZER,
O. F. CHASE,
A. T. LUECKENBACH,
PHILIP ARFT,
SILAS BULLARD,
W. P. BUSSEY,
J. G. MENZEL

Supervisor Ganzer moved its adoption. Carried. Ayes 37; absent 1, Lawson; excused 1, Riley.

REPORT ON WORK HOUSE REPORT.

Supervisor Bullard offered Report No. 16, as follows:

To the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: Your Finance Committee to whom the foregoing report No. 6 of the Work House committee was referred, would respectfully recommend the adoption of such report and that the resolution therein recommended be adopted, all of which is respectfully submitted,

SILAS BULLARD, *Chairman*,
W. P. BUSSEY,
J. G. MENZEL,
E. M. WILSON,
ALBERT KOPLITZ,
J. C. HEISE,
SOLOMON RHOADES,
G. H. CHARLESWORTH.

The report was adopted. Ayes 37; absent 1, Lawson; excused 1, Riley.

ILLEGAL ASSESSMENTS.

Supervisor Schoetz of Illegal Assessments committee offered Report No. 17, as follows:

To the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County.

Your Committee on Illegal Assessments beg leave to report that they have examined and considered the several petitions and matters referred to them and report and recommend as follows:

First. The petition of C. M. Hale for the cancellation of tax certificate No. 213, sale of 1900, for \$11.20, on the following described real estate, to-wit: All of Lot 32 and north five feet of Lot 44, Block 30,

Leach's map, second ward, Oshkosh, for special improvement. That the same question arose and has been declared illegal by the Hon. G. W. Burnell, judge of the Circuit Court of Winnebago county, in the case of Chas. Thorn vs. the City of Oshkosh and Winnebago County, and the same was held to be void and should be cancelled and discharged by judgment of said court on April 3d, 1901. Your committee therefore recommend that said certificate be cancelled and amount refunded to petitioner on surrender of said certificate, together with the interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum and that the same be charged back to the city of Oshkosh. Amount of said certificate \$11.20, interest \$2.74; total \$13.94.

Second. The petition of C. M. Hale for the cancellation of tax certificate No. 375, sale of 1901, for \$6 76, on the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot 71, Block 2, J. B. McLeran's subdivision of Block 130 and 104 twelfth ward, Oshkosh. That the same is claimed to be illegal by petitioner for the reason that there is no such property as described in said tax certificate. Your committee however find said Lot 71, Block 2 appear of record in the office of register of deeds of said Winnebago county and therefore recommeud that said petition of said C. M. Hale be denied.

Third. The petition of Joseph Kloeckner for the cancellation of tax certificate No. 383, sale of 1901, for \$33.21; No. 398, sale of 1902, for \$38.86; No. 346, sale of 1903, for \$30.82, on the following described real estate, to-wit: Lots No. 22, 23 and 24, Block 68, 13th ward of Oshkosh. That said certificates are void and illegal for the reason that the property is owned by the Grace Episcopal Church Society and has been and is at this time used by said Church Society for the holding of religious services and divine worship. Your committee find the facts set forth in said petition to be true and recommends that said certificates be cancelled and charged back to the city of Oshkosh and the amounts refunded to petitioner upon the surrender of said certificates together with the interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per annum.

Cer. No. 383, Sale of 1901, \$33.21, int. \$6.66, total.....	\$39.87
Cer. No. 398, Sale of 1902, \$38.86, int. \$4.08, total	\$42.94
Cer. No. 346, Sale of 1903, \$30.82, int. \$1.08, total	\$31.90

Fourth. The petition of the Wisconsin Central Railway company for the cancellation of tax certificate No. 260, sale of 1900, on Lot 24, Block 99, sixth ward, city of Oshkosh, for \$2.86. No. 238, sale of 1901, for \$2.86. No. 253, sale of 1902, for \$3.24. No. 219, sale of 1903, for \$3.39. all on the following described property, to-wit: Lot 24, Block 99, sixth ward, city of Oshkosh. That said certificates are illegal and void for the reason that the property is owned by said Wisconsin Central Railway company and used for railway purposes, as contemplated by Sec. 1038, of the Revised Statutes. Your committee finds

that the facts set forth in said petition are true, and recommend that said tax certificates be cancelled, charged back to the city of Oshkosh and the amount refunded to petitioner upon the surrender of said certificates together with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per annum.

Cer No 238, Sale of 1901, \$2 86, int. \$ 50, total.....	\$3 36
Cer. No 260, Sale of 1900, 2.86, int. .70, total.....	3 56
Cer. No 253, Sale of 1902, 3.24 int .33, total.....	3 57
Cer. No. 219, Sale of 1903, 3.39, int. .12, total.....	3 51

Fifth. The petition of N. A. Greenlaw for the cancellation of tax certificate No. 481, tax of 1896, sale of 1900, for \$36.50, on the following described real estate, to-wit: All of Lot 21, Block 55, except the right of way, readvertised tax for Section 1170, Revised Statutes, fourth ward, city of Menasha. That the said certificate is supposed to be against the land of one Denis Peebles, who did not at that time own any land in Lot 21, Block 55, and never did. That Denis Peebles' land is described as "west $\frac{1}{4}$ of Lot 20, south of old Plank road, except east 16, and except right of way of M. & N. R. R. Co., of Block 55, fourth ward, Menasha." That the taxes of said Denis Peebles for the year 1896, upon the last described piece of land in Lot 20, were not paid, as shown by the tax roll for the city of Menasha for the year 1896. That the taxes on all of Lot 20 for said year of 1896 were paid as shown by said tax roll. That there should have been no return for said year of 1896 on Lot 21, but the treasurer of the city of Menasha, in making the return, described Peebles' land as in Lot 21 instead of Lot 20 as it should have been.

Your committee find that the facts set forth in said petition to be true and recommend that said certificate be cancelled and charged back to the city of Menasha and the amount thereof refunded to petitioner, upon surrender of said certificate, together with interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum.

Amount of said certificate \$36.50, int. \$8.89, total..... \$45.39

Sixth. The petition of W. C. Bouck for cancellation of tax certificate No. 161, sale of 1902, for \$6.76; No. 166, sale of 1901, for \$5.34; No. 174, sale of 1900, for \$5.32; No. 182, sale of 1898, for \$5.19; No. 313, sale of 1897, for \$5.32; all on the following described real estate, to-wit: Lots 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, Reed's first subdivision of part of Lot 1, and part of the S. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of N. E. $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 14, T 20, R 17, fourth ward, city of Menasha. That there is no plat on record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Winnebago county, known as Reed's first subdivision of part of Lot 1, and part of the S. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of N. E. $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 14, Town 20, Range 17, nor is there any plat on record in said Register of Deeds' office known as Reed's first subdivision of part of Lot 1, and part of S. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of N. E. $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 14, Town 20, Range 17.

Your committee have examined the records in said Register of Deeds' office and find no record of the same and therefore recommend that the said certificates be cancelled except certificate No. 313, sale of 1897, \$5.32, which is outlawed, and charged back to the city of Menasha and the amount refunded to petitioner upon surrender of certificates together with interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum.

No. Cer. 161, Sale of 1902, \$6.76, int. \$.70, total.....	\$7.46
No. Cer. 166, Sale of 1901, 5.34, int. .92, total.....	6.26
No. Cer. 174, Sale of 1900, 5.32, int. 1 00, total.....	6.32
No. Cer. 182, Sale of 1898, 5.19, int. 1.80, total.....	6.99

Seventh. The petition of U. C. Coats for cancellation of tax certificate No. 134, sale of 1897, for \$2 31, on the following described real estate, to wit: 30 feet east of Lot 12, Block C., Smith & Center "ad" second ward, city of Neenah. That said certificate is illegal and void for the reason that the treasurer's list of sales for that year readvertises city of Neenah, second ward, Smith & Center's addition 30 feet east of Lot 8, Block C, instead of city of Neenah, second ward, Smith & Center's addition, 30 feet east of Lot 12, Block C.

Your committee find that the facts set forth in said petition are true and recommend that the same be cancelled and charged back to the city of Neenah and the amount thereof refunded petitioner together with interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum upon the surrender of certificate.

Amount of said certificate \$2 31, int. \$.96, total.....	\$3 27
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Eighth. The petition of L. G. Arnold for the cancellation of tax certificate No 401, sale of 1899, for \$3.56, on the following described real estate, to-wit: Com at a point on the E line of Sec. 22, T. 18, R. 16, in center of Durfee St, from thence running N. on said E. line 2 by 62.12 chains, thence W. 15 chains, thence in a southwesterly direction 27 chains to center of Durfee street in a southeasterly direction to place of beginning, being a piece of land in S. E. cor. of Lot 3, farming land, sixth ward, Oshkosh. That said land so described in said certificate has not been known by such description since June 11, 1896, for the reason that said described land was replatted together with Lot 12 of Weisbrod's subdivision of Lot 4 and the N. W. part of Lots 3 and 6 in sixth ward, Oshkosh, and is known as part of Lots 6 and 7 of Weisbrod's replat of Lot 12, sixth ward, Oshkosh, Wis., as will be shown by a plat recorded in the office of Register of Deeds, Winnebago county, Wisconsin, Vol. 5, page 47 of plats.

Your committee find that the facts set forth in said petition are true and recommend that the same be cancelled and charged back to the city of Oshkosh and amount refunded to petitioner together with interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, upon the surrender of said certificate

Amount \$3.56, int. \$1.10, total.....\$4.66

Ninth. The petition of Fred Abrams for the cancellation of tax certificates No. 364, sale of 1900, for \$99.95, on the following real estate, to-wit: East $\frac{1}{2}$ of 37 and all of Lot 38, Algoma addition, twelfth ward, Oshkosh; No. 429, sale of 1900, for \$103.15, on the following real estate, to-wit: Lot 3, Block 100, Leach's map, twelfth ward, Oshkosh; No. 432, sale of 1900, for \$232.31, on the following real estate, to-wit: Lot 7, Block 100, Sturtevant's sub. of southern part of Block 100, twelfth ward, Oshkosh. That said taxes as represented by said tax certificates are special assessments; that the respective owners, W. Wassenbach, Mrs. A. M. Lane and Carl Durah, of the land effected by said tax certificates have brought actions in the Circuit Court of Winnebago county against the city of Oshkosh, Winnebago county and Madison J. Rounds as treasurer of said Winnebago county, to recover the amount of said tax and restrain the county of Winnebago or its officers from issuing any tax deed thereon. That in the above entitled actions the assessment under which said tax certificates were issued was adjudged and decreed by the Circuit Court of Winnebago county to be wholly null and void, and said assessment and levy of no force and effect whatever; and said assessment tax was, by said court, cancelled and discharged, and it was further adjudged in the above entitled action that the defendant, Winnebago county, and Madison J. Rounds as treasurer of said Winnebago county, be, and they are hereby restrained and perpetually enjoined from selling said above described lands for said assessment taxes, and that the county of Winnebago, its officers, agents and servants be, and they are perpetually enjoined and restrained from issuing any tax certificate or deed for the said unpaid taxes so levied and assessed against the premises herein before described.

Your committee find that a judgment was rendered in the Circuit Court of Winnebago county on the ninth day of March, 1901, and recommend that said certificates be cancelled and charged back to the city of Oshkosh, and the amounts together with interest at the rate of 7 per cent be refunded to petitioner on surrender of said certificates.

No. 364, sale of 1900, amount \$ 99.95, int. \$24.47, total.....\$124.42
 No. 429, sale of 1900, amount 103.15, int. 25.27, total..... 128.42
 No. 432, sale of 1900, amount 232.31, int. 56.91, total..... 289.22

Tenth. In the matter of the petition of the Wisconsin Central Railway company setting forth that Lot 2, Block 19, Palmer's map, city of Neenah, has been assessed and taxed for the year 1897, and that tax certificate on this description of the sale of 1898 is now outstanding. That at the time the assessment was made and tax levied for that year the property was owned and held by said Wisconsin Central Railway company for necessary uses in connection with the oper-

ation of said railway, as contemplated by Sec. 1038 R. S. and for that reason is by law exempt from taxation.

Your committee ask that it be put over until the March session for further investigation

All of which is respectfully submitted
Dated November 27th, 1903.

M. M. SCHOETZ,
PHILIP ARFT,
GEO. W. ELLIS,
ROBT. W. MACKIE,
A. T. LUECKENBACH,

Supervisor Sperbeck moved adoption of the report. Carried. Ayes 37; absent 1, Lawson; excused 1, Riley.

EQUALIZATION.

Supervisor Bussey, chairman of Equalization committee, offered Report No. 18, as follows:

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned, your committee to whom was assigned the duty of equalizing the assessment of the several towns, villages and cities of the county, beg leave to submit their scheduled report, as follows:

	Amount
Algoma.....	\$ 1258211
Black Wolf.....	1006351
Clayton.....	1692098
Menasha.....	745124
Neenah.....	802557
Nekimi.....	1577003
Nepenskun.....	1214009
Omro.....	1556712
Omro Village.....	690016
Oshkosh.....	1207322
Poygan.....	784017
Rushford.....	1505659
Utica.....	1447945
Vinland.....	1618395
Winchester.....	1210221
Winneconne.....	1037563
Winneconne Village.....	362151
Wolf River.....	908370
Menasha City.....	2671748
Neenah City.....	3822188
Oshkosh City.....	20429401
Total.....	\$47556621

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. BUSSEY,
O. F. CHASE,
WM. ARNEMANN,
CASPER PFEIFFER,
H. A. ATWOOD,
C. A. DUNHAM,
ROBT. W. MACKIE,
JAMES KENNY,
JOHN HOFFBERGER JR.

We hereby certify that the above list is the county assessment made by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago county, Wisconsin, at the November, 1903, session of said Board.

Dated November 28, 1903.

H. C. NASH, *Chairman*,
J. J. FISH, *Clerk*.

Supervisor Arnemann moved to adopt the report.

Supervisor Bullard moved to amend and that action be postponed until 2 p. m.

Supervisor Schoetz moved to further amend and that it be made a special order of business Saturday 28th, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Remarks by Supervisors Chase, Bullard, Schoetz, Kenny, Lueckenbach and Arnemann.

Amendment to 9 a. m. Saturday lost.

First amendment to postpone to 2 p. m. was carried; 19 for, 13 against.

ANNUAL REPORT OF COUNTY SUPERVISOR OF ASSESSMENTS—1903.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wisconsin:

GENTLEMEN: Pursuant to Section 8, Chapter 445, Laws of 1901, it is the duty of the Supervisor of Assessments to report to your Honorable body, at the November session, "The work of the assessors in each of the several districts of the county, the failure, if any, of assessors or property owners to comply with the law, the relative assessed and true value of all property in each assessment district, and all such information and statistics as he may obtain which will be of assistance to the county board in determining the relative value of all taxable property in each town, city and village in the county."

I have therefore the honor to present to you my second annual report as Supervisor of Assessments. According to Section 4, Chapter 445, I called a meeting of "The assessors of the county, for conference and instructions relative to the duties of such assessors in the valuations and assessments of all kinds and classes of property subject to taxation under the laws of the State."

I am pleased to say that every assessor of the county attended the meeting and took an active part in the discussion of the assessment

laws as amended by the Legislature of 1903, and of the best method to secure the full enforcement of the same. The assessors of this county are entitled to high commendation for the willing and cordial spirit shown by them, both at this meeting, and subsequently in their actual work in complying with the changed conditions and what may be called the "new movement," toward assessing all property at "true value." Much improvement in the work and a much more cordial spirit was found to prevail toward a full assessment this year than last. I feel that much of this better spirit was due to the cooperation in this direction of the present members of the county board. It is only fair to say that the opposition which has existed in the past to a full assessment at the actual value of the property is now practically done away with.

The law, (Chapter 378, Laws of 1903), "relating to the taxation of mortgages and mortgaged real estate" was not passed until after our annual meeting, and occasioned some confusion as to its application. I found it necessary at once after its passage to visit many of the assessors, and personally explain its operation. It seemed at the time a very complex and confusing law, notwithstanding the fact that a clear and concise circular of instruction concerning its application was issued by the State tax commission to all assessors. However, in actual practice the law proved to be very simple, as far as this county is concerned, being merely a law exempting mortgages from taxation, and nothing more nor less. As to the wisdom of such a law, the opinion of your Supervisor of Assessments is not material, since it is his duty to enforce the law. However, it may not be amiss to suggest that it is not clear why one form of indebtedness should be exempt from taxation and another form not exempt. Thus while a debt secured by mortgage is exempt, a debt secured by a mere promissory note is not. Again, in practice, a mortgage on church or hospital property is not exempt, while one on ordinary business, residence or farm property is exempt. Actual complaints have come to me from men who held commercial paper for a few hundred dollars, which was placed on the assessment rolls, while their next neighbor held similar notes for thousands of dollars, secured by mortgage, which under the new law proved to be exempt. If all credits are exempt probably no injustice will be done to any one, for it is undoubtedly true that, as the tax commission say, a tax on mortgages and other credits only serves to increase the rate of interest to debtors, who are thereby compelled to bear a double taxation.

Chapter 246, Laws of 1903, exempting from taxation certain tools, bicycles, sewing machines, firearms, swarms of bees, poultry, certain young stock and watches; also Chapter 292, exempting certain musical instruments, household furniture, family portraits, private libraries, etc., have been beneficial, in that the property assessed under these items in the past have been meager, while the time spent by

assessors in looking after such property could be spent to much better advantage, and for the additional reason that much of such property that formerly belonged on the assessment rolls was missed, thus doing an injustice to the owners of such property which the assessors found. This may be illustrated by citing the assessment of 1902, where the total number of watches assessed was 1634, which is probably less than one tenth of the watches in the county, and the number of bicycles that year assessed at 934, while there are probably at that time more than 10,000 in use. Further legislation in this direction would seem to be desirable. It would reduce the time usually devoted by the assessor to property of minor importance, allowing greater time to the more important forms of property. The language of the Tax Commission in their instructions to assessors for 1902, p 7, is suggestive: "In nearly every assessment district, the greater portion of taxable property consists of real estate. For this reason it is far more important to determine the amount and true value of real property than of personal property. The assessment and true value of real estate, should therefore receive first consideration, and most thorough investigation."

Each assessor was provided with a blank book, called "Assessor's Preliminary Statement," containing an outline map of each section, and blanks for description of the nature of the land, so that the assessor might indicate in the diagram, high land, swamp land, bodies of water, etc., thus:

Sec.....

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No. acres high land	Value \$.....
No. acres swamp	Value \$.....
No. acres exempt	
Total No. acres	Total value \$.....

On the opposite page were the names of the various owners, descriptions of the property of each, together with the number of acres of each, kind of property of each owner, and the several values.

These preliminary statements were properly and carefully filled out by a majority of the assessors, and were found to be of much assistance to the boards of review, and will without doubt be of value to the county board to whom they will be presented. I regret to say that a few of the assessors failed to comply with my request, not using the diagrams to indicate the nature and quantity of the various qualities of land in their towns, and thereby leaving them valueless as to the information desired.

As is well known, a tax commission was called for by the City of Oshkosh, soon after the November, 1902, session of the county board. After the commission made its review and filed its report, I asked the chairman of the commission to supply me the data upon which their report was based, to be used in and comparing with and correcting my work for last year, where they may have found possible errors in my valuations. But the tax commission saw fit not to furnish me any such information, as they gathered during the three months of their investigations; hence I was compelled to pursue my work without any assistance from that source. While the report of that commission differs in material respects from the results obtained by me, yet I am at loss to know upon what classes of property, or what basis of valuation the conclusions of the commission were founded. I may add that the work of the commission was entirely valueless so far as this report is concerned, and I cannot see how I can make it of any avail for the guidance of your honorable body.

Your attention is respectfully directed to Chapter 201, Laws of 1903, which amends the General Charter for cities, by providing that the Mayor, assessors, city clerk and "the Supervisors of the different wards" of any city shall constitute the board of review. This provision, however, does not become effective in the cities of this county until adopted in due form by the councils of these cities, so as to become parts of their respective city charters. It is very clear that if the supervisors of cities had the opportunity of sitting on the boards of review in their respective cities, they would be much better prepared for their duties as members of the county board of equalization. It is to be hoped that these cities will see fit to make the necessary change, so as to secure to

their supervisors the desired experience and knowledge in the matter of assessments and values. The supervisors for the towns already have this advantage; while many city supervisors come to this board with no experience and but little knowledge as to property and property values even in their immediate vicinity.

The State Tax Commission suggests two methods of determining the ratio of assessed value to true value of real estate: (1) by actual inspection of a limited number of parcels in each taxing district, and by comparing the true value of these parcels with the assessed value, deriving therefrom a basis of true value to assessed value for the entire taxing district. (2) By taking the sales in each district for a sufficient length of time to furnish a safe basis and comparing the selling price with the assessed value determine the ratio of true value to the assessed value. Care must be exercised in each of these methods; first to secure a sufficient number and variety of parcels to be fairly representative; second to learn on inspection and from other sources the actual value with reasonable accuracy; third, in the case of sales, to eliminate those sales where the consideration named in the deed does not fairly express the true consideration passing between the parties, or the real value of the property. The first method was largely used by me; at the same time I took advantage of every bona fide sale that came to my knowledge, to aid in securing greater accuracy in the estimates prepared.

It will be observed that I have added to the estimated values of the City of Neenah \$125,000, and of the City of Menasha, \$85,000 for water power. It needs to be explained that heretofore the valuable water powers of these cities have been assessed to the lots upon which such water power was, or might be, used. Investigation has satisfied me that this water power should be assessed separately as real estate, and that under the present method it is underassessed. Hence the amounts thus added, represent what I find to be the amount of such underassessment.

The following tabulations contained in this report cover substantially my investigations relative to property valuations and assessments for the present year:

Table showing the total assessed value of Taxable Real Estate in each Assessment District in Winnebago county for the year 1903, and the true value of the same according to calculations made upon inspection by the Supervisor of Assessments for said County, and showing also the basis upon which such calculations were made:

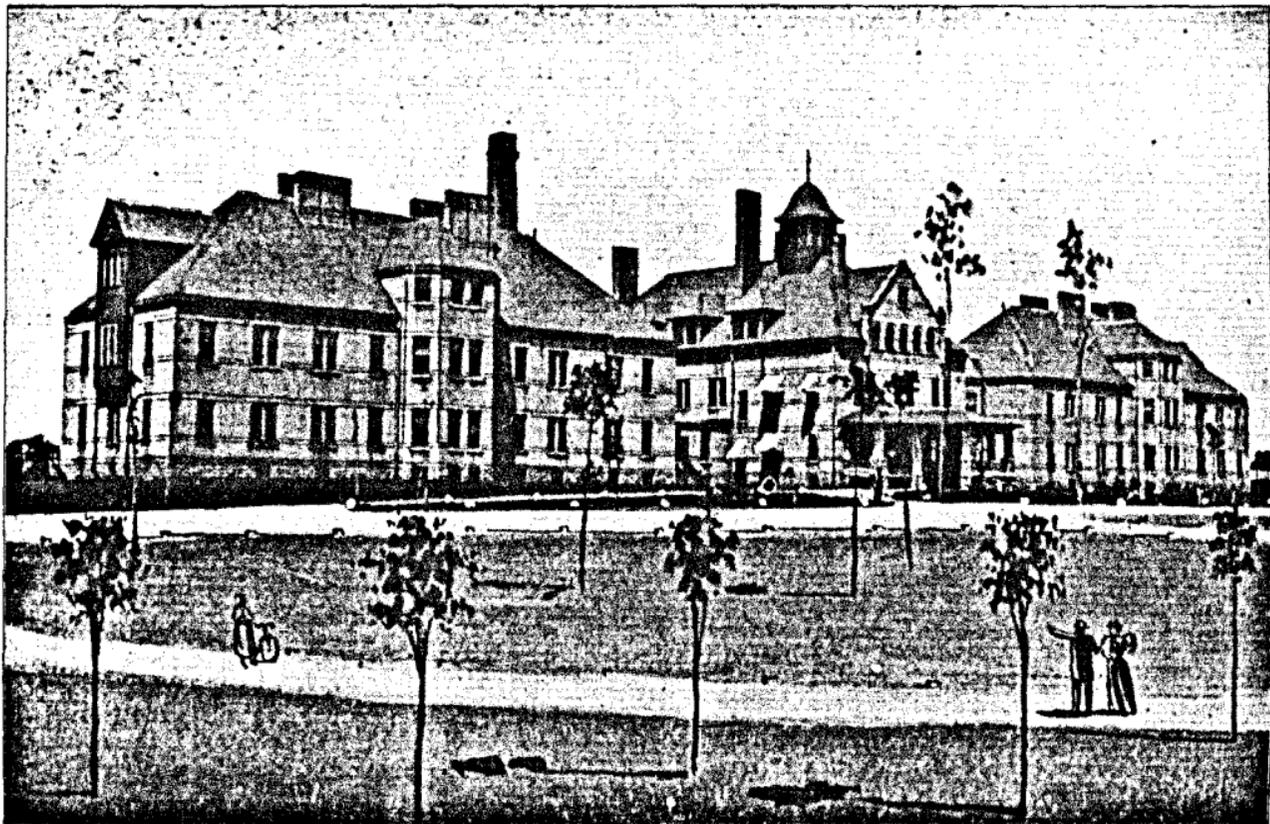
Names of Towns, Cities and Villages.	Number of Parcels Inspected.	True Value of Same by Supervisor.	Assessed Value of Same Parcels.	Ratio of Assessed to True Value.	Assessed Value of All Real Estate in District.	True Value of all Real Estate in District.	Remarks.
Algoma.....	19	\$ 158800	\$ 140560	.88	\$ 1011953	\$ 1149946	
Black Wolf.....	14	104050	94520	.90	834729	927476	
Clayton.....	21	129300	114200	.88	1329569	1510873	
Menasha.....	18	83300	73138	.88	593302	674290	
Neenah.....	18	100500	72600	.72	528858	734525	
Nekimi.....	20	140700	133555	.95	1368825	1446868	
Nepeuskun.....	20	95300	78850	.82	900945	1098347	
Omro.....	20	114800	95260	.83	1175205	1415909	
Omro Village.....	20	37600	33210	.88	491985	559073	
Oshkosh.....	20	132700	110027	.83	34750	1129204	
Poygan.....	19	107800	91036	.84	594606	707264	
Rushford.....	20	123500	97920	.79	1074592	1360243	
Utica.....	17	106500	98000	.92	1198130	1302315	
Vinland.....	19	121900	98400	.80	1168580	1460725	
Winchester.....	22	104500	78600	.75	789655	1052873	
Winneconne.....	20	128800	88850	.69	647813	938859	
Winneconne Village.....	17	25821	23438	.90	261209	290232	
Wolf River.....	20	90100	71840	.79	612682	775546	
Menasha City.....	20	41100	32460	.78	1681185	2240365	
Neenah City.....	21	151800	140830	.92	2094905	3054244	
Oshkosh.....	77	306100	260675	.85	12888290	15162694	
Total.....	466	\$2404771	\$2027365	.84	\$ 32781468	\$ 39083387	

Table 1.

County of Winnebago. Name of Towns, Cities and Villages.	HORSE OF ALL AGES.						NEAT CATTLE OF ALL AGES					
	Assessment.			True Value.			Assessment.			True Value.		
	Number.	Aggregate Assessed Value.	Average Value per Head.	Number.	Aggregate True Value.	Average Value per Head.	Number.	Aggregate Assessed Value.	Average Value per Head.	Number.	Aggregate True Value.	Average Value per Head.
Algoma.....	489	\$34031	\$69 59	489	\$34031	\$69 59	1566	\$34817	\$22 93	1566	\$34817	\$22 93
Black Wolf.....	341	21430	62 84	341	23870	70 00	1139	23560	20 68	1139	23560	20 68
Clayton.....	754	55235	73 25	754	52790	70 00	3255	72877	21 77	3255	72877	21 77
Menasha.....	323	21937	67 91	323	22710	70 00	1277	26109	20 44	1277	26109	20 44
Neenah.....	302	20742	68 68	302	21140	70 00	1174	24937	21 24	1174	24937	21 24
Nekimi.....	688	48378	70 31	688	48378	70 31	2263	45038	19 90	2263	45038	19 90
Nepeuskun.....	507	30308	59 73	507	35490	70 00	2248	43105	19 17	2248	43105	19 17
Omro.....	667	40165	60 22	667	46690	70 00	2610	41063	17 11	2610	41063	17 11
Omro Village.....	174	11340	65 17	174	12180	70 00	152	3520	23 15	152	3520	23 15
Oshkosh.....	352	21327	60 59	352	24640	70 00	1444	32611	22 58	1444	32611	22 58
Poygan.....	333	24747	74 31	333	23310	70 00	1811	35378	19 53	1811	35378	19 53
Rushford.....	625	80450	48 72	625	43750	70 00	2656	47505	18 00	2656	47505	18 00
Utica.....	594	40120	67 44	594	41580	70 00	2422	49205	20 36	2422	49205	20 36
Vinland.....	753	50175	66 63	753	52710	70 00	2635	62210	23 61	2635	62210	23 61
Winchester.....	585	42706	73 00	585	41160	70 00	2875	56692	19 72	2875	56692	19 72
Winneconne.....	417	31483	75 49	417	29100	70 00	1915	38011	19 84	1915	38011	19 84
Winneconne Village.....	111	6135	55 27	111	7770	70 00	89	2130	23 92	89	2130	23 92
Wolf River.....	450	81200	69 55	450	31200	69 55	3307	45228	13 67	3307	45228	13 67
Menasha City.....	210	9025	42 98	210	14700	70 00	156	2335	14 97	156	3900	25 00
Neenah City.....	324	20440	63 09	324	22680	70 00	227	5180	22 82	227	5675	25 00
Oshkosh City.....	1119	78470	70 12	1119	78470	70 12	77	1950	25 32	277	6925	25 00
Total.....	10118	\$666844	\$66 20	10118	\$708429	\$70 16	35298	\$693461	\$19 36	35408	\$736812	\$20 75

Table 2.

County of Winnebago. Names of Towns, Cities and Villages.	MULES AND ASSES.					SHEEP AND LAMBS.						
	Assessment.		True Value.			Assessment.			True Value			
	Number.	Aggregate Assessed Value.	Average Value per Head.	Number.	Aggregate True Value.	Average Value per Head.	Number.	Aggregate Assessed Value.	Average Value per Head.	Number.	Aggregate True Value.	Average Value per Head.
Algoma.....	30	93	3.10	30	93	3.10	30	93	3.10	30	93	3.10
Black Wolf.....	64	135	2.10	64	135	2.10	64	135	2.10	64	135	2.10
Clayton.....	679	1459	2.15	679	1459	2.15	679	1459	2.15	679	1459	2.15
Menasha.....	200	100 00	0.50	200	100 00	0.50	200	100 00	0.50	200	100 00	0.50
Neenah.....	150	75 00	0.50	150	75 00	0.50	150	75 00	0.50	150	75 00	0.50
Nekimi.....	773	2070	2.68	773	2070	2.68	773	2070	2.68	773	2070	2.68
Nepeuskun.....	1568	2670	1.70	1568	2670	1.70	1568	2670	1.70	1568	2670	1.70
Omro.....	653	1323	2.03	653	1323	2.03	653	1323	2.03	653	1323	2.03
Omro Village.....	30	15 00	0.50	30	15 00	0.50	30	15 00	0.50	30	15 00	0.50
Oshkosh.....	134	269	2.00	134	269	2.00	134	269	2.00	134	269	2.00
Poygan.....	573	1160	2.03	573	1160	2.03	573	1160	2.03	573	1160	2.03
Rushford.....	8	200	25 00	8	200	25 00	8	200	25 00	8	200	25 00
Utica.....	3000	7940	2.65	3000	7940	2.65	3000	7940	2.65	3000	7940	2.65
Vinland.....	117	410	3.50	117	410	3.50	117	410	3.50	117	410	3.50
Winchester.....	1	75	75 00	1	75	75 00	1	75	75 00	1	75	75 00
Winneconne.....	4	100	25 00	4	100	25 00	4	100	25 00	4	100	25 00
Winneconne Village.....	1	200	200 00	1	200	200 00	1	200	200 00	1	200	200 00
Wolf River.....	200	200 00	1.00	200	200 00	1.00	200	200 00	1.00	200	200 00	1.00
Menasha City.....	50	25 00	0.50	50	25 00	0.50	50	25 00	0.50	50	25 00	0.50
Neenah City.....	75	37 50	0.50	75	37 50	0.50	75	37 50	0.50	75	37 50	0.50
Oshkosh City.....	400	200 00	0.50	400	200 00	0.50	400	200 00	0.50	400	200 00	0.50
Total.....	19,108	\$ 56 84		21,148	\$ 70 47		10,073	\$ 23 87		10,073	\$ 23 87	



WINNEBAGO COUNTY ASYLUM FOR INSANE.

Table 3.

County of Winnebago. Names of Towns, Cities and Villages	SWINE.						WAGONS, CARRIAGES, SLEIGHS					
	Assessment.			True Value.			Assessment.			True Value.		
	Number.	Aggregate Assessed Value.	Average Value per Head.	Number.	Aggregate True Value.	Average Value per Head.	Number.	Aggregate Assessed Value.	Average Value Each.	Number.	Aggregate True Value.	Average Value Each.
Algoma.....	471	3604	87 65	471	3604	87 65	365	5290	14 49	365	7300	20 00
Black Wolf.....	428	2710	6 33	428	3210	7 50	300	4500	15 00	300	6000	20 00
Clayton.....	970	8460	8 72	970	7275	7 50	259	4418	17 08	350	7000	20 00
Menasha.....	230	1633	7 10	230	1633	7 10	143	1963	13 93	143	2860	20 00
Neenah.....	292	2061	7 06	292	2061	7 06	189	3284	17 37	189	3780	20 00
Nekimi.....	845	5968	6 71	845	6337	7 50	497	7486	15 06	479	9940	20 00
Nepeskun.....	686	4843	6 78	686	5145	7 50	87	1778	20 41	300	6000	20 00
Omro.....	965	5069	5 25	965	7237	7 50	182	2665	14 64	350	7000	20 00
Omro Village.....	16	145	9 06	16	145	9 06	129	4455	34 30	129	4455	34 30
Oshkosh.....	349	2449	7 02	349	2449	7 02	142	2465	17 36	300	6000	20 00
Poygan.....	448	3511	7 83	448	3511	7 83	118	2385	20 21	225	4500	20 00
Rushford.....	775	5884	7 61	775	5884	7 61	154	3190	20 71	450	9000	20 00
Utica.....	1027	6440	6 27	1027	6440	6 27	279	4800	17 20	300	6000	20 00
Vinland.....	752	5610	7 46	752	5610	7 46	149	2120	14 29	250	5000	20 00
Winchester.....	1103	8712	7 90	1103	7721	7 00	290	7257	25 03	290	5800	20 00
Winneconne.....	681	3886	5 70	681	5107	7 50	170	3366	19 30	200	4000	20 00
Winneconne Village.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	90	2153	23 92	90	2153	23 92
Wolf River.....	679	4782	7 04	679	4782	7 04	397	5695	14 34	397	7940	20 00
Menasha City.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	222	6650	29 95	222	6650	29 95
Neenah City.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	449	15690	35 00	449	15690	35 00
Oshkosh City.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1394	56535	40 55	1394	56535	40 55
Total.....	10697	75287	87 04	10697	78151	87 30	6005	148173	24 67	7172	183603	25 60

Table 4.

County of Winnebago. Names of Towns, Cities and Villages.	WATCHES.					BICYCLES.						
	Assessment			True Value.			Assessment.			True Value.		
	Number.	Aggregate Assessed Value.	Average Value Each.	Number.	Aggregate True Value.	Average Value Each.	Number.	Aggregate Assessed Value.	Average Value Each.	Number.	Aggregate True Value.	Average Value Each.
Algoma.....												
Black Wolf.....												
Clayton.....												
Menasha.....												
Neenah.....												
Nektmi.....	19	170	8 95				3	20	6 66			
Nepeskun.....												
Omro.....												
Omro Village.....	1	50	50 00									
Oshkosh.....												
Poygan.....												
Rushford.....												
Utica.....												
Vinland.....	9	150	16 66									
Winchester.....												
Winneconne.....												
Winneconne Village.....												
Wolf River.....												
Menasha City.....	7	110	15 71									
Neenah City.....	10	465	46 50									
Oshkosh City.....	65	2725	41 91					325				
Total.....	111	3870	333 06				3	3545				

Watches valued at less than \$50 are by law exempt; bicycles exempt.

Table 5.

County of Winnebago. Names of Towns, Cities and Villages.	PIANOS.						ORGANS AND MELODEONS.					
	Assessment			True Value.			Assessment.			True Value.		
	Number.	Aggregate Assessed Value.	Average Value Each.	Number.	Aggregate True Value.	Average Value Each.	Number.	Aggregate Assessed Value.	Average Value Each.	Number.	Aggregate True Value.	Average Value Each.
Algoma.....	..	..	..	25	2500	\$100 00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Black Wolf.....	10	1125	112 50	10	1000	100 00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Clayton.....	6	500	83 33	6	600	100 00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Menasha.....	5	775	155 00	6	600	100 00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Neenah.....	..	..	..	8	800	100 00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nekimi.....	5	375	75 00	15	1500	100 00	14	219	15 64	..	..	..
Nepeuskun.....	12	600	50 00	12	1200	100 00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Omro.....	..	..	..	8	800	100 00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Omro Village.....	40	4320	108 00	40	4000	100 00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Oshkosh.....	..	..	..	23	2300	100 00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Poygan.....	..	..	..	5	500	100 00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rushford.....	..	..	..	11	1100	100 00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Utica.....	..	..	..	10	1000	100 00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Vinland.....	15	1115	74 33	15	1500	100 00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Winchester.....	..	..	..	2	200	100 00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Winneconne.....	11	485	44 09	11	1100	100 00	31	555	17 90	..	..	..
Winneconne Village.....	46	5740	124 78	46	4600	100 00	44	815	18 52	..	..	..
Wolf River.....	..	..	..	1	100	100 00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Menasha City.....	8	600	75 00	106	10600	100 00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Neenah City.....	54	6486	120 19	195	19500	100 00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Oshkosh City.....	417	37775	90 59	523	52300	100 00	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total.....	629	59895	\$ 95 22	1078	107800	\$100 00	113	2554	\$22 60	..	..	..

Table 6.

County of Winnebago. Names of Towns, Cities and Villages.	BANK STOCK.		MONEYS, AC- COUNTS, NOTES, BONDS, MORT- GAGES, ETC.		MERCHANTS' AND MANUFAC- TURERS' STOCK.		LOGS, TIMBER, LUMBER, ETC. NOT MANUFAC- TURERS' STOCK.	
	Aggregate Value.		Aggregate Value		Aggregate Value.		Aggregate Value.	
	Assessment.	True Val e.	Assessment.	True Value.	Assessment.	True Value.	Assessment.	True Value.
Algoma.....			10250	10250	2700	2700		
Black Wolf.....				10000			200	200
Clayton.....			28310	28310	2750	2750	5000	5000
Menasha.....			7350	7350				
Neenah.....			10300	10300			75	75
Nekimi.....			53250	12000		500		
Nepeuskun.....			12050	12050	6300	6300		
Omro.....				10000	1000	1000		
Omro Village.....	36250	36250	19875	19875	48315	53683		
Oshkosh.....			5350	5350	2000	2000		
Poygan.....			3410	3410	500	500		
Rushford.....			7345	7345	13970	16435	200	200
Utica.....			14100	14100	600	600		
Vinland.....			18050	18050	500	500		
Winchester.....			23150	23150	9600	9600		
Winneconne.....			10130	10130	2605	2605		
Winneconne Village.....			7190	7190	39825	39825		
Wolf River.....			6550	6550	10800	10800	175	175
Menasha City.....	11120	111200	14900	14900	91250	152082	20400	20400
Neenah City.....	188250	188250	199813	199813	220765	275956		
Oshkosh City.....	1158250	1158250	368525	368525	2125870	2657327	60875	60875
Total.....	1493650	1493950	817883	796613	2585350	3241164	86925	86925

Table 7.

County of Winnebago. Names of Towns, Cities and Villages.	Leaf Tobacco.		Steam and Other Vessels.		Property and Franchises of Water and Light Companies.		All Other Personal Property Liable to Taxation.	
	Aggregate Value.		Aggregate Value.		Aggregate Value.		Aggregate Value.	
	Assessment.	True Value.	Assessment.	True Value.	Assessment.	True Value.	Assessment.	True Value.
Algoma.....			350	350			12655	12655
Black Wolf.....			1720	1720			9180	9180
Clayton.....							4734	4734
Menasha.....			114	114			9110	9110
Neenah.....							4131	4131
Nekimi.....							10386	10386
Nepeuskun.....							2794	2794
Omro.....							11943	11943
Omro Village.....			2275	2275			3530	3530
Oshkosh.....			500	500				5000
Poygan.....							3878	3878
Rushford.....							3420	3420
Utica.....							12765	12765
Vinland.....							11680	11680
Winchester.....							11784	11784
Winneconne.....							7215	7215
Winneconne Village.....			1798	1798			6455	6455
Wolf River.....							10970	10970
Menasha City.....	50	50	640	640	15000	15000	81210	81210
*Neenah City.....			4435	4435			35820	35820
Oshkosh City.....	3925	3925	16750	16750	631750	631750	174875	174875
Total.....	3975	3975	28580	28580	646750	646750	428315	433315

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with merchants' stock.

Table 8.

County of Winnebago. Names of Towns, Cities and Villages.	Land.					City and Village Lots	
	Number of Acres.	Assessment.		True Value.	Average per Acre.	Aggregate Value.	
		Aggregate Value.	Average Per Acre.			Assessment.	True Value.
Algoma.....	10844	1011953	368 46	1149946	106 04		
Black Wolf.....	9978	834729	72 09	927476	92 05		
Clayton.....	22911	1329569	47 17	1510873	65 94		
Menasha.....	9078	593302	56 18	674206	74 26		
Neenah.....	9370	528658	45 14	734525	78 39		
Nekimi.....	19216	1368825	63 22	1440868	74 98		
Nepeuskun.....	19349	900645	40 87	1098347	56 78		
Omro.....	20767	1175205	51 67	1415909	68 13		
Omro Village.....						491985	550073
Oshkosh.....	9714	934750	84 25	1126904	115 93		
Poygan.....	14352	594606	37 32	707864	49 32		
Rushford.....	22105	1074592	41 14	1360243	61 53		
Utica.....	22644	1198130	45 80	1302315	57 51		
Vinland.....	18284	1168580	54 89	1460725	79 89		
Winchester.....	22709	789655	24 83	1052873	46 36		
Winneconne.....	17572	647813	33 13	938859	53 41		
Winne Vill.....						261200	290232
Wolf River.....	20163	612882	21 40	775546	38 46		
Menasha City.....						1681185	2155365
Neenah City.....						2694905	2929244
Oshkosh City.....						12888290	15162694
Total.....	269068	14763894	854 70	17676779	\$ 65 49	18017574	21096608

Table 9.

County of Winnebago. Names of Towns, Cities and Villages.	Total Real Estate.		Total Personal Property.		Total Real and Personal Property.	
	Aggregate Value.		Aggregate Value.		Aggregate Value.	
	Assessment.	True Value.	Assessment.	True Value.	Assessment.	True Value.
Algoma.....	1011953	1149946	103755	108265	1115708	1258211
Black Wolf.....	834729	927478	64500	78875	899289	1006351
Clayton.....	1329569	1510873	182183	181225	1511752	1692098
Menasha.....	593302	674206	69453	70018	662755	745124
Neenah.....	528858	734525	68338	68032	565196	802557
Nekimi.....	1368825	1440668	173048	136135	1541871	1557003
Nepeuskun.....	900645	1098347	104246	115662	1004891	1214009
Omro.....	1175205	1415909	103228	140803	1278432	1556712
Omro Village.....	491985	559073	134105	139943	626090	699016
Oshkosh.....	934750	1126204	66970	81118	1001720	1207322
Poygan.....	594606	707864	74975	78153	669581	784017
Rushford.....	1074592	1360243	113778	145416	1188370	1505659
Utica.....	1198130	1302315	141970	145630	1340100	1447945
Vinland.....	1168580	1460725	152310	157670	1320890	1618395
Winchester.....	789655	1052873	181152	157358	950807	1210231
Winneconne.....	647813	938859	99082	98704	746895	1037563
Winneconne Village.....	261209	290232	72239	71919	833448	862151
Wolf River.....	612682	775546	116181	132824	728463	908370
Menasha City.....	1681185	2240365	353420	431383	2034806	2871748
Neenah City.....	2694905	3054244	697418	767894	3392323	3822136
Oshkosh City.....	12888290	15162894	4722275	5266707	17610565	20429401
Total.....	32781468	38983387	7772684	8572634	40554152	47556021

In submitting this report to you I invite free investigation and criticism as to the methods I have employed, and the conclusions I have reached in regard to the relative value of all taxable property in the county.

The notes and figures from which I compiled the foregoing figures and tables are at your service, and any other information which is in my possession will be cheerfully furnished at your request.

Respectfully submitted,

D. M. SHEA,

Supervisor of Assessments.

Supervisor Arnemann moved adoption

Supervisor Schoetz moved to amend and to accept the report.
Carried as amended.

Recess until 2:00 p. m. taken.

After recess the board resumed its sitting at 2 p. m.

MINORITY REPORT ON EQUALIZATION.

Supervisor Bullard offered the following report No 20:

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis.

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned members of your committee, whom was assigned the duty of equalizing the assessments of the Several Towns, Cities and Villages of this County, hereby dissent from the Report of the Majority of such committee, and protest against the same as unjust and unequal, and beg to submit this minority report as the equalized valuation of the several towns, cities and villages of the county as follows:

	Amount
Algoma.....	\$ 1224587
Black Wolf.....	997306
Clayton.....	1638296
Menasha.....	730000
Neenah.....	775060
Nekimi.....	1550003
Nepeskun.....	1160386
Omro.....	1500354
Omro Village.....	680016
Oshkosh.....	1170000
Poygan.....	746017
Rushford.....	1426616
Utica.....	1420946
Vinland.....	1565038
Winchester.....	1105133
Winneconne.....	945030
Winneconne Village.....	340000
Wolf River.....	892118
Menasha City.....	2516466

	Amount
Neenah City.....	3955281
Oshkosh City.....	20402420
	346741105

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Dated November 27, 1903.

SILAS BULLARD.
GEO. W. ELLIS.
F. S. PALMER.

Supervisor Bullard addressed the Board at length, on adoption of the report.

Remarks by Supervisors Kenny, Russell and Chase.

Supervisor of Assessments Shea was called upon, and addressed the Board, followed by Supervisors Schoetz and Kenney.

Supervisor Kenny asked that City Attorney Stewart, of Oshkosh be allowed to address the Board.

Permission was granted, and Mr. Stewart responded.

Supervisor Chase asked that Mayor Mulva, of Oshkosh, be heard.

The request was granted and the Mayor addressed the Board.

On a vote to adopt the minority report it was lost

AYES—Aritt, Bullard, Charlesworth, Ellis, Gunderson, Manuel, Pride Palmer, Ream, Riley, Schoetz, Tipler, Tullar, Schroeder, Welson—15.

NAYS—Arnemann, Atwood, Beduhn, Bussey, Chase, Dunham, Ganzer, Gruenhagen, Heffron, Hoffberger, Heise, Kenny, Kellogg, Koplitz, Lueckenbach, Mackie, Menzel, Pfeifer, Rhoades, Sperberk, Wilson, Nash and Russell—23.

ABSENT—Lawson—1.

Supervisor Schoetz moved to put the matter over to 9 a. m. the 28th

Lost. Ayes—4; nays—34; absent—1.

The original report was adopted.

AYES—Arnemann, Arft, Atwood, Beduhn, Bussey, Chase, Dunham, Ganzer, Gruenhagen, Hoffberger, Heise, Kenny, Kellogg, Koplitz, Mackie, Menzel, Pfeifer, Rhoades, Russell, Sperbeck, Wilson and Nash—22.

NAYS—Bullard, Charlesworth, Ellis, Gunderson, Heffron, Lueckenbach, Manuel, Pride, Palmer, Ream, Riley, Schoetz, Tipler, Tullar, Schroeder, and Welson—16.

ABSENT—Lawson—1.

Supervisor Bussey moved that the clerk be authorized to correct the equalization to even dollars as follows:

	Amount
Algoma.....	\$ 1258200
Black Wolf.....	1006400
Clayton.....	1692100
Menasha.....	745100
Neenah.....	802600
Nekimi.....	1577000
Nepeuskun.....	1214000

	Amount
Omro.....	1556700
Omro Village.....	699000
Oshkosh.....	1207300
Poygan.....	784000
Rushford.....	1505700
Utica.....	1447900
Vinland.....	1618400
Winchester.....	1210200
Winneconne.....	1037600
Winneconne Village.....	362200
Wolf River.....	908400
Menasha City.....	2671700
Neenah City.....	3822100
Oshkosh City.....	20429400
Total.....	\$47556000

The motion prevailed.

Motion to adjourn to 9:00 a. m. Saturday. Carried.

Adjourned.

SATURDAY—THIRTEENTH DAY.

SUPERVISORS' ROOM, OSHKOSH, WIS
November 28th, 1903, 9 o'clock A. M.

The board met pursuant to adjournment, Chairman Nash presiding.
Present, full board except Supervisor Lawson.
Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

SHERIFF AND CORONERS.

Supervisor Charlesworth, of Sheriff and Coroners Accounts Committee, offered report No. 21, as follows:

To the Honorable, the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wisconsin:

GENTLEMEN: Your committee on Sheriff and Coroners' Accounts beg leave to report they have examined the following bills, referred to them, and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed:

Dated Oshkosh, November 28, 1903.

Name.	Nature of Account.	Claimed.	Allowed.
J P King, officer's fees.....		\$ 3 10	\$ 3 10
J B Ragatz, officer's fees.....		3 40	3 40
M Fitzpatrick, officer's fees.....		3 08	3 08
H F Dowling, officer's fees.....		12 30	12 30
H F Dowling, officer's fees.....		4 13	4 13
E R Westover, officer's fees.....		3 00	3 00
H F Dowling, officer's fees.....		3 80	3 60

Name.	Nature of Account.	Claimed.	Allowed.
F A Kaerwer, justice fees.....		9 85	9 85
L H Rivard, justice fees.....		4 60	4 60
F A Kaerwer, justice fees.....		122 01	122 01
Chas. G Bauman, justice fees.....		10 71	10 71
Chas. G Bauman, justice fees.....		28 17	No action taken
M J Rounds, board of prisoners.....		273 00	273 00
M J Rounds, board of prisoners.....		259 38	258 38
M J Rounds, board of prisoners.....		141 76	141 76
M J Rounds, board of prisoners.....		198 25	188 50
M J Rounds, telegrams.....		2 33	2 33
M J Rounds, sheriff fees.....		1316 01	1297 27
J C Noyes M. D., examinations		15 00	15 00
T Kant, examinations.....		15 73	15 73
W B Thewald M. D., examinations.....		5 00	Disallowed
P MacDougal M. D., examinations.....		5 00	5 00
F M Corey M. D., examinations.....		20 00	20 00
Thos. Jasperson, examinations.....		15 45	9 20
J F Corbet, examinations.....		12 60	7 60
M E Barnett, services to Fred Hampbel.....		75 00	10 00
T D Phillips, recording inquest.....		21 60	21 60
T D Phillips, recording inquest.....		3 60	3 60
L J Athearn, justice fees.....		9 85	9 85
Joseph Hohler, officer's fees.....		2 10	2 10
A C Miller, stenographer.....		4 00	4 00

Respectfully submitted,

G. H. CHARLESWORTH.
 A. T. LUECKENBACH.
 ISAAC TIPLER.
 WM. ARNEMANN.
 C. A. DUNHAM.
 GEO. E. WELSON.
 JACKSON C. TULLAR.
 M. J. RILEY.

Adopted. Ayes, 37; excused 1, Arft; absent 1, Lawson.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

Supervisor Arnemann, of Public Buildings Committee, offered report No. 22, as follows:

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: Your committee on Public Buildings, beg leave to report they have examined the following bills, referred to them, and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed.

Dated Oshkosh, November 28, 1903.

Name.	Nature of Account.	Claimed.	Allowed.
F H Joslyn, for carpets.....		\$79 73	\$79 73
Mueller Bros., plumbing.....		63 63	63 63
Continental Clothing Co., jail supplies.....		53 27	53 27
P L Marden, taring and sanding sidewalk		35 00	35 00

Name.	Nature of Account.	Claimed.	Allowed.
Wisconsin Telephone Co., tolls.....		34 85	34 85
Wisconsin Telephone Co., telephones court house. work house, farm and asylum.....			
B W Lewis, disinfection.....		30 00	30 00
M A Searles, ice contract, 1903, season.....		25 00	25 00
T Lueck, photographs (prisoners)		24 80	24 80
Claude Edwards, labor.....		20 25	20 25
City of Oshkosh, sprinkling streets.....		15 94	15 94
Chas. Williams, taking out piping at court house.....		15 00	15 00
Florlan Lampert, supplies for jail (shoes).....		13 75	13 75
Jones Dry Goods Co., supplies for jail.....		10 75	10 75
E P Robbins, moving safe.....		10 00	5 00
Westphal & Knobla.....		6 10	6 10
Henry Augustine, supplies for court house.....		9 20	9 20
W H Levy, supplies for jail.....		4 75	4 75
Dunham & Fulton, supplies for jail.....		3 25	3 25
Thomas Roberts.....		3 00	3 00
Wilson & Brother, rubber cloth for table.....		2 00	2 00
John Pratsch.....		1 30	1 30
Oshkosh Water Works Co., hydrant.....		5 50	5 50
Merle I. Tuttle.....		2 25	2 25
Wm. Konrad.....		19 80	19 80
J A Kelley.....		2 50	2 50

WM. ARNEMANN.
EDWARD GANZER.
G H. CHARLESWORTH
C. A. DUNHAM.

Committee.

Supervisor Chase moved adoption of the report. Carried, ayes 37; excused 1, Atwood; absent 1, Lawson.

REPORT ON JUSTICES AND CONSTABLES.

Supervisor Manuel offered the following report No. 23.

To the Board of Supervisors, of Winnebago County, Wisconsin:

GENTLEMEN: Your committee on Justices and Constables Accounts beg leave to report they have examined the following bills, referred to them, and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed:

Dated Oshkosh, November 28, 1903

Name.	Nature of Account.	Claimed.	Allowed.
S D Baird, justice fees.....		\$ 11 59	\$ 10 63
P B Glines		1 36	50
H E Bareis		12 81	12 81
James McGinn		126 69	100 19
S S Little		201 37	155 25
Nels Jensen		84 25	65 96
G W Bradley		181 48	157 81
E Vredenburgh		21 56	19 51
J W Samphier		10 53	12 71
Leon Hoover, officers fees.....		34 61	21 67

E. E. MANUEL.
 C. A. PRIDE.
 F. L. PALMER.
 AUG. GRUENHAGEN.
 CASPER PFEIFFER
 M. M. SCHOETZ.
 A. W. KELLOGG,
 GEO. W. ELLIS.
 ISAAC TIPLER.

Supervisor Arnemann moved adoption. Carried. Ayes 37; absent 1, Lawson; excused 1, Schoetz.

The following witness and juror fees were also allowed:

<i>Before A. H. Goss, Municipal Judge.</i>		Name.	Amt
Name.	Amt	Samuel Elmer witness	1 08
John Schreibles, witness fee	\$2 20	Annie Elmer	1 08
Wm. Finch	2 20	Joseph Fischer	1 08
Henry Ellis	2 20	Dan Witzel, interpreter	83
Anna Ellis	2 20	O A Haase juror	50
Andrew Sidehalner	2 20	Frank Murray	50
Peter Wing	2 20	E A Horn	50
John Bloomer	2 44	E F Steude	50
Geo. Vogel	2 44	Wm. Kelly	50
Mike Steffens	2 76	A W Kirst	50
James Casey	83	Frank Kitz, interpreter	80
Gus Frieska	2 20	Helen Oldenberg witness	83
Al Finch	2 20	Fredericka Arnt	83
Henry Voss	2 76	Anna Olson	83
K C Frey	83	E F Wille juror	50
M Hansen Jr.	7 48	Frank H DeGrush	50
James Casey	83	Wm Konrad	50
Dan Lynch	83	Guy McCarrison	50
Henry Dowling	83	Fred Zentner	50
Mary Whiting	7 08	Tim Thomas	50
J D Carr	83	C W Johnston witness	83
Erna Paulfry	2 12	Kittie Knudson	83
Bessie Gay	2 12	Henry Dowling	83
Princess Vian	2 12	Charles Stanley	83
C J Yula	2 12	Wm. Mutch	83
Maude Wessenberg	83	Alice Downey	83
Myra Dunbar	83	Henry Hiller	83
Albert Dalton	83	Gusty Singer	83
Fred Hogan	83	R Zimmerman	83
Dr. Sargent	83	J M Smick	83
A T Barnum	83	James Horan	83
Reise Edwards	83	Ernest Blanchard	83
Mrs. Frank Fellows	83	W L Atwood	83
Henry Sarau juror	50	Frank Follett juror	50
Frank Follett	50	Harvey Nash	50
Tim Thomas	50	Alonzo Adams	50
Tim Swan	50	Chas. H Miller	50
Fred Burgess	50	John Howard	50
Harley Robinson	50	O W Shephard	50

Name		Amt	Name	Amt
Theresa Modl	juror	83	Mat Dambrowski	witness fee..... 1 16
Rudolph Zimmerman	"	1 08	O Ulrich	" "..... 83
Wm. Penzenstaller	"	1 08	S Thompson	" "..... 99
Fred Putzer	"	1 08	C L Webber	juror..... 2 16
Fred Jones	"	1 08	F O Laird	" "..... 2 16
Oscar Spalding	"	1 08	P McQuire	" "..... 2 16
Ed Burgert	"	1 08	Wm. Schug	" "..... 2 16
Joseph Mathi	"	4 68	August Drake	" "..... 2 16
Frank Phillips	"	4 68	A W Hollenbeck	" "..... 2 16
Joseph Bienderfer	"	1 08	Mary Hawley	witness "..... 2 48
John Lienert	"	1 08	Greg Schindler	" "..... 2 48
A W Kerst	juror	50	Peter Wydotzki	" "..... 2 48
Fred Zentner	"	50	Ethel Hawley	" "..... 2 48
Frank Kitz Jr.	"	50	Wm. Gear	" "..... 2 48
E S Steude	"	50	John Schindler	" "..... 2 48
J H Goodland	"	50	Kate Madigan	" "..... 91
Robert Buckstaff	witness	1 08	John Madigan	" "..... 91
Herman Hintz	"	1 08	Henry Steffen	" "..... 91
H E Skinner	"	1 08	Frank Keise	juror..... 2 20
Julius Hanson	"	1 08	Arthur Steele	" "..... 2 20
Jacob Rhyner	"	1 08	H K Madsen	" "..... 2 20
Phillip Hintz	"	1 08	William Rush	" "..... 2 20
Susan Cooper	"	83	Walter Thompson	" "..... 2 20
Harvey Thompson	"	83	A H Miller	" "..... 2 20
Frank Webb Jr.	"	83	John Gavin	witness "..... 1 08
Katie Webb	"	83	Mrs. Chas. Nelson	" "..... 1 08
Elsie Fischer	"	1 08	Miss Baum	" "..... 8 20
Jacob Kohn	"	1 08	George Delter	" "..... 1 08
Mrs. Gust Drumm	"	1 08	Mrs. B LeRoy	" "..... 1 08
Abe Levenson	"	1 08	Mrs. S E Bartly	" "..... 1 08
Mr. Carl Herman	"	1 08	Anna Westberg	" "..... 1 08
Gusty Bauer	"	83		

Before James McGinn.

Before Nels Jensen, J. P.

Name.	Amt.	Name.	Amt.
Margaret Hoepfer, witness fee.....	\$ 83	Dr. E J Smith, medical examiner....	85 40
Mrs. Fred Hoepfer " ".....	83	Chas. Sorenson, juror fee.....	2 40
Robert Handler " ".....	83	Chas Sohermann " ".....	2 40
Robert Handler " ".....	83	P H Callahan " ".....	2 40
Phillip Nash " ".....	83	Wm. Wildfang " ".....	2 40
August Drake, interpreter " ".....	91	Wm. Woekner " ".....	2 40
Dr. E J Smith, witness " ".....	83	Thos. Hurley " ".....	2 40
Aug. Kobilpofoski " ".....	1 16	Mrs. Kaizia Shumaker, witness fee..	83
Leo Ely " ".....	1 08	Mrs. Cassie Chalfant " ".....	83
Wantzel Deitz " ".....	1 08	Max Dambrowski " ".....	91
Fred Dahms " ".....	1 08	Wm. Klakorvech " ".....	91
Chas. Nantke " ".....	1 08	Leo Ely " ".....	83
Will Gardner " ".....	1 08	Dr. E J Smith " ".....	83
Clary Ebert " ".....	1 16	Dr. J R Barnett Sr., medical exam- iner.....	1 00
Tilla Landsern " ".....	1 16	Daniel Cramer, witness fee.....	83
John Briggs " ".....	1 16	Frank Miller " ".....	83
Geo. Merich " ".....	1 16	Louis Rahbach " ".....	2 78
Henry Shierin " ".....	1 16	Robert Porath " ".....	2 78
Emma Brighrlder " ".....	1 16	Martin Magnus, juror " ".....	91
Ed Kesner " ".....	1 16	John Hansen " ".....	83
Henry Kesner " ".....	1 16	Leo Barnes " ".....	91
Wm. Klatkeing " ".....	1 16	F H Kusman " ".....	1 08

Name	Amt	Name	Amt
J H Bennett juror fees.....	1 08	Frank Steeps juror fees	2 40
Oscar Smith " "	1 08	Guy O McCarrison " "	2 40
Peter Jensen " "	1 08	Frank Follett " "	2 40
Frank Mace " "	1 08	BL Cornish " "	2 40
James Carr " "	1 08	Dr. F W A Brown, witness "	5 00
Reinhold Syring, witness "	1 82	Wm. Vosburg " "	83
John Madigan " "	1 82	Edward Cole " "	83
Kate Madigan " "	1 82	Frank Luhm " "	83
Henry Steffen " "	1 82	Chas Johnson " "	83
Mary Schoboski " "	91	Chester Cleveland " "	83
Anna Marsh " "	91	E M Crane " "	83
Clara Care " "	91	H H Mugley " "	83
Frances Cuchkofski " "	91	F N Kitz, juror fee.....	2 40
Mable Seager " "	91	L K Bronson, juror fee.....	2 40
Dasey Seager " "	91	E C Foster " "	2 40
Ellen Seager " "	91	James Mulva " "	2 40
Millie Care " "	91	C F Schmidt " "	2 40
Mary Marsh " "	91	J C Howard " "	2 40
Robert Handcer " "	83	Dr. Burton Clark, witness fee.....	5 00
<i>J. W. Samphier, J. P.</i>			
Name.	Amt.		
H A Paine, witness fee.	\$ 83	John Gillingham " "	83
<i>Before F. A. Kaerwer, Justice of the Peace.</i>			
Name.	Amt.	Lyle O'Connor " "	83
F N Kitz, juror fee.....	83 40	Max Brunnover " "	83
A W Kirst " "	2 40	E L Hanke " "	83
Otto Timm " "	2 40	L K Bronson, juror fee.....	2 40
H C Westphal, juror fee.....	2 40	Amos Adams " "	2 40
Geo. H Foster " "	2 40	C A Jones " "	1 20
Ed Frees " "	2 40	S D Moody " "	2 40
Fred Fraedrich, witness fee.....	83	Jas Dowling " "	2 40
Dwight Monroe " "	83	Jos Schneider " "	2 40
Ted Cunnings " "	83	Thos Roche, witness fee.....	83
J B Ragatz " "	83	Dr J M Conley " "	5 00
Dr. Burton Clark " "	5 00	Geo Overton, juror "	1 20
F N Kitz, juror fee.....	2 60	L K Bronson " "	1 20
Chas. Pueston, juror fee.....	2 60	John C Voss " "	1 20
W H Rogge " "	2 60	O F Spalding " "	1 20
R Stauderaus " "	2 60	J V Mulva " "	1 20
J Hetz " "	2 60	D E McDonald " "	1 20
Mat Klemmer " "	2 60	H F Dowling, witness "	83
J H Webb, witness fee.....	83	M Fitzpatrick " "	83
John Lentz " "	83	C McCusker " "	83
Anna Bronson " "	83	F N Kitz " "	83
Frank N Kitz, juror fee.....	2 80	C D Jackson " "	83
Andrew Montz " "	2 80	Geo Stever " "	83
Harvey Getchius " "	2 80	A W Kerst, juror fee.....	2 40
Albert Abrams " "	2 80	J G Rhyner " "	2 40
Hugo E Hasting " "	2 80	J Fred Rhyner, juror fee.....	2 40
W E Roth " "	2 80	Myron Gill " "	2 40
Chester Getchius, witness fee.....	99	James Mulva " "	2 40
Frank Reoland " "	99	F Beno " "	2 40
E J Kulbert " "	99	Dr J C Noyes, witness "	5 00
R Stauderaus, juror	2 40	John Morgan " "	1 08
James Kenny " "	2 40	W L Atwood " "	1 08
		Thos Rowlands " "	1 08
		Frank H Lang " "	1 08
		Michael Bork " "	1 08
		Jacob Madler " "	1 08

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Name	Amt
Fred Meyer, witness fee	1 08
L K Bronson, juror	2 40
W E Roth	2 40
F N Kitz	2 40
Jas Mulva	2 40
A W Kirst	2 40
Paul Rose	2 40
Dr A H Broche, witness fee	5 00
Louis Nelson	1 08
M Fitzpatrick	1 08
L K Bronson, juror fee	3 60
CH Krippe	3 60
August Klawun	3 60
Jos Beno	3 60
Hyp Danben	3 60
John Dowling	3 60
Dr Burton Clark, witness fee	5 00
EC Miller	1 08
Jas Laing	1 08
F C Schneider	1 08
H C Otto	1 08
J M Smick	1 08
J D Carr	1 08
F H Hull	1 08
J Miracle	1 08
F N Kitz	1 08
E E Downs	1 08
E Griffith	1 08
Frank Osborn	1 08
Otto Wagner	1 08
Benj Hathaway	1 08
John Mulva	1 08
Geo Finch, juror fee	2 40
A Baumgartner, juror fee	2 40
Ed Burgert	2 40
Emil Hoepner	2 40
Ira Parker	2 40
Jas Mulva	2 40
T Kant, witness fee	83
Louis Wollough, witness fee	83
John Lux	83
E A Horn, juror fee	2 40
F N Kitz	2 40
J V Mulva	2 40
James Kenny, juror fee	2 40
Leonard Mayer	2 40
James Dowling	2 40
Sister Leocadie, witness fee	1 08
Sister Cordelia	1 08
Henry Hiller	1 08
Con McCusker	1 08

Before H. E. Baries, J. P.

Name	Amt.
G W Ellis, appraiser	\$2 00
SS Daggett	2 00
Thos Liddle	2 00

Name	Amt
Thos Fishbeck appraiser	2 00
Geo Kafer	2 00
W Carley	2 00
C L Jannusch	2 00
Walter Carley	2 00
T M Fishbeck	2 00
Thos Fishbeck	2 00
Walter Carley	2 00
Geo Kafer	2 00

Before Geo. R Davis, J. P.

Name	Amt.
S Eaton, juror fee	\$2 20
N Allen	2 20
H Gerdes	2 30
M Snell	2 40
J Tennyson, juror fee	2 20
H Tennyson	2 40
L Gilson, witness	75
A Wiles	75
Mrs Bertha Laffey, witness fee	75
J Walsh	75
Mrs Ida Bauman	75
Dr W A Gordon	5 00
Dr Thos R Jones	5 00

Before L J Athearn, J. P.

Name	Amt
Chas Brehring, juror fee	\$2 40
E A Clark	2 40
Matt Bougert	2 40
Lawrence Nichols	2 40
Arthur Sheffer	2 80
Geo Ross	2 40
Martin Sperbeck, witness fee	83
Frank Sperbeck	83
Andrew Hansen	83

Before L H Rivard, J. P.

Name	Amt
Fred Alger, juror fee	\$1 43
James Tice	1 36
F B Perkins	1 36
Nels Jensen	1 36
August Green	1 36
D S Maxson	1 36
R E Clark, witness	1 32

Before L W Sawles, J. P.

Name	Amt
G W Rhoades, witness fee	\$1 40
F U Day	1 40
Wm Oatman	1 40
E H Tritt	1 40
Geo Stearns	1 40
J F King	1 40
Dr. Hurlbut	5 40

Before S S Little, J. P.

Name	Amt
Pauline Schultz, witness fee	\$ 83

Name	Amt	Name	Amt
Andrew Brethauer, witness fee.....	83	R Allen witness fee	2 00
R Allen " "	83	F E Kenfield, juror fee.....	2 50
Aug J Henning " "	83	M G Remmel " "	2 50
R Allen " "	83	J F Mullen " "	2 50
R Allen " "	83	C A Robinson " "	2 50
J C Capron, juror fee.....	62	R Gill " "	2 50
J P Smith " "	62	Peter Craven " "	2 50
Wm Pankratz " "	62	Louis Jourdain, witness fee.....	1 50
Jos Jarvis " "	62	Mary Riston " "	1 50
J C Foxgrover " "	62	Anna Riston " "	1 50
Bernard Welch, juror fee.....	62	John Schell " "	1 50
Jno Skowionski, witness fee.....	83	Richard Allen " "	1 50
Alex Magolski " "	83	E T Phillips " "	1 50
Ben Urban " "	83	A H Egbert, juror fee.....	4 00
John Jedwabrey " "	83	Henry Sherrin " "	4 00
R Allen " "	83	Henry Kronberg, juror fee.....	4 00
H H Held " "	83	Bernard Kasel " "	4 00
R Allen " "	83	Wm Walsh " "	4 00
John Jedwabrey " "	83	Fred Runde " "	4 00
Henry Lenz " "	83	E T Phillips " "	2 00
R Allen " "	83	John Jedwabrey " "	4 00
Jacob Faas " "	1 40	E T Phillips " "	4 00
Mary Faas " "	1 40	Fred Runde " "	4 00
Albert Kurasch " "	1 40	Wm Toepfer " "	4 00
Wm Geer " "	1 40	Henry Sherrin " "	4 00
Peter Weitrowski " "	1 40	Andrew Ward " "	4 00
Dr F E Gibbons " "	91	Emil Leihmann, witness "	3 00
Dr F S Burroughs " "	83	Richard Allen " "	3 00
Dr F M Covey " "	83	John Scholl " "	3 00
Jas Coulter " "	99	A H Ebert, juror fee.....	4 50
Geo A Loescher juror "	62	W W Pankratz, juror fee.....	4 50
Wm Pankratz " "	62	B Walsh " "	4 50
J C Goldsborough " "	62	J W Hart " "	4 50
H C Parks " "	62	N G Remmel " "	4 50
John Clovis " "	62	J J Schmitz " "	4 50
Wm Toepfer " "	83	Philip Gardner, Neenah fee.....	3 30
John Scholl, witness fee.....	83	S Rhymer " "	3 30
Amelia Padolski, witness fee.....	83	M Borenz " "	3 30
Mrs Amelia Wagner " "	83	L E Washburn " "	3 30
Harry Warner " "	83	<i>Before G W Bradley, J P.</i>	
Geo Mericle " "	83	Name	Amt
Ed O'Brien " "	83	Alex Price, witness fee.....	41 06
R Allen " "	83	Clara Stinks " "	83
Mary Hawley " "	83	Martha Herks " "	83
Adolph Mielke " "	83	John Jedwabrey, witness fee.....	83
<i>Before T D Phillips, Coroner.</i>			
Name	Amt	Paul Makowski " "	83
F E Kenfield, juror fee.....	83 00	E H Smith " "	58
L E Sharp " "	3 00	M Kershock " "	58
Henry Sherrin " "	3 00	Ella Kershock " "	58
Wm Walsh " "	3 00	Chas Robinson " "	83
C E Pierce " "	3 00	Lena Babbits " "	58
E T Phillips " "	3 00	L Bentz " "	58
Geo Metternich, witness fee.....	2 00	W Russell " "	58
Daniel Rohrer " "	2 00	Emma Babbits " "	58
Leone Rohrer " "	2 00	Isabelle Fitchmiller, witness fee.....	83
		Burt Flint, juror fee.....	1 06

Name	Amt
CR Kiel juror fee.....	1 08
J Goldsboro " ".....	1 08
Wm Pankratz " ".....	1 08
F Karsten " ".....	1 08
H Poth " ".....	1 08
C Mason, witness.....	2 74
A Sernig " ".....	83
J Flint " ".....	83
Wm Pankratz, juror fee.....	1 08
J Jarvis " ".....	1 08
H S Parks " ".....	1 08
J S Capron " ".....	1 08
Geo Stein " ".....	1 08
F Parker " ".....	1 08
Annie Omagniski, witness fee...	2 74
Annie Robechuch " ".....	2 74
Lizzie Zallnski " ".....	2 74
Lizzie Lubrecht " ".....	2 74
G W Dodge M D " ".....	2 74
Frances Genyoski " ".....	2 74
Francis Dambrowski " ".....	2 74
Mrs Graeyvas " ".....	2 74
Mrs Ostofske " ".....	2 74
Mary Zolenski " ".....	2 74
H Genyaski " ".....	2 74
Richard Gill " ".....	3 32
John Jedwabrey " ".....	3 32
R Allen " ".....	3 32
B Wheeler " ".....	3 32
Orrin Smith " ".....	3 32
Emma Shroeder " ".....	3 32
Allen Babbits " ".....	3 32
Ben Pagu " ".....	3 32
Ernest Hicks " ".....	3 32
Patfick Curtin " ".....	3 32
Goldie Smith " ".....	3 32
Delelah Hehman " ".....	3 32
J Clinton " ".....	3 32
R Schlegal " ".....	83
Henry McCabe " ".....	83
S Monigan " ".....	83
J Smith " ".....	3 32
Annie Rohrer " ".....	1 66
David Rohrer " ".....	1 66

Name	Amt
May Hubert " ".....	1 66
Mrs C Keef " ".....	1 66
Herman Apple " ".....	1 66
Herman Apple " ".....	1 66
Toney Beckman " ".....	83
Simon Resch " ".....	83
Wm Huck " ".....	83
Wm Babbits " ".....	83
C Dryawski " ".....	1 66
Emma Dryawski " ".....	1 66
Chris Man " ".....	1 08
A Miller " ".....	1 66
Ida Mallach " ".....	1 66
Mary Warner " ".....	1 66
Annie Klause " ".....	1 66
Muriel Stromeyer " ".....	1 66
Lena Babbits " ".....	83
Lena Haaglatz " ".....	83
Anna Klauss " ".....	83
Ida Burtz " ".....	83
Minnie Stromeyer " ".....	83
M Schedleski " ".....	83
G Schedleski " ".....	83
N Braur " ".....	1 66
J Gam'el " ".....	1 66
John Sokal, interpreter.....	83

Before E Vredenburg, J P.

Name.	Amt.
W Leaman, witness fee.....	\$1 00
B D Leaman " ".....	1 00
J D Leaman " ".....	82
H C Hansen " ".....	82
J Leischer " ".....	82
Chas Mader " ".....	79

Before Chas G Buman, J P.

Name.	Amt.
Theo Bonk, juror fee.....	\$2 40
Geo Genal " ".....	2 40
Robt Nachtrab " ".....	2 40
Herman Ritchie, juror fee.....	2 40
John Wegner " ".....	2 40
Chas Buchanan " ".....	2 40
Phillip Hintz " ".....	1 16
Gus Geherker " ".....	1 08
Anna Geherker " ".....	1 08

PER DIEM AND MILEAGE.

Supervisor Arft of Per Diem and Mileage committee offered report No. 24 as follows:

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis:

GENTLEMEN: Your committee on Per Diem and Mileage would respectfully report that we find the following supervisors entitled to the amount set opposite their respective names for attendance at the present November session:

Name	Days	Mileage	Total
M V Sperbeck.....	13	\$ 48	\$39 48
C Pfeiffer.....	13	84	39 48
Isaac Tipler.....	13	2 16	41 16
Jackson Tullar.....	13	1 44	40 44
Albert Koplitz.....	13	84	39 84
O P Ream.....	13	2 16	41 16
W P Bussey.....	13	1 56	40 56
G H Charlesworth.....	13	1 44	40 44
C A Pride.....	13	72	39 72
James Heffron.....	13	1 92	40 92
Geo W Ellis.....	13	2 64	41 64
R W Mackie.....	13	1 68	40 68
E E Manuel.....	13	1 56	40 56
H A Schroeder.....	13	2 52	41 52
P J Gunderson.....	13	1 68	40 68
Geo E Welson.....	13	1 68	40 68
John Hoffberger.....	13	3 36	42 36
F L Palmer.....	13	1 56	40 56
M M Schoetz.....	12	1 92	37 92
M J Riley.....	13	1 92	40 92
Phillip Arft.....	13	1 92	40 92
Silas Bullard.....	13	1 92	40 92
A W Kellogg.....	13	1 80	40 80
Wm Arnemann.....	13	1 80	40 80
A T Lueckenbach.....	13	1 80	40 80
A W Ehr Gott.....	12	1 80	37 80
F T Russell.....	2	1 80	7 80
H C Nash.....	13	12	39 12
James Kenny.....	13	12	39 12
J G Menzel.....	11	12	33 12
H A Atwood.....	13	12	39 12
L H Lawson.....	2	12	6 12
J C Hies.....	13	24	39 24
O F Chase.....	13	12	39 12
A Gruenhagen.....	13	12	39 12
Edward Ganzer.....	13	12	39 12
C A Dunham.....	13	12	39 12
Solomon Rhoades.....	13	12	39 12
E M Wilson.....	13	24	39 24
Frederick Beduhn.....	13	24	39 24

Respectfully submitted,

PHILIP ARFT,
GEO. E. WELSON,
O. P. REAM,
E. E. MANUEL,
FRED BEDUHN.

The report was adopted; ayes 37; excused 1, Schoetz; absent 1, Lawson.

PRINTING.

Supervisor Welson, chairman of committee on Printing, offered report No. 25, as follows:

To the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wisconsin:

GENTLEMEN: Your committee on Printing, beg leave to report they have examined the following bills, referred to them, and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed:

Dated Oshkosh, November 27, 1903.

Name.	Nature of Account.	Claimed.	Allowed.
Hicks Printing Co.	notice to contractors	\$ 4 95	\$ 4 95
Hicks Printing Co.	" "	5 65	5 05
Jas R Dickey,	supplements to clerk of court	2 00	2 00
Hicks Printing Co.	advertising bids for printing and jurors	10 45	1 55
Hicks Printing Co.	notice to draw jurors	9 15	9 15
Hicks Printing Co.	" " " "	9 15	9 15
CH Slocum,	balance due for printing proceedings	50 00	50 00
Hicks Printing Co.	delinquent tax list	60 90	68 35

GEO. E. WELSON,
 C. A. DUNHAM,
 AUG. GRUENHAGEN,
 O. P. REAM,
 H. A. SCHROEDER,

The report was adopted; ayes 37; excused 1, Schoetz; absent 1, Lawson.

GENERAL ACCOUNTS.

Supervisor Beduhn, chairman General Accounts committee, offered Report No. 26, as follows:

To the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wisconsin:

GENTLEMEN: Your committee on General Accounts beg leave to report they have examined the following bills, referred to them, and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed:

Dated Oshkosh, November 28, 1903

Name.	Nature of Account.	Claimed.	Allowed.
E E Manuel,	committee work	\$41 50	\$41 50
CA Pride	" "	60 72	60 72
P J Gunderson	" "	41 12	41 12
P J Gunderson	" "	28 08	28 08
A W Kellogg	" "	21 00	21 00
John Schneider	" "	15 12	15 12
RE Root	" "	13 32	13 32
W L Tritt	" "	25 80	25 80
A A Loscher	" "	9 00	9 00
O F Chase	" "	16 20	16 20
C A Dunham	" "	6 24	6 24
J A Fridd	" "	15 48	15 48
Edward Ganzer	" "	15 00	15 00
Solomon Rhoades	" "	7 20	7 20
L H Lawson	" "	6 24	6 24
Albert Koplitz	" "	22 20	22 20

Name.	Nature of Account.	Claimed.	Allowed.
Fred Beduhn, committee work		39 69	39 60
Wm Arnemann	"	142 80	142 80
Jas Heffron	"	9 84	9 84
Wm Arnemann	"	17 00	17 00
James Kenny	"	80 02	80 02
A W Ehr Gott	"	91 50	91 50
H A Atwood	"	7 20	7 20
H C Nash	"	25 50	25 50
E M Wilson	"	9 24	9 24
O F Chase	"	6 12	6 12
August Gruenhagen, committee work		3 12	3 12
E E Manuel	"	10 56	10 56
Silas Bullard	"	13 92	13 92
Edward Ganzer	"	9 12	9 12
F L Palmer	"	7 44	7 44
Geo E Welson	"	7 68	7 68
Fred Beduhn	"	9 12	9 12
J G Menzel	"	6 12	6 12
H A Schroeder	"	5 52	5 52
Isaac Tipler	"	8 16	8 16
Phillip Arft	"	7 92	7 92
C A Pride	"	10 44	10 44
Wm Arnemann	"	10 80	10 80
M V Sperbeck	"	3 48	3 48
Casper Pfeiffer	"	6 84	6 84
P J Gunderson	"	10 68	10 68
John Hofberger Jr.	"	7 68	7 68
H A Atwood	"	6 24	6 24
C A Dunham	"	9 12	9 12
A T Lueckenbach	"	7 80	7 80
G H Charlesworth	"	14 88	14 88
E W Thomas	"	5 00	5 00
A W Kellogg	"	4 80	4 80
Robt W Mackle	"	10 80	10 80
O P Ream	"	5 16	5 16
Margaret C Dunn	"	4 50	4 50
D M Shea	"	9 30	9 30
H C Nash	"	9 00	9 00
Robt W Mackle	"	10 56	10 56
Jas Heffron	"	6 00	6 00
Jackson C Tullar	"	4 44	4 44
James Kenny	"	9 96	9 96
Solomon Rhoades	"	9 24	9 24
Albert Koplitz	"	9 84	9 84
J C Heise	"	9 24	9 24
Geo W Ellis	"	8 64	8 64
W P Bussey	"	13 56	13 56
Herman Koplitz, assessors meeting		6 60	6 60
John R Service	"	6 12	6 12
J B Olcott	"	6 48	6 48
Chas Blodgett	"	7 80	7 80
M F White	"	7 68	7 68
E J Pryse	"	7 08	7 08
Joseph Starr	"	7 80	7 80
Wm I Fisher	"	7 32	7 32
Edward Neubauer	"	9 18	9 18
C J Howlett	"	6 48	6 48

Name.	Nature of Account.	Claimed.	Allowed.
John A Bryan	committee work.....	7 80	7 80
Carl Clausen	" "	7 80	7 80
Edward Quigley	" "	8 04	8 04
Geo G Jones	" "	7 44	7 44
Jacob Klemmer	" "	6 12	6 12
G K Whitney	" "	7 44	7 44
Frank Kitz Sr.	" "	6 12	6 12
P C Flannigan	" "	8 04	8 04
Dennis Hart	" "	8 16	8 16
Chas Fry	" "	7 68	7 68
David Price	" "	7 08	7 08
Nels Radick	" "	8 16	8 16
Bernard Welsch	" "	7 80	7 80
P N Lund	" "	8 16	8 16
D M Shea, supervisor of assessors—			
	For the month of March, 1903.....	104 00	104 00
	For the month of April, 1903.....	104 00	104 00
	For the month of May, 1903.....	100 00	100 00
	For the month of June, 1903.....	104 00	104 00
	For the month of July, 1903.....	104 00	104 00
	For the month of August, 1903.....	104 00	104 00
	For the month of September.....	104 00	104 00
	For the month of October.....	108 00	108 00
D M Shea, expense to Madison.....		18 50	18 50
Boys' Home Industrial School, board and care.....		32 50	32 50
Boys' Home Industrial School " " ".....		32 50	32 50
Boys' Home Industrial School " " ".....		32 50	32 50
The Good Shepherds Industrial School, board and care.....		72 61	72 61
The Good Shepherds Industrial School, " " ".....		19 16	Disallowed
Milwaukee Industrial School for Girls " " ".....		796 09	796 09
Carl Jackson, expense.....		152 52	152 52
Fred Badger, court expenses.....		16 24	16 24
John Harrington, services as chairman.....		61 50	61 50
J D Carr, stenographer fees.....		113 35	113 35
Jessie G Clark, services librarian.....		50 00	50 00
Statement Births and Deaths (to the various physicians for reporting same).....		577 60	577 60
Fred Badger, fees clerk of courts.....		389 40	389 40
Emily Turner, expense in placing traveling libraries.....		7 75	7 75
W H Fleweger, fees register of deeds, recording marriages, births and deaths.....		730 88	730 88
W H Fleweger, fees register of deeds, report real estate transfers.....		20 00	20 00
Angusta E Leupold, typewriting for D M Shea.....		3 00	3 00
Robert Brand, services on commission.....		12 00	12 06
T S Allen " " ".....		12 00	12 06
H C Nash, services chairman.....		46 50	46 50
Olive E Arnold, stenographer fees.....		1 80	1 80
W C Klmball " " ".....		17 20	17 20
City of Oshkosh, 1/2 expense municipal court.....		134 20	134 20
City of Oshkosh, meals furnished at city lockup.....		100 75	100 75

FRED BEDUHN,
M. V. SPERBECK,
PHILIP ARFT,
H. A. SCHROEDER,

PETER J. GUNDERSON,
O. P. REAM,
JAS. HEFRON JR.,
JACKSON C. TULLAR.

The report was adopted; ayes 37; excused 1, Schoetz; absent 1, Lawson.

STATEMENT OF REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wisconsin:

GENTLEMEN: The following statement shows the names of attending physicians (or other persons) who have reported to the Register of Deeds, the number of births and deaths so reported, set opposite thereto, together with the amount due each, according to Chapter 342, Laws of 1889.

Names of physicians or other persons.	No. Births.	Amount.	No. Deaths.	Amount	Total Due.
F J Wilkie, H O.....	115	\$ 17 25	92	\$ 13 80	\$ 31 05
Frank Brockway, M D.....	2	50	3	75	1 25
J A Henricksen, M D.....	.....	.....	1	25	25
J A Henrickson, H O.....	7	1 05	2	30	1 35
W F Munsil, H O.....	7	1 05	3	45	1 50
Bruno Schallern, M D.....	.....	.....	4	1 00	1 00
C J Hurlbut, H O.....	33	4 95	20	3 00	7 95
C J Hurlbut, M D.....	19	4 75	6	1 50	6 25
J F Ford M D.....	27	6 75	14	3 50	10 25
Fred Krinke, T C.....	19	2 85	10	1 50	4 35
J F Corbett, M D.....	.....	.....	4	1 00	1 00
G M Wright M D.....	2	50	10	2 50	3 00
Casper Zwickey, T C.....	.....	.....	2	30	30
W B Thewalt, M D.....	1	25	3	75	1 00
W E Keese, H O.....	2	30	30	4 80	4 80
W A Gordon, M D.....	.....	.....	1	25	25
Fred W A Brown, M D.....	5	1 25	15	3 75	5 00
C J Combs, M D.....	3	75	15	3 75	4 50
A Roos, M D.....	9	2 25	11	2 75	5 00
G M Steele, M D.....	46	11 50	19	4 75	16 25
M E Corbet, M D.....	21	5 25	22	8 00	13 25
M R streeter, M D.....	.....	.....	1	25	25
J C Noyes, M D.....	20	5 00	23	5 75	10 75
H B Dale, M D.....	3	75	9	2 25	3 00
Julia Riddle, M D.....	2	50	1	25	75
Jeffry Binning, H O.....	4	60	5	75	1 35
H A Greiner, M D.....	1	25	4	1 00	1 25
Arthur Hart, T C.....	6	90	3	45	1 35
Gunder Larsen, J P.....	.....	.....	2	50	50
F D Curtis, J P.....	11	2 75	2	50	3 25
J S Daniels, M D.....	4	1 00	6	1 50	2 50
J R Barnett Jr., H O.....	108	16 20	48	7 20	23 40
I E Ozanne, M D.....	19	4 75	3	75	5 50
E J Smith, M D.....	.....	.....	3	75	75
N S Robinson, M D.....	.....	.....	3	75	75
G M Wilkinson, H O.....	4	60	3	45	1 05
F M Corry, H O.....	174	26 10	55	8 28	34 35
J R Barnett, M D.....	7	1 75	13	3 25	5 00
F M Corry, M D.....	21	5 25	29	7 25	12 50
H B Kendall, M D.....	46	11 50	11	2 75	14 25
G W Dodge, M D.....	11	2 75	9	2 25	5 00
W F Clute, H O.....	4	60	8	45	1 05
J T Ozanne, M D.....	.....	.....	4	1 00	1 00
P MacDougall, M D.....	14	3 50	5	1 25	4 75
T E Loope, H O.....	25	3 75	9	1 35	5 10

Names of Physicians or other Persons.	No. Births.	Amount.	No. Deaths.	Amount.	Total Due.
S D Greenwood M D.....	17	4 25	3	75	5 00
J R Barnett Jr., M D.....	5	1 25	20	5 00	6 25
Thos Jespersion, M D.....	5	3 75	1	25	4 00
E H Wilcox, T C.....	4	60	4	60	1 20
Adin Sherman, M D.....	4	1 00	14	3 50	4 50
Thos R Jones, M D.....	.....	.....	21	5 25	5 25
J M Conley, H O.....	389	58 35	151	22 65	81 00
S B Ackley, M D.....	29	7 25	12	3 00	10 25
Geo H Jones, T C.....	1	15	.....	.....	15
Wm Moeser, J P.....	.....	.....	2	50	50
J V Canoran, M D.....	.....	.....	1	25	25
L B Devens, T C.....	1	15	1	15	30
Burton Clark, M D.....	32	8 00	14	3 50	11 50
E S Schmidt, M D.....	1	25	5	1 25	1 50
A H Broche, M D.....	3	75	18	4 50	5 25
C E Sargent, M D.....	.....	.....	4	1 00	1 00
F C Senn, M D.....	7	1 75	10	2 50	4 25
Thos P Russell, M D.....	.....	.....	4	1 00	1 00
J M Conley, M D.....	17	4 25	8	2 00	6 25
A J Howard, M D.....	.....	.....	5	1 25	1 25
S W Tripton, M D.....	6	1 50	4	1 00	2 50
A M Riddle, M D.....	5	1 25	3	75	2 00
Alex Ault, M D.....	1	25	2	50	75
H E Johnston, M D.....	4	1 00	10	2 50	3 50
B C Gudden, M D.....	.....	.....	7	1 75	1 75
C W Oviatt, M D.....	.....	.....	6	1 50	1 50
Chas E Balassa, M D.....	53	13 25	1	25	13 50
S S Little, C C.....	57	8 55	3	45	9 00
J F Ford, H O.....	9	1 35	3	45	1 80
F J Wilkie, M D.....	.....	.....	1	25	25
O P Ream, H O.....	2	80	6	90	1 20
T E Loope, M D.....	11	2 75	7	1 75	4 50
John L Noble, T C.....	3	45	3	45	90
H E Bareis, J P.....	.....	.....	3	75	75
A C Christofferson, M D.....	9	2 25	3	75	3 00
R Q Hanson, M D.....	1	25	.....	.....	25
J A Crum, M D.....	1	25	1	25	50
F E Gibbons, M D.....	4	1 00	4	1 00	2 00
Robt Buckstaff, H O.....	.....	.....	1	15	15
L J Athearn, J P.....	.....	.....	1	25	25
M E Barnett, M D.....	.....	.....	2	50	50
C O Hansen, M D.....	.....	.....	1	25	25
F S Burroughs, M D.....	12	3 00	1	25	3 25
Stella B Nelson, M D.....	2	50	1	25	75
F A Kaerwer, J P.....	.....	.....	1	25	25
H A Buehring, T C.....	1	15	1	15	30
O W Burns, H O.....	11	1 65	17	2 55	4 20
O W Burns, M D.....	12	3 00	9	2 25	5 25
W A Loops, M D.....	1	25	2	50	75
Fred R Scoble, T C.....	.....	.....	1	15	15
H W Morgenroth, M D.....	.....	.....	1	25	25
J J Tennesen, T C.....	8	1 20	16	2 40	3 60
Bertha V Thompson, M D.....	2	50	1	25	75
L Breitzmann, M D.....	1	25	1	25	50
H A Schofield, M D.....	.....	.....	1	25	25
T D Phillips, "Cor".....	.....	.....	2	50	50

Names of physicians or other persons.	No. Births.	Amount.	No. Deaths.	Amount	Total Due.
W H Titus, M D.....	.....	.....	1	25	25
Aloisia Kihs, M W.....	47	11 75	...	.....	11 75
Ed Muttart, T C.....	6	60	...	.....	90
Elizabeth Steir, M W.....	23	5 75	...	.....	5 75
H M Weed, M D.....	2	50	...	.....	50
Laura Froehlich, M W.....	5	1 25	...	.....	1 25
Anna Sitter, M W.....	49	12 25	...	.....	12 25
Donald MacIntire, M D.....	1	25	...	.....	25
J Smith, M D.....	1	25	...	.....	25
Mrs. Margaret Rowe, M D.....	1	25	...	.....	25
Gertrude Schwab, M W.....	136	34 00	...	.....	34 00
P McMurchie, M D.....	2	50	...	.....	50
Bertha Paetzold, M W.....	45	11 25	...	.....	11 25
Rosa A Russell, M D.....	3	75	...	.....	75
Mrs. M Wilde, M W.....	44	11 00	...	.....	11 00
C A Richards, M D.....	1	25	...	.....	25
Mrs. L E Miller, M W.....	1	25	...	.....	25
J S Reeves, M D.....	1	25	...	.....	25
F D Curtis, H G.....	5	75	...	.....	75
Fred JeniJohn, T C.....	1	15	...	.....	15
Mrs. Posicka, M W.....	1	25	...	.....	25
M L Bliss, M W.....	1	25	...	.....	25
Chas. DeVoe, M D.....	1	25	...	.....	25
E S Albee, M D.....	1	25	...	.....	25
Sennett Pingry, T C.....	1	15	...	.....	15
Mrs. Chas E Polier, M W.....	1	25	...	.....	25
E H Jones, M D.....	5	1 25	...	.....	1 25
M E Crane, M D.....	1	25	...	.....	25
Mrs. H Heuer, M W.....	1	25	...	.....	25
P A Wheeler, M D.....	1	25	...	.....	25
G A Ritchie, M D.....	1	25	...	.....	25
Dr Walbridge, M D.....	1	25	...	.....	25
	1933	\$382 55	977	\$195 05	\$577 60

The Committee on General Accounts would recommend that the above accounts be allowed the parties to whom due at \$577.60.

FRED BEDUHN,

Chairman of Committee.

Allowed November 24th, 1893.

INSANE.

Supervisor Gunderson, chairman of Committee on Insane, offered Report No. 27, as follows:

To the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wisconsin:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Insane beg leave to report they have examined the following bills, referred to them, and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed:

Dated Oshkosh, November 27, 1903.

Name.	Nature of Account.	Claimed.	Allowed.
C D Cleveland, commitment of insane.....		\$240 00	\$240 00
A H Goss	" " " "	5 00	5 00
The Guenther Drug Co., medicine for jail..		42 25	42 25
J M Conley, M D, examination as to sanity.....		21 00	21 00
J A Crum, M D	" " " "	4 20	4 20
B C Gudden, M D	" " " "	21 00	21 00
F M Covey, M D	" " " "	16 80	16 80
J R Barnett Jr., M D	" " " "	12 40	12 40
C J Combs, M D	" " " "	4 00	4 00
F J Wilkie, M D	" " " "	4 00	4 00
A Sherman, M D	" " " "	16 00	16 00
S B Ackley, M D	" " " "	13 90	13 90
Clark E Sargent, M D, consultation with Dr. Brown of sus- pected case of small pox at county asylum.....		12 00	10 80
G M Steele, M D, examination as to sanity.....		22 10	21 00
J M Conley, M D	" " " "	20 00	15 00
E J Smith, M D	" " " "	11 20	8 00
M E Corbett, M D	" " " "	50 00	50 00
G W Dodge, M D	" " " "	25 20	25 20
J C Noyes, M D	" " " "	48 00	47 60
A Roos, M D	" " " "	14 20	14 20
H B Dale, M D	" " " "	10 00	5 00
J C Noyes, M D	" " " "	4 80	4 80
F J Wilkie, M D	" " " "	4 00	4 00
Julia Riddle, M D	" " " "	4 20	4 20
Thos R Jones, M D	" " " "	12 00	12 00
G W Dodge, M D	" " " "	4 20	4 20
A H Broche, M D	" " " "	25 20	25 20
J S Daniels, M D	" " " "	12 00	12 00
N S Robinson, M D	" " " "	4 20	4 20
J F Ford, M D	" " " "	4 40	4 40
Fred W A Brown, M D	" " " "	18 20	18 20
J Ford, M D	" " " "	12 60	12 60
J R Barnett, M D	" " " "	34 60	30 40
F E Gibbons, M D	" " " "	12 00	12 00
Frank Brockway, M D	" " " "	4 00	4 00
Burton Clark, M D	" " " "	29 40	29 40
F E Gibbons, M D, care of Dr. Balassa.....		25 00	Disallowed

Respectfully submitted,

PETER J. GUNDERSON,
 ROBT. W. MACKIE,
 SOLOMON RHOADES,
 JAS. HEFFRON JR.,
 H. A. ATWOOD.

The report was adopted; ayes 37; excused 1, Schoetz; absent 1, Lawson.

WORK HOUSE.

Supervisor O. F. Chase introduced the following Report No. 28:

To the Honorable, the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County,
 Wisconsin:

GENTLEMEN: The Work House Committee, to whom were referred

the following described bills, beg leave to report they have carefully examined the same, find them correct and herewith report them back, with the recommendation that they be allowed, as herein designated, to-wit:

City of Oshkosh, patrol wagon services and officers' fees, taking prisoners to Work House.....	\$122 00
Oscar Pratsch, stone for Work House.....	39 30
Total.....	\$161 30

Respectfully submitted,

O. F. CHASE,

A. W. KELLOGG,

J. C. HEISE.

Work House Committee

The report was adopted; ayes 36: excused 2, Menzei and Schoetz; absent 1, Lawson.

FINES RECEIVED BY JUSTICES.

Supervisor Manuel introduced the following Report, No. 29:

To the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis.:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Justice and Constable Accounts, to whom was referred the report of the supervisors on the examination of Justice dockets, beg leave to report as follows:

Dated at Oshkosh, November 28, 1903:

Name of Justice and Town	Name of Examining Supervisor	Collected	Paid	Due
G W Bradley, Menasha City.....	M M Schoetz	\$ 5 00	\$ 9 00	.....
S S Little, Menasha City.....	M M Schoetz	7 00	6 00	\$ 1 00
Nels Jensen, Neenah City.....	Wm. Arnemann	49 00	23 00	26 00
Jas. McGinn, Neenah City.....	A W Kellogg.....	26 00	26 00	.....
Herman Ihde, Clayton.....	F L Palmer.....	.....	.....	.....
Gunder Larsen, Clayton.....	F L Palmer .....	.....	.....	.....
Emil Ristau, Wolf River.....	John Hofberger, Jr.....	.....	.....	.....
August Reidel, Wolf River.....	John Hofberger, Jr.....	.....	.....	.....
J Weldemann, Oshkosh.....	C A Pride .....	.....	.....	.....
G W Davis, Oshkosh.....	C A Pride .....	.....	.....	.....
W H Foote, Nepeuskun	O P Ream.....	.....	.....	.....
W L Reagan, Nepeuskun	O P Ream.....	.....	.....	.....
W D Owens, Algoma	M V Sperbeck .....	.....	.....	.....
Lester Athearn, Algoma.....	M V Sperbeck.....	.....	.....	.....
Geo. Mader, Winneconne Vil.....	Geo. E Welson.....	.....	.....	.....
E Vredenburgh, Winneconne.....	Geo. E Welson	106 00	106 00	.....
J G Pickett, Utica.....	R W Mackie.....	.....	.....	.....
E B Ransom, Utica.....	R W Mackie.....	.....	.....	.....
J M White, Winneconne.....	P J Gunderson .....	.....	.....	.....
Thos B Petford, Winneconne.....	P J Gunderson.....	.....	.....	.....
Herman Engel, Winchester.....	H A Schroeder.....	.....	.....	.....
P N Lund, Winchester.....	H A Schroeder.....	.....	.....	.....
H E Bareis, Rushford.....	Geo W Ellis .....	.....	.....	.....
Leon Rivard, Rushford.....	Geo W Ellis .....	.....	.....	.....
Fred Braun, Vinland.....	E E Manuel .....	.....	.....	.....

Name of Justice and Town	Name of Examining Supervisor	Collected	Paid	Due
N Nelson, Neenah.....	Jackson Tullar.....	.....	.....	.....
Geo. Wiltz, Menasha	Isaac Tipler.....	.....	.....	.....
David Price, Nekimi.....	Albert Koplitz.....	.....	.....	.....
Chas. Baumann, Oshkosh City.....	E Ganzer.....	.....	.....	.....
F A Kaerwer, Oshkosh City.....	H A Atwood.....	.....	.....	.....
A H Goss, Oshkosh City.....	James Kenny.....	448 00	45 00	403 00
L W Sowle, Omro Village.....	Geo H Charlesworth.....	.....	.....	.....
J W Samphier, Omro Village.....	Geo H Charlesworth.....	1 00	.....	1 00
Perry Glines, Omro Village.....	Geo H Charlesworth.....	2 00	.....	2 00

Respectfully submitted,

E. E. MANUEL,
 C. A. PRIDE,
 A. W. KELLOGG,
 F. L. PALMER,
 A. H. GRUENHAGEN,
 GEO. W. ELLIS,
 CASPER PFEIFER,
 M. M. SCHOETZ,
 ISAAC TIPLER.

On motion the report was adopted.

POOR AND POOR FARM.

Supervisor Kenny presented the following report No. 30:

To the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago, County Wisconsin:

GENTLEMEN: Your committee on Poor and Poor Farm beg leave to report they have examined the following bills, referred to them, and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed:

Dated Oshkosh, November 28, 1903.

Name.	Nature of Account.	Claimed.	Allowed.
City of Oshkosh, care of county poor in Oshkosh.....	Oshkosh.....	\$1167 81	\$1172 81
City of Neenah " " " " " Neenah.....	Neenah.....	418 25	418 25
City of Menasha " " " " " Menasha.....	Menasha.....	183 15	Action deferred to March session
M Stopper, O P " " " " " Oshkosh, from October 31, 1902 to April 2, 1903.....	Oshkosh, from October 31, 1902 to April 2, 1903.....	25 00	25 00
G W Neumann, O P, care of county poor in Oshkosh, from April 2, 1903 to October 31, 1903.....	Oshkosh, from April 2, 1903 to October 31, 1903.....	25 00	25 00
Joseph Jarvis, O of P, care of poor in Menasha for half yr.	Menasha.....	12 50	Action deferred
C Kaelsch, O of P, care poor in Neenah.....	Neenah.....	25 00	25 00
Hicks Printing Co., daily paper one year.....	Oshkosh.....	5 00	5 00
Chas E Balassa, private birth, Anna Krummer.....	Oshkosh.....	25 00	5 00
Dr J F Ford, care of John McElrie (Oshkosh city charge).....	Oshkosh.....	6 80	Disallowed
S E Kurtz, care Dr. Balassa while trying to commit suicide (Oshkosh city).....	Oshkosh.....	5 00	Disallowed
J A Suhl, wood to Mrs Ballam.....	Oshkosh.....	8 50	8 50
Dr J P Connell, to setting broken leg of Robert Schmith (county charge).....	Oshkosh.....	25 00	25 00

Name.	Nature of Account.	Claimed.	Allowed
Dr W B Thewald, assisting Dr Connell and medical service (county charge).....		58 00	58 00
Town Black Wolf, paid for care and board of R Smith, 14 weeks at \$1.50 (county charge).....		21 00	21 00

Your Committee report that we have examined the bill of Winnebago County against the City of Oshkosh for \$1437.42 for board and clothing of city poor at the poor house. We find the bill correct and recommend its collection by the County.

Bill of Winnebago county for care of county poor at the poor farm amounting to \$1364.94 We have examined and audited the bill and found it correct. We recommend that it be placed on file.

RECAPITULATION.

Your committee recommend that the following accounts as they appear in the bills of Neenah be charged as follows:

Bill of Neenah, Schweger and wife, \$149.00, be charged to Fox Lake, Dodge county..

Bill of Neenah (Mrs. Stone), \$47.35, be charged to Town of Menasha.

Bill of Neenah (Mrs. Russell), \$8.00, be charged to City of Menasha.

Bill of Neenah (to Miss Lutke), \$10.00, be charged to City of Menasha, small pox.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES KENNY.

PETER J. GUNDERSON,

C. A. PRIDE,

E. E. MANUEL.

Supervisor Kenny moved its adoption. Carried; ayes 37; excused 1, Schoetz; absent 1, Lawson.

FINES RECEIVED IN MUNICIPAL COURT.

In the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis.:

The undersigned Supervisor of the Second Ward, City of Oshkosh, in Winnebago county, would respectfully report that he has examined the dockets of Judge A. H. Goss of the Municipal Court and find that he has received (\$448.00) Four Hundred Forty-Eight Dollars for fines from November 1st, 1902, to October 31st, 1903, which sum has been paid to Treasurer Spink. Of this sum Forty-Five Dollars was paid to the county March 22, 1903 and the balance (\$403.00) will be paid to the County Treasurer in March, 1904, which is the time of settlement between the County of Winnebago and the City of Oshkosh.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES KENNY, *Supervisor.*

COUNTY INSTITUTE FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Jan. 5, 1903, money on hand.....	\$147 32
Nov: 10, 1903, received from examination fees and transfers of papers.....	118 00
Total.....	\$265 32

DISBURSEMENTS.

May 23, 1903, institute at Omro.....	\$ 17 60
July 23, 1903. " " Oshkosh.....	129 72
Nov. 10, 1903, balance on hand.....	\$118 00

STATE OF WISCONSIN, }
 WINNEBAGO COUNTY, } SS.

I, Geo. Overton, Superintendent of Schools of said County, being duly sworn on oath, say that the above and foregoing report and statements therein contained are true and correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief. GEO. OVERTON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this, 18th day of November, A. D. 1903. OTTO B. KRIPPENE, Notary Public, Wis.

COUNTY INSTITUTE FUND.

Supervisor Bullard introduced the following Report No. 31:

To the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis.:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Finance to whom was referred the report of the County Institute fund in the hands of the County Superintendent of Schools, beg leave to report that they have examined the books and records of said superintendent and find that the report as submitted to be a true and correct report of the County Institute fund in his hands Nov. 1st, 1903. We therefore return said report and recommend that it be placed on file as a correct statement of County Institute funds on Nov. 1st, 1903. All of which is respectfully submitted.

SILAS BULLARD, *Chairman,*
 W. P. BUSSEY,
 ALBERT KOPLITZ,
 ISAAC TIPLER,
 G. H. CHARLESWORTH,
 SOLOMON RHOADES,
 J. G. MENZEL,
 J. C. HEISSE,
 E. M. WILSON.

On motion of Supervisor Chase the report was adopted.

FINANCE.

Supervisor Bullard of the Committee on Finance submitted the following Report No. 32:

To the Honorable, the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: Your Finance Committee, to whom was referred the report of J J Fish, county purchasing agent, for the term commencing January 1st, 1903, and ending October 31st, 1903, would respectfully report that they have carefully examined the same, checking up all vouchers in his office and compared his records and find the same correct. We therefore recommend that it be adopted by this Board as a correct settlement with said Purchasing Agent to November 1, 1903

Your Finance Committee, to whom was referred the report of Benj. Edwards, county treasurer for the term commencing January 5th, 1903, and ending October 31, 1903, would respectfully report that they have carefully compared the same and compared the records in his office and find that the county treasurer has paid and charged to Winnebago county three orders drawn by the clerk of the municipal court on the treasurer of the city of Oshkosh amounting to Three Dollars and Thirty-Two Cents (\$3.32), which were by mistake paid and charged to Winnebago county, and in all other respects we find said report correct. We therefore return said report and recommend that the amount of said city orders paid by mistake, being the sum of Three Dollars and Thirty-Two Cents (\$3.32), be charged to said treasurer in his account with Winnebago county, and that he charge same to the bank from which he received same or the city of Oshkosh, and that in all other respects his said report is correct and recommend that same as corrected be adopted as a correct settlement with said treasurer up to November 1st, 1903

Your committee further report that they have compared county orders, county certificates and asylum certificates paid by the county treasurer with the stubs thereof in the office of the county clerk, clerk of courts and other officers and find the same correct, and that they have cancelled the same on the stub of each order and certificate.

Your committee also present and submit herewith and surrender to the Board of Supervisors all of said orders and certificates to be destroyed according to law.

SCHOOL FUND.

For the school tax of Winnebago county your committee would recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that the sum of Forty-Three Thousand Six Hundred and Eighty-Two Dollars and Ten Cents (\$43,682.10) be and the same is hereby levied and assessed upon the several towns, cities and villages of Winnebago county, for school purposes, to be apportioned, as follows:

Town of Algoma.....	\$ 655 15
Town of Black Wolf.....	612 66
Town of Clayton.....	978 99
Town of Menasha.....	496 19

Town of Neenah.....	467 32
Town of Nekimi.....	655 15
Town of Nepeuskun.....	639 50
Town of Omro.....	827 32
Village of Omro.....	892 16
Town of Oshkosh.....	570 18
Town of Poygan.....	581 36
Town of Rushford.....	1037 50
Town of Utica.....	695 40
Town of Vinland.....	838 50
Town of Winchester.....	876 51
Town of Winneconne.....	458 38
Village of Winneconne.....	858 62
Town of Wolf River.....	876 51
City of Menasha.....	5207 64
City of Neenah.....	4237 22
City of Oshkosh.....	21219 64
Total.....	\$43682 10

In order to provide for the salary of a superintendent of schools your committee would recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that the sum of (\$900 00) be and the same is hereby levied upon the taxable property of Winnebago county, except the cities of Oshkosh, Neenah and Menasha, to pay the salary of the superintendent of schools of Winnebago county, for the ensuing year; and

WHEREAS, The County Superintendent of Schools certifies that the sum of (\$200.00) is necessary for the stationery, printing and postage for one year, be it

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that said sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) be and the same is hereby appropriated in accordance with Section 704 of the Wisconsin Statutes of 1898, to be paid in monthly payments during the year of 1904, the same to be charged up to and levied upon the several towns and villages and be paid the same as his salary. And that the traveling expenses of such county superintendent of schools be paid as provided by Chapter 52 of the Laws of 1901, amending Section 461 D, Wisconsin Statutes.

INDIGENT SOLDIERS.

Your Finance committee, to whom was referred the report of the Indigent Soldiers' Commission, have examined the same and compared it with the orders drawn and cancelled and with the exception of an error in the amount of orders drawn of \$10.00, leaving fund overdrawn by \$248 61, we find them correct.

In order to provide a fund for the relief of indigent soldiers of Winnebago county for the ensuing year, your committee recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that the sum of Six Thousand Dollars (\$6000.00) be and the same is hereby appropriated as a fund for the relief of indigent soldiers of Winnebago County for the year 1904, and the Clerk of this County Board is hereby instructed and authorized to levy said amount upon the taxable property of said county of Winnebago.

FOR CARE OF POOR.

For the care of poor at the county farm, your Finance committee

find that there is due from several cities and towns in Winnebago county the amounts hereinafter set forth and the same is hereby levied and assessed upon the several cities and towns of Winnebago county for the care of the poor as aforesaid to be apportioned as follows:

City of Oshkosh.....	\$1437 42
City of Menasha.....	445 13
City of Neenah.....	424 99
Town of Rushford.....	163 96
Town of Winchester.....	159 56
Town of Black Wolf.....	166 19
Town of Neenah.....	43 80
Village of Omro.....	84 26
Village of Winneconne.....	80 27
Total.....	<u>\$3005 57</u>

STATEMENT OF STATE TAX.

The following is a statement of state taxes to be levied upon Winnebago county for the current year as certified by the secretary of state.

Seven tenths mill tax common school income Sec. 1072 A. W. S of 1898 as amended by Chap 313, Laws of 1903, \$30,366 86.

SPECIAL STATE TAXES FOR WINNEBAGO COUNTY

For Northern Hospital.....	\$2791 79
For Industrial School for Boys.....	405 54
For Wisconsin School for Feeble Minded.....	1536 88
Total.....	<u>\$4734 21</u>

SPECIAL CHARGES UPON THE TOWNS, VILLAGES, ETC.

City of Menasha.....	\$1450 00
Winnebago County.....	5360 00
Total.....	<u>\$6810 00</u>

SPECIAL CHARGES UPON SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

Town of Oshkosh.....	\$ 144 80
Loan to School District No. 5, Village of Omro.....	905 20
Loan " " " " " Town " ".....	94 80
Loan " Joint School District No. 2, Town of Winneconne.....	173 93
Loan " " " " " Village of ".....	746 57
Total.....	<u>\$ 2065 30</u>
Grand total taxes and special charges.....	<u>\$43976 37</u>

ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES FOR ENSUING YEAR

Salary of county officers.....	\$19395 00
Court expenses.....	15000 00
Sheriff, constable, general and justice accounts.....	20000 00
Stationery and printing.....	2000 00
Per diem and mileage of County Board.....	3000 00
Fuel, light and water.....	2000 00
Incidentals, interest and insurance.....	4000 00

Repairs on county buildings (court house and jail).....	1000 00
Bonds and interest, Farson, Leach & Co.....	2287 50
Jail notes and interest.....	5150 00
Maintenance of county insane and poor.....	1400 00
Insane committee for repairs on asylum building (water tank).....	5500 00
Repairs on building at county poor farm.....	2956 47
Work house contingent fund.....	100 00
Total.....	<u>\$83983 97</u>

Your committee therefore recommend the adoption of the following resolution.

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that the sum of Eighty-Three Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-Three Dollars and Ninety-Seven Cents (\$83983.97) be and is hereby levied and assessed upon the taxable property of Winnebago county as a county tax of the year 1903.

PAYMENT OF SHERIFF'S BILLS.

In order to provide for the payment of the sheriff's bills for boarding prisoners for the ensuing year, it is recommended that the chairman and clerk of this County Board be and are hereby instructed and authorized to draw county orders from time to time as bills may be presented for the payment of two-thirds of amounts of all said bills as now allowed and paid by the sheriff of Winnebago county.

POOR CONTINGENT FUND.

Your committee recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) be and the same is hereby appropriated as a poor contingent fund of Winnebago county. The chairman and clerk are hereby authorized to draw orders on said fund whenever it shall be for the interest of the county to do so, the chairman to report annually to this Board of expenditures of such fund.

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that the chairman of this Board and the treasurer be and they are hereby instructed to loan in the name of and for Winnebago county from time to time such sums of money as may be necessary to meet the indebtedness of the county, upon the best terms possible as to rate of interest and for the payment of such loan to issue notes in their official capacity for which the county of Winnebago will be responsible.

Your committee further report that in compliance with the Revised Statutes of Wisconsin, 1898, they have compared all county orders issued and remaining uncalled for by the payee in the county clerk's office for two years with the descriptive list as furnished this Board by the county clerk, giving amount, date and to whom issued and find the same correct.

RECAPITULATION OF TAXES TO BE LEVIED.

State tax including bonds to towns and cities.....	\$ 43976 37
School tax.....	43682 10
County taxes.....	83983 97
Indigent soldiers' fund.....	6000 00

Superintendent of Schools salary.....	800 00
Care of poor, special charges.....	3005 57
County superintendent (postage, stationery and printing).....	900 00
Total.....	\$181748 01

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Dated at Oshkosh, Wis , Nov. 28, 1903.

SILAS BULLARD,
W. P. BUSSEY,
SOLOMON RHOADES,
J. G. MENZEL
ISAAC TIPLER,
ALFRED KOPLITZ,
G. H. CHARLESWORTH,
J. C. HEISE,
E. M. WILSON.

Supervisor Chase moved adoption and that the orders be burned in the presence of the committee. Adopted; ayes 37; excused 1, Schoetz; absent 1, Lawson.

On that part of the report referring to the superintendent of schools salary, county members only voted on the adoption. Same was carried; ayes 13; excused 3, Bussey, Koplitz and Tipler.

Supervisor Chase moved that when Board adjourn it be to the second Tuesday in March. Carried.

Supervisor Arnemann moved that a recess to 2 p. m. be taken Carried.

After recess Chairman Nash named committee appointments made vacant by resignation of Supervisor Ehergott, as follows:

General Accounts and Finance—Supervisor Russell.
Poor and Poor Farm—Supervisor Koplitz.
Roads and Bridges—Supervisor Ellis.

Chairman Nash named Supervisors Bussey and Ganzer to act with him on approval of bonds.

EQUALIZATION.

Supervisor Bussey offered Report No. 33, as follows:

To the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wisconsin:

GENTLEMEN: Your committee on Equalization beg leave to report they have examined the following bills, referred to them and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed:

STATE OF WISCONSIN }
WINNEBAGO COUNTY, } ss.

I, John J. Fish, County Clerk, do hereby certify the above and foregoing to be a true and full copy of the Journal of Proceedings of the County Board of Supervisors of said county at an annual session of the Board commencing on the 10th day of November, 1903, and ending on the 28th day of November, 1903.

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SEAL
}

Witness my hand and official seal at Oshkosh, on this
28th day of November, 1903

J. J. FISH, *County Clerk.*

PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

OF
WINNEBAGO COUNTY, WIS.

MARCH SESSION--1904.

TUESDAY—FIRST DAY.

SUPERVISORS' ROOM, OSHKOSH, WIS
March 8th, 1904, 10 o'clock A. M.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment, Chairman Nash presiding.

Present full Board except Supervisors Beduhn, excused, and Russell absent.

Accounts were presented and referred to appropriate committees.

REPORT OF COUNTY CLERK.

The clerk read his report No. 1, as follows:

To the Honorable, the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: I hereby present my report as county clerk of Winnebago county, showing receipts and disbursements from January 1, 1903, to March 1, 1904:

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand January 1, 1903.....	\$ 437 41
Cash received for redemption of taxes.....	3745 11
Cash " " abstract, printer and county fee.....	216 40
Cash " " care of insane.....	524 51
Cash " " marriage license.....	225 00
Cash " " registering physicians.....	11 00
Cash " " care of poor from Weyauwega.....	5 22
Cash " " telephone tolls.....	60
Cash " " care of Collins children.....	62 65
Total.....	\$5227 90

DISBURSED.

Paid redemption money on certificates.....	835 48	33
Paid county treasurer, abstract, county and printer fee.....	216	40
Paid " " for care of insane.....	524	51
Paid " " marriage licenses.....	225	00
Paid " " unclaimed redemption money.....	137	41
Paid " " for registering physicians.....	11	00
Paid " " telephone tolls.....	60	
Paid " " for care Collins children.....	62	65
Paid " " care of poor from Weyauwega.....	5	22
Cash in bank.....	487	08
Cash on hand.....	9	70
Total.....	8527	00

STATE OF WISCONSIN }
 COUNTY OF WINNEBAGO } SS

I, J. J. Fish, county clerk of Winnebago county do hereby certify that the foregoing report is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. J. FISH.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this, first day of March, 1904.

FRED BADGER, Clerk of the Circuit Court,
 Winnebago County, Wis.

The report was referred to the Finance committee.

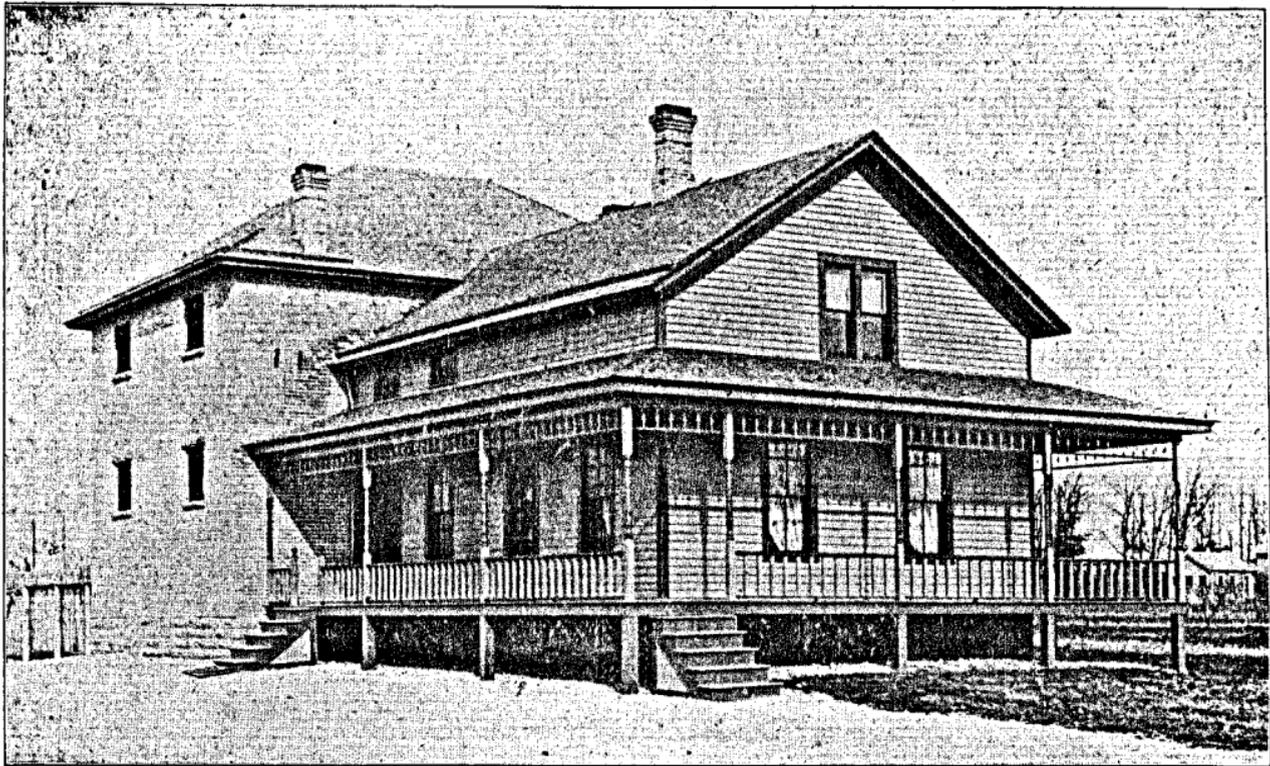
PURCHASING AGENTS ACCOUNT.

Clerk read report No 2, as follows:

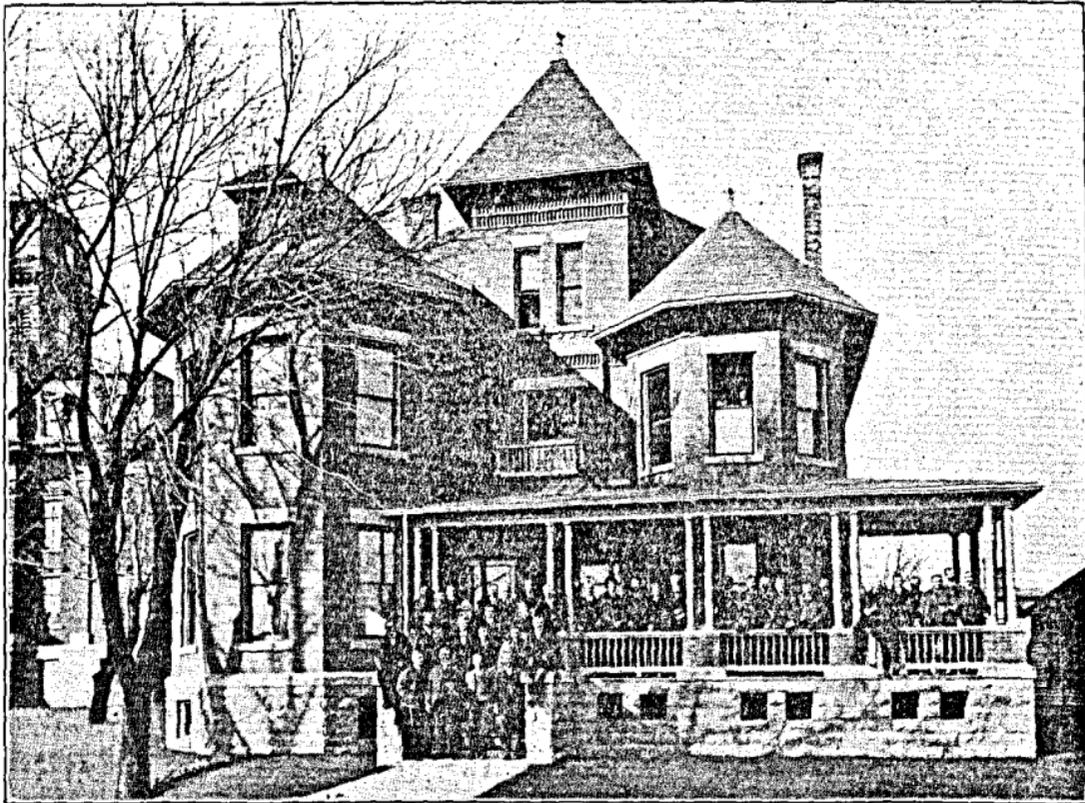
To the Honorable, the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: Following is the itemized statement of the amounts expended by me as purchasing agent, from November 1st, 1903, to January 1st, 1904, for books, printing and stationery, fuel and miscellaneous supplies, vouchers for which are on file in office of the county clerk:

No.	In whose favor drawn.	Nature of Account.	Amount.
71	L H Kimball, P M,	postage stamps.....	\$ 25 00
72	The H G Razall Mfg. Co.,	pencils.....	1 04
73	J N Stone, stationery and	printing. D M Shea.....	9 50
74	Geo. Stein, envelopes for	Register of Deeds.....	4 50
75	J J Fish, paid for postal	cards.....	1 00
76	Medberry, Flindelson Co.,	stationery.....	20 31
77	Ernest Sarau, printing	blanks for county judge, sheriff and clerk ..	10 00
78	J J Fish, paid for stationery.....		1 25
79	The Warwick Cole Co.,	wood.....	14 00
80	Castle Pierce Co., dater	for county clerk.....	3 50
81	The H G Razall Mfg. Co.,	ruler.....	4 43
82	Ernest Sarau, blanks for	clerk of court.....	4 50
83	Allen & Weidner, soldiers'	commission book.....	9 50
84	S R Moody, orders.....		1 00
85	L H Kimball, postage	stamps.....	25 00
86	E M Crane, envelopes for	county clerk.....	10 76
87	The Morgan Co., wood.....		2 25
88	M E Barnett & Co., pens.....		4 29
89	Ernest Sarau court	calendar for clerk of courts.....	40 00



WINNEBAGO COUNTY WORK HOUSE.



JAIL AND SHERIFF'S RESIDENCE.

gate and bring before this body any measures that may better the schools of Winnebago County and to perform any other duties that may be properly performed by a Committee having the best interests of education in charge.

Be it Further Resolved, That this Committee be designated as the Committee on Education.

Supervisor Ganzer moved its adoption.

Remarks by Supervisors Weidner, Lueckenbach and Ganzer.

Superintendent Overton was called upon to explain the resolution which he did at length

Supervisor Heise moved to lay over to March session

Remarks by Supervisors Chase and Kenny, when the motion was carried

PER DIEM AND MILEAGE REPORT.

Supervisor Ream offered Report No. 7, as follows:

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Per Diem and Mileage would respectfully report that we find the following Supervisors entitled to the amount set opposite their respective names, for their attendance at the present January session 1905.

Name.	Days	Miles	Total
Thomas A. Cook.....	4	48	\$12 48
Caspar Pfeiffer.....	4	84	12 84
Nels Jensen.....	4	156	13 56
Isaac Tipler.....	4	216	14 16
Frank Merrill.....	4	144	13 44
Albert Koplitz.....	4	98	12 98
O. P. Ream.....	4	216	14 16
A. B. Frees.....	4	108	13 08
G. H. Charlesworth.....	4	144	13 44
C. A. Pride.....	3	72	9 72
James Heffron, Jr.....	4	192	13 92
George W. Ellis.....	4	264	14 64
Robt W Mackie.....	4	168	13 68
E. E. Manuel.....	4	156	13 56
Ed Uvaas.....	4	252	14 52
Peter J. Gunderson.....	4	168	13 68
M. F. White.....	4	168	13 68
John Hofberger, Jr.....	4	360	15 60
Chas. A. Robinson.....	4	192	13 92
Lewis Smith.....	4	192	13 92
M. J. Riley.....	4	192	13 92
M. Jakowski.....	4	192	13 92
A. W. Kellogg.....	4	180	13 80
Wm. Arnemann.....	4	180	13 80
A. T. Lueckenbach.....	4	180	13 80
J. F. Mayer.....	4	180	13 80
H. C. Nash.....	4	12	12 12
James Kenny.....	4	12	12 12
John G. Menzel.....	4	12	12 12
H. A. Atwood.....	4	12	12 12
Lester H. Lawson.....	1	12	12 12

	Days	Miles	Total
John C. Helse.....	4	24	12 24
Otis F. Chase.....	4	12	12 12
J. Weidner.....	4	12	12 12
Edward Ganzer.....	4	12	12 12
C. A. Dunham.....	4	12	12 12
Solomon Rhoades.....	4	12	12 12
Edward M. Wilson.....	4	36	12 36
Fred Beduhn.....	3	24	9 24

Respectfully submitted,

O. P. REAM,
E. E. MANUEL,
LEWIS SMITH,
M. J. RILEY,
FRED BEDUHN.

Oshkosh, January 6, 1905.

Supervisor Ream moved its adoption. Carried. Ayes, 37; excused, 2, Pride and Wilson.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

Supervisor Arnemann offered Report. No. 8, as follows:

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Public Buildings beg leave to report they have examined the following bills, referred to them, and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed:

Dated, Oshkosh, January 6, 1905.

Name	Nature of Account	Claimed	Allowed
Wis. Telephone Co., for tolls.....		\$ 26 65	\$ 26 65
C. B. Williams, for firing.....		2 00	disallowed

WM. ARNEMANN.
G. H. CHARLESWORTH.
EDWARD GANZER.
J. HEFFRON, JR.
L. H. LAWSON.

On motion adopted. Ayes 37. Excused 2, Pride and Wilson.

FIRE PROOF FURNITURE

Supervisor Arnemann offered Report No 9, and Resolution, No. 9, as follows:

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Public Buildings respectfully report as follows:

In accordance with a resolution passed in the last November Session, we were instructed to procure plans and estimates for fire proof shelves, document files and furniture for the vault of the Probate

Court. We have performed our duty, and we herewith present the blue prints of the plans. The lowest price for this work is \$2500.00, which is a very reasonable price for the whole work. Therefore your Committee would recommend the following Resolution:

Resolved: That the Building Committee is hereby instructed to enter into a contract with the Art Metal Construction Company and purchase the fire-proof shelving, document files and furniture for the vault of the Probate Court, not to exceed Twenty-Five Hundred Dollars.

For explanation your Committee would further report that we have a credit to the Public Building fund of \$500 from 1904, and \$1500 in the Budget of 1905, making a total of \$2000. We have no other repairs to make that we know of now, therefore we can take \$1500 from the above amount towards the payment of the improvement, then we would still have \$500 for repairs on hand, so would only need an appropriation of \$1000 to pay for the whole improvement; now, therefore your Committee would recommend the passage of the following resolution:

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that the sum of One Thousand Dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the County Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to be used under the direction of the Building Committee to purchase fire proof shelving, document files and furniture for the vault for the Register of Probate of Winnebago County.

WM. ARNEMANN.
LESTER H. LAWSON.
G. H. CHARLESWORTH.
EDWARD GANZER.
JAS HEFFRON, JR.

Supervisor Chase moved that the Report including the Resolution be adopted. Carried, ayes 37; excused 2, Pride and Wilson.

POOR AND POOR FARM COMMITTEE REPORT

Supervisor Kenny offered Report No. 10, as follows:

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Poor and Poor Farm beg leave to report they have examined the following bills referred to them, and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed:

Dated, Oshkosh, January 5, 1905.

Name	Nature of Account	Claimed	Allowed
R. Fluor,	making out fire loss on County barn.....	\$ 8 00	\$ 8 00
Allen & Weidner,	furnishing Wis. Telegraph Newspaper to the Farm for 6 years.....	12 00	12 00
Waukesha County,	care, amputation, board and medical at- tendance	209 85	

Your Committee recommend that the bill be left over to the March term for further investigation.

On motion adopted, ayes 37; excused 2, Pride and Wilson

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Supervisor Lawson offered the following Report, No. 11:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: Your Finance Committee to whom was referred the report of Benj. Edwards, County Treasurer from November 1st, 1904, to January 2nd, 1905, would respectfully report that they have examined the same and compared the records in his office and find them to be correct. We therefore move that the Report be adopted as a correct settlement with said Treasurer to January 2, 1905.

Your Committee further report that they have compared County Orders, Court Certificates and Asylum Certificates paid by the County Treasurer, with the stubs thereof in the office of the County Clerk, Clerk of Court and other officers, and find the same correct and that they have canceled the same on the stub of each of said orders and certificates.

Your Committee also present and submit herewith and surrender to this Board of Supervisors, all of said orders and certificates, to be destroyed according to law.

Your Finance Committee to whom was referred the report of J. J. Fish, as County Clerk of Winnebago County, showing receipts and disbursements from March 1, 1904 to January 1, 1905, would respectfully report that they have examined such report and compared it with the books and vouchers on file in the office of the County Clerk and they find the same correct, and recommend its adoption.

Your Finance Committee to whom was referred the report of Benj. Edwards, County Purchasing Agent, from November 1, 1904 to January 2, 1905, inclusive, would respectfully report, that they have carefully examined the same, checked up all vouchers therefor and compared the same with his books and find the same correct. We therefore return his report and recommend that it be adopted by the Board as a correct settlement with said Purchasing Agent to January 2, 1905.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Dated, Oshkosh Wis., this 5th Day of January, 1905.

LESTER H. LAWSON.
E. M. WILSON.
J. C. HEISE.
SOLOMON RHOADES.
J. G. MENZEL.
ALBERT KOPLITZ.
ISAAC TIPLER.
G. H. CHARLESWORTH.
A. B. FREES.

Report adopted, ayes 37; excused 2, Pride and Wilson.

Supervisor Chase moved to take a recess of five minutes to give the Committee time to destroy canceled orders. Carried.

REPORT OF SHERIFF AND CORONERS COMMITTEE

Supervisor Charlesworth offered Report No. 12, as follows:

To the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Sheriff and Coroners' Accounts beg leave to report they have examined the following bills, referred to them, and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed:

Dated, Oshkosh, January 5, 1905.

Name.	Account.	Claimed	Allowed
M. J. Rounds, Sheriffs fees		\$419 05	\$ 413 51
M. J. Rounds, board of prisoners.....		185 71	185 71
F. A. Kaerwer, Coroners fees.....		10 05	10 05
Gunder Larsen, Coroners fees.....		4 00	4 00
James Mulva		8 26	5 26
J. A. Henriksen, M. D., examination at inquest.....		7 50	6 00

Respectfully submitted,

G. H. CHARLESWORTH,
 M. J. RILEY.
 C. A. DUNHAM.
 M. F. WHITE.
 WM. ARNEMANN.
 THOS. A. COOK,
 F. I. MERRILL.
 EDWARD GANZER.
 A. T. LUECKENBACH.

Supervisor Ganzer moved adoption of the report. Carried. Ayes 37; excused 2, Pride and Wilson.

APPROVAL OF BONDS

Chairman Nash offered Report, No. 13, and Resolution No. 10 as follows:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: The Chairman and Committee of this Board, duly appointed to examine and approve the Bonds of County Officials, would respectfully report as follows:

That they have examined and approved the Bonds of the following officers: to-wit:

Fred Badger, Clerk of Circuit Court.
 Eber L. Simpson, Sheriff.
 Benjamin Edwards, Treasurer.
 John J. Fish, County Clerk.

C. F. Appley, Superintendent of Poor and Poor Farm.

Robert E. Abrams, Superintendent of Work House.

Benjamin Edwards, Purchasing Agent.

Carl D. Jackson, District Attorney.

Wm. H. Fieweger, Register of Deeds.

The New German American Bank, County Depository.

Harvey W. Leach, County Surveyor.

The bond of W. W. Noble as Trustee of the Asylum not being in proper form was returned to him for correction, and has not been returned to date.

Pursuant to instructions of the County Board we advertised for bids for the purchase of the bonds for the County Treasurer for his term of office of two years, and for the Supervisor of Assessments, for his term of office three years. The lowest bid received for the Treasurer's bond was from the Title Guaranty & Trust Company of Scranton, Pennsylvania, to wit: \$537 50

The lowest bid for the Supervisor of Assessments was from the American Surety Company of New York, to wit: \$25.00

We accepted the bid of the Title Guaranty & Trust Co. of \$537.50 for the Treasurer's bond, and declared all other bids rejected, and purchased the bond of the aforesaid Company, which has been examined and approved.

We accepted the bid of the American Surety Co., of \$25 00 for the Supervisor of Assessments, and declared all other bids rejected. The bond is in the possession of County Judge, C. D. Cleveland, for his approval, which the law provides he shall do

H. C. NASH, *Chairman*

O. F. CHASE.

EDWARD GANZER.

The following resolution is therefore submitted:

Resolved: Whereas, your Committee specially appointed to approve Bonds and procure Bonds, at the expense of the County for Benjamin Edwards County Treasurer, and Daniel Shea, County Supervisor of Assessments, of Winnebago County, have twice advertised for bids for the same, and have personally given notice to various Bond companies in regard to the same and,

Whereas, The lowest bid, for the Bond of the County Treasurer, that this Committee was able to obtain was the bid of the Title Guaranty & Trust Company of Scranton, Pennsylvania, to furnish said Bond of County Treasurer, in the sum of \$175,000.00, for the premium of \$537.50 for the two years; and,

Whereas, The lowest bid for the bond of County Supervisor of Assessments, that this Committee was able to obtain, was the bid of the American Surety Company of New York to furnish said Bond in the sum of \$500.00 for three years for the premium of \$25.00; and,

Whereas, Said Companies have furnished said Bonds, which are on file: now,

Therefore, Be it Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County: That the sum of \$537.50, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the General Funds to pay for said Bonds of County Treasurer and Supervisor of

The following statement of the Register of Deeds was presented:

STATEMENT OF REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: The following statement shows the names of attending physicians (or other persons) who have reported to the register of deeds the number of Births and Deaths so reported, set opposite there to, together with the amount due each, according to Chapter 342, Laws of 1889:

Name of Physician or other person.	No. Births.	Amt.	No. Deaths.	Amt.	Total due
J. M. Conley.....	42	\$ 6 30	40	\$ 6 00	\$ 12.30
J. M. Conley.....	2	50	1	25	75
M. E. Corbett.....	12	3 00	2	50	3 50
C. J. Hurlbut.....	4	1 00	.....	.....	1 00
J. T. Ozane.....	6	1 50	1	25	1 75
F. M. Cory.....	1	25	.....	.....	25
Thos. Jespersen.....	1	25	.....	.....	25
Casper Szwicky.....	1	15	.....	.....	15
Bertha Poetzold.....	4	1 00	.....	.....	1 00
J. R. Barnett, Jr.....	6	90	4	60	1 50
Rose A. Russell.....	1	25	.....	.....	25
Arthur Hart.....	1	15	.....	.....	15
Ed. Muttart.....	2	30	.....	.....	30
J. C. Petty.....	6	90	.....	.....	90
Margaret H. Rowe.....	3	75	.....	.....	75
H. Engel.....	6	90	.....	.....	90
Aloisia Kihns.....	5	1 25	1	25	1 50
Mrs. M. Wilde.....	4	1 00	.....	.....	1 00
A. L. Christofferson.....	1	25	.....	.....	25
P. MacDougald.....	2	50	.....	.....	50
Louis B. Devens.....	2	30	.....	.....	30
Gertrude Schwab.....	18	4 70	.....	.....	4 70
F. M. Cory.....	21	3 15	1	15	3 30
S. D. Greenwood.....	1	25	1	25	50
H. E. Johnson.....	.....	.....	5	1 25	1 25
Jeff Benning.....	.....	.....	2	30	30
J. A. Hendrickson.....	.....	.....	1	25	25
J. A. Hendrickson.....	.....	.....	1	15	15
A. Roos.....	.....	.....	2	50	50
E. S. Schmidt.....	.....	.....	2	50	50
F. Brockway.....	.....	.....	3	75	75
J. J. Tennessen.....	.....	.....	8	1 20	1 20
Thomas R. Jones.....	.....	.....	7	1 75	1 75
E. J. Smith.....	.....	.....	2	50	50
F. E. Gibbons.....	.....	.....	1	25	25
J. P. Keating.....	.....	.....	1	15	15
F. D. Curtis.....	.....	.....	1	25	25
F. D. Curtis.....	.....	.....	1	15	15
F. N. Otum.....	1	25	.....	.....	25
J. T. Ozane.....	1	25	.....	.....	25
S. B. Ackley.....	1	25	.....	.....	25
Burton Clark.....	2	50	1	25	75
C. J. Combs.....	1	25	7	1 75	2 00
Mrs. Peshke.....	1	25	.....	.....	25

Name of Physician or other person.	No. Births.	Amt.	No. Deaths.	Amt.	Total due
A. H. Broche.....	1	25	1	25	50
W. F. Chute.....	1	15	...	.....	15
J. R. Barnett, Jr.....	4	1 00	1 00
C. W. Oviatt.....	5	1 25	1 25
J. E. Schein.....	2	50	50
G. C. Hoyer.....	2	50	50
Sophia Kirst.....	1	25	25
Stella B. Nelson.....	1	25	25
R. N. Wintze.....	1	25	25
Fred C. Fenn.....	1	25	25

STATE OF WISCONSIN, }
County of Winnebago } ss

W. H. Fieweger being duly sworn on oath says that the foregoing statement is a correct and true copy of the records in his office, to the best of his knowledge.

W. H. FIEWEGER,
Register of Deeds.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of January, 1905.

OTTO B. KRIPPENE,
Notary Public.

The Committee on General Accounts would recommend that the within accounts be allowed to parties to whom due.

FREDERICK BEDUHN,
Chairman of Committee.

Adopted, Ayes 37; excused 2, Pride and Wilson.

JUSTICE AND CONSTABLES' ACCOUNTS.

Supervisor Manuel offered Report No 15, as follows:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Justice and Constables' Accounts beg leave to report they have examined the following bills referred to them, and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed:

Dated Oshkosh, January 5, 1905.

James Mulva, officers fees.....	\$ 1 15	\$ 1 15
H. F. Dowling ".....	39 29	39 29
S. D. Moody, ".....	29 05	29 05
William Schubert, livery hire.....	3 00	3 00

The report was adopted. Ayes 37; excused 2, Pride and Wilson.

Also the following juror and witness fees were allowed:

<i>Before A. H. Goss, Municipal Judge</i>		Name	Amount
Name	Amount		
Marie Handler, witness.....	1 20	Frank Ripple, witness.....	1 95
S. S. Shelley, witness.....	1 20	Leonard Lampert, witness.....	1 95
Wm. Meyer, witness.....	1 20	John Jedwabrey, witness.....	1 95
Henry Bando, witness.....	1 20	Ed Uecker, witness.....	83
Ed Kopelka, witness.....	1 20	Hugh Edwards, witness.....	1 63
Geo. Johnson, witness.....	1 20	Richard Rothe, witness.....	83
Anton Schwartz, witness.....	1 20	Fred Rothe, witness.....	83
John Pingel, witness.....	1 20	Albert Saleman, witness.....	83
Walter Ulrich, witness.....	1 20	Louis Leo, witness.....	83
John McGinnis, witness.....	1 20	Dr. Conley, witness.....	83
James Wright, witness.....	1 40	Z. M. Smick, witness.....	1 66
J. W. Brown, witness.....	1 40	Albert Herman, witness.....	1 66
Pat Murphey, witness.....	1 68	Albert Polzin, witness.....	1 66
Christ Casperson, witness.....	1 20	James Mulva, witness.....	1 66
Christ Gamski, witness.....	1 20	H. F. Dowling, witness.....	1 66
Ole Casperson, witness.....	1 20	John T. Lowd, witness.....	83
Joseph White, witness.....	1 20	Louis Schreiber, witness.....	83
Peter Keating, witness.....	1 20	<i>Before Gunder Larsen</i>	
Gust Winkelhoover, witness.....	2 40	Dr. Hendricksen, witness.....	1 10
Charles Black, witness.....	2 40	Adam Walter, witness.....	1 10
Charles Kiel, witness.....	2 40	Eli Walter, witness.....	1 10
Herman Dickhopp, witness.....	2 40	Lawrence Christoph, witness.....	1 10
John Langhurst, witness.....	2 40	Will Barend, witness.....	1 10
David Young, witness.....	1 20	Elmer Thompson, witness.....	1 10
Jacob Mant, witness.....	1 20	<i>Before F. A. Kaerwer</i>	
James Wright, witness.....	1 20	F. N. Kitz, witness.....	2 40
John Hanson, witness.....	1 20	H. J. Otto, witness.....	2 40
Fred Bundt, witness.....	1 20	P. Cary, witness.....	2 40
Otto Meyer, witness.....	1 95	G. C. Finch, witness.....	1 20
Richard Allen, witness.....	1 95	A. E. Bausefeld, witness.....	2 40
Frank Manarski, witness.....	1 95	L. Torreyson, witness.....	2 40
Ira Clough, witness.....	1 95	Gertrude Murphy, witness.....	1 06
		Dr. E. S. Schmidt, witness.....	5 00

E. E. MANUEL.
 C. A. ROBINSON.
 A. W. KELLOGG.
 CASPER PFEIFFER.
 GEO. W. ELLIS.
 C. A. PRIDE.
 ISAAC TIPLER.
 ED. UVAAS.
 M. F. WHITE.

The Report was adopted. Ayes 37, excused 2, Pride and Wilson.

ILLEGAL ASSESSMENTS

Supervisor Lueckenbach offered Report No 16, as follows:

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Illegal Assessments beg leave to report that they have had under consideration the petition of Max Schoetz, Jr., for the cancellation of Tax Certificate No. 299, sale of 1897, purporting to affect Lot 3, Block 2, Fourth ward, city of Menasha,

amount \$2.06; praying that the same be cancelled for the reason that there is no such lot nor block in the Fourth ward, city of Menasha; that the description should read as follows: Lot 3, Block 2, Subdivision of Lot 10, Block 55.

On examination of the records and files we find that the allegations of petitioner are as stated: That the description in the said tax certificate is erroneous. We would therefore recommend that said Tax Certificate No. 299, sale of 1897, be cancelled and that the amount due thereon with seven per cent interest be refunded petitioner and that the same be charged back to the city of Menasha.

No. 299, sale of 1897, face \$2.06, interest \$1.10; total, \$3.16.

Your committee further report that they have had under consideration the petition of Max Schoetz, Jr., for the cancellation of Tax Certificate No. 242, sale of 1899, purporting to affect the following: The 50 feet of E. 127 feet next S. of 207 feet of Subdivision of Lot 12, Block 55, Fourth ward, Menasha. Amount \$10.79, praying that the same be cancelled for the reason that the description is not complete; That said description should read the 50 feet of E. 127 feet, next S. of N. 207 feet of Subdivision of Lot 12, Block 55, Fourth ward, Menasha.

On examination of the title to said lands we find that the allegations of petitioner are as stated: That the description in the said Tax Certificate is erroneous. We would therefore recommend that said Tax Certificate No. 242, sale of 1899, be cancelled and that the amount due thereon with seven per cent interest be refunded petitioner and that the same be charged back to the city of Menasha.

No. 242, sale of 1899, amount \$10.79, interest \$4.27; total \$15.06.

Your committee further report that they have had under consideration the petition of Max Schoetz, Jr., for the cancellation of Tax Certificate No. 170, sale of 1899, purporting to affect the following: 15½ feet next N. of S. 642½ feet of W. 60 feet of E. ½ of N. E. ¼, Sec. 15, Lawson's Subdivision of part of Lot 27, Darling's Addition, Second ward, Menasha, amount 69 cents; praying that the same be cancelled for the reason that Lawson's Subdivision of part of Lot 27, Darling's Addition has nothing to do with the description and is located in another part of the city.

On examination of the plats and records relating to titles in the city of Menasha we find that the statements of petitioner are in part true; in so far as relates to the description is defective. We would further state that there is no record of a plat of Lawson's Subdivision located in Menasha; however we would recommend that said tax certificate be cancelled, and that the amount due thereon with seven per cent interest be refunded petitioner and that the same be charged back to the city of Menasha.

No. 170, sale of 1899, amount 69 cents, interest 25 cents; total, 94 cents.

Your committee further report that they have had under consideration the petition of Max Schoetz, Jr., for the cancellation of Tax Certificate No. 161, sale of 1901, purporting to affect the following: The E. 365 feet S. of M. & N. right of way, Lot 3, Block 55, Subdivision of Lots 14, 15 and 16, Block 55, Fourth ward, Menasha, amount \$2.43, should be cancelled for the reason that the description should read, the E. 365 feet of M. & N. right of way, Lot 3, Block 1, Subdivision of Lots 14, 15 and 16, Block 55, Fourth ward, Menasha.

On examination of the records and the title to said lands we find that the land described in said tax certificate is erroneous. We therefore recommend that said tax certificate be cancelled and that the amount due thereon with seven per cent interest be refunded petitioner and that the same be charged back to the city of Menasha.

No. 161. sale of 1901, face \$2.43, interest 61 cents; total \$3.04.

Your committee further report that they have had under consideration the petition of Max Schoetz, Jr., for the cancellation of Tax Certificate No. 157 purporting to cover the following:

The E. 36 feet of Right of Way of M. & N. Ry., Lot 3, Block 55, Subdivision of Lot 14, 15 and 16, Block 55, Fourth ward, Menasha, amount \$4.68; praying that the same be cancelled for the reason that description should read: the E. 365 feet of M. & N. Right of Way, Lot 3, Block 1, Subdivision of Lots 14, 15 and 16, Block 55, Fourth ward, Menasha.

On examination of the records we find that the description is erroneous and indefinite; that the allegations in said petition are true in so far as they relate to the description being defective.

We would therefore recommend that said Tax Certificate No. 157, sale of 1902, be cancelled and that the amount due thereon with seven per cent interest be refunded petitioner, and that the same be charged back to the city of Menasha.

No. 157, sale of 1902, face \$4.68, interest 87 cents; total \$5.55.

We would recommend that the sum of \$2.00 be allowed E. W. Thomas for services rendered in examining the records and for typewriting work.

Respectfully submitted,

A. T. LUECKENBACH.

ROBT. MACKIE.

F. I. MERRILL.

MIKE JAKOWSKI.

LEWIS SMITH.

Supervisor Lueckenbach moved adoption of report. Carried, ayes 37, excused 2, Pride and Wilson.

SALE OF OLD BOILERS.

Supervisor Arnemann made a verbal report regarding sale of old

boilers for \$67.50 which amount he had paid over to county treasurer.

Supervisor Chase moved that the report be accepted. Carried.

Supervisor Chase moved that the chairman and clerk be directed and instructed to issue orders for all amounts allowed by the Board, and the clerk correct all clerical errors discovered, and the chairman approve the minutes of this last day's session. Carried.

Supervisor Chase moved that when the Board adjourn it be to the second Tuesday in March. Carried.

Supervisor Hofberger moved that a committee of four be appointed to go to Madison in the interest of the county to try to arrange for the payment of the bonds by the county to the state, and recommended the names of Chairman Nash, Supervisors Lawson, Arnemann and White, as such committee.

Remarks by Supervisors Chase and Lueckenbach.

Supervisor Heise moved to amend and substitute the names of Chairman Nash, Supervisors Arnemann and Charlesworth as such committee. Carried by rising vote. Ayes 22, nay 9.

Motion as amended carried.

On motion adjourned.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, }
County of Winnebago, } ss

I, J. J. Fish, County Clerk, do hereby certify the above and foregoing to be a true and full copy of the Journal of Proceedings, of the Board of Supervisors of said County at its adjourned session commencing January 3, 1905 and ending on the 6th day of January, 1905.

{ SEAL } Witness my hand and official seal at Oshkosh, on this
10th day of January, 1905.

JOHN J. FISH,
County Clerk.

PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
OF
WINNEBAGO COUNTY, WIS.

MARCH SESSION--1905.

TUESDAY—FIRST DAY.

SUPERVISORS' ROOM, OSHKOSH, WIS.,
March 14, 1905, 10 o'clock a. m.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment, Chairman Nash presiding. Present full Board except Supervisors Hofberger, Lawson and Mackie excused, and Beduhn and Wilson absent.

Accounts were presented and referred to appropriate committees.

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Resolution No. 8 of the January session which was laid over to the March session taken up, which was as follows:

Resolved By the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that,

Whereas: Our Public Schools are and ought to be the most important of our Public Institutions, since in them are moulded the characters of our most important citizens and our future rulers, and

Whereas: Our Public Schools according to the consensus of opinion among the leading thinkers of our Nation, are not doing work and yielding results that are adequate to achieve the above end in view, and

Whereas: The basic reasons for this state of inefficiency lie in conditions rather than in particular parties. Now, therefore:

Be it Resolved, By the Board of Winnebago County, That a permanent Standing Committee of three or five members, as may be determined by this body, be appointed in the same manner as other Standing Committees are appointed whose duties shall be to co-operate with the County Superintendent in ascertaining real conditions in this County and what remedies, if any, may be applied, and to investigate and bring before this body any measures that may better the schools of Winnebago County and to perform any other duties that may be properly performed by a Committee having the best interests of education in charge.

Be It further Resolved: That this Committee be designated as the Committee on Education.

Remarks by Supervisors Heise, Chase and Nash.

Supervisor Chase moved that this resolution be made a special order of business for 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday the 15th. Carried.

PAYMENT OF BONDS

Supervisor Arnemann made a verbal report for the special committee who were sent to Madison in the interest of the county to try to arrange for the payment of bonds to the state, reporting success and that payment could no doubt be made April 1st.

Supervisor Tipler moved that a recess of five minutes be taken as the committee on printing wished to consult District Attorney Jackson who was to go to Madison and would not be present but a short time. Carried.

After recess District Attorney Jackson addressed the Board in reference to the bill of the Hicks Printing Co.

PRINTING

Supervisor Tipler offered the following Report No. 1 and Resolution No. 1:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Printing to whom has been referred the bill of the Hicks Printing Company for \$256.53 beg leave to report that at the November session of this Board there was presented to the Board a bill of the Hicks Printing Company for \$707.75; that among the items of that bill was one for printing the primary election law in the sum of two hundred and forty-three dollars, which said item is identical with the item of the bill which we are now reporting upon for \$243 as of October 31, 1904. The bill for \$707.75 of the Hicks Printing Company was allowed by this Board at \$466. The time within which to appeal from the allowance of the bill at the November session has expired and no appeal has been taken. The action of the Board at the November session is therefore absolutely binding not only upon the Hicks Printing Company but upon this Board.

In order not to waive any of the rights of Winnebago County by acting on the bill now referred to your committee, we would respectfully recommend the passage of the following resolution:

Be It Resolved By the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County that this Board do hereby refuse to take cognizance of, act or pass upon the bill of the Hicks Printing Company for \$256.35.

Signed by the Printing Committee.

ISAAC TIPLER.
 J. F. MAYER
 J. WEIDNER.
 O. P. REAM.
 N. JENSEN.

March 14, 1905

Supervisor Charlesworth moved the adoption of above report and resolution. Carried.

PRINTING

Supervisor Tipler offered the following resolution No. 2:

Be it Resolved By the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that:

Whereas: It has come to the knowledge of the Board that there is due the Hicks Printing Company, a Corporation of the State of Wisconsin, the sum of \$13.35 for printing. Now,

Therefore. There is hereby appropriated to the Hicks Printing Company a Corporation of the State of Wisconsin, the sum of \$13.35 and the County Clerk and Chairman of this Board are hereby directed to issue an order for the sum of \$13.35 and payable to the order of the Hicks Printing Company

ISAAC TIPLER.

March 14, 1905.

Adopted: Ayes 34, excused 3, Hofberger, Lawson and Mackie.
 Absent 2, Beduhn and Wilson.

On motion adjourned for committee work.

WEDNESDAY—SECOND DAY

SUPERVISORS' ROOM, OSHKOSH, WIS.,
 March 15, 1905, 9 o'clock a. m.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment, Chairman Nash presiding.
 Present full Board except Supervisors Beduhn and Lawson absent,
 and Riley and Wilson excused.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Supervisor Arnemann read a communication from the register of deeds and moved to refer the same to the committee on printing. Carried.

Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

INVENTORY AT POOR FARM

Supervisor Kenny offered Report No. 2 as follows:

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Poor and Poor Farm respectfully report that pursuant to annual custom they took inventory of stock and

produce of the County Poor Farm on January 9th and 10th. Two copies of the inventory were made, of which one is on file with the County Clerk and the other with the Superintendent of the County Farm.

JAMES KENNY
C. A. PRIDE
ALBERT KOPLITZ
E. E. MANUEL
P. J. GUNDERSON

On motion of Supervisor Arnemann the report was accepted and placed on file.

Supervisor Heise moved to accept no more bills after Thursday the 16th. Carried.

Supervisor Gunderson moved that a recess of twenty-five minutes be taken. Carried.

At 10 o'clock the special order of business was taken up and the clerk again read the January Resolution, No. 8.

Supervisor Tipler moved the adoption of the resolution.

Remarks by Supervisors Heise and Mayer.

Superintendent Overton addressed the Board in favor of the resolution.

Remarks by Supervisors Lueckenbach, Arnemann and Nash.

The resolution was lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Chase, Ellis, Hofberger, Jensen, Kellogg, Lueckenbach, Manuel, Merrill, Pfeifer, Ream, Smith, Tipler, Uvaas, 13.

Nays—Arnemann, Atwood, Charlesworth, Cook, Dunham, Frees, Ganzer, Gunderson, Heffron, Heise, Jakowski, Koplitz, Mackie, Menzel, Mayer, Pride, Rhoades, Robinson, White, Weidner, Nash, 21.

Absent—Beduhn, Kenny, Lawson, Riley and Wilson, 5.

Supervisor Arnemann moved to adjourn for committee work. Carried. Adjourned.

THURSDAY—THIRD DAY.

SUPERVISORS' ROOM, OSHKOSH, WIS.

March 16, 1905, 9 o'clock a. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, Chairman Nash presiding.
Present full Board except Supervisor Beduhn and Lawson, Riley and Wilson excused.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

PAYMENT OF SPECIAL LOAN

Supervisor Arnemann offered the following Resolution No. 4.

Resolved. By the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County that there be and hereby is appropriated the sum of Twenty Eight Thousand Dollars (\$28000.00), from the County Treasury, and that the Chairman and Clerk of this County Board are hereby authorized and instructed to pay and redeem the balance of the special Loan of \$28000.00, due the State of Wisconsin.

WM. ARNEMANN.

Oshkosh Wis., March 16, 1905.

On motion the resolution was adopted. Ayes, 35; absent, 1, Beduhn; excused, 3, Lawson, Riley and Wilson.

TO TRANSCRIBE RECORDS

To the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

Gentlemen: The marriage records from 1848 to 1875, twenty-seven years, are now recorded in six small volumes and five index books; and it is almost impossible for any one to find them in their present state. I agree to transcribe them in one volume and index them in one volume for seven cents per marriage. There are about 3,642 records.

W. H. FIEWEGER
Register of Deeds.

TO TRANSCRIBE RECORDS.

Supervisor Tipler offered report No. 3.

To the Honorable the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

Your Committee on Printing to whom was referred the matter of transcribing and indexing the marriage records from 1848 to 1875 respectfully report that it is necessary to preserve these records, and that the Register of Deeds of Winnebago County transcribe the above records, at seven cents per marriage. Total amount not to exceed \$254.00.

ISAAC TIPLER
O. P. REAM
J. F. MAYER
NELS JENSEN
J. WEIDNER

Report adopted. Ayes, 35; absent, 1, Beduhn; excused, 3, Lawson, Riley and Wilson.

REPORT ON SILO

Supervisor Kenny offered the following Report No. 4.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Poor and Poor Farm would respectfully report that, pursuant to a resolution passed at the January session of the Board, we met on January 21st, and under the advice of the District Attorney, advertised for five weeks asking for plans and prices of

all kinds of Silos. On February 25th, we had received the following three bids, which we herewith submit to you:

Bid of H. A. Porath, \$1,143.

Bid of B. J. Dougherty, \$1,092.

Bid of J. P. Christensen, \$1,040.

Your committee would report that we deem it to be for the best interest of the County to build the Silo of the most durable material at hand, namely brick, stone and mortar, and would therefore recommend that you authorize your committee to enter into a contract to build a Silo as we may deem advisable for the best interest of the County.

JAMES KENNY
C. A. PRIDE
ALBERT KOPLITZ
E. E. MANUEL
P. J. GUNDERSON

Remarks -by Supervisors Pfeifer, Lueckenbach, Kenney, Arnemann, Ream, Heisse, Manuel, Gunderson, and Jensen.

On motion report adopted.

APPROPRIATION FOR SILO

Supervisor Arnemann offered the following Resolution No. 5

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

Whereas: The Committee on Poor and Poor Farm of the County Board of Winnebago County, in accordance with Resolution adopted at the January 1905 session of said Board have selected certain plans and specifications for the construction and erection of a Silo on the County Farm, now therefore be it

Resolved. That the Committee on Poor and Poor Farm of this Board be and they hereby are authorized and directed to proceed and secure the erection, construction and completion of said Silo in accordance with said plans and specifications as nearly as may be practicable and for the best interest of the County. That they enter into and execute all necessary contracts therefor and supervise and direct the performance of the same. That they secure and receive subject to the approval of the District Attorney, proper and sufficient bonds and securities for the performance of said contract and work, and that they are hereby vested with plenary power to carry out the purpose of this resolution.

Be It Further Resolved, By the said County Board that orders be drawn by the County Clerk and the chairman of this Board to pay for the construction and erection of said Silo upon certificates therefor issued and signed by the chairman of the Committee on Poor and Poor Farm and two other members of said Committee; and be it further

Resolved. That the total cost of said Silo shall not exceed (\$1500), and there is hereby appropriated out of the treasury the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1500) for the payment of the Silo. The appropriation of the January Session of \$1102 to apply as part payment of the appropriation.

WM. ARNEMANN.

Remarks by Supervisors Kenny, Pfeiffer, Gunderson, Mackie and Arnemann.

Resolution adopted; ayes 35, absent 1, Beduhn; excused 3, Lawson Riley and Wilson.

Supervisor Arnemann moved that the Silo be constructed with double air space. Motion carried.

Remarks as to Machinery by Supervisors Frees and Kenny,

BONDS

Chairman Nash offered the following Report, No. 5:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis :

Gentlemen: The Chairman and Committee of the Board who were appointed to examine and approve the bonds of County officers, hereby beg leave to report that they have examined and approved the bonds of the following named County officers, to-wit: C. F. Appley, W. W. Noble, Tyler D. Phillips.

H. C. NASH, *Chairman.*

O. F. CHASE.

EDWARD GANZEP.

On motion adopted.

Supervisor Heisse moved to adjourn for committee work. Carried and adjourned.

FRIDAY—FOURTH DAY

SUPERVISORS ROOM, OSHKOSH WIS.

March 17, 1905, 9 o'clock a. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, Chairman Nash presiding.

Present full Board, except Supervisors Beduhn, Riley and Wilson, excused.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

COUNTY CLERK TO ISSUE ORDERS AND CORRECT ERRORS

Supervisor O. F. Chase introduced the following Resolution No. 6:

Resolved. By the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County: That the County Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to issue county orders for all bills audited during the present session, not otherwise specially provided for and to correct all clerical errors he may discover in completing the records thereof. It is further

Resolved. That Chairman Nash be and he is hereby empowered to approve the Journal of this days proceedings after the County Clerk shall have completed the same.

Supervisor Arnemann moved adoption of resolution. Carried.

FOR ELECTRIC LIGHTING OF POOR HOUSE.

Supervisor Lueckenbach spoke regarding the lighting of the Poor House by electricity and submitted the following Resolution No. 7:

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County: That the Trustees of the County Asylum, the Committee on Poor and Poor Farm and the Committee on Insane of said Board be and are hereby authorized, empowered and ordered as soon as it is practicable to advertise for bids in such manner and for such time as such Committees may deem fit for the furnishing of materials and doing of the work necessary to thoroughly fit and equip the County Poor House and County Asylum buildings with wiring, lamps and appurtenances for supplying said buildings with electric light and to furnish same with an all night current together with switches and all appliances necessary to use such light in any and all used parts of said buildings as needed, and to enter in behalf of said County into contract with the lowest responsible bidder for the doing of such work, requiring a suitable bond from such contractor for the performance of such contract. The said Committees in carrying into effect the provisions of this resolution not to expend any sum of money in excess of Nine Hundred Dollars (\$900.00).

This resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

A. T. LUECKENBACH.

Supervisor Lueckenbach moved the adoption of the resolution.

Supervisor Lawson moved to amend the resolution and that the following be added: "The committee to report result of advertising at next November session."

Amendment Carried. Resolution as amended adopted.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS--REPORT NO. 6.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Public Buildings beg leave to report they have examined the following bills, referred to them, and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed:

Dated Oshkosh, March 17, 1905.

Name	Nature of Account	Claimed	Allowed
Continental Clothing House,	Merchandise for jail.....	\$23 17	\$23 17
Wisconsin Telephone Company,	tolls.....	17 60	17 60
S. Heyman & Company,	merchandise for jail.....	10 06	10 06
S. Heyman & Company,	merchandise for jail.....	7 10	7 10
O. A. Haase,	shoes for jail.....	10 00	10 00
Florian Lampert,	shoes for jail.....	8 35	7 95
Florian Lampert,	shoes for jail.....	1 15	1 15
Klemer Bros.,	repair of cots.....	4 85	4 85
Guenther Drug Company,	merchandise for jail.....	2 60	2 10
Dr. G. A. Gehle,	dental work for prisoner.....	2 50	2 50
Church Bros.,	merchandise for jail.....	70	70
Frank Leach Hardware Company,	merchandise for jail.....	30	30
Henry Augustine,	work at jail.....	3 00	3 00

Respectfully submitted,

WM. ARNEMANN.
G. H. CHARLESWORTH.
EDWARD GANZER.
J. HEFFRON, JR.
L. H. LAWSON.

On motion adopted, ayes 36; absent 3, Beduhn, Riley and Wilson.

PER DIEM AND MILEAGE REPORT.

Supervisor Ream offered Report No. 7, as follows:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Per Diem and Mileage would respectfully report that we find the following Supervisors entitled to the amount set opposite their respective names, for their attendance at the present March session 1905.

Oshkosh Wis., March 17, 1905.

Name	Days	Miles	Total
Thos. A. Cook.....	4	48	\$19 48
Caspar Pfeiffer.....	4	84	12 84
Nels Jensen.....	4	156	13 56
Isaac Tipler.....	4	216	14 16
Frank Merrill.....	4	144	13 44
Albert Koplitz.....	4	98	12 98
O. P. Ream.....	4	216	14 16
A. B. Frees.....	4	108	13 08
G. H. Charlesworth.....	4	144	13 44
C. A. Pride.....	3	72	9 72
James Heffron, Jr.....	4	192	13 92
George W. Ellis.....	4	264	14 64
Robert W. Mackie.....	4	168	13 68
E. E. Manuel.....	4	156	13 56
Ed Uvaas.....	4	252	14 52
Peter J. Gunderson.....	4	168	13 68
M. F. White.....	4	168	13 68
John Hofberger, Jr.....	4	360	15 60
Chas. A. Robinson.....	4	192	13 92
Lewis Smith.....	4	192	13 92
M. J. Riley.....	1	192	4 92
M. Jakowski.....	4	192	13 92
A. W. Kellogg.....	4	180	13 80
Wm. Arnemann.....	4	180	13 80
A. T. Lueckenbach.....	4	180	13 80
J. F. Mayer.....	4	180	13 80
H. C. Nash.....	4	12	12 12
James Kenny.....	4	12	12 12
John G. Menzel.....	4	12	12 12
H. A. Atwood.....	4	12	12 12
Lester H. Lawson.....	1	12	3 12
John C. Heise.....	4	24	12 24
Otis F. Chase.....	4	12	12 12
J. Weidner.....	4	12	12 12
Edward Ganzer.....	4	12	12 12
C. A. Dunham.....	4	12	12 12
Solomon Rhoades.....	4	12	12 12

Respectfully submitted,

O. P. REAM.

E. E. MANUEL.

LEWIS SMITH.

On motion adopted; ayes 36; absent 3, Beduhn, Riley and Wilson.

PRINTING

Supervisor Tipler submitted Report No 8, as follows:

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Printing beg leave to report they have examined the following bills referred to them, and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed:

Dated Oshkosh, March 17, 1905

Name	Nature of Account	Claimed	Allowed
Oshkosh Times, printing account of Silo		\$ 6 00	\$ 6 00
Oshkosh Times, advertising for bids for silo.....		60	60
Ernst Sarau printing briefs in Supreme Court.....		39 20	39 20

Respectfully submitted,

ISAAC TIPLER.

O P REAM.

J. F. MAYER.

J. WEIDNER.

NELS JENSEN.

On motion adopted; ayes 36; absent 3, Beduhn, Riley, and Wilson.

POOR AND POOR FARM

Supervisor Kenny submitted Report No. 9, as follows:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Poor and Poor Farm beg leave to report they have examined the following bills referred to them and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed:

Dated, Oshkosh, March 17, 1905

Name	Nature of Account	Claimed	Allowed
Hicks Printing Co., Daily Northwestern 1 year.....		\$ 5 00	\$ 5 00
Joseph Jarvis, services as poor overseer.....		9 00	9 00
Mrs. Kraus, provisions.....		48 25	48 25
Mrs. Gilbranson, medical attendance.....		7 50	7 50
Mrs. Gorman, railway transportation.....		2 00	2 00

We recommend that the following bills be charged as follows:

Mrs. Russell, poor, rent and doctor's care claimed \$27.75, allowed \$27.75. Charge City of Menasha.

Mrs. Venover, poor, rent and doctors care, claimed \$21.70, allowed \$21.70, charge to Westboro Taylor Co.

Bill of Waukesha Co. care of Joseph Slemski, amputation, board and medical attendance, claimed \$209.85. Defer to November Session.

Bill of City of Menasha \$343.05. Referred back to be itemized.

JAMES KENNY.

P. J. GUNDERSON.

E. E. MANUEL.

C. A. PRIDE.

ALBERT KOPLITZ

On motion adopted; ayes 36; absent, Beduhn, Riley and Wilson.

INVENTORY COUNTY ASYLUM.

Supervisor Gunderson submitted Report No. 10.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Insane property beg leave to report that on the 11th and 12th of January, we took an inventory at the County Asylum and submit herewith two copies of which one is to be filed with County Clerk and the other to be filed with Superintendent of County Asylum.

Respectfully submitted,

PETER J. GUNDERSON.

SOLOMON RHOADES.

H A. ATWOOD.

ROBT. W. MACKIE.

C A DUNHAM.

On motion accepted and adopted.

INSANE

Supervisor Gunderson offered Report No 11, as follows:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Insane beg leave to report they have examined the following bills, referred to them, and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed:

Dated, Oshkosh, March 17, 1905.

Name.	Account.	Claimed	Allowed
Frank Brockway, M. D., examination as to sanity.....		\$ 8 40	\$ 8 40
E. S. Albee, M. D., examination as to sanity.....		4 20	4 20
Thos. R. Jones, M. D., examination as to sanity....		8 00	8 00
C. J. Hurlbut M. D. examination as to sanity.....		5 65	5 40
S. B. Ackley, M. D., examination as to sanity		4 20	4 20
Jas. W. Brown, officers fees for taking insane person to hospital		10 75	10 75
F. Lueck, negative of poor house and photograph of prisoners		10 25	10 25

Respectfully submitted,

PETER J. GUNDERSON.

SOLOMON RHOADES.

H A. ATWOOD.

ROBT. W. MACKIE.

C. A. DUNHAM.

On motion adopted; ayes 36; absent 3, Beduhn, Riley and Wilson.

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Supervisor Gunderson submitted Report No. 12 as follows:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis :

Gentlemen: Your Committee on General Accounts beg leave to report they have examined the following bills, referred to them, and

recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed:

Dated, Oshkosh, March 17, 1905

Name	Nature of Account	Claimed	Allowed
Fond du Lac County, cost of suit		\$ 256 70	\$ 256 70
The Boys Home Industrial School, care and board		32 50	32 50
D. M. Shea, January salary		104 00	104 00
D. M. Shea, February salary		92 00	92 00
Fred Badger, Fees in Circuit and County Court		298 00	298 00
C. A. Dunham, committee work		13 20	13 20
Ed. Ganzer	" "	6 24	6 24
Robert W. Mackie	" "	8 28	8 28
Wm. Arnemann	" "	26 25	26 25
J. C. Heise	" "	3 24	3 24
P. J. Gunderson	" "	24 36	24 36
O. F. Chase	" "	6 36	6 36
James Kenny	" "	25 68	25 68
Solomon Rhoades	" "	7 20	7 20
H. A. Atwood	" "	7 20	7 20
C. A. Pride	" "	18 60	18 60
G. H. Charlesworth	" "	4 44	4 44
Jas. Heffron, Jr.	" "	4 92	4 92
E. E. Manuel	" "	17 88	17 88
P. J. Gunderson	" "	21 72	21 72
Albert Koplitz	" "	20 40	20 40
Emily Turner, services as Librarian		50 00	50 00
H. C. Nash, services as chairman		39 00	39 00
Wm. Arnemann, expense to Madison		15 00	15 00
G. H. Charlesworth, expense to Madison		15 00	15 00
M. F. White, expense to Madison		15 00	15 00
Benj. Edwards, expense to Madison		12 05	12 05
Lester H. Lawson, committee work		3 12	3 12

Respectfully submitted,

P. J. GUNDERSON.
 JAS. HEFFRON, JR.
 O. P. REAM.
 THOS. A. COOK.
 ED. UVAAS.
 J. F. MAYER.
 LEWIS SMITH.
 NELS JENSEN.

The Report was adopted. Ayes 37, excused 2, Pride and Wilson.

JUSTICE AND CONSTABLES

Supervisor Manuel offered Report No. 13, as follows:

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Justice and Constables Accounts beg leave to report they have examined the following bills referred to them and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed:

Dated Oshkosh, March 17, 1905.

Name	Nature of Account	Claimed	Allowed
S. D. Moody, officers fees.		\$ 67 53	\$ 67 53
Carl D. Jackson, expense.		69 51	69 51
N Is Jensen, justice fees.		51 14	63 64
J. W. Sampmier, justice fees.		4 47	4 47
E. Vredenberg, justice fees.		5 27	3 12
Jake Leicher, officers fees.		6 07	6 07
John Scholl, officers fees.		19 79	14 93
R. Allen, officers fees.		49 77	47 13
Jas. McGinn, justice fees.		28 07	24 67
H. F. Dowling, officers fees.		26 25	26 25
Olef Rasmussen, Clerk of Court fees.		1 75	1 75
J. W. Brown, officers fees.		61 76	57 80
James Mulva, officers fees.		7 00	7 00
Theo. Kant, officers fees.		95	95
Geo. Stein, justice fees.		26 44	18 65
John Jedwabrey, officers fees.		18 42	18 42
John Jedwabrey, officers fees.		2 90	2 90
John Scholle, officers fees.		9 10	9 10
G. W. Bradley, justice fees.		96 65	93 25
Jas. W. Brown, officers fees.		105 19	76 34

One item which appears in the bill of Jas. W. Brown in the case entitled State of Wis. vs. Bert Livingston of \$28.85 not allowed at the present time for the reason that the case has not been disposed of and should not be paid until after that time. The Committee therefore ask to be excused from taking action on said item.

The following Witness and Juror fees are also allowed:

Before A. H. Goss, M. P.		Name	Amount
Name	Amount	John Manahan	witness..... 2 20
Fred Zintner	Juror fees..... \$ 50	Tom Clausen	" 2 20
Wm. Kelley	" 50	Joseph Ransch	" 2 20
J. H. Goodland	" 50	Carl Storms	" 4 40
Fred Houghlin	" 50	<i>Before Nels Jensen, J. P.</i>	
E. Potter	" 50	Geo. du Chatteaux	" 83
Victor Dambrowski, witness.	1 95	J. W. Brown	" 75
Frank Omniczniski	" 1 95	J. W. Brown	" 75
Dr. T. M. Corry	" 1 95	L. Breitzman	" 91
John Jedwabry	" 1 95	Robert Handler	" 83
Wm. Lean	" 83	Matty Ellis	" 83
H. C. Dowling	" 83	J. W. Brown	" 75
James Mulva	" 83	J. W. Brown	" 75
Harry Jenkins	" 83	J. W. Brown	" 75
Lizle Amerdick	" 83	J. W. Brown	" 75
Mike Kant	" 83	J. W. Brown	" 75
James Mulva	" 83	J. W. Brown	" 75
R. Handler	" 2 20	J. W. Brown	" 75
J. R. Barnett	" 2 20	John Clatt	" 83
Richard Stehlow	" 2 20	Joseph Rickey	" 83
Chas Messmer	" 2 20	J. W. Brown	" 75
Chas Block	" 2 20	J. W. Brown	" 75
Christian Casperson	" 4 40	J. W. Brown	" 75
Frank Ulrich	" 2 20	J. W. Brown	" 75
Bernard Langhurst	" 2 20	J. W. Brown	" 75
Harry Brown	" 4 40		

<i>Before G. W. Bradley, J. P.</i>		Name	Amount
Name	Amount	Fred Dahms	83
C. Casperson, witness fee.....	83	William Gley	83
W. Jones	83	<i>Before F. A. Kaerwer, J. P.</i>	
J. Alivin	83	Dennis Seymour juror	1 20
R. Allen	83	John Spanbauer	1 20
J. Scholle	83	Walter Lau	1 20
Diamond Hoefert	1 88	Frank Spanbauer	1 20
John Ganski	2 47	Thomas Shepard	1 20
O. Massonnet	2 47	Richard Hayes	1 20
Mary Luisdan	2 47	J. B. Cook witness	83
E. A. Morse M. D.	1 60	Walter Hayes	83
Victor Dambrowski	1 08	Dr. F. Brockway	5 00
Frank Omazinski	1 08	<i>Before L. H. Rivard, J. P.</i>	
Aloina Guilka	83	Jonas Young juror	2 20
Nick Winter	83	Del Stever	2 20
Diamond Hoefert	1 08	Chas Stever	2 20
J. Scholle	83	J. L. Steele	2 20
M. Spellman	83	T. B. Morrissey	2 20
H. Zininiger	83	Ed. Westover	2 20
D. O'Mally	83	Fred Westover witness	1 08
R. Allen	83	Horace Stever	1 08
D. O'Malley	83	Chas. Stever, Jr.	1 08
Victor Dambrowski	1 08	Dr. McDougal, examination of body	5 00
F. O. Mazinski	1 08	<i>Before James McGinn, J. P.</i>	
F. M. Corry	1 08	Wm. Winkin	83
Martin Loudoske	1 66	Michael Holland	83
James Worden	1 66	John Manahan	83
Tana Knudsen	1 66	W. J. Smith	1 08
Albert Oleson	1 66	Mary M. Smith	1 08
D. Nary	1 66	Ed. Kretchner	83
Emil Prance	1 66	Wm. Mathews	83
J. Sullivan	1 66	Robert Bennett	83
E. Watson	1 66	S. Gillingham	83
Caul Zackerson	1 66	Geo. Sandy	83
Joe Frander	1 66	W. Kurtz	83
Wm. Miller	83	Kittie Jones	83
Otto Weber	83	<i>Before George R. Davis, J. P.</i>	
Wm. Schire	83	Chas W. Schoenian, juror	1 35
R. Flecht	83	Chas. C. Johnson	1 00
Dennis Boyce	83	Matt W. Irving	1 00
S. H. Allender	83	James Johnson	1 00
Andrew Moyer	83	Phillip Osier	1 00
<i>Before J. W. Samphier, J. P.</i>		W.P. Lyons	1 00
George Pratt Appraisers	2 50	Ralph Rollin witness	75
D. B. Elliott	2 50	Olive Rollin	75
George Wilkinson	2 50	Clara Rollin	75
<i>Before Geo. Stein, J. P.</i>		Owen Jones	1 32
Bertha Gley witness	83	Dr. C. E. Sargent	5 00
Little Gley	83		

C. A. ROBINSON.

M. F. WHITE.

CASPER PFEIFFER.

ISAAC TIPLER.

E. E. MANUEL.

GEO. W. ELLIS.

A. W. KELLOGG.

ED. UVAAS.

C. A. PRIDE.

On motion adopted; ayes 36; absent, 3, Beduhn, Riley and Wilson.

SHERIFF AND CORONERS ACCOUNTS.

Supervisor Charlesworth offered Report No. 14, as follows:

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN: Your Committee on Sheriff and Coroners' Accounts beg leave to report they have examined the following bills, referred to them, and recommend that they be allowed, disallowed or disposed of as set forth in the schedule hereto annexed:

Dated Oshkosh, March 17, 1905.

Name	Nature of Account	Claimed	Allowed
Eber Simpson, Sheriff fees.....		\$341 04	\$ 341 04
Eber Simpson, board of prisoners....	amount paid \$89.76.....	134 64	due 44 88
B. Ostrum, officers fees.....		4 00	4 00
F. A. Kaerwer, officers fees.....		6 45	6 45
L. H. Rivard, justice fees.....		8 20	8 20
D. H. Coffeen, officers fees.....		2 78	2 78
B. Ostrum, officers fees.....		5 50	5 50
Katherine Berto, stenographers fees.....		4 30	4 30
Geo. R. Davis, justice fees.....		8 80	8 80
Geo. R. Davis, justice fees.....		4 50	4 50
Katherine Berto, stenographer fees.....		1 90	1 90

Respectfully submitted,

G. H. CHARLSWORTH.
 WM. ARNEMANN.
 A. T. LUECKENBACH.
 C. A. DUNHAM.
 T. A. COOK.
 EDWARD GANZER.
 F. I. MERRILL.
 M. F. WHITE.

On motion adopted: ayes 36; absent 3, Beduhn, Riley and Wilson.

ILLEGAL ASSESSMENTS

Supervisor Lueckenbach offered the following Report No. 15.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Illegal Assessments beg leave to report on the several petitions referred to them for the cancellation of tax certificates as follows, to-wit:

The petition of R. H. Hackett for the cancellation of a tax deed purporting to be a lien on Lot 1, Block 9, Bassett's Fourth Addition, First ward, city of Neenah; and for the refunding of the amount paid for the tax certificate upon which said deed was issued; including the amount paid to the County Clerk for the issuing of such deed and the recording fee paid to the Register of Deeds.

The petitioner represents that said deed is illegal and void for the

reason that the plat of Bassett's Fourth Addition, Neenah, does not show that there is a lot known and designated as Lot 1, in Block 9, in Bassett's Fourth Addition, First Ward, City of Neenah.

Your committee finds that, on examination of the records and files in the office of the Register of Deeds, including the map of Bassett's Fourth Addition, Neenah, that the facts as set forth in said petition are true.

Your committee therefore recommend that the said tax deed and the certificate upon which said deed was issued be cancelled, and that the amount so paid for such certificate, including the fee paid the County Clerk and the recording fee be refunded petitioner, with interest at the rate of seven per cent per annum.

Certificate No. 345, sale of 1890; amount, 65 cents; interest, 65 cents; County Clerk's fee \$1.35; recording fee 75 cents. Total, \$3.40.

The petition of A. W. Otto for the refunding of the amount represented by tax certificate No. 68, sale of 1899, amount \$2.53, which said certificate was issued on the sale of 1899, tax of 1898, representing that said tax certificate is illegal and void for the reason that the description therein is defective in so far as it refers to the north and south line of Section 7, when in truth and in fact it should read north and south one-quarter line of Section 13.

Your committee finds that the facts as alleged in said petition are true; we therefore recommend that said tax certificate be cancelled and the amount so paid for such certificate be refunded with interest at the rate of seven per cent per annum and the amount so paid charged back to the town of Menasha.

Certificate No. 68, sale of 1899, face 253, interest \$1.03. Total, \$3.56.

We would recommend that the sum of \$3.00 be allowed E. W. Thomas for services rendered in examining title to property in question and for typewriting.

Respectfully submitted,

A. T. LUECKENBACH
ROBERT W. MACKIE.
F. I. MERRILL.
LEWIS SMITH,
MIKE JAKOWSKI.

On motion adopted. Ayes, 36; absent, 3, Beduhn, Riley and Wilson.

COUNTY STENOGRAPHER

Chairman Nash offered the following Report, No. 16:

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

Gentlemen: Your Special Committee to whom was delegated the authority to hire a stenographer for the use of the District Attorney and the County Board would report as follows: That they did on December 8th, after arrangements had been made by the District Attorney, meet at his office to test the ability and skill of the different applicants and on

the 9th of December we met at the Court House, and after reviewing the work of the different applicants we decided that Harry C. Jenkins was best suited to the uses of the County at large and hired him at the price at which the Board had agreed that we should not exceed, namely: Five hundred dollars per annum, and the County Clerk was notified that his services would commence on December 19th, 1904.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL D. JACKSON, *Chairman.*
H. C. NASH,
WM. ARNEMANN.

On motion adopted.

Supervisor Arnemann moved that the County Stenographer be present at all meetings of the County Board. Carried.

District Attorney spoke regarding the Dodge County Law case.

VOTE OF THANKS

Supervisor Arnemann offered Resolution No 8.

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County: That the Thanks of this Board are due to and are hereby extended to Chairman H. C. Nash, for the able and impartial manner in which he has presided over the deliberations of the several sessions of the Board during the Supervisor year, just closing, and for the uniform courtesy extended by him to each member thereof: and be it further

Resolved, that we do hereby extend thanks to County Clerk J. J. Fish, for his faithful services during said sessions and also to District Attorney Carl Jackson.

Supervisor Chase moved adoption.

Supervisor Arnemann put the question which was carried unanimously.

Supervisor Chase moved to adjourn *sine die* Carried. Adjourned.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, }
County of Winnebago, } ss

I, J. J. Fish, County Clerk, do hereby certify the above and foregoing to be a true and full copy of the Journal of Proceedings, of the Board of Supervisors of said County at its adjourned session commencing March 14, 1905 and ending March 17, 1905.

{ SEAL. }

JOHN J FISH,
County Clerk.

RULES OF THE COUNTY BOARD.

ADOPTED NOVEMBER 15, 1904.

I. The meetings of this Board shall be held in the Supervisors' room, and the hour for the daily meetings shall be 9 A. M., providing that on the first meeting in each week the hour of meeting shall be 10 A. M.

II. At the first meeting of the Board it shall be the duty of the Chairman, or in his absence, the Clerk, to call to order.

The Clerk shall then call the roll of Members.

A quorum being present, the Board shall proceed to the election of a Chairman.

III. It shall be the duty of the Chairman to appoint the following standing committees: Equalization, Finance, General Accounts, Illegal Assessments, Justice and Constables' Accounts, Sheriff and Coroners' Accounts, Insane, Poor and Poor Farm, Work House, Corporations, Roads and Bridges, Public Buildings Printing, Per Diem and Mileage, Bonds and Salaries.

IV. The Board may adjourn for such time as shall be necessary for the Chairman to prepare the list of committees, and no business can be done until the same shall be announced.

V. The Chairman shall take the chair at the hour to which the Board may from time to time stand adjourned, call the Board to order and direct the calling of the roll of members by the Clerk.

VI. Upon the appearance of a quorum, the journal of the preceding day shall be read by the Clerk, and any mistake therein shall be corrected by the Board; provided, that upon the last day of the session, the journal for that day will be read and, before the final adjournment, corrected.

VII. After the reading and correction of the journal, the order of business shall be as follows:

1. Reception of Petitions, Memorials, Accounts, etc.
2. Presentation of Resolutions and disposition of same.
3. Reports of Standing Committees.
4. Reports of Select Committees.
5. Consideration of Miscellaneous Business.

VIII. The Chairman shall preserve order and decide questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Board; and shall clearly and distinctly state every motion or question before debate.

IX. The Chairman shall vote on all questions taken by ayes and nays, except on appeals from his own decisions; provided, that when the effect of such a vote shall be to produce a tie, the question shall be deemed to be lost; and providing that in the order of voting, his name shall be called last.

X. Every motion or amendment shall be reduced to writing when a request therefor shall be made by any member; and all petitions, memorials and substitutes shall be reduced to writing and read before they shall be considered by the Board.

XI. Every written resolution shall have attached thereto the name of the person introducing it; and when referred to a committee, the names of such committees shall be endorsed thereon.

XII. Every member, previous to speaking, shall rise and address the Chair.

XIII. When two or more members rise at once, the Chair shall designate the member who is to speak first; but in all cases the member who shall first rise and address the chair shall speak first.

XIV. No member shall speak more than twice upon the same question without leave; and when called to order by the Chairman, shall take his seat, and shall not be allowed to proceed without leave of the Board.

XV. A vote on any question shall be taken by ayes and nays when called for by five members; and shall be so taken on all questions involving the expenditure of money; and whenever a vote is so ordered and taken, the members voting in the affirmative and negative, as well as those absent or not voting, shall be recorded at length in the records of the proceedings of the County Board.

XVI. No account or claim against the county shall be audited unless it be made out in items and duly verified and be filed with the Clerk of the Board, except as otherwise provided by law.

XVII. When a motion is under consideration, no motion shall be entertained except:

1. To adjourn.
2. To lay on the table.
3. For the previous question.
4. To postpone to a day certain.
5. To commit to a committee.
6. To amend or to substitute.
7. To postpone indefinitely.

These several motions shall take precedence in the order in which they stand in this rule.

XVIII. A motion to adjourn, to lay on the table, and for the previous question, shall be decided without debate, except as hereinafter provided.

XIX. A motion to postpone indefinitely or to a day certain or to commit shall not be again entertained on the same day or in the same stage of the proposition.

XX. A substitute shall be open to amendment the same as the original proposition; but when adopted, shall not be subject to amendment. If an amendment or substitute is lost, another substantially the same shall not be entertained.

XXI. When a motion or question has once been determined, any member voting with the majority may move a reconsideration of the vote, but such motion shall be made and acted on at the same or next succeeding meeting, and shall not thereafter be made except by unanimous consent.

XXII. The previous question may be moved by any member, and the Chairman shall then say: "It requiring five members to second this motion those in favor of sustaining the motion will rise." If five or more members then rise, the previous question shall thereby be seconded and an opportunity then be given to any two members opposed thereto to briefly state their objections. The question shall then be, "Shall the question be now put?" which, if carried by a vote of two-thirds of the members present upon a call of the ayes and nays, the Board shall immediately proceed to vote upon the pending amendment, if any, and upon the main question.

XXIII. In filling blanks, the largest sum and the longest time shall be first put.

XXIV. These rules shall not be changed, amended, or repealed unless the proposition or amendment is introduced in writing and the same laid over to some subsequent meeting of the Board, not less than five days intervening, and then only with the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present.

XXV. Any of these rules may be suspended upon any pending measure by unanimous consent or by two-thirds of the members present.

XXVI. These rules and all amendments or additions thereto which may hereafter be made shall govern the Board until altered or repealed, as herein provided.

XXVII. The rules of parliamentary practice comprised in "Jefferson's Manual," so far as they remain in common use and are practicable and applicable and not inconsistent herewith, shall govern the Board.

STATEMENT

Showing Apportionment of Taxes by the State of Wisconsin for 1904
for Winnebago County.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, {
DEPARTMENT OF STATE. } ss.

To the County Clerk of Winnebago County, Oshkosh, Wis.

DEAR SIR: Pursuant to law, I hereby certify that the following is a correct statement of taxes apportioned and levied upon Winnebago County for the year 1904:

Common school income, Section 2, Chapter 313, Laws 1903,	\$32019 53
Total.....	<u>\$32019 53</u>

SPECIAL CHARGES UPON SAID COUNTY.

I further certify that there are the following special charges against said County for said year, which should be collected and paid over with the above taxes, to-wit:

For State Hospital	
For Northern Hospital.....	\$2548 12
For Industrial School for Boys.....	423 67
For Wisconsin Home for Feeble Minded.....	2078 23
For Care of Chronic Insane.....	21 65
Total.....	<u>\$ 5071 67</u>

SPECIAL CHARGES UPON TOWNS, VILLAGES, ETC.

School, City of Menasha.....	\$1000 00	\$400 00
Normal, Winnebago County.....	4000 00	1190 00
	<u>\$5000 00</u>	<u>\$1590 00</u>
Total.....		<u>\$6590 00</u>

SPECIAL CHARGES UPON SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

	Principal	Interest	
Loan to School District No. 2, Joint, Winneconne....	\$137 23	\$ 38 42	
Loan to School, Village Winneconne.....	462 78	129 58	
Loan to School District No. 2, Joint, VII Winneconne	77 13	21 60	
Loan to School, Winneconne.....	22 87	6 40	
Loan to School District No. 6, Oshkosh.....	104 55	36 60	
Total.....			<u>1037 15</u>
Grand Total Taxes and Special Charges.....			<u>44718 35</u>

Given under my hand and official seal, at the Capitol, in the City of Madison, this 24th day of October, 1904.

W. L. HOUSER,
Secretary of State.

Certified Statement of Acreage of Farm Crops and Number and Value of Farm Stock.

STATE OF WISCONSIN }
 COUNTY OF WINNEBAGO } ss

I, J. J. Fish, County Clerk of said County, do hereby certify that the following is a full and correct statement of the acreage of the principal farm products growing in said County, as collected by the assessors of the several assessment districts of said County, at the time of making the annual assessment for the year 1904; and the number and full value of the farm live stock of said county, as reported from the same source, pursuant to the provisions of Section 1010, of the Wisconsin Statutes of 1898, as amended by Chapter 39, Laws of 1903.

NUMBER OF ACRES

Wheat.....	3117
Corn.....	20808
Oats.....	6524
Barley.....	15883
Rye.....	812
Flax Seed.....	40
Potatoes.....	2017
Sugar Beets.....	87
Other Root crops.....	13
Apple Orchard.....	2785
Number of growing apple trees.....	5443
Strawberries.....	25
Raspberries.....	11
Currants.....	2
Cultivated Grasses.....	31059
Growing Timber.....	9505

NUMBER AND VALUE OF LIVE STOCK

	Number	Value
Milch Cows	19392	\$456918
All other cattle	11133	150300
Horses of all ages.....	7221	509341
Sheep and Lambs	8407	20926
Swine four months old or over.....	10724	83111

In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal, at Oshkosh in said County, this 27th day of August, 1904.

J. J. FISH, *County Clerk.*

CERTIFIED STATEMENT OF CROP REPORT.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, }
 COUNTY OF WINNEBAGO } ss.

I, J. J. Fish, County Clerk of said county, do hereby certify that the following is a full and correct statement of the principal Farm Products grown in said county in the year 1903, as shown by statistics of same as collected by the assessors of the several assessment districts of said County, at the time of making the annual assessment for the year 1904, pursuant to the provisions of Section 1010, of the Wisconsin Statutes of 1898, as amended by Chapter 39, Laws of 1903:

NUMBER OF BUSHELS.	Wheat.....	64996
	Corn	581151
	Oats.....	1357527
	Barley.....	453420
	Rye	19300
	Flax Seed.....	815
	Potatoes.....	135576
	Roots other than Sugar Beets	7924
	Cranberries	60
	Apples.....	14879
	Strawberries.....	2641
	Raspberries.....	543
	Blackberries.....	14
	Currants	56
	Grapes	3
Clover Seed.....	250	
Timothy.....	682	
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Tons	Sugar Beets.....	4873
	Cultivated Grasses.....	36054
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No. of Acres Harvested for Seed.	Clover	183
	Timothy.....	68

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Oshkosh this, 27th day of August, A. D. 1904.

J. J. FISH, *County Clerk.*

County Clerk's Certified Report of Dairy Statistics.

REQUIRED BY CHAPTER 187, LAWS OF 1903.

	Creameries	Cheese Factories	Milk Condensing Factories
Number.....	10	31	
Value.....	78050	18475	
Number of patrons contributory.....	1189	508	
Number of cows contributory.....	12915	5642	
Number of pounds of milk received during year.....	10630678	19316339	
Number of pounds of butter or cheese made or condensed milk produced during the year.....	1265257	1936620	
Amount of money received for products sold during the year.....	265800	210231	
	No. of Pounds Made on Farms.	Value	No. of Gal. sold other than that sold to cr'meries, cheese factories, and m'k condens ing factories.
Butter.....	175227	\$34436	
Cheese.....			
Milk.....			307407

STATE OF WISCONSIN, }
 COUNTY OF WINNEBAGO } SS.

I, J. J. Fish, County Clerk of said county, do hereby certify that the above is a correct and complete statement of dairy statistics of said county for the year ending April 30, 1904, as compiled from the assessors' reports, pursuant to the provisions in Chapter 187, Laws of 1903:

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at Oshkosh this 20th day of September, A. D. 1904.

J. J. FISH, County Clerk.

APPORTIONMENT

Of taxes for Winnebago County, as compiled by John J. Fish, County Clerk, November 30, 1904,
for the year 1904.

APPORTIONMENT OF TAXES FOR 1904.

Towns, Villages and Cities.	Equalized Valuation.	State Tax.	County Tax.	County School Tax.	County Superintendent Tax.	Illegal As- sessments	Personal Property Tax 1902 Chg'd Back.	State Loans	Support of Resident Poor.	Total Tax.	Rate Per Cent. State Tax Rate Per Cent. County Tax Rate Per Cent. County Superintendent Tax.
1 Algoma.....	\$1286300	\$1140 93	\$1817 44	\$528 24	68 13					3554 74	
2 Black Wolf.....	1039000	921 58	1468 02	470 99	55 03				124 19	3039 81	
3 Clayton.....	1651150	1464 55	2332 94	759 12	87 46					4644 07	
4 Menasha.....	776050	688 35	1066 50	413 73	41 10				39 80	2279 28	
5 Neenah.....	803800	712 96	1135 70	386 02	42 58				29 62	2306 88	
6 Nektmi.....	1651050	1464 46	2332 80	539 32	57 45					4424 03	
7 Nepeuskun....	1230650	1091 57	1778 81	498 09	65 19					3394 26	
8 Omro.....	1616300	1433 64	2283 70	683 39	85 61					4486 34	
9 Omro Village.....	711450	631 04	1005 22	738 95	37 68				61 08	2471 87	
10 Oshkosh.....	1186850	1052 72	1876 92	467 25	82 86	1 13		141 15		3402 07	
11 Poygan.....	789200	700 01	1115 08	480 22	41 80					2337 11	
12 Rushford.....	1555200	1379 44	2197 37	853 31	82 38				128 99	4641 49	
13 Utica.....	1448800	1285 07	2047 04	539 32	74 74					3948 17	
14 Vinland.....	1573950	1396 08	2223 86	692 63	83 37					4305 94	
15 Winchester.....	1200100	1064 48	1665 65	706 23	63 57				129 04	3691 96	
16 Winneconne.....	1048300	929 83	1481 16	378 64	55 52			204 91		3050 80	
17 Winneconne Village.....	330400	293 50	467 53	672 31	17 53			691 09	60 91	2262 87	
18 Wolf River.....	868550	770 39	1227 19	707 40	46 00		1 97			3752 95	
19 Menasha City.....	2675750	237 33	3780 62	4575 62		34 89	60 73	1400 00	338 39	13563 01	0088393
20 Neenah City.....	3811950	338 116	5385 98	3548 09			88 50		531 23	12935 06	0011129
21 Oshkosh City.....	20412950	18106 08	28841 86	17784 76		1050 68	707 42		1307 60	67798 40	0002397
Total.....	\$47668250	42281 20	67351 39	36424 69	1100 00	1086 70	858 62	2437 15	2750 75	154290 50	

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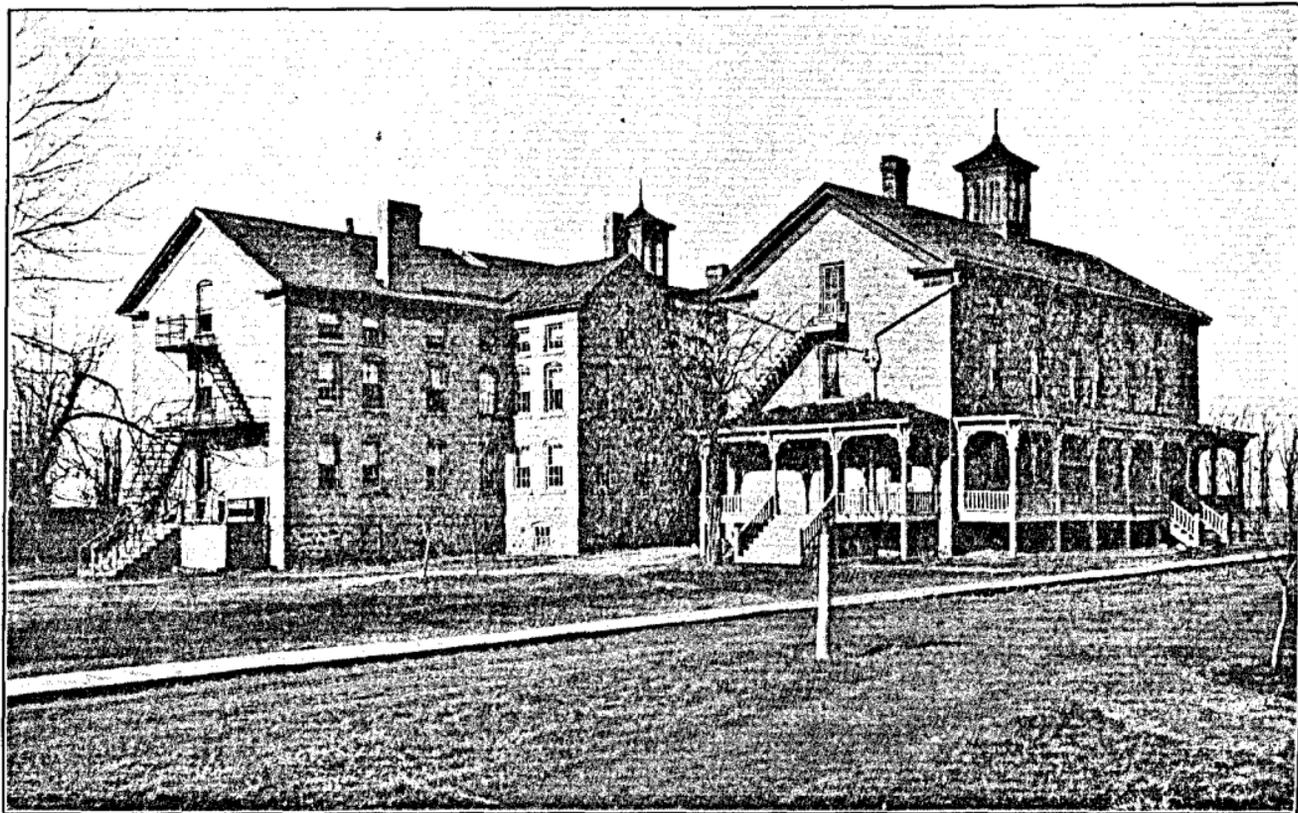
Of the votes given for County Judge and County Superintendent, of Schools at the election held in the several towns, wards, villages and election districts of the County of Winnebago, on the first Tuesday in April, A. D. 1905:

TOWNS, WARDS, ETC.	COUNTY JUDGE			COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT								
	Chas G. Bauman	Chester D. Cleveland	Charles H. Forward	George Overton	Sophia Davis	John Harrington	C. F. Yeomans	D. M. Shea	H. B. Patch	Richard Rosenthal	Albert Salisbury	A. Schmidt
Algoma.....	3	27	20	23								
Black Wolf.....	31	76	11	45								
Clayton.....	7	22	6	25								
Menasha.....	14	28	11	44								
Neenah.....	5	32	9	38								
Nekimi.....	20	99	30	56								
Nepeskun.....	15	35	49	67								
Omro.....	6	69	29	51								
Omro Village.....	11	136	114	189	1							
Oshkosh.....	8	56	26	90								
Poygan.....	13	59	25	64		1	1					
Rushford.....	14	105	121	98					1			
Utica.....	4	69	19	62				1				
Vinland.....	15	34	54	77						1		
Winchester.....	3	72	29	79								
Winneconne.....	10	37	10	38								
Winneconne Village.....	16	96	36	95								
Wolf River.....	23	42	7	37						1		1
Menasha City, First Ward.....	43	198	15									
" " Second Ward.....	37	126	14									
" " Third Ward.....	32	124	23									
" " Fourth Ward.....	62	102	20									
Neenah City, First Ward.....	29	192	32									
" " Second Ward.....	19	128	36									
" " Third Ward.....	52	204	32									
" " Fourth Ward.....	23	51	11									
Oshkosh City, First Ward.....	27	139	99									
" " Second Ward.....	58	236	97									
" " Third Ward.....	41	170	46									
" " Fourth Ward.....	46	256	115									
" " Fifth Ward.....	13	123	170									
" " Sixth Ward.....	81	208	127									
" " Seventh Ward.....	15	189	119									
" " Eighth Ward.....	50	181	100									
" " Ninth Ward.....	131	206	79									
" " Tenth Ward.....	20	183	173									
" " Eleventh Ward.....	32	192	90									
" " Twelfth Ward.....	44	170	103									
" " Thirteenth Ward.....	20	66	71									
Total.....	1093	4538	2168	1182	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1

SHEET 2 FOR PART OF REPORT UNDER SECTION 1005.

Statement showing all bonded and other indebtedness incurred and outstanding in the several towns, cities and villages in the county of Winnebago, as returned for the year 1904, under the provisions of Section 1004, Statutes of 1898.

NAMES OF TOWNS, CITIES AND VILLAGES.	BONDED INDEBTEDNESS OF TOWNS, CITIES AND VILLAGES.										
	Assessed Valuation of All Property as Per Assessment Roll.	School Buildings.	Other Public Buildings	Pavements and Sewers.	Water Works.	Roads and Bridges.	Other Purposes	Total Bonded Indebtedness of Towns, Cities and Villages.	All Other Indebtedness of Towns, Cities and Villages	Indebtedness of School Districts	Total Indebted- ness of Towns, Cities, Villages and School Districts
Algoma	\$ 1124510										
Black Wolf	925472										
Clayton	1493751										
Menasha	638719										
Neenah	618782										
Nekimi	1517188										
Nepeuskun	1143811										
Omro	1292011										
Omro Village	645890		4000				4000			4000 00	
Oshkosh	1045174										
Poygan	673035								47 50	47 50	
Rushford	1229737										
Utica	1359755										
Winland	1330770										
Winchester	1006862										
Winneconne	983796										
Winneconne Village	333531										
Wolf River	758261										
Menasha City	2198017	28000				9000	1033 32	36033 32		36033 32	
Neenah City	8449468				60000			60000 00		76000 00	
Oshkosh City	17763235	101000	50000	52000		93000	241000 00	537000 00		537000 00	
Totals	\$ 41578605	\$ 127000	\$ 54000	\$ 52000	\$ 60000	\$ 102000	\$ 242033 32	\$ 637033 32	\$ 18000 00	\$ 47 50	\$ 653080 82



WINNEBAGO COUNTY POOR HOUSE.

SHEET I FOR PART OF REPORT UNDER SECTION 1005.

Statement showing all taxes levied in the several towns, cities and villages in the county of Winnebago as returned for the year 1904 under the provisions of Section 1004, Statutes of 1898.

NAMES OF TOWNS, CITIES AND VILLAGES.	TOWN, CITY, VILLAGE, SCHOOL DISTRICT AND HIGHWAY TAXES AND PURPOSES FOR WHICH THE SAME WERE LEVIED.													Totals.		
	Current Expenses, (Item <i>g</i> .)	Public Buildings (Item <i>h</i>)	Pavements and Sewers, (Item <i>k</i> .)	Water Works, (Item <i>l</i> .)	Lighting Plants (Item <i>k</i> .)	Police Department. (Item <i>L</i> .)	Fire department. (Item <i>m</i> .)	Hydrant Rentals, (Item <i>n</i> .)	Support of Foot. (Item <i>o</i> .)	Loans or Interest. (Item <i>p</i> .)	School District Taxes (Items <i>r</i> and <i>u</i> .)	Highway Taxes, (except Poll Taxes, (Items <i>v</i> and <i>w</i> .)	Poll Taxes, (Item <i>y</i> .)		All Other Purposes, (Item <i>z</i> .)	Overrun of Tax Roll (Item <i>r</i> .)
Algoma.....	\$ 500 00										\$ 597 46	\$ 1950 12	\$ 168 00	\$ 775 45	\$ 25	\$ 3991 23
Black Wolf.....	1200 00										219 69	1374 08		330 00		3323 84
Clayton.....	1330 44										914 44	3007 15				5252 03
Menasha.....	600 00										323 43	1560 00	160 00	159 67	44	2869 54
Neenah.....	400 00										404 95	1769 76	105 00	387 40	19 28	3086 39
Nekimi.....	500 00										1236 96	3023 18	259 50	1543 77		6590 41
Nepeuskun.....	300 00										1315 76	1685 71	182 00	1787 79		5271 26
Omro.....	2300 00										1335 02	2433 40	283 50	275 00		6586 92
Omro Village.....	2986 36		1391 38						1000 00		2533 08	1252 18	163 50	494 64	12	9721 26
Oshkosh.....	750 00										943 67	208 62			129 98	2031 27
Poygan.....	350 00										738 55	1375 61	181 50	400 00	8 39	3054 05
Rushford.....	2000 00							200 00			2659 63	2392 71	315 09	676 00	1 94	8245 28
Utica.....	1150 00	500 00									1490 01	89 84		319 00		3548 85
Winland.....	200 00							75 00			978 41	2641 01	246 00	918 29		5058 84
Winchester.....	1456 62								520 00		449 61	1886 21				4318 44
Winneconne.....											1347 23	1492 70		50 00	11 72	2901 65
Winneconne Village.....	2 00							1400 00				666 89			1 90	4088 79
Wolf River.....	600 00										253 79	1458 88	172 50		94	2487 11
Menasha City.....	46333 15										17247 34			6698 94		48938 15
Neenah City.....	11690 66		6831 47	5174 20	3149 47	14585 00	28000 00	34212 52	116849 20	43240 00	55124 22	19533 31		45149 30		50436 30
Oshkosh City.....	6241 19		16909 12													271473 66
Totals.....	\$86163 44	\$500 00	\$25231 97	\$5174 20	\$3149 47	\$14585 00	\$28000 00	\$34212 52	\$116849 20	\$43240 00	\$90221 25	\$50059 36	\$2233 50	\$6164 20	\$ 175 16	\$460259 27

Statement Showing the Real Estate Sold

In the several Towns, Cities and Villages of Winnebago County, during the year ending September 1, 1904, the total amount paid for the same, the average price, the total amount of assessment, and the average assessment, the total amount paid for all real estate, the total amount of assessment of all real estate sold as compiled from the report of the Register of Deeds in compliance with Section 1007 of the Revised Statutes of 1898.

ASSESSMENT DISTRICTS		LOTS			LANDS				TOTAL		Ratio of Assessment to Amount Paid	
		No.	Consideration	Assessed Value	Number of Acres	Consideration	Assessed Value	Av. per Acre		Consideration		Assessed Value
								Consideration	Assessed Val.			
Algoma	Town	4	\$ 12500	\$ 11650	272	\$ 35400	\$ 28010	\$ 130 14	\$ 95 02	\$ 47000	\$ 37060	.78
Black Wolf	"	468	48206	37610	102 99	80 11	48200	37610	.77			
Clayton	"	308	32500	19904	80 16	49 15	32500	19904	.60			
Menasha	"	656	39300	35740	59 98	54 88	39300	35740	.89			
Neenah	"	75	6375	4950	85 00	66 00	6375	4950	.78			
Nekimi	"	44	8740	3540	88 13	76 13	8740	3540	.66			
Nepeskun	"	153	5600	5100	36 07	35 23	5600	5100	.63			
Omro	"	14 28	119125	81940	83 42	57 38	119125	81940	.69			
Oshkosh	"	13	1599	1250	204	27400	21800	133 28	101 96	23600	23050	.79
Poygan	"	870	49830	31000	57 25	35 72	49830	31000	.62			
Rushford	"	957	65800	49825	68 27	51 02	65800	49825	.74			
Utica	"	812	62600	46450	77 09	57 28	62600	46450	.74			
Winland	"	1179	69100	70150	84 08	68 66	69100	70150	.71			
Winchester	"	851	33550	29700	47 04	31 69	33550	29700	.68			
Winneconne	"	456	28925	16504	61 24	39 17	28925	16504	.57			
Wolf River	"	200	6700	5410	32 06	26 60	6700	5410	.81			
Winneconne Village	"	20	15735	10395	.....	.....	15735	10395	.66			
Omro Village	"	61	56785	37200	.....	.....	56785	37200	.66			
Menasha City	"	86	47350	31225	.....	.....	47350	31225	.66			
Neenah City	"	86	59025	47215	.....	.....	59025	47215	.80			
Oshkosh City	"	470	643618	370040	.....	.....	643618	370040	.68			
Total of County		758	\$ 739612	\$ 509065	9258	\$ 606185	\$ 505293	\$ 76 70	\$ 57 51	\$143,797	\$101,444	.71

STATE OF WISCONSIN)
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I John J. Fish, Clerk of said County, do hereby certify that the foregoing Schedule and Statements therein, are true and correct as certified from statistics on file in this office.

Dated at Oshkosh this 29th day of September, 1904.

JOHN J. FISH, County Clerk.

Recapitulation of Abstract of Assessment Rolls.

	Total Number	Total Value	Average Value	
Horses.....	9931	\$692754	\$69 77	\$.....
Neat Cattle	33838	680681	20 12	.....
Mules and Asses	18	1040	57 77	.....
Sheep and Lambs.....	9221	23125	2 51	.....
Swine.....	11565	67095	5 80	.....
Wagons, Carriages and Sleighs.....	5960	157542	26 43	.....
Gold and Silver Watches.....	98	4072	41 55	.....
Pianos.....	712	71136	99 91	.....
Organs and Melodeons	131	2713	20 71	.....
Bank Stock		1598075		.....
Merchants' and Manufacturers' Stock.....		2534459		.....
Net Amount of Moneys, Accounts, Bonds, Credits, Notes and Mortgages.....		735697		.....
Leaf Tobacco, (State number of pounds).....		150		.....
Logs, Timber, Lumber, Ties, Poles, Posts, not manufacturers' stock.....		59711		.....
Steam and other Vessels.....		35959		.....
Real and Personal Property, and Franchises of Water and Light Companies not taxable under Ch. 354, Laws of 1899.....		655000		.....
Bicycles.....				.....
All other Personal Property.....		401793		.....
33. Total value of all Personal Property.....				7721002
34. Total number of acres of land.....	267995			.....
Average Value per acre.....			57 28	.....
35. Land exclusive of buildings.....	\$13021362			.....
36. Buildings as "improvements".....	2328690			.....
37. Total value of land and buildings as improvements.....		15350052		.....
38. City and village lots exclusive of buildings.....	7900372			.....
39. Buildings as improvements.....	10563594			.....
40. Total value of city and village lots and buildings as improvements.....		18463966		.....
41. Total value of real estate, (lands and lots with improvements).....	33914018			33814018
42. Total value of all property.....	41535020			41535020

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Legislative and County Officers.

1904- 1905.

Congressman.....	James H. Davidson
State Senator.....	E. E. Stevens
Assemblyman, First District.....	William C. Cowling
Assemblyman, Second District.....	William Arnemann
Assemblyman, Third District.....	John A. Fridd
Circuit Judge.....	George W. Burnell
County Judge.....	C. D. Cleveland
Municipal Judge.....	Arthur H. Goss
Clerk Municipal Court.....	Charles A. Dinsmore
Sheriff.....	Madison J. Rounds
Under Sheriff.....	Oscar F. Spalding
Jailer.....	
Treasurer.....	Benjamin Edwards
Deputy Treasurer.....	Clara La Budde
County Clerk.....	John J. Fish
Deputy County Clerk.....	J Georgia Pickett
Clerk of Courts.....	Fred Badger
Deputy Clerk of Courts.....	George Le Tourneaux
Register of Deeds.....	Wm. H. Fleweger
Deputy Register of Deeds.....	Irene Tuchscherer
Register of Probate.....	Otto Krippene
District Attorney.....	Carl D. Jackson
County Surveyor.....	Harvey W. Leach
Superintendent of Schools.....	George Overton
Coroner.....	T. D. Phillips
Chairman of County Board.....	H. C. Nash
County Stenographer.....	H. C. Jenkins
Janitor of Court House.....	Chas. B. Williams
Superintendent of County Workhouse.....	Robert E. Abrams
Supervisor of Assessments.....	Daniel Shea
Supt. of Poor and Poor Farm and County Asylum.....	C. F. Appley
Matron.....	Mrs. Harriet Appley
County Physician.....	Frank Brockway
Trustees of County Insane Asylum.....	A. W. Ehrgott
	W. W. Noble
	Thos. Hough