

PROCEEDINGS

—OF THE—

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

—OF—

WINNEBAGO COUNTY

WISCONSIN.

November Session, 1889. . . March Session, 1890.

PUBLISHED BY ORDER OF THE COUNTY BOARD.

L. M. MILLER, Chairman. . . J. P. RASMUSEN, Clerk.

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MEMBERS

—OF—

County Board of Supervisors

1889—90.

Algoma	A. J. LOCKE
Black Wolf	CHAS. MORGAN
Clayton	C. W. COOK
Menasha	J. P. LOMAS
Neenah	H. E. HUXLEY
Nekimi	JOEL W. MORGAN
Nepesuskun	THOS. P. CHAPPELL
Omro	M. C. BUSHNELL
Omro Village	J. T. ORCHARD
Oshkosh	B. W. EATON
Poygan	M. BRODERICK
Rushford	T. E. LOOPE
Utica	T. J. BOWLES
Vinland	C. C. VOSBURG
Winchester	ED REINET
Winneconne	DAN MARTIN
Winneconne Village	J. A. SUHL
Wolf River	PETER FAUST
Menasha City First Ward	C. P. NORTHRUP
“ “ Second Ward	C. A. ROBINSON
“ “ Third Ward	J. W. HART
“ “ Fourth Ward	M. M. SCHOETZ
Neenah City First Ward	J. B. HAMILTON
“ “ Second Ward	L. H. KIMBALL
“ “ Third Ward	A. H. F. KRUEGER
“ “ Fourth Ward	J. W. TOBEY
Oshkosh City First Ward	J. J. MOORE
“ “ Second Ward	JOSEPH ARNOLD
“ “ Third Ward	W. P. WARWICK
“ “ Fourth Ward	L. M. MILLER
“ “ Fifth Ward	C. W. DAVIS
“ “ Sixth Ward	C. SCHEIN
At Large	E. E. STEVENS

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ANNUAL SESSION, 1889.

SUPERVISORS' ROOM, OSHKOSH, WIS.
Tuesday, November 12, 1889.

The Board met pursuant to the provisions of Section 664 R. S. and was called to order by L. M. Miller, chairman.

On roll call by the Clerk the following members respon-

ded:

Algoma.....	A. J. Locke	Wolf River.....	Peter Faust
Black Wolf.....	Chas. Morgan	Menasha City, 1st Ward.....	C. P. Northrup
Clayton.....	C. W. Cook	" " 2d ".....	C. A. Robinson
Menasha.....	J. P. Lomas	" " 3d ".....	J. W. Hart
Neeenah.....	H. E. Huxley	" " 4th ".....	M. M. Schoetz
Nekimi.....	Joel W. Morgan.	Neeenah " 1st ".....	J. B. Hamilton
Nepeuskun.....		" " 2d ".....	L. H. Kimball
Oshkosh.....	B. W. Eaton	" " 3d ".....	A. H. F. Krueger
Omro.....	M. C. Bushnell	" " 4th ".....	J. W. Tobey
Omro Village.....	J. T. Orchard	Oshkosh " 1st ".....	J. J. Moore
Poygan.....	M. Broderick	" " 2d ".....	Joseph Arnold
Rushford.....	T. E. Loope	" " 3d ".....	W. P. Warwick
Utica.....	T. J. Bowles	" " 4th ".....	L. M. Miller
Vinland.....	C. C. Vosburg	" " 5th ".....	C. W. Davis
Winchester.....	Ed. Reinert	" " 6th ".....	C. Schein
Winneconne.....	Dan Martin	At Large.....	E. E. Stevens
Winneconne Village.....	J. A. Suhl		

The members present took and subscribed the oath of office before Co. Judge C. D. Cleveland.

On motion by Supervisor Loope the Board proceeded to an informal ballot for Chairman.

The Chair appointed Supervisors Warwick and Eaton as tellers.

The total number of votes cast was 32, of which L. M. Miller received 21; C. W. Davis received 6; H. E. Huxley received 1; C. P. Northrup received 1, and M. C. Bushnell received 3.

Supervisor Warwick moved to make the ballot formal and to declare Supervisor Miller chairman-elect by acclamation.

The Clerk put the motion which was unanimously adopted and Supervisor Miller declared elected chairman for the ensuing year.

Chairman Miller thanked the members of the Board for the honor conferred by again re-electing him to the honorable position.

In his remarks the chairman touched upon the large court expenses incurred against the county, by the various railroads bringing suits from other counties to be tried at the expense of Winnebago county, and advised the Board to devise some means for relief.

He also called the attention of the Board to the many children being sent to the Industrial schools, at the expense of the county, and asked the members to endeavor to remedy the evil.

Supervisor Chappell entered, took and subscribed the oath of office before Chairman Miller.

RULES.

The Clerk read the Rules governing the Board of last year.

Supervisor Schoetz moved the adoption of the rules as read, and that the several committees contain the same number of members as those of last year. The motion prevailed.

Supervisor Stevens read and presented a resolution from the Business Men's Association of the city of Oshkosh, inviting the members of the Board to visit their rooms at any and all times during the session.

On motion of Supervisor Schoetz the resolution was accepted and placed on file, and a vote of thanks extended to the Business Men's Association.

On motion of Supervisor Warwick the Board adjourned until 9 A. M. Nov. 13.

MORNING SESSION.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis.,
Nov. 13, 1889, 9 o'clock A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Chairman Miller presiding.

Present—full Board.

Minutes of last meeting read, corrected and approved.

The Chairman announced the following Standing Committees:

Equalization—Northrup, Bushnell, Stevens, Cook, Faust, Davis, Bowles, C. Morgan, Hamilton, Arnold, Martin, Broderick, Locke.

Finance—Huxley, Moore, Faust, Orchard, Krueger, Chappell, Eaton, Northrup, Suhl.

General Accounts—Warwick, Bushnell, Hart, Loope, Reinert, Cook, Orchard, Stevens, Vosburg.

Illegal Assessments—Hamilton, Schoetz, J. W. Morgan, Krueger, Lomas, Eaton, Robinson.

Justice and Constable Accounts—Schoetz, Schein, Bowles, Broderick, Robinson, J. W. Morgan, Tobey.

Poor and Poor Farm—Krueger, C. Morgan, Eaton, Loope, Hart.

Corporations—Stevens, Martin, Locke, Davis, Schoetz.

Public Buildings—Cook, Warwick, Bushnell, Tobey, Arnold.

Jurors—Kimball, Hart, Tobey, Reinert, Vosburg.

Roads and Bridges—Bowles, Broderick, Faust, Orchard, Robinson.

Insane—Loope, Vosburg, Moore, Kimball, Lomas.

Printing—Bushnell, Davis, Kimball, Schein, Huxley.

Per Diem and Mileage—Chappell, Huxley, Suhl, Martin, Lomas.

Resolution from March session relating to filing papers in the office of Clerk of Court, was taken up and on motion referred to committee on Public Buildings.

Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

The County Treasurer also read and submitted a statement of Tax Certificates held by him which are either Indefinite in description or worthless to the County, and recommended that they be charged back to the several towns or cities.

On motion the statement was accepted and referred to Committee on Illegal Assessments.

APPEAL BY F. W. FOLLETT.

In the matter of appeal taken by F. W. Follett from the decision of Committee on General Accounts on bills before said Committee at the March session 1889, Supervisor Bowles moved that the matter be referred to the District Attorney for his written opinion, as to the liability of the County.

Motion prevailed.

On motion of Supervisor Krueger the Board adjourned for Committee work until 9 A. M.

MORNING SESSION.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis.

Nov. 14, 1889, 9 o'clock A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Chairman Miller presiding.

Present—full Board except Supervisor Tobey.

The minutes of last meeting read, corrected and approved.

Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

Thos. Hough, Sup't of Poor and Insane being present, read and submitted the following report, which on motion was accepted and referred to committee on Poor and Poor Farm.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors and Trustees of the County Asylum of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN:—Your County Superintendent of Poor would make the following report, showing the condition and expenses of these departments for the year ending October 31, 1889:

To balance on hand October 31, 1888	\$ 1672 58
To amount received from County Treasurer	6500 00
“ “ “ sale of farm produce	541 81
“ “ “ of calves	5 69
“ “ “ of hides	23 35
“ “ “ labor	16 00
“ “ “ sale of one old horse	70 00

Total amount received

\$3829 43

DISBURSEMENTS.

Subsistence	\$ 1889 32	
Hired help	1740 68	
Fuel	568 87	
Clothing and other dry goods	670 74	
Medicine	107 20	
Ordinary repairs	143 89	
Total		\$5120 67
Bedding	77 80	
Permanent improvements	500 85	
Grinding feed and feed for Stock	40 64	
Seeds on farm and garden	74 29	
Hardware and Tinware	88 89	
Horse shoeing	28 30	
Paints, oils, glass and lights	102 77	
Crockery	42 61	
Stationery, postage and literature	44 30	
Binding twine	39 38	
Lumber	222 04	
Horse and other stock	240 00	
Furniture	14 90	
Transportation for non-resident paupers	14 15	
Threshing bill	79 00	
		<hr/> 1610 82
Total amount disbursed		\$ 6731 49
To amount on hand October 31, 1889		2097 94
		<hr/> \$ 8829 43

Deducting \$1610 82 from the whole amount expended leaves \$5120 67 the cost of supporting the inmates, including subsistence, hired help, fuel, clothing, medicines and ordinary repairs. Adding to these items the Superintendent and Physician's salaries, makes the cost per capita per week, exclusive of farm products, \$1.12½. Cost per capita including permanent improvements and all other expenses to the institution for the year just ended, is \$1.42.

	Male.	Female.	Total.
Whole number in County Asylum Oct. 31, 1888	34	39	73
" " committed by County Judge	2	2	4
Total population during the year	36	41	77
Whole number discharged during year	1		1
" " died during year	2	1	3
Total loss of population during year	3	1	4
Whole number remaining in Co. Asylum Oct. 31, '89	33	40	73
" " of weeks board furnished Co. insane			3234-1
" " " " " " Racine Co. insane			365-0
" " " " " " Portage			164-2
Total No. weeks of board furnished all insane			3733-3

	Male.	Female.	Total.
Whole Number in Poor House Oct. 31, 1888	20	8	28
" " received during the year	27	13	40
" " committed by justices	13	3	16
" " born during the year	4		4
Total population during the year	64	24	88
Number discharged during the year	41	16	57
" " died during the year	3		3
" " remaining in Poor House Oct. 31, 1889	20	8	28
Whole number weeks of board furnished paupers			1710-2
" " " " " " all inmates			5452-5
" " provided for during the year			165
Average			105

Amt due Winnebago Co. for care of its own insane	\$ 4767 83
“ “ “ “ from Miranda Herman fund.....	60 00
“ “ “ “ “ Mary Schaub fund	156 43
“ “ “ “ “ Racine county	1145 31
“ “ “ “ “ Portage county.....	335 24
“ “ “ “ “ Fred Kobb estate	11 14
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Total amount due for care of insane	\$ 6475 95
“ “ “ from towns and cities.....	1318 14
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Total amount due county	\$ 7794 09

The entire cost of the institution, including Superintendent and Physician salaries, and all permanent improvements added to the place equals \$7731 49. From this deduct \$7794 09 due the county for the care of inmates and \$656 85 received from sale of farm products leaves a balance in favor of the institution of \$719 45.

The principal improvements made during the year are as follows: New hen house 18 x 26 and yard; the old wood house moved back from the house and the same repaired and painted; repaired and painted other outbuildings; built fire escape at the south end of the poor department; bought one driving horse; bought one new binder; bought one new seeder.

Crops are good this year; there is a good supply on hand for the coming year of nearly everything that can be produced on a farm, excepting wheat. The amount of produce raised on the farm is as follows:

Raspberries.....	150 quarts	Summer Squash.....	500
Blackberries.....	100 “	Beans.....	15½ bu-shl
Green peas.....	25 bushels	Cucumbers.....	10 “
String beans.....	10 “	Carrots.....	345 “
Hay.....	53 tons	Cabbage.....	3000 head
Wheat.....	186 bushels	Parsnips.....	30 bushels
Rye.....	258 “	Pumpkins.....	10 loads
Barley.....	568 “	Straw.....	50 tons
Oats.....	2950 “	Corn stalks.....	33 loads
Potatoes.....	1025 “	Pork slaughtered.....	6884 pounds
Onions.....	215 “	Beef.....	3338 “
Corn, in ears.....	2150 “	Chickens.....	221 “
Mangles.....	645 “	Turkey.....	82 “
Beets.....	150 “	Eggs.....	774 dozen
Rutabagas.....	325 “	Butter made.....	2024 pounds
Turnips.....	117 “	Cheese made.....	340 “
Winter Squash.....	100		

The amount charged to the different localities for the support of their poor during the year just closed is as follows:

County.....	\$4802 53
City of Oshkosh.....	\$ 663 25
“ “ Menasha.....	264 91
“ “ Neenah.....	85 47
Town of Black Wolf.....	117 06
“ “ Clayton.....	1 44
“ “ Omro.....	58 53
“ “ Wolf River.....	80
“ “ Utica.....	1 44
“ “ Nepeusknn.....	8 18
Village of Winneconne.....	117 06
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Total amount due from towns and cities	\$ 1318 14

\$ 6120 67

All of which is respectfully submitted.

THOMAS HOUGH,
County Sup't of Poor.

On motion the Board decided to visit the County Farm on Wednesday, Nov. 20.

On motion of Supervisor Loope, Supervisor Bushnell was instructed to go to Waupaca, and collect accounts due county of Winnebago for care of one Mrs. Russell. and said Bushnell authorized to settle with said Waupaca county on the best terms possible.

Supervisor Schoetz moved that the Chairman appoint a committee on Salaries, to fix upon amount of salaries of all county officers to be elected by the Board at the present session, and also for county officers to be elected by the people in the year 1890.

The motion prevailed and the chair appointed Supervisors Schoetz, Chas. Morgan, Stevens and Vosburg.

On motion by Supervisor Schoetz the time for the election of Trustees of Insane, Court House Janitor, County Physician and Sup't of Poor was set for Thursday, Nov. 21, at 10 A. M.

On motion by Supervisor Faust the members of the Board were instructed to bring the Assessment Rolls for 1889 on Monday, Nov. 18.

On motion of Supervisor Schoetz the Board adjourned until 9 A. M. to visit the County jail.

MORNING SESSION.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis.

Nov. 15, 1889, 9 o'clock A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Chairman Miller presiding.

Present—full Board.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

POYGAN BRIDGE.

The commissioners on the building of the Poygan bridge submitted the following report, which on motion and the call of ayes and noes was unanimously adopted.

To L. M. Miller, Chairman and J. P. Rasmussen, Clerk of County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis.

We, the undersigned Commissioners appointed to act for and in behalf of the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County in the construction of a certain bridge in Winnebago county, and having received notice from the town Board of the town of Poygan that the bridge across Pumpkin Seed Creek in said town of Poygan was completed and awaiting our examination, we repaired

to the town of Poygan and examined said bridge in all its details of construction and found it had been constructed and completed according to contract and all portions and parts of said bridge mentioned in the contract plans and specifications had been completed to the entire satisfaction of your Commissioners. That the entire cost of said bridge is nine hundred seventy three dollars and thirty six cents (\$973 36). That there is now due from Winnebago county to the Milwaukee Bridge and Iron Company the sum of four hundred eighty six dollars and sixty eight cents (\$486 68) the same being one half the cost of the construction of said bridge, and your Commissioners would recommend the payment of said sum to the said Bridge company, according to the following resolution.

THOS. J. BOWLES,
PETER FAUST,

Com'rs on part of Winnebago Co.

Dated at Poygan, Apr. 8, 1889.

Be it Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that the sum of four hundred eighty six dollars and sixty eight cents (\$486 68) be, and the same is hereby levied upon the taxable property of the towns of Algoma, Black Wolf, Clayton, Menasha, Neenah, Nekimi, Nepeuskun, Omro, Oshkosh, Poygan, Rushford, Utica, Vinland, Winchester, Winneconne, Wolf River, and village of Winneconne, for the payment of one-half the cost of the Poygan bridge across Pumpkin Seed Creek, in said town of Poygan (now built.)

And be it further resolved that the County Clerk be, and is hereby instructed to levy the said amount upon the valuation of the towns above stated, in the tax for 1889, and the same collected as other county taxes now are, and that the Chairman and Clerk are hereby authorized to draw a county order for the amount of \$486 68 in favor of the Milwaukee Bridge and Iron Company, when so collected.

THOS. J. BOWLES,
PETER FAUST.

PETITION FOR CANCELLATION OF TAX CERTIFICATES BY OSTHELDER.

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

GENTLEMEN:—Your petitioner respectfully represents, that, Joseph Osthelder and the undersigned became the owners of lots 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, and 28 of Cottrill, Peasley & Johnson's Sub-division, 3d ward, city of Oshkosh, by chapter 210 of the laws for the State of Wisconsin for the year 1889.

That the taxes upon said lots for the years 1887 and 1888 are unpaid; that at the time said taxes were levied upon said premises the same were in the hands of the State of Wisconsin, per order of the County Judge of Winnebago County; that your petitioner not having had any interest in said lots at that time, and the same belonging to the State of Wisconsin, therefore prays that your honorable body take such proceedings as are necessary to declare such taxes null and void.

CHARLES OSTHELDER,

On motion the above petition was referred to committee on Illegal Assessments.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OPINION ON FOLLETT'S BILL.

District Attorney Fitzgibbon being present, read and submitted the following opinion, which on motion of Supervisor Broderick was accepted and adopted.

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

In the matter of the appeal by Ex-Sheriff Frank Follett from the decision of Committee on General Accounts at the January session of your honorable body, A. D. 1889, I am asked for a written opinion as to whether the county can be held liable under the agreement, made by and between the Ex-Sheriff F. W. Follett and the county, for board of prisoners.

The statutes of the State make it a duty of the Sheriff to keep a true and exact register of all prisoners committed to the county jail under his charge, in a book therefor, which shall contain the names of all persons who shall be committed to his jail, together with their residence, the time when, cause of commitment, and the authority by which they were committed, and when liberated the time and authority by which liberated. If any person shall escape it shall be his duty to note and state in said register the particulars of the time and manner of such escape.—Sec. 725 Revised Statutes 1878 Subdivision 2.

The presumption is that when a person is sentenced or committed to jail for a certain length of time, specified in the commitment, that he serves his time out and the Sheriff under his contract made with the Board would be entitled to charge for the number of days such prisoner is so committed as specified.

The contract does not specify that the Sheriff shall render an account of the number of meals furnished to each prisoner as the contract made with the present Ex-Sheriff does.

For the Sheriff to keep a specific account of the number of meals that each prisoner sentenced takes, would be requiring of him something that the law never contemplated. As to what the County Board means in its contract that twenty one meals shall constitute a weeks' board, in my opinion is very indefinite. Under this, if a man required and ate five meals a day, for aught that appears, the Sheriff may allow him them, and charge for them under this contract. It does not state how many meals should constitute a days' board, how long a time or how short a time a man can have or may have to eat these meals, or if he ate twenty one meals in three days, the County Board, upon the Sheriff's proof, by affidavit, which is prima facie evidence of the truthfulness of his bill and of the amount thereof, that he ate these twenty one meals in three days, the Sheriff would be entitled to one weeks' board.

What I presume this contract was intended to cover, in speaking of the twenty-one meals is where a person is placed in jail as per the Sheriff's register, Nov. 14 and discharged Nov. 15, not stating the hour (which he is not required to do) as I understand it, from not charging two days' board.

Under the latter part of the contract, the Sheriff, for instance—the Sheriff receives a person the 15th day of Nov. in the afternoon, to remain over night—I think it would be safe for the County Board, even if he charged more, to allow him not to exceed one days' board.

As a general rule where a prisoner is taken to jail to remain over night, as tramps sometimes are, they are committed either in the afternoon when they would get supper, lodging, breakfast, perhaps dinner next day, would only get three meals and that the County Board would be safe in allowing three meals, unless the bill brought in by the Sheriff specifically gives the number of meals.

I think the contract requires the Sheriff to specify the number of meals furnished to prisoners where they are kept only over night. I think this is the true meaning of the contract and the intention of the County Board at the time of the drawing and execution of the same. It might and should be more definite in requiring the sheriff to specify the number of meals furnished each prisoner, where the prisoner is kept only over night but where the prisoner is sentenced for a certain length of time that time should be taken by the Board for the time for which the sheriff may charge board of prisoners to county, provided bill is verified.

Where Follett's record shows a prisoner entrusted to his charge on one day and released the next day, the Board ought not to allow him two days' board, without he specifies in his bill the number of meals furnished to each such prisoner, under his contract.

Taken as a whole the contract is quite indefinite and it would be much safer and possibly avoid unnecessary litigation to allow liberally under the contract.

Very respectfully submitted.

HENRY FITZGIBBON.

The question recurring on the original motion to allow the bill of F. W. Follett, Supervisor Faust moved to allow it at \$90.

Supervisor Warwick moved to amend by making the amount \$50.

Supervisor Cook moved to amend the amendment by referring the matter to the Committee on General Accounts.

Supervisor Tobey moved to amend amendment to amendment by allowing the bill at \$75.

On call of ayes and noes on motion by Supervisor Faust the vote stood 4 ayes to 24 noes. Motion declared lost.

The motion of Supervisor Cook being taken up was adopted and the matter referred to Committee on General Accounts.

Supervisor Warwick submitted the following resolution and moved its adoption, which motion unanimously prevailed.

Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

That the Committee on General Accounts be and are hereby permitted to refer back to the Sheriff said sheriff's bills for correction, and require him to correct them so as to conform with resolution passed by this Board and also an agreement with said Sheriff. Also by Resolution of March 3, page 42 of Proceedings of 1885-1886; also Resolution page 47 of Proceedings of 1885-1886; also an agreement by and between the County and the Sheriff, see page 27 for the year 1888-1889; also a resolution adopted by the County Board Nov. 11, 1888, see page 55 of Proceedings of 1888-1889; also by resolution of the County Board Nov. 26, page 29 of Proceedings of year 1888 and 1889.

The time having arrived for the special business set for 11 A. M. to-wit: the "Schedule of Personal Property taxes of 1886 to be charged back,"

Supervisor Bowles moved the acceptance and adoption of the schedule, and that the Clerk be instructed to charge the amounts back to the several towns and cities in the tax for 1889. Motion unanimously adopted.

Supervisor Schoetz moved to permit the Superintendent of Schools to submit his report to the Board on Wednesday, Nov. 20, at 9 A. M. Motion lost.

On motion by Supervisor Tobey the Board adjourned for committee work until 9 A. M.

MORNING SESSION.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis., Nov. 16, 1889, 9 o'clock A. M.
 Board met pursuant to adjournment.
 Chairman Miller presiding.
 Present—full Board.
 Minutes of last meeting read and approved.
 Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

MEETING OF ASSESSORS.

Supervisor Tobey offered the following resolution and moved its adoption, which motion unanimously prevailed:

Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

That the County Clerk be, and is hereby instructed to set a day at least eight days before the lawful time to commence to assess, and request each assessor which shall be elected for the year 1890 to meet in the city of Oshkosh, at the Court House, for the purpose of getting as near as possible, an uniform valuation of property, in the different towns and cities in the county. Each town and city to pay the expense incurred by its assessors.

Oshkosh, Nov. 16, 1889.

J. W. TOBEY.

SESSION LAWS OF 1889.

Supervisor Kimball offered the following resolution, and moved its adoption which motion prevailed by 32 ayes to 1 no.

Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

That the County Treasurer be and is hereby authorized and instructed to purchase from the Superintendent of Public Property at Madison, Wis., one copy for each and every member of the County Board, of the Session Laws of 1889, the same to be procured for the present session, and the Treasurer to pay for same out of any money not otherwise appropriated.

Oshkosh, Nov. 16, 1889.

L. H. KIMBALL.

On motion of Supervisor Schoetz the Board adjourned for committee work until 10 A. M. Nov. 18.

MORNING SESSION.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis., Nov. 18, 1889, 10 o'clock A. M.
 Board met pursuant to adjournment.
 Chairman Miller presiding.
 Present—full Board except Supervisor Tobey.
 Minutes of last meeting read and approved.
 Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.
 On motion by Supervisor Morgan the Board adjourned for committee work until 9 A. M.

MORNING SESSION.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis., Nov. 19, 1889, 9 o'clock A. M.
 Board met pursuant to adjournment.
 Chairman Miller presiding.
 Present—full Board except Supervisors Bushnell and Tobey.
 Minutes of last meeting read and approved.
 Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

COSTS AND EXPENSES OF COMMISSION.

Chairman Miller offered the following resolution:

Resolved by the Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

That we are not in favor of enforcing the collection by litigation the amount that may be apportioned for costs and expenses to the towns raised by the award made by the last Commission on Equalization appointed by the Circuit Judge to correct the equalization of taxes in Winnebago county as fixed by the County Board at its November session in 1888.

Supervisor Cook moved to accept and refer the Resolution to Committee on Illegal Assessments, with the assistance of the District Attorney. Motion prevailed.

CONTINGENT FUND.

Chairman Miller read and submitted the following report:

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

At the November session of the County Board of Supervisors for the year 1888, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, that the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200) be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, said fund to be known as the Poor Contingent Fund of Winnebago County, and whenever in the judgment of the Chairman of this Board, it shall be for the interest of this County, the said Chairman and the County Clerk are hereby authorized to issue a county order payable out of said fund, and the Chairman shall report to this Board annually the expenditures from said fund.

The following described County Orders have been executed and delivered to the persons mentioned:

One County Order dated Dec. 6, 1888, payable to Chas. Jaeshke, for transportation of Mary Cramer to Green Bay, in the sum of \$1.38.

One County Order to L. M. Miller, for money paid for transportation and expenses of Jas. McKelvey to Chicago (was injured on railroad) dated May 25, 1889, amount \$6.00.

One County Order dated July 3, 1889, payable to L. M. Miller for transportation and expenses of James Renyon to Stevens Point, a cripple from Vermont, amount \$2.58.

Total amount expended \$9.96 The balance of said fund \$190.04 I would recommend to be drawn and used for the ensuing year as set forth in the above resolution.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

L. M. MILLER, Ch'n Co. Board.

On motion to adopt and on call of ayes and noes the above resolution, report and recommendation was unanimously adopted.

REVISED STATUTES FOR 1889.

Supervisor Reinert offered the following resolution.

Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

That the County Clerk of said county be, and he is hereby requested to purchase one copy of the Revised Statutes of the State of Wisconsin for the year 1889, for each member of the County Board, such copy to be turned over to their successors in office, and the Chairman and Clerk of this Board are hereby empowered to draw and sign an order to pay for said Revised Statutes

Dated Nov. 19, 1889.

ED. REINERT.

Supervisor J. W. Morgan moved the acceptance and adoption of the resolution.

Supervisor Krueger moved to refer to Committee on Printing. Motion lost.

On call of ayes and noes on the original motion, the same was adopted by 22 ayes to 8 noes.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

Supt of Schools Frank Miller being present, read and submitted his annual report as follows:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN:—Following, as I have, in the footsteps of a Superintendent so eminently popular as Mr. Kimball was, a man who possessed the entire confidence and hearty good wishes of the general public, a man whom the teachers had grown to look to for advice and sympathy, and whom school officers regarded with the greatest respect, it was with feelings of trepidation and anxiety that I entered on the duties of my office last January. But my reception by teachers and all others interested in education has been most cordial. During my tour of school visitation I have been ever welcomed to the school by the teacher, and to the hospitality of the home by the school patrons. Many the time, during these visits, have I heard earnest tributes paid to the work of Mr. Kimball, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Samuel Shaw, and my other predecessors in the work. My desire is to continue the good work done, and as occasion permits, to raise the standard of education in Winnebago county to a still higher plane than that on which it is now established.

To that end, I ask the advice and suggestions of all persons interested in our public schools and such counsel shall be duly respected and gratefully received at all times. While I have definite ideas and firm convictions of my own in regard to the welfare of our schools, as separate units and as a whole, I also am cognizant of the fact that every parent and taxpayer has, and ought to have a voice in our school government.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

From my annual report to State Superintendent Thayer, I glean the following facts:

Amount on hand June 30, 1888.....	\$ 14144 95
Total amount received during the year.....	41973 38
Paid out for services of male teachers.....	4747 75
Paid out for services of female teachers.....	17558 40
Total amount paid out during the year.....	20497 21
Money on hand June 30, 1889.....	13340 68

These amounts should be accurate, but an examination of them shows that an error is evident, for the amount on hand does not correspond with the difference between the total amount received and the amount paid out.

The reports received by me from the town clerks were in many cases not satisfactory. With the exception of two or three, the reports were meagre and inaccurate. From five towns the report did not reach me in the time specified by law, and not until I had written for it. This is perhaps excusable as the time for giving the report was changed at the last session of the legislature. With the reports from some of the town clerks came an explanation stating that the reports received by them from the district clerks were slow in coming and replete with inaccuracies. These errors are due, not so much to willful negligence as to indifference and not fully understanding the intent of the law.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

The total number of children in the county over 4 and under 20 years of age who have attended school during the year is 3910. Four children attended who were not yet 4 years old, and fourteen were registered who were over 20. During the year 23 male teachers and 145 female teachers have been employed. This shows that in many of the schools the teacher is retained but one term. In some districts as many as three teachers have been employed in one year. The best work cannot be done with the short terms and while this tendency to constantly change teachers prevails, I am heartily in favor of and most emphatically urge that the full year contract system be adopted in the country and teachers hired by the year as they are in the cities. The obstacles are few and can be readily overcome.

TEACHERS' WAGES.

The average wages of teachers per month in the different towns is as follows, beginning with the town that paid the highest wages:

Winchester.....	\$ 33 75	Neenah.....	\$ 26 75
Vinland.....	30 75	Nekimi.....	26 71
Nepesun.....	29 00	Omro (town).....	26 16
Utica.....	28 86	Menasha.....	25 50
Winneconne.....	28 75	Algoma.....	25 25
Rushford.....	28 73	Oshkosh.....	24 00
Wolf River.....	28 16	Black Wolf.....	23 40
Clayton.....	26 90	Poygan.....	23 16

This, gentlemen, is the report for the winter term of 1888 and 1889. You will notice that in some parts of the county the salary is extremely low, and in some cases the work has been even as poor as the pay, although on the whole, the teachers have been energetic and faithful in the performance of their duties. In glancing through one of Mr. Kimball's reports, I see he states that the extremely low wages in this county is due to competition of young and inexperienced teachers, who force many of the best teachers to go to other counties where far better pay is offered. This is a wealthy county with a large school population. This county receives the most school money from the State of any county in the State, with the exception of three or four counties. Winnebago county can ill afford to lose her good teachers.

In this county there are 99 different school houses requiring 110 teachers. There are 2814 children between 7 and 14 years of age in the county; of these 2384 are reported as having attended public school 12 weeks or more, and 139 have attended private schools, leaving 291 who have not been to any school during the year.

One new school house has been built in the town of Wolf River at a cost of \$520. A number of other school houses have been more or less repaired and refurnished with patent seats and other school fixtures. Still there are some four or five buildings that should be condemned as unfit for use, being cold in winter and very poorly furnished with apparatus.

Throughout the county, there is scarcely an outbuilding for the use of boys where a separate and distinct water spout or trough has been provided. As a consequence the benches in the winter soon become frozen over, and in a short time the floor and benches are covered with filth rendering them in the extreme, totally indecent and unfit to enter. The expense of making this necessary provision is not great. In some districts the outbuildings for boys and girls are under the same roof, with only a board partition between the apartments. This is not as it should be. There are no school grounds in the county too large to have these buildings in the most remote corners.

Too much attention cannot be given in our public schools to constantly keep before the minds of our cherished and dearly beloved boys and girls the thoughts of decency, modesty, and sexual innocence, and keep from them all that will pervert their youthful minds and render them hoidenish, bold, or prematurely sentimental.

TEXT BOOKS.

In only 34 districts has a list of text-books been adopted. In 22 districts they use only the books adopted. Aware of the fact that but few districts were using uniform books, I addressed a circular to the school boards just previous to the last annual school meeting urging the adoption of a series of text-books, and recommending certain books from which a series could be selected. 14 districts purchase the books, 4 loan them to the pupils, and 11 sell them to the pupils at cost.

COURSE OF STUDY.

Ten years ago or more, a Manual of the Course of Study in district schools was published by the State Superintendent of Wisconsin. We then looked forward with the expectation that in a few years the schools of the country would be as well organized and thoroughly classified as those in the cities, and there is no reason why they should not be. But the fifth edition of the Manual has been issued and still our schools are in a more or less chaotic, disorganized condition. District schools are fully organized in other States, and in some counties in this State classes are arranged in grades and forms and scholars are regularly promoted and graduated from the country schools with as high honors and as great a profusion of blue ribbons, diplomas, and floral tributes as is seen in our city and state institutions of learning.

Many advantages will accrue from the complete introduction of the workings of the "Manual of the Course of Study. The individual pupils will have "progressive continuity of work under successive teachers," they will have "a full round of study for mental balance." They will be encouraged and stimulated by this work and progression registered, and by being promoted from grade to grade and from form to form. They will know that they have accomplished certain work and that it will not have to be done over again. They will not need, as you and I did, to turn back to the front of the book with each successive teacher and begin again with the advent of the next new teacher.

The entire school will be benefited by being promptly organized and classified by each new teacher and by "precluding undue emphasis or neglect of branches by specifying proper work and methods."

The community will be benefited, according to the expectations of the manual as follows:

1. Better returns for expenditure through improved schools.
2. Better discipline, by stimulating to a completion of the course.
3. Increased interest of children through definite ends as objects of effort, and gain or loss of rank.
4. Removals from a given locality do not affect pupils classification and progress.

I trust, gentlemen, that you will pardon a quotation from the paper of Prof. Silas V. Gillan, one of our ablest institute conductors of the state. The paper was read at our Wisconsin State Teachers' Association at Madison last December, and among other good things has the following which is pertinent to the point in view: "The interest awakened by the actual working of such a system can be readily conceived when the scheme of examinations is fully comprehended as a practical reality. On the day of examination every boy and girl is full of expectancy, heightened and made more piquant by a more delightful sense of uncertainty as to what the sealed envelopes from the county superintendent may contain. Apathetic, indeed, must be the parent who does not that evening listen with interest to the report of school work brought home by his children. Then comes a day in the early spring, when the school is closed, and three or four big boys and girls who have finished the course, accompanied by their teacher and probably some of their parents go to a neighboring school and meet from a dozen to a score of other pupils with their teachers and parents. The county superintendent is there to conduct the final examination. It is a red letter day for that neighborhood. The visiting citizens who may be there with sons and daughters, justly proud of their achievements and hopeful of their future success, are in the very best mood. All that occurs is recounted next day in every home represented. Attention is focused on the common school. Is there not here a mighty force available for the development and propagation of a better educational sentiment?"

You may think gentlemen, that this gala occasion as pictured by Prof. Gillan is but a "chimerical scheme conceived in the brain of a mere theorist." But as I have already stated it has been thoroughly tested in many counties and found eminently practical, and is now in active operation throughout the length and breadth of the land. Nearly every school in this county has been organized this year, and is now practically working in accordance with the manual of the course of study. I have specified the last of the coming February as the time for holding graduation exercises from the district schools. With the county superintendent as a center and the hearty co-operation of teachers (which is fully established) for support, organized work can be carried on in our country schools to a successful end.

SCHOOL LIBRARIES.

Nine districts are reported as having libraries with an aggregate of 156 volumes, valued at \$195.25. Under the law of 1839, each town treasurer may retain a sum equal to ten cents for each person of school age. This money is to be expended for library books to be apportioned to the various districts. So far only two towns, Algoma and Wolf River, are reported as having withheld money for that purpose. It may be that other towns have. Only five town treasurers have reported me, although many weeks ago I addressed a request to them to let me know at an early date, the amount withheld. Money expended for library books is well expended. The value of supplementary reading in our schools can hardly be over-estimated. Word comes from one district in Wolf River that twenty-four volumes have been added this year. That is a grand report. And, by the way, I think Wolf River leads all the other towns of the county in school furnishings.

BENNETT LAW.

Reports relating to private schools are meagre in the extreme. I have endeavored, by inquiry and observation to ascertain the character of the work, and find that in general the branches are conducted in the English language to a great extent so that the "Bennett" Law has in reality, no effect on the parochial schools of this county as I understand them now to be conducted. One new church school house has been built in Winchester, where English is almost exclusively used in teaching. So far as reported, no district in the county has complied with the requirements of the law, by setting a time when children should be required to attend school.

SPELLING SCHOOLS.

I have requested teachers throughout the county to conduct spelling schools in their respective districts during the month of January. The successful contestants at these primary meetings are to meet me and compete for a prize and the honor of being the best speller of the county as decided by such contest. In this project I have two purposes in view. First, to revive interest in spelling especially. Second, that it may co-ordinate pupils, teachers and school patrons and make them more fully a harmonious organic

unit. It is a work in which all are interested, and in which all can take part.

TEACHERS' MEETINGS.

Since January of the present year I have conducted ten regular teachers' examinations. Two at Neenah, two in Winneconne, two in Waukau, and four in Oshkosh. I have given the usual time to these examinations and have endeavored to conduct them in a fair and impartial manner. As a result of the examinations 123 certificates have been issued. Of these two are First Grade, and two Second Grade. With the entire sanction and entirely in accordance with my predecessor, I raised the standard of requirements to an average of 60 per cent. with a somewhat higher standing in some of the most important branches of the school curriculum. As a consequence, some who have been teaching, failed to reach the required standard and did not receive certificates. This has occasioned severe disappointment in certain cases, but I trust that all persons having the education of our youth at heart will see not only the entire justice, but also the utility of such a course. While I realize fully that an education sufficient to enable a candidate to be credited with certain high markings on the examination papers, is not the only qualification requisite for a good teacher—while I realize that many a teacher with poor scholastic attainments may do work satisfactorily to the children and patrons, still I am also thoroughly convinced that they could do better work if they had a better education. And there can be no excuse whatever urged for a teacher not being well educated in this county, with its superior educational facilities, including the Normal School, High Schools, and various graded schools of a high standard.

During the year there have been three institutes held in the county. One was held at the high school building at Oshkosh February 15 and 16. This was intended for both city and county teachers. As a heavy rain storm prevailed, few county teachers were present. The second one was held at Omro Friday and Saturday, May 17 and 18. Although we were again visited by heavy and constant rains both days, there was a very large and enthusiastic gathering of teachers. Nearly every teacher in the county was enrolled except those from the northeastern part of the county. The tendency to have the two day institutes during the school term is rapidly growing. Teachers can put in immediate use that upon which they receive new light.

These meetings were both conducted by that favorite of all educators—Prof. L. D. Harvey, ably assisted by Prof. Briggs.

The third institute was held at the Normal School building the first week in August. It was conducted by Prof. Arthur Burch, of Milwaukee. There were 90 persons enrolled. Of these 45 have attended the Normal school, 30 have attended high school, and eight have attended only the common schools. 3 held first grade certificates and 7 held second grade certificates. Prof. Burch, from the first, won the hearty good will of those present, and did most excellent work. Miss Swart was present each day and lectured on school methods in her usual forcible and convincing manner. Dr. J. W. Stearns of Madison University was present Wednesday evening, and delivered a very able address on "School Expansion."

From January to June we held five Teacher's Associations in different parts of the county on Saturdays. These were largely attended and much benefit was derived from the able expositions of the various topics and a mutual interchange of ideas. At our meeting at Neenah we were joined by our friends from Appleton and Kaukauna. Many thanks are due Supt. Whitman of the Appleton schools for his suggestions and the interest he takes in our work. During the present school year we have arranged for meetings the first Saturday of each month. We have already held Associations at Omro and Waukau, and have arranged further to hold the meetings at Neenah, Winneconne, Clemonsville, Oshkosh, Eureka, and again at Omro and Waukau. At our Omro meeting an able paper was read by Chester W. Smith in which he set forth the advantages to be derived from country schools hiring their teachers for a full year. At the same meeting it was decided to establish an Educational Column in the Oshkosh Northwestern. Through this column we intend to give not only points of news relating to the schools of the county, but also to give the teachers a chance to voice their sentiments relating to vital and living topics of educational interest.

Much has been said and written regarding the election of the county superintendent in the spring. I hope the day is not far distant when our legislature will see their way clear to take the election of all school officers away from the bitterly contested and prejudiced scenes which center at the regular fall elections, where party feeling is rife, where buying and selling of influence, if not votes, is too common, and where corruption and illegality are as yet not entirely eradicated. The county superintendent should be left free as are our judicial officers, to act as his judgment dictates, and not be subject to the invidious whim of some disappointed candidate or the political machinations of a packed and secret caucus.

Early last spring I issued a circular relating to the district schools of the county, containing the names and postoffice address of school district clerks; names and postoffice address of those who taught in the schools during the past winter, and various other points of information. These I sent to the various school officers of the county and to all who were teaching or contemplated teaching.

The publication of educational literature is of inestimable value. But it all costs money, and I trust that our honorable board of Supervisors may see their way clear to make appropriations commensurate with the work done.

Next July our National Teachers' Association convenes at St. Paul and I shall be very much pleased if a good exhibit of educational handicraft may be present from the schools of Winnebago county. Also, if the World's Fair is held in Chicago two years hence, a large and interesting exhibit from the schools of this county should be shown there.

The teachers of the county stand ready and are heartily in favor of doing all that they can for the good of the public schools. I find them with a few rare exceptions free to ask in regard to their work and just as pleasant in receiving suggestions. I have visited nearly all the schools twice during the year and many of them three or more times. While this work, especially in the winter, is in many respects very disagreeable, still it has many, many pleasant features.

To gain the earnest co-operation and hearty good will of the teachers, and to see the bright and beaming faces of the children, eager and anxious to let their light shine forth, is enough to encourage anyone who enjoys school work to be in their midst. My meetings with the school officers and patrons has been most enjoyable to me. I am sincerely grateful for the kindness and hospitality shown me. And I ask that I may continue to merit your confidence and receive your kindness and courtesy, without which my efforts will be futile.

FRANK MILLER,
Superintendent of Winnebago County Schools.

Supervisor J. W. Morgan moved the acceptance of the report, and that the Clerk be instructed to have 1000 copies printed, and distributed throughout the county.

Supervisor Warwick moved to refer report to Committee on Printing, which motion prevailed.

Supervisor Stevens moved to reconsider the vote taken to refer the report of School Sup't to Com. on Printing. Motion prevailed.

Supervisor Bowles moved to accept the report, place it on file, and instruct the Clerk to have it printed in the Board proceedings. Motion prevailed.

On motion of Supervisor Warwick the report was then referred to Com. on Printing.

RIGHT OF WAY ACROSS C. & N. W. R'Y TRACK.

Supervisor Huxley submitted a resolution for the purpose of obtaining right of way for crossing the Chicago & Northwestern R'y at the State Hospital depot.

On motion of Supervisor Loope the resolution was accepted and referred to Committee on Roads and Bridges, with the assistance of the District Attorney.

EQUALIZATION REPORT.

Supervisor Northrup from Committee on Equalization submitted their report as follows:

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

The undersigned members of your Committee on Equalization respectfully report that they have equalized the assessments of property assessed for taxation in said county, for the year 1889, as per schedule and tabulated statement hereunto annexed. And we recommend that the amounts set opposite the respective names of the various towns, cities, and villages in said county, be adopted as the equalized valuation and assessment thereof for the year 1889.

Dated, Oshkosh, Nov. 15, 1889.

A. J. LOCKE,
 CHAS. MORGAN,
 D. MARTIN,
 M. P. BRODERICK,
 J. B. HAMILTON,
 PETER FAUST,
 M. C. BUSHNELL,
 C. W. COOK,
 T. J. BOWLES.

As a compromise, protesting that Neenah city is too high and Oshkosh city too low.

Algoma	\$ 427,348
Black Wolf	291,933
Clayton	561,230
Menasha	201,164
Neenah	232,490
Nekimi	439,449
Nepeuskun	389,994
Omro	338,063
Oshkosh	363,307
Poygan	158,702
Rushford	521,847
Utica	576,357
Vinland	544,195
Winchester	260,958
Winneconne	329,975
Winneconne village.....	110,630
Wolf River.....	151,545
Menasha city.....	1,058,924
Neenah city.....	1,790,937
Oshkosh city.....	5,932,506
Total	\$15,211,554

In explanation of my course in not signing the above report, I give the following reasons:

First—This report by adopting substantially the equalization as made last year, repeats the injustice done to Menasha city by the equalization, an injustice we confidently expected this Board to redress, instead of compelling a resort to the costly and unsatisfactory mode of redress—through a commission.

Secondly—I decline even by implication, to admit that the assessors of the city of Menasha do not, as a rule assess property as high, or that they are not as successful in finding property as the assessors in other parts of the county.

C. P. NORTHRUP.

Supervisor Loope move the acceptance and adoption of the report, which motion on call of ayes and noes prevailed by the following vote: Ayes—Bowles, Broderick, Chappell, Cook, Eaton, Faust, Hamilton, Huxley, Kimball, Krueger, Locke, Lomas, Loope, Martin, Miller, Chas. Morgan, J. W. Morgan, Orbard, Schoetz, Suhl, Vosburg—21. Noes—Davis, Hart, Moore, Robinson, Schein, Stevens and Warwick—7.

Supervisor Bushnell being absent, paired with Arnold; Supervisor Reinert was excused from voting. Absent, not voting, Tobey—1.

Supervisor Schoetz changed his vote to aye, leaving the ballot as above. The Chairman declared the report adopted.

REPORT FROM COMMISSION FOR INDIGENT SOLDIERS.

Gen'l T. S. Allen being present, read and submitted the following report from Indigent Soldier Commission:

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

GENTLEMEN:—We have the honor to submit the accompanying report of disbursements made from the County Soldier Relief Fund, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 339 Laws of 1889.

The appropriation made by the County Board for the year ending Dec. 31, 1888, amounted to \$1,200. This amount was increased by said Board at its last annual meeting to \$3025.50, for the present current year.

The total amount drawn from said fund from Nov. 1, 1888 to Nov. 1, 1889, was \$2488.14, leaving a balance of \$537.36 for the months of November and December.

As appears from our records, and the accompanying statement, the number of beneficiaries—that is heads of families—receiving assistance during the year, is 73. The families dependent range from 2 to 8 each, averaging not less than 4. A large majority are crippled or disabled soldiers, or the widows and children of these soldiers, many of them incapable of supplying by their own labors one half the means necessary for their comfortable support. The small sums distributed monthly from the County Fund have cheered many homes, as well as served as a guarantee that they have not been forgotten by their country.

As will appear from a perusal of the list, the several amounts, while showing quite an aggregate, show a very insignificant amount when applied to each family. Very few, only eleven families, have received an average of one dollar or over per week. The average of the whole number of families show only \$35.54 per year, or a trifle less than \$3.00 per month, and of 75c per week. How they manage to eke out an existence is almost a mystery, and yet the small monthly payments have aided materially in the struggle against want and suffering.

The prospect of a decrease in the number needing assistance for the coming year is not very favorable. As one family from some cause drop out, another is ready to fill the place. The fact is, that the old veterans are getting older every year, and as they become older they become feebler, and less able to sustain themselves. Their chance for pensions grows less every year. In fact very few on our list express any hopes of securing one. Under these circumstances we are compelled to ask your honorable body for an increased appropriation for the coming year of one-half the increase allowed by the law of last winter. This law allows County Boards to levy for the soldiers relief fund two-fifths of one mill instead of one-fifth of one mill as previously. This would make the amount we ask for \$4500.00 in place of \$3000 as at present.

We think you will appreciate the justice of this claim, if you will refer to each individual allowance for the past year, or visit the families, or some of the widows with six to seven children who with poor health are compelled to take in washing and to go out and work by the day, that they may be able to send their children to school and to provide them with house, food and clothing. Is seventy-five cents per week sufficient for such families? We leave it to the candid judgment of your honorable body.

Respectfully Yours,

T. S. ALLEN, Prest.

C. G. LUTTMAN, Sec'y.

Soldiers' Relief Commission.

On motion of Supervisor Warwick the report was accepted and referred to committee on Finance.

"CONCURRENT INSURANCE SLIPS."

Supervisor Cook read and submitted the following resolution:

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

Your committee on Public Buildings being informed that the Insurance policies on County property are now written in such form as to create trouble in settlement in case of loss.

Therefore be it resolved by this County Board that a special committee be appointed by the chairman to draw up a form concurrent, and that the same be printed and presented to the several Insurance agents, and the same attached to all policies now in force or to be hereafter written.

And your committee on Public Buildings would recommend the names of Northrup, Orchard and Kimball as such committee.

Resolution adopted.

On motion by Supervisor Warwick the board adjourned for committee work until 9 A. M.

MORNING SESSION.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis.

Nov. 20, 1889, 9 o'clock A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Chairman Miller presiding.

Present—full Board except Supervisor Tobey.

The minutes of last meeting read, corrected and approved.

Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

Supervisor Warwick moved to reconsider the vote taken on resolution for the purchase of Revised Statutes of 1889. Motion prevailed.

Supervisor Northrup moved to amend the Resolution by stipulating that said Statutes be purchased providing they do not cost to exceed \$3.00 each.

Supervisor Warwick moved to set the time for future consideration of the resolution, for 11 A. M. Nov. 21st.

Supervisor Bushnell moved that further consideration of the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Supervisor Hamilton moved to lay the resolution and amendments on the table, which motion prevailed.

Supervisor Stevens informed the Board that by special request he would present a petition from citizens of Oshkosh recommending one Mr. Scott for the position of Janitor of the Court House.

On motion of Supervisor Loope the petition was referred to Committee on Salaries.

ACCOUNT AGAINST WAUPACA COUNTY.

Supervisor Bushnell submitted and read the following report:

To the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN:—The special committee appointed by you to settle the account of Winnebago County against Waupaca County for the support of a family named Russell,

Would report as follows:

That Waupaca was visited on the 18th inst. and the claim presented to the officers of the Board of Waupaca County. The officers presented the matter to the Board at their evening session, when a committee was appointed to confer with your committee. Said committee gave the information that an investigation had been made of the case and that it was found that the said Russell family came from Neenah, Winnebago County in the spring of 1880 and soon called for assistance, and that assistance and help had been given said family from time to time until they left the county and that no continuous year passed without their receiving aid and therefore they did not gain a residence in Waupaca County. The committee set forth substantially the above facts in their report to the Board at their meeting on the 19th inst. and recommended that the account of Winnebago County be not allowed.

And your special committee would therefore recommend that said account against Waupaca County be cancelled.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

M. C. BUSHNELL.

On motion the report was unanimously adopted.

On motion Board adjourned for Committee work until 9

A. M.

MORNING SESSION.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis.,
Nov. 21, 1889, 9 o'clock A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Chairman Miller presiding.

Present—full Board.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

On motion of Supervisor Schoetz the Committee on Jurors was instructed to obtain the opinion of the District Attorney on the legality of present proceedings in drawing jurors.

Petition from Silas Bullard for the cancellation of Tax certificates read and referred to committee on Illegal Assessments.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON SALARIES.

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

The undersigned Committee who were appointed to fix the salaries of Superintendent of Poor, County Physician, and Janitor of the Court House, to be elected at the present session of the County Board; also for all county officers to be elected in the year 1890, recommend that the salaries per annum of all officers hereinafter mentioned, to be as follows, to-wit:

County Clerk	\$1200.	
County Sheriff	2500,	which shall be in lieu for all services rendered Winnebago County by the Sheriff, Under Sheriff, his deputies and Jailors, and for all services for which the County would be liable.
County Treasurer	1200.	
County District Attorney	1000.	
County Sup't of Schools	1000,	and \$100 for stationery, etc.
County Janitor	600.	
County Physician	400,	for all ordinary work and services to be rendered the County, at Poor House, Asylum, and County Jail.
County Sup't of Poor	800.	
Matron for Poor and Insane	200.	
All of which is respectfully submitted.		

M. M. SCHOETZ,
 CHAS. MORGAN,
 C. C. VOSBURG,
 THOS. J. BOWLES,
 E. E. STEVENS.

The report on salaries for the various County Officers, being taken up separately, amended, and upon call of ayes and noes fixed in the following sums:

County Clerk, \$1200.
County Sheriff, for all services as per report, \$2500.
County District Attorney, \$800.
County Superintendent of Schools, \$910.
County Janitor of Court House, \$600.
County Physician, \$400.
Superintendent of County Farm, \$800.
Matron of County Farm, \$200.

TO COLLECT ACCOUNT DUE FOR INSANE.

Supervisor Loope submitted the following Resolution and moved its adoption, which motion unanimously prevailed.

Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

That the District Attorney be instructed to secure a judgment and proceed to make collection of the amount recovered against Mr. Cornelius Newman, of Clemansville, for care of his insane daughter.

ELECTION OF COUNTY OFFICERS.

The time having arrived for special business set for this hour, to-wit: The election of County Officers, Supervisor Schoetz moved to elect the officers in the following order: Trustees for Insane, Sup't of County Farm, Matron for County Farm, County Physician, and Janitor of Court House. Motion prevailed.

The Chairman appointed Supervisors Eaton and Broderick as tellers.

On motion of Supervisor Warwick the Board proceeded to an informal ballot for Trustee of Insane.

On informal ballot the total number of votes cast was 33 as follows: 9 for Northrup, 2 for Keevil, 12 for Cook, 7 for Krueger, 2 for Vosburg, and 1 for C. Morgan.

On first formal ballot the vote stood as follows: Northrup 13, Cook 13, Krueger 4, Vosburg 2, C. Morgan 1.

On second formal ballot the vote stood: Northrup 16, Cook 16, Vosburg 1.

On third formal ballot the vote stood: Northrup 18, Cook 14, Keevil 1.

The Chairman declared Supervisor Northrup Trustee-elect for the term of three years.

On informal ballot for Superintendent of Poor and Insane the total number of votes cast was 33, of which Thos. Hough received 26, M. R. Henry 3, and B. W. Eaton 4.

Supervisor Warwick moved to declare ballot formal and Mr. Hough elected, which motion prevailed.

On motion by Supervisor Schoetz the Board elected Mrs. Thos. Hough as Matron of County Poor and Insane, by acclamation.

On informal ballot for County Physician, the total number of votes cast was 33, of which W. A. Gordon received 30, J. B. Noyes 2, and blank 1.

Dr. Gordon having received a majority of votes cast, on motion by Supervisor Stevens the ballot was declared formal and W. A. Gordon elected.

Supervisor Cook placed in nomination the name of Chas. Jeshke for Janitor of Court House.

On informal ballot for Janitor the whole number of votes cast was 33, of which Chas. Jeshke received 26, Fred Burgess 6, and C. W. Cook 1.

On motion the ballot was declared formal and Chas. Jeshke elected Janitor for the ensuing year.

On motion of Supervisor Schoetz the Board adjourned for committee work until 9 A. M.

MORNING SESSION.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis.
Nov. 22, 1889, 9 o'clock A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Chairman Miller presiding.

Present—full Board.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

TRUSTEES FOR INSANE REPORT.

Supervisor Loope submitted the following report, which on motion was accepted and adopted:

To the Honorable Chairman and Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis.
GENTLEMEN;—Your Trustees beg leave to report that they have met and organized by electing T. E. Loope Chairman, and C. P. Northrup Secretary. We then proceeded to appoint Thos. Hough Sup't of Insane Asylum, W. A. Gordon Physician for Insane, and Mrs. Thos. Hough Matron of Asylum.

Chairman Miller to whom was referred the matter of procuring telephone connections with the county farm, reported that he had been unable to make arrangements with the Telephone company, owing to the unauthorized expense connected therewith.

Supervisor Cook moved that the committee on Poor be instructed to procure estimates of cost of telephone connections with the county farm, and report their findings to the Board at its present session.

Supervisor Bushnell moved to amend by referring the matter to Trustees for Insane. The amendment was accepted and motion prevailed.

APPROPRIATION TO C. G. LUTTMAN.

Supervisor Northrup offered the following resolution:
Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:
That an appropriation of \$25 be, and is hereby granted to C. G. Luttman for

services rendered as Secretary of the Commission for Relief of Indigent Soldiers.

On motion to adopt, and on call of ayes and noes the resolution was adopted by 25 ayes to 6 noes.

On motion by Supervisor Huxley the Board adjourned for committee work until 9 A. M.

MORNING SESSION.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis., Nov. 23, 1889, 9 o'clock A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Chairman Miller presiding.

Present—full Board.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

OPINION BY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

District Attorney Fitzgibbon being present, read and submitted his opinion on claim of Seward Wood.

On motion same was referred to Committee on General Accounts.

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

GENTLEMEN:—I am requested, by this honorable body, to give my construction to the Statute, in relation to the list or selection of jurors by this body.

Section 2526 of Sanborn & Berryman's annotated Statute, provides that the Supervisors of the several towns, the Trustees of the several villages which constitute one or more separate election districts, at general elections, and the aldermen in each ward in the several cities, except the counties particularly mentioned and described in Section 2529, of same Statutes, shall, within thirty days after the first Monday in May of each year, make out from the last poll list of such town, village or ward, a list containing the names of not less than ten nor more than twenty persons—i. e. the alderman of such ward, the trustees of a village, the supervisors of the town shall each make out a list containing the names of not less than ten nor more than twenty persons, believed to be qualified to act as jurors. Such list shall be certified respectively by the said respective officers making the same, and immediately forwarded by mail or otherwise, to the county clerks of their respective counties, which clerks shall file the same in their offices and lay the same before the County Boards of their respective counties at their annual meeting; then, after this shall have been done Section 2527 of the same Statutes provides that the county board shall select from such lists the names of 140 persons to serve as petit jurors, and 75 as grand jurors in the county for the ensuing year, and make a list of the same; but the same Section provides that through any neglect of town board, board of trustees, or aldermen to make and return such list to the County Clerk, or enough of said jurors, the county board shall supply the deficiency, by selecting as nearly as practicable, in equal portions from the poll list of the last general election in such towns, villages and wards as shall have so failed to return such lists, the number required of names of persons known to be qualified. Such lists so made shall be signed by the Chairman of the County Board and to be forthwith delivered to the clerk of the Circuit Court. Section 2528 of the same statutes provides that the failure of any of the supervisors, trustees or aldermen to return to the county clerk a list of names as in above sections required, shall not render invalid any list of jurors otherwise regularly selected by the County Board.

So I think if you do not have any other session of the County Board until March, it will be too late to get a list of jurors in the manner provided by these Sections. Too great care and attention cannot be given to the selection of jurors in the manner provided by Statute.

However, I think the County Board had better make a list immediately, of jurors to serve for the ensuing year, following the Statutes as near as they can, selecting such men as they think are fit to serve and have the Chairman (after such list shall have been approved by the County Board) sign it and deliver the original list (not copy) to the Clerk of the Circuit Court.

Respectfully submitted.

HENRY FITZGIBBON.

On motion report was accepted.

ANNOTATED STATUTES.

Supervisor Loope moved to instruct the County Treasurer to purchase eight copies of Sanborn & Berryman's Annotated Statutes for the use of the Chairman of the County Board, County Treasurer, District Attorney, County Clerk, Register of Deeds, County Judge, Sheriff, and Clerk of Courts, and that the Chairman and Clerk draw a County Order for the payment of such Statutes, the said Statutes to be turned over to their successors in office.

Supervisor Warwick moved to limit the number to seven copies, by excluding the County Treasurer. Motion lost.

On call of ayes and noes on the original motion, the same prevailed by 27 ayes to 6 noes.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE AND CONSTABLE ACCOUNTS.

Supervisor Schoetz from Committee on Justice and Constable Accounts submitted their report as follows:

To the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Justice and Constable Accounts beg leave to report that 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.

M. M. SCHOETZ, Ch'n,
 J. W. TOBEY,
 C. A. ROBINSON,
 THOS. J. BOWLES,
 M. P. BRODERICK,
 J. W. MORGAN,
 C. SCHEIN, Committee.

Dated Nov. 23, 1889.

Name.	Nature of Account.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Name.	Nature of Account.	Claimed.	Allowed.
Wesley Mott.....	Justice fees.....	\$ 54 00	\$ 54 00	E. T. Sheldon.....	Officer Fees.....	40 10	40 10
Lowell Stowe.....	".....	138 80	138 80	Rob't Doyle.....	".....	1 95	1 95
J. W. Barlow.....	".....	105 94	106 34	T. Haley.....	".....	8 00	8 06
".....	".....	1 80	1 80	Henry Frohrib.....	".....	23 57	23 57
F. D. McCabe.....	".....	297 90	297 90	Hulbert Damuth.....	Conveyance.....	3 00	3 00
".....	".....	1 80	1 80	Dan Lynch.....	Officer Fees.....	37 02	37 02
Chas. Oellerich.....	".....	845 39	845 39	R. H. Bingham.....	Inquest fees.....	5 00	5 00
K. W. Ryckman.....	".....	253 44	253 44	D. Elish.....	".....	3 52	3 52
N. Frank.....	".....	13 90	13 90	D. B. Jones.....	".....	5 00	5 00
Gas. H. Jones.....	".....	11 35	11 35	G. A. Mueller.....	".....	17 41	17 41
J. H. Merrill.....	Court Com'r.....	177 54	176 58	B. C. Gudden.....	".....	15 00	15 00
Geo. W. Sawyer.....	Officer Fees.....	4 73	4 73	W. A. Gordon.....	".....	10 00	10 00
".....	".....	233 16	233 16	I. C. Noyes.....	".....	10 00	10 00
".....	".....	32 08	32 08	Halvor Hostell.....	Officer Fees.....	2 40	2 40
".....	".....	55 19	55 19	Fred Meyer.....	".....	4 00	4 00
".....	".....	7 70	6 72	".....	".....	23 68	23 68
R. J. Weisbrod.....	".....	42 10	42 10	Mike Golden.....	".....	3 90	3 90
David Roessler.....	".....	167 33	167 33	L. Webster.....	Justice Fees.....	4 20	4 20
".....	".....	210 59	210 59	City of Oshkosh.....	Board'g tramps to 4	12 00	104 12
".....	".....	22 25	22 25	G. W. Dodge.....	Inquest fees.....	5 83	5 83
".....	".....	4 77	4 77	Before D. B. Jones, J. P.			
".....	".....	190 36	190 36	J. G. Price.....	Juror fees.....	1 12	1 12
".....	".....	49 70	49 70	P. G. Grinnell.....	".....	1 36	1 36
A. Dillmore.....	".....	32 35	32 15	John Ersenhart.....	".....	1 12	1 12
".....	".....	35 20	35 20	Henry Clawson.....	".....	1 12	1 12
John Arft.....	".....	7 10	7 10	Albert Mankee.....	".....	1 36	1 36
A. F. Haertl.....	".....	8 50	8 50	H. A. Gilbert.....	".....	1 36	1 36
".....	".....	75 34	75 34	Before F. D. McCabe, J. P.			
Fred Burgess.....	".....	55 00	55 00	Michael Melki.....	Witness fees.....	83	83
John Cowling.....	".....	9 75	9 75	Wilmer Dickerson.....	".....	83	83
".....	".....	31 35	31 35	W. Hodges.....	".....	83	83
W. W. Neff.....	".....	41 06	41 06	Venonna Trienski.....	".....	3 33	3 33
".....	".....	38 75	38 75	Anna Trienski.....	".....	2 33	2 33
Wm. W. Turner.....	".....	3 60	3 60	Anna Schelenski.....	".....	2 58	2 58
Henry Gudden.....	".....	34 63	34 63	Wm. Bubholtz.....	Interpreter fee.....	1 08	1 08
T. Haley.....	".....	8 06	8 06	Anna Schelenski.....	Witness fees.....	1 08	1 08
Burt Donnelly.....	".....	1 00	1 00	Anna Trienski.....	".....	2 58	2 58
Joseph Burster.....	".....	8 70	8 70	Venonna Trienski.....	".....	2 58	2 58
".....	".....	5 80	2 40	Sarah Hussey.....	".....	83	83
J. B. Ragatz.....	".....	67 67	67 65	Maggie Hussey.....	".....	83	83
John Melcher.....	".....	14 86	14 86	John Kotski.....	".....	83	83
".....	".....	15 13	13 13	F. W. Bubholtz.....	".....	83	83
Sam Cutts.....	".....	8 94	8 94	Nellie Demerest.....	".....	83	83
".....	".....	22 19	22 19	Wm. Bubholtz.....	Juror fees.....	1 58	1 58
W. N. Conover.....	".....	3 24	3 24	John Clovis.....	".....	1 58	1 58
".....	".....	16 50	16 50	John Rosch.....	".....	1 58	1 58
Con McCusker.....	".....	19 38	18 88	C. F. Augustine.....	".....	1 58	1 58
".....	".....	5 92	5 92	J. C. Koelch.....	".....	1 58	1 58
A. F. Haertl.....	".....	72 15	72 15	Louis Schubert.....	".....	1 58	1 58
J. B. Covey.....	".....	10 20	9 20	Joseph Rhimer.....	Witness fees.....	83	83
James E. Casey.....	".....	46 28	46 28	John Melcher.....	".....	83	83
".....	".....	2 52	2 52	Philip Michael.....	".....	83	83
J. B. Ragatz.....	".....	26 10	26 10	Joseph Melcher.....	".....	83	83
Christ Oleson.....	".....	5 42	5 42	David Roessler.....	".....	83	83
R. J. Weisbrod.....	".....	10 70	15 70	John Melcher.....	".....	83	83
John Jones.....	".....	12 85	12 85	W. Y. Wentworth.....	".....	3 75	3 75
R. Doyle.....	".....	7 62	7 62	Geo. Stein.....	".....	1 58	1 58
Christ Oleson.....	".....	2 52	2 52	Ettie Lasage.....	".....	83	83
J. C. Howard.....	".....	140 40	140 40	Kate Garnes.....	".....	83	83
Wm. Hogan.....	".....	18 06	18 06	Kate Roessler.....	".....	83	83
Henry Kuntz.....	".....	50 00	50 00	A. Dillmore.....	".....	1 58	1 58
John Lucy.....	".....	1 95	1 95	Geo. Parker.....	".....	83	83
".....	".....	11 89	11 89	Louis Smith.....	".....	83	83

Name.	Nature of Acc't	Allowed.	Name.	Nature of Acc't	Allowed.
Thos. Cavenaugh.	Witness fees	83	Bruno Martin.	Witness fees	3 12
Wm. Schubert	"	83	Chas. Koehn.	"	3 12
John Melcher	"	83	Pearl Davis	"	3 12
David Roessler	"	83	James Foran	"	3 12
Joseph Hyland	"	83	Mrs. C. Scherk	"	3 12
John Planner	"	83	Franciska Kamiske	"	3 12
Wilber Dickinson	"	83	D. M. Bernstein	"	1 06
Levi Humphrey	"	83	J. E. Casey	"	1 06
Edward Liebhouer	"	83	T. H. Haben	"	1 06
Andrew Ward	"	83	Herman Podolski	"	1 06
Sarah Ward	"	83	A. C. Ehrman	"	1 06
Mert Ward	"	83	L. Tobias	"	1 06
Lawrence Merecle	"	83	W. W. Neff	"	1 06
Mary Merecle	"	83	Dan Lynch	"	1 07
A. Austin	"	2 06	Jacob Jascoller	"	1 06
Frank Austin	"	2 06	Chas. Oellerich	"	1 06
I. W. Hunt	"	83	Theo Podolski	"	1 06
Geo. Stein	"	1 58	James Clark	"	1 06
Ettie Lasage	"	83	John Deadlock	"	1 08
Kate Garns	"	83	Louisa Deadlock	"	1 08
Kate Roessler	"	83	John Carleton	"	1 08
M. McDermott	"	83	Maggie Shellhorn	"	1 08
Martin Gaven	"	83	Martha Waltz	"	2 16
W. Sharkey	"	83	Mary Smith	"	2 16
E. W. Vanderburg	"	83	Carrie Sperbeck	"	1 24
T. B. Guag	"	83	Bruno Martin	"	3 16
Wm. Toefler	Interpreter fee	83	James Foran	"	3 16
Amalia Burt	Witness fees	83	Pearl Davis	"	3 16
Willis Russell	"	83	A. Thompson	"	3 16
John Lensdau	"	83	R. J. Weisbrod	"	3 16
Louis Mangold	"	83	John F. Streich	Interpreter fee	3 91
Wm. Miller	"	83	Before James H. Jones, J. P.		
John Planner	"	1 58	Herman Krueger	Witness fees	1 56
John Planner	"	1 58	Gusta Ness	"	1 80
James Feeny	"	83	Hannah Ness	"	1 80
Dora Ellis	"	83	Frank Krueger	"	1 56
John Brick	"	83	Mrs. Chas. Jacobs	"	1 50
J. P. Smith	"	83	Before N. Frank, J. P.		
O. Little	"	2 33	Mary Densmore	Witness fees	83
Chas. Daniels	"	2 33	Gertrude Evens	"	83
J. C. Koelch	"	83	J. T. Orchard	Juror fees	1 10
G. A. Mueller	"	83	S. Leighton	"	1 10
Gus Hunkey	"	83	A. M. Barnett	"	1 10
Thos. Shiffling	"	83	E. D. Wood	"	1 10
F. M. Davis	"	83	A. J. Larabee	"	1 10
A. Dillmore	"	83	Robert Crawford	"	1 10
Edward Holoran	"	83	Ed. Coats	Witness fees	1 10
Maggie Hussey	"	83	Myron Coats	"	1 10
Patt Connors	"	83	G. H. Hatch	"	1 10
Mary Kelly	"	83	J. S. Daniels	"	1 10
Ed. Kratchman	"	1 58	J. F. Ford	"	1 10
Nellie Demerest	"	83	J. Clark	"	83
Geo. Stine	"	1 58	Luther Davis	"	83
Ellen Lasage	"	83	Cornelia Davis	"	83
Kate Garnes	"	83	Before J. W. Barlow, J. P.		
Kate Roessler	"	83	Mary Hanke	Witness fees	1 66
Before L. Webster, J. P.					
Julius Ashby	Juror fees	1 20	Mary Hanke	"	83
T. E. Murphy	"	1 20	Maria Keyes	"	83
R. R. Crone	"	1 20	Maggie Wagner	"	83
G. C. King	"	1 20	F. Wagner	"	1 66
John Frerks	"	1 20	Bridget Wagner	"	1 66
H. Abell	"	1 20	Peter Wagner	"	1 66
O. W. Burns	Witness fees	95	Nick Wagner	"	1 76
H. Hoxtell	"	95	G. A. Mueller	"	83
Mrs. Ladd	"	95	Edward Kretchman	"	4 90
Moses Ladd	"	95	Lanier Kretchman	"	4 90
John Ferks	"	95	Mary Dann	"	83
R. R. Crone	"	95	Joseph Hiland	"	83
Mab Cowen	Interpreter fee	95	John Planner	"	83
Mrs. M. Cowen	Witness fees	95	Dora Ellis	"	83
Before J. H. Merrill, Court Com'r.					
James Casey	Witness fees	1 08	Levi Humphrey	"	83
Patt Gormley	"	1 08	Wilber Dickenson	"	83
Otto Bielke	"	1 08	Ben Ellis	"	83
Eva Hannah	"	1 08	J. P. Smith	"	83
Geo. McCarty	"	1 08	John Jackdowski	"	83
David Abby	"	1 08	Ada Schenki	"	83
Chas. Reif	"	1 08	Edward Wright	"	2 30
Mrs. Henry Smith	"	1 08	Martin Stein	"	2 30
Anna Koff	"	1 08	Christ Brugger	"	3 12
Susan Gormly	"	1 08	Tillie Brugger	"	3 12
			Charley Brugger	"	3 12
			August Ratin	"	3 12

Name.	Nature of Acc't.	Allowed.
Before J. W. Barlow, J. P.		
Chas. Ratlin.....	Witness fees	3 12
Chas. Ratlin.....	"	2 56
August Ratlin.....	"	2 56
David Elliot.....	"	1 66
Joseph J. Crank.....	"	83
Before Wesley Mott, J. P.		
Chas. Thomas.....	Witness fees	83
John Peterson.....	"	83
Wm. Ward.....	"	83
Jas. W. Brown.....	Juror fees	3 00
E. S. Swift.....	"	3 00
L. Zimmerman.....	"	3 00
Wright Smith.....	"	3 00
W. C. Churchill.....	"	3 00
John Peterson.....	"	3 00
J. R. Barnett.....	Witness fees	83
John R. Davis.....	"	83
J. W. Tobey.....	"	83
L. W. Giffin.....	"	83
Julus Rublee.....	"	1 23
Before R. W. Ryckman, J. P.		
Otto Cramer.....	Witness fees	83
Henry Tiffany.....	"	83
Henry Tiffany.....	"	83
R. J. Weisbrod.....	"	83
".....	"	83
".....	"	83
".....	"	83
".....	"	83
Joseph C. Mueller.....	Interpreter fee	83
C. H. Rasey.....	Witness fees	83
Henrietta Froelich.....	"	83
Anna Rasey.....	"	83
F. Froelich.....	"	83
H. Froelich.....	"	83
J. C. Mueller.....	Interpreter fee	83
W. W. Neff.....	Witness fee	83
J. B. Ragatz.....	"	83
W. W. Neff.....	"	83
J. B. Ragatz.....	"	83
W. W. Neff.....	"	83
J. B. Ragatz.....	"	83
L. Schwalm.....	"	83
A. Mendlekow.....	"	83
J. B. Ragatz.....	"	83
".....	"	83
".....	"	83
".....	"	83
".....	"	83
Frank Rooble.....	"	83
John Cowling.....	"	83
J. B. Ragatz.....	"	83
".....	"	83
".....	"	83
Jos Coyusti.....	"	83
W. Rantman.....	"	83
E. Tallant.....	"	83
Chas. Tallant.....	"	83
H. Davis.....	"	83
M. H. O'Brien.....	Juror fees	58
Geo Sclerf.....	"	58
James Kane.....	"	58
Frank Leitz.....	"	58
Wm. Brown.....	"	58
Otto Siefert.....	Witness fees	58
H. Menkenger.....	"	83
Henry Abrahams.....	"	83
Louis Schwalm.....	"	83
A. Henkle.....	"	83
Wm. Sherfence.....	"	1 79
John Talaker.....	"	1 79
Amelia Fiedler.....	"	83
Jacob Zweike.....	"	83
Juhus Sabot.....	"	83
Anna Sabot.....	"	83
W. Y. Wentworth.....	"	8 80
John Melcher.....	"	4 80
J. C. Mueller.....	Juror fees	3 68
Hulbert Damuth.....	"	3 68
John Barkman.....	"	3 68
Geo. Blanchard.....	"	3 68
Charles Maulick.....	"	3 68

Name.	Nature of Acc't.	Allowed.
Louis Tobias.....	Juror fees	3 68
Albert Klenschmidt.....	Witness fees	83
Isaac Smith.....	"	83
C. W. Oviatt.....	"	83
B. C. Gudden.....	"	83
Mrs. J. H. Kenny.....	"	83
Wm. Gebauer.....	"	83
Thos. Damuth.....	Juror fees	1 08
J. C. Howard.....	"	1 08
Phillip Blake.....	"	1 08
Oliver Pretty.....	"	1 08
Hulbert Damuth.....	"	1 08
A. Lichtenberger.....	"	1 08
Dr. Roos.....	Witness fees	1 33
Dr. Atwood.....	"	1 33
Louis Kassell.....	"	83
Tom Gleason.....	"	83
Christ Elser.....	"	31
Theo. Podolski.....	"	83
C. McCusker.....	"	83
J. E. Ragatz.....	"	83
Paul Manois.....	"	83
James Kenny.....	"	83
".....	"	83
".....	"	83
J. B. Ragatz.....	"	83
Con McCusker.....	"	83
Theo. Podolski.....	"	83
Paul Manois.....	"	83
Before Lowel Stowe, J. P.		
J. W. Brown.....	Appraiser fees	3 20
N. S. Jones.....	"	3 20
Thos. Sherry.....	"	3 20
N. S. Jones.....	"	2 00
J. W. Brown.....	"	4 00
Peter Prebenson.....	Witness fees	2 74
John Peterson.....	"	2 74
Jennie Bernster.....	"	2 74
Kate Bernster.....	"	2 74
James Brown.....	"	83
Gus Larsen.....	"	83
G. Kalfahs.....	Interpreter fee	58
Louisa Nickleson.....	Witness fees	1 66
John Williams.....	"	1 66
Sophia Sherman.....	"	1 66
Andrew Zemlock.....	"	1 66
August Angel.....	"	1 66
Fred Wittpins.....	"	83
Wallace Jack.....	"	99
John Nickolson.....	"	1 66
Reuben Parker.....	"	83
Geo. W. Sawyer.....	"	83
Will Neighbour.....	"	83
Hans Nelson.....	"	83
R. H. Klinke.....	"	83
A. Austin.....	"	1 31
Frank Austin.....	"	1 31
Before Chas. Oellerich, J. P.		
W. Brown.....	Juror fees	50
J. C. Snell.....	"	50
H. L. Bedient.....	"	50
E. P. Stevens.....	"	50
Thos Montgomery.....	"	50
E. S. Hayden.....	"	83
T. R. Goe.....	"	83
H. L. Crozier.....	"	1 07
J. W. Crozier.....	"	83
Louis Tobias.....	Interpreter fee	1 08
Carl Klabunde.....	Witness fees	1 91
Johanna Klabunde.....	"	1 91
Theresa Klabunde.....	"	1 91
Ida Klabunde.....	"	1 91
Mary Radke.....	"	1 16
Dan Lynch.....	"	83
Rudolph Zweiky.....	"	83
R. J. Weisbrod.....	"	83
".....	"	83
Chas Jaeschki.....	"	83
J. E. Casey.....	"	83
R. J. Weisbrod.....	"	83
J. B. Ragatz.....	"	83
Henry Frohrib.....	"	83

Name.	Nature of Acc't	Allowed.	Name.	Nature of Acc't.	Allowed.
	Before Chas. Oellerich J. P.		Chas. Perrin	Witness fees	83
Henry Frohrib	Witness fees	83	J. B. Ragatz	"	83
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	"	"	83
Mrs. C. Kathin	"	83	"	"	83
Clara Kathin	"	83	"	"	83
Ole Oleson	"	83	"	"	83
P. Frederickson	"	66	John Cowling	"	83
John Kolf	"	81	"	"	83
Ralph Ziegerhagen	"	66	"	"	83
John Wright	"	83	"	"	83
Elizabeth Buck	"	96	E. E. Brown	"	83
R. R. Buck	"	96	A. Holmes	"	91
Wm. Carrick	"	83	Dewey Lane	"	91
Chas Thompson	"	83	L. Fletcher	"	91
Mrs. G. Bridge	"	83	Chas. Handley	"	91
"	"	83	A. H. Turner	"	83
Chas Thompson	"	83	Chas. Thompson	"	83
Wm Carrick	"	83	J. B. Ragatz	"	83
Mrs. G. Bridge	"	83	John Cowling	"	83
"	"	83	"	"	83
W. W. Neff	"	83	W. W. Neff	"	83
Wm Hogan	"	83	John Cowling	"	83
John Cowling	"	83	"	"	83
Matilda Zeller	"	83	Pridget Coorer	"	83
Victoria Zeller	"	83	Susan Jones	"	83
Frank Zeller	"	83	Elizabeth Barnett	"	83
Mary Heinn	"	83	Geo. Wilson	"	83
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	Jennie Walter	"	83
P. R. Barnes	"	83	Fred Meyer	"	83
J. T. Ozanne	"	83	J. B. Ragatz	"	83
John Harrington	"	83	Paulina Gebauer	"	83
Miss C J Stilson	"	83	H. L. Hughes	"	66
Geo Kilbey	"	83	Charley Bell	"	66
"	"	83	Ruth Taylor	"	66
W W Neff	"	83	Rosa Taylor	"	66
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	John Cowling	"	83
Dan Lynch	"	83	Frank Stepps	"	83
U. T. Sanborn	"	83	J. B. Ragatz	"	83
Eddie Schirk	"	83	"	"	83
Eddie Miller	"	83	Mrs. J. McArthur	"	83
James Bridge	"	83	John Cowling	"	83
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	John B. Howe	"	83
W. W. Neff	"	83	S. W. Summerfeldt	"	83
Mary Balcuck	"	74	Annie Hando	"	83
John Cowling	"	83	H. L. Bacon	"	83
H. L. Bedient	Juror fees	58	"	"	83
Conrad Schuri	"	58	Otto Smith	"	83
Geo. Croft	"	58	Clara Peiper	"	83
Joe Staudenraus	"	58	Ettie Peiper	"	83
J. L. Yansy	Witness fees	66	Jane Weed	"	83
John Oleson	"	83	J. B. Ragatz	"	83
Wm. Mainland	"	83	Alice Pitts	"	83
Geo. Dubois	"	83	Mike Stopper	"	83
"	"	83	Geo. Rudd	"	83
"	"	83	L. Littlefield	"	83
"	"	83	Rosa Bungal	"	71
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	Henry Bungal	"	71
Dan Lynch	"	83	Ida Rosa	"	83
F. Firnstahl	"	12 08	Albert Rosa	"	83
F. Bahr	"	72	John Cowling	"	83
John M. Specht	"	11 00	Ida Rosa	"	66
W. W. Neff	"	83	Albert Rosa	"	66
John Cowling	"	83	Louis Rosa	"	66
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	M. E. Corbett	"	08
John Cowling	"	83	Frank Vosburg	"	83
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	James Doyle	"	83
"	"	83	L. Meyer	Juror fees	1 20
"	"	83	Peter Nekoli	"	1 20
P. P. Mueller	"	83	E. A. Horn	"	1 20
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	Carlton Foster	"	1 20
W. W. Neff	"	83	August Laabs	"	1 20
"	"	83	Henry Marherne	"	1 20
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	Burt Hough	"	1 40
Chas. Daemel	"	83	Phillip Blake	"	1 40
John Cowling	"	99	W. Jagger	"	1 40
"	"	83	Matt Carrigan	"	1 40
"	"	83	James Sillingheir	"	1 40
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	A. E. Kripene	"	1 40
John Lucy	"	83	Phillip Blake	"	2 20
H. Gudden	"	83	A. C. Nelte	"	2 20
J. Cowling	"	83	F. Smidt	"	2 20
Emma Holmes	"	83	A. H. Demicke	"	2 20
L. D. Goldberg	"	83			

Name.	Nature of Acc't.	Allowed.	Name.	Nature of Acc't.	Allowed.
J. F. Harnish	Juror fees	2 20	Wm. Fisk	Witness fees	83
James Hanson	"	2 20	J. B. Ragatz	"	83
Harriet Dougherty	Witness fees	75	Henry Frohrib	"	83
Frank Kolaski	"	83	G. A. Hartfield	"	83
E. Schloerb	"	83	Willie Sanders	"	83
Fred Schloerb	"	83	J. B. Ragatz	"	83
Theo. Charbonneau	"	83	"	"	83
John Cowling	"	83	John Cowling	"	83
C. H. Damuth	"	83	"	"	83
Frankie Lake	"	83	H. Gudden	"	83
Annie Perry	"	83	Mrs. Mary Flynn	"	83
G. W. Briggs	Juror fees	3 20	H. Gudden	"	83
Wm. Ferrick	"	3 20	"	"	83
J. Staudenraus	"	3 20	Loui Blechel	"	83
Philip Blake	"	3 20	Frank Kollwoss	"	83
J. E. C. Beirne	"	3 20	Matt Ratzack	"	83
W. Harthorne	"	3 20	Joe Burster	"	83
Sam Roby	Witness fees	1 66	Mable Spaulding	"	83
Wm. Ferrick	"	1 66	Pauline Waterman	"	1 08
Fred Philster	"	1 66	Polly Rothman	"	1 08
Wm. Spikes	"	83	Lizzie Rothman	"	91
M. Guth	"	83	Mary Dobbs	"	83
W. W. Neff	"	83	E. E. Wright	Juror fees	3 20
H. Frohrib	"	83	Geo. Schloerb	"	3 20
J. C. Noyes	"	83	Albert Schloerb	"	3 20
B. C. Gudden	"	83	E. W. Miller	"	3 20
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	D. B. Lawrence	"	3 20
John Cowling	"	83	Florin Lampert	"	3 20
"	"	83	P. Blake	"	2 40
Martin Wolverton	Juror fee	1 00	Wm. Spikes	"	2 40
W. O. Stevens	"	1 00	J. Staudenraus	"	2 40
Chas. Damuth	"	1 00	H. Baumessell	"	2 40
M. A. Searl	"	1 00	J. F. Streich	"	2 40
Wm. Wyman	"	1 00	F. Zentner	"	2 40
Christ. Saura, Jr.	Interpreter	50	R. A. Bingham	"	83
Kate Abrahams	Witness fee	83	W. A. Gorden	"	83
Lena Neuman	"	83	Frank Percy	"	83
Carrie Stevens	"	83	Mrs. E. Pike	"	83
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	Mary Hicks	"	83
A. Golla	"	83	Andrew Morgan	"	83
James Embs, Sr.	"	83	J. H. Webb	"	83
C. Donnelly	"	83	A. A. Klinkersmuth	"	11 95
Dan Lynch	"	83	H. Schutt	"	11 95
Chas. Baus	"	83	Frank Thielen	"	83

On motion to adopt the report and on call of ayes and noes the same was unanimously adopted.

Supervisor Krueger moved a time be set for the discussion of improvements on the County Farm Buildings, and that such time be set for 10 A. M. Nov. 25. Motion prevailed.

Supervisor Reinert moved the reconsideration of resolution appropriating \$25 to C. G. Luttman, as passed by the Board Nov. 22.

Supervisor Huxley moved to lay the motion for reconsideration on the table, which motion prevailed.

On motion by Supervisor Schoetz the Board adjourned for committee work until 10 A. M. Nov. 25.

MORNING SESSION.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis.,
Nov. 25, 1889, 10 o'clock A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Chairman Miller presiding.

Present—full Board except supervisor Tobey.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

The time set for special business having arrived, Supervisor Krueger informed the Board that several improvements were needed at the County Farm such as buildings and drains.

Supervisor Arnold recommended that a water pipe be connected with the State Hospital water works, provided such arrangements could be made.

On motion by Supervisor Loope to appoint a Committee on Bonds, the Chairman appointed Supervisors Loope and Eaton to assist him in the examination of official bonds.

RESOLUTION ON JUSTICE FEES.

Supervisor Schoetz offered the following resolution:

Whereas it appears from the Charter of the city of Neenah, that their Justices of the Peace of said city are required by said charter to pay certain fines collected by them into the city treasury, and if the fine is not paid then the costs are charged and taxed up against Winnebago County,

Be it Therefore Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County: That the justices of said city of Neenah are hereby required to furnish a correct statement of all fines collected by them as by statute in such cases made and provided.

On motion resolution was accepted and referred to District Attorney.

On motion by Supervisor Orchard the Board adjourned for committee work until 9 A. M.

MORNING SESSION.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis.

Nov. 26, 1889, 9 o'clock A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Chairman Miller presiding.

Present—full Board.

The minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

TRUSTEES ON INSANE REPORT.

Supervisor Loope from Trustees on Insane, submitted their report, which on motion and call of ayes and noes was unanimously adopted:

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

The Trustees of Winnebago County Asylum hereby submit the following report: The total number of inmates in the County Asylum the past year has been 77, of these 3 have died and one has been discharged. Committed by County Judge 4; number of inmates Sept 30, 1888, was 73; number remaining Oct. 31, 1889 was 73. Of these 64 are from Winnebago county; 7 are from Racine county, and two from Portage county.

Earnings from the State.....	\$4767 33
“ “ other counties	1480 55
Paid County Clerk by individuals.....	444 00
Due from Miranda Herman fund.....	60 00
“ “ Mary Schaub fund	156 00
“ “ F. Kolb fund	11 14

Total

\$6919 02

Total cost of insane, including Sup't and Physician's salaries and two-thirds of the total expenses of County House.....

5154 32

Leaving a balance on this basis of.....

\$1764 70

The Superintendent adds in his report, to this as due from cities and towns \$1316 14, but as this is for support of paupers we have eliminated it.

The Trustees have examined and audited bills amounting to \$6731 49.

We have good reason to believe, from personal supervision that the inmates are kindly and conscientiously cared for by the management. We believe that the greatest kindness and the utmost tenderness consistent with a well regulated institution should be exercised toward these unfortunate members of our body politic.

All of them, with barely an exception are exiled forever from home and family and all associations that make one's existence worth living. They are placed among others whose life is intellectually as blighted as their own, and it would seem to anyone who might reflect on their terrible fate, that the utmost tenderness, the fullest comforts and the brightest surroundings we can give, is but a poor, a meagre substitute for the companionship of family and friends which make up so much of the pleasure of life for us, and which is forever lost to them. Every city, hamlet and town has its representative in that charnal house of blighted lives—the County Asylum. Once there, and the bright aspirations of youth, the high hopes of mature life, and the home comforts and tender memories of old age, are blotted out, and with lustreless eyes and idiotic grimaces they drag out their dimless lives until death, kinder and more considerate of their woe than anything else in nature, gives sweet release.

Let us then give our best energies toward alleviating their condition. Who knows how soon we may become beneficiaries of our own generosity?

The probability in the near future of building a separate Asylum has been often discussed by your Trustees. The question of location is often raised with some diversity of opinion. If a new site is not purchased the question of drainage becomes at once important, and to that question we wish to call your earnest attention. With drainage it is possible to build on the present location; without drainage it would be impracticable.

We are firmly of the belief that it would be good strong horse sense for this county to build a new Asylum, or if the consent of the State Board of Charities could be secured, to enlarge and modernize our present buildings so that we might accommodate the maximum number of insane allowed by the State Board. A few figures gives force to this idea. Brown county for care of insane 98 inmates, receives from State and counties \$10335 50; Dodge county for 100 inmates \$10548 47; Fond du Lac county for 97 inmates \$11468 82; Grant county for 104 inmates \$12681 19; Iowa county 96 inmates \$12335 54.

The total cost to us for support of paupers and insane on an average of 105 inmates is only \$7731 49, so that we might be reasonably sure of a surplus of from \$3000 to \$5000 per year, which would soon pay for an elaborate Asylum. The fact that even with these figures, it costs less than one-half what it requires to maintain the insane in the State Hospital would insure a full house all the time.

Gentlemen of the County Board, with these figures before us, is it not policy to make a move in this matter inasmuch as the Board of Charities are urging us to do so? The Committee on Poor Farm having taken steps toward recommending some addition to the present buildings we will leave the subject for them to propose.

Respectfully submitted.

T. E. LOOPE,
L. M. MILLER,
JESSE KEVIL,

Trustees of Co. Asylum.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON POOR AND POOR FARM.

Supervisor Krueger from Committee on Poor and Poor Farm submitted their report as follows:

To the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Poor and Poor Farm beg leave to report that 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.

A. H. F. KRUEGER,
T. E. LOOPE,
J. W. HART,
CHAS. MORGAN,
B. W. EATON, Committee.

Dated, November 26, 1889.

NAME.	NATURE OF ACCOUNT.	CLAIMED.	ALLOWED.
Town of Poygan.....	Support non-resident poor.....	\$ 19 00	\$ 19 00
" " Omro.....	" " " ".....	38 50	38 50
" " Rushford.....	" " " ".....	30 00	30 00
City of Oshkosh.....	" " " ".....	578 60	572 10
	Paid to Alexian Bros. Hospital for Geo. Doak non-resident.....	75 00	75 00
City of Neenah.....	Support non-resident poor.....	196 88	196 88
" " Menasha.....	" " " ".....	23 03	23 09
W. A. Gordon.....	Medical attendance at Poor Farm.....	70 00	70 00
J. A. Bauman & Co.....	Medicine for Poor Farm.....	23 85	23 85
Thos. J. Bowles.....	Transportation of pauper.....	6 90	6 90
E. W. Cole.....	Services for County Poor.....	50 00	50 00
John Fitzgibbon.....	" " " ".....	20 00	20 00
C. A. Robinson.....	" " " ".....	15 00	15 00

Your Committee further report that they have examined the accounts and vouchers of Superintendent Thomas Hough and compared them with the monthly reports, and find them correct, and we also find that there is due Winnebago county:

From the State for care of its own insane.....	\$ 4767 83
Amount due from Miranda Herman fund.....	60 00
" " " Mary Schaub fund.....	156 43
" " " Racine county.....	1145 31
" " " Portage county.....	335 24
" " " Fred Kolb estate.....	11 14

Total amount due for care of insane..... \$ 6475 95

The amount due from towns and cities to the County for support of poor is as follows:

City of Oshkosh.....	\$ 663 25
" " Menasha.....	264 91
" " Neenah.....	85 47
Town of Black Wolf.....	117 06
" " Clayton.....	1 44
" " Omro.....	58 53
" " Wolf River.....	80
" " Utica.....	1 44
" " Nepeuskun.....	8 18
Village of Winneconne.....	117 06

Total due..... 1318 14

Total amount due from all sources..... \$ 7794 09

Your Committee further recommend that an amount not to exceed the sum of \$25 from the appropriations to County Farm be expended for the purpose of such reading matter as the Superintendent may deem for the best interest of the inmates of the County Asylum and Poor House.

We herewith present our estimate of the amount necessary to meet the ordinary expenses of the County Farm Building and Asylum for the year 1890, to-wit:

Subsistence.....	\$ 1500 00
Hired help.....	1750 00
Fuel.....	700 00
Clothing.....	700 00
Medicine.....	110 00
Bedsteads.....	75 00
One new wagon.....	55 00
One span of horses.....	300 00
All other necessaries.....	760 00

\$ 6000 00

Your Committee would therefore recommend that such an amount be provided for that purpose and that the same be paid by the County Treasurer to the County Superintendent of Poor and Poor Farm at the time and in the sums as follows:

January 1, 1890.....	\$ 500 00
April 1, 1890.....	1500 00
July 1, 1890.....	1500 00
October 1, 1890.....	1500 00

Total..... \$ 5000 00

Estimated balance on hand Dec. 1, 1889..... \$ 2097 94

Estimated expenses to Jan'y 1, 1890..... 1097 94

Leaving balance on hand Jan'y 1, 1890..... \$ 1000 00

Making the sum total provided..... \$ 6000 00

On motion by Supervisor Bushnell and on call of ayes and noes the above part of the report was unanimously adopted.

Sec. 2.—Your Committee on Poor and Poor Farm would further recommend that the Superintendent Thos. Hough be, and is hereby instructed to secure plans by architect Waters for the building of a suitable wash house and vegetable cellar, the cost of such buildings not to exceed \$7600. The said buildings to be located on the northwest corner of the insane department, and to be erected under supervision of Superintendent Hough.

Supervisor Tobey moved to adopt the recommended appropriation for wash house and root cellar.

Supervisor Bushnell moved to strike out that portion relating to the employment of architect Waters for plans.

Supervisor Northrup moved to amend by referring the draughting of plans to Committee on Corporation.

Supervisor Bushnell accepted Supervisor Northrup's amendment.

Supervisor Warwick moved to amend by limiting the amount of appropriation to \$1000. On call of ayes and noes Warwick's motion was lost.

The question being on the original recommendation as amended by Supervisors Bushnell and Northrup, which on call of ayes and noes was adopted by 26 ayes to 4 noes. The Chairman declared that portion of the report adopted.

Sec. 3.—The Committee on Poor and Poor Farm would further recommend that a barn be built, size 40 x 60 feet and located 80 feet south of the main barn on a line with same, and to connect said barn with main barn on the west side, by a shed 80 feet long and of suitable width, the whole cost not to exceed eight hundred dollars, said buildings to be erected under supervision of Sup't Hough.

On motion to adopt and on call of ayes and noes the recommendation was adopted by 24 ayes to 8 noes.

Sec. 4.—The Committee would further recommend that Sup't Hough be and is hereby instructed to secure surveys, plans and specifications of cost for the construction of a sewer from the Asylum to Lake Winnebago, and present such plans to the County Board at the March session, 1899.

On motion by Supervisor Warwick and on call of ayes and noes the recommendation was adopted by 21 ayes to 11 noes.

Sec. 5.—The Committee would further recommend that Sup't Hough be instructed to procure a set of extension ladders of suitable length for fire purposes.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

On motion and call of ayes and noes the recommendation was unanimously adopted.

On motion by Supervisor Cook and on call of ayes and noes the report as amended, was adopted by 30 ayes to 1 no; absent, not voting 2.

On motion by Supervisor Cook the Chairman and Clerk was instructed to draw county orders for the payment of appropriations for buildings, surveys, and materials at County Farm, at such times and in such amounts—not to exceed the appropriation—payable to Sup't Thos. Hough upon his presentation of bills for work or materials, duly audited by the Trustees on Insane.

Supervisor Cook moved to refund the amount paid by Mrs. Pat Grimes for care of Pat Grimes at County Hospital, and that the County Clerk be instructed to turn over the amount paid to J. P. Lomas to be so refunded.

On call of ayes and noes motion was unanimously adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Supervisor Cook from Committee on Public Buildings submitted their report, which on motion was taken up and passed by sections, to-wit:

To the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Public Buildings beg leave to report that 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.

C. W. COOK,
W. P. WARWICK,
JOSEPH ARNOLD,
M. C. BUSHNELL,
J. W. TOBEY.

NAME.	NATURE OF ACCOUNT.	CLAIMED.	ALLOWED.
Robert Brand	Furniture, material and labor for Court House	\$ 133 15	\$ 133 15
Webb & Rundle.....	Hardware, " " " " " "	109 03	106 23
K. M. Hutchinson.....	" " " " " " " "	26 25	26 25
Williamson, Libbey Lum'r Co	Materials for Court House.....	15 74	15 74
Kusche & Bro.....	" " " " " " " "	2 00	2 00
J. D. Jillson.....	Gas burners for Court House	65 70	

We recommend that the bill of J. D. Jillson be referred to the Chairman and Clerk of this Board with instructions to draw an order for the amount which may be due upon such number of gas burners as prove satisfactory to those officials in the Court House who are now using them.

On motion and on call of ayes and noes the above report was unanimously adopted.

Sec. 2.—To the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

Gentlemen:—Your Committee on Public Buildings hereby report that they have examined and inquired in reference to the County and Circuit Court records and that they find said records in such a confused condition, that systematic arrangement, filing and indexing is every year becoming more and more necessary and imperative, and that such arrangement would economize in time, room and money.

Your Committee therefore recommend that the Clerk of the Circuit Court, and the Register in Probate be and they are hereby instructed to systematically arrange, file and index all the misarranged records in their respective offices, at a cost not to exceed ten cents for each case therein so arranged; and that each of said officers at the completion of said work, be required to make out an itemized bill for such services with their certified statement that their work has been properly and faithfully done, and present the same to this County Board.

C. W. COOK
W. P. WARWICK,
M. C. BUSHNELL,
JOSEPH ARNOLD,
J. W. TUBKEY, Committee.

Supervisor Hamilton moved to amend the report by striking out that part relating to Probate records, and to adopt the balance of the report, which motion on call of ayes and noes prevailed by 19 ayes to 12 noes.

Section 3 of Report from Committee on Public Buildings read and submitted, and on motion by Supervisor Loope was made the special business for November 27, at 9 A. M.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON JURORS.

Supervisor Kimball from Committee on Jurors submitted their report which on motion was accepted and adopted.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

Your Committee on Jurors respectfully submit the following named persons as qualified to serve as Jurors in the Circuit Court of Winnebago County for the ensuing year, to-wit:

ALGOMA.

Grand—A. B. Wade, J. C. Davis.
Petit—David Howlett, John C. Fuller, Wm. A. Johnson, M. H. Kenfield.

BLACK WOLF.

Grand—Chas. Horn, Fred Gieger.
Petit—Wm. Howlett, W. M. Morgan, G. W. Merritt, Henry Johnson.

CLAYTON.

Grand—Alex McGregor, Isaac Tipler.
Petit—Fred Palmer, Wm. Kinnan, John Nagle, Ed. Hart.

MENASHA.

Grand—B. Freeman, H. C. Verbeck.
Petit—Wm. Gill, John Law, A. D. Page, August Augustine.

NEENAH.

Grand—G. H. Harness, G. C. Jones.
Petit—Mat. Morrirtz, Jackson Tullar, Harold Nelson, A. W. Collins.

NEKIMI.

Grand—Thomas Jones, Peter Clark.
Petit—Hugh Owens, Jr., Thos. C. Lloyd, Richard Abrams, David Price, Albert Cook.

NEPEUSKUN.

Grand—Edward Luker, W. Van Kirk.
Petit—Wm. A. Warren, Jerome Betry, Horace Van Kirk, Geo. Walker, John Jordan.

OSHKOSH.

Grand—Harvey Smith, David Weathersby.
Petit—Arthur Hubbard, W. E. Keese, H. S. Oler, George Plummer, Orvil Rogers.

OMRO.

Grand—F. B. Thrall, L. J. Salverthorn.
Petit—Samuel Reed, Alex Livingston, Thos. Coats, Charles Bunker, E. R. Martin.

POYGAN.

Grand—James Hefferson, Fred Tetgmeir.
Petit—Nelson Alger, Wm. Kinney, Horace Hart.

RUSHFORD.

Grand—A. Matteson, V. H. Wood.
Petit—A. R. Cole, B. F. King, R. M. Lincoln, John Barlis.

UTICA.

Grand—L. J. Miller, M. M. Drew.
Petit—C. R. Holden, Wm. Turrer, Walter Marks, Oscar Miller.

VINLAND.

Grand—Geo. Beardmore, A. T. Cronkhite.
Petit—John Erdman, David Courtney, A. B. Devens, Henry Smili.

WOLF RIVER.

Grand—John Sawall, Joes. Hoffberger.
Petit—Wm. Miller, Wm. Pribbernon, August Riedel, F. Greunhagen.

WINCHESTER.

Grand—Peter Rasmussen, James H. Jones.
 Petit—Wm. M. Jones, P. N. Lund, Julius Oelke,
 S. Cross, Fred Drewes, Jr.

WINNECONNE.

Grand—Chas. Miller, Joseph Meracle.
 Petit—Ole Johnson, Peter Leslie, Geo. Pezter.

WINNECONNE VILLAGE.

Grand—Harry Hull, Andrew Poulson.
 Petit—Wm. Dankie, Henry Halvorson, F. W.
 Stowe, A. W. Peterson.

MENASHA CITY.

FIRST WARD.

Grand—O. J. Hall, G. W. Fay, W. P. Rounds.
 Petit—Frank Keyes, W. Peck, Geo. Seubert, O.
 C. Little, Joe. Goldsborough.

SECOND WARD.

Grand—Val. Landgraf, Philo Hine.
 Petit—Wm. Miller, C. Ladd, P. Luckenback, O.
 A. Keyes.

THIRD WARD.

Grand—E. D. Smith, P. V. Lawson.
 Petit—W. H. Smith, Thos. Strange, Sr., T. D.
 Phillips, Chas. Kloeppel, Wm. Schrage.

FOURTH WARD.

Grand—Henry Trilling, Oscar Grade.
 Petit—Carl Grade, Wm. Arnold, E. Kasel, J. C.
 Linsdaw, John Melchoo.

NEENAH CITY.

FIRST WARD.

Grand—L. C. Porter, D. L. Kimberley.
 Petit—S. T. Krake, N. Demerit, Thos. Cooke,
 Wm. Robinson.

SECOND WARD.

Grand—D. W. Bergstrom, C. W. Howard, Wm.
 Arnemann.
 Petit—H. J. Squires, F. T. Thompson, C. W.
 Johnson, Louis Paul, Wm. Lausing, M. E.
 Sorley, Ed. Williams.

Respectfully submitted.

THIRD WARD.

Grand—Miles Wheeler, Geo. Whiting.
 Petit—Louis Hesse, G. H. Albee, Chester Halsey,
 Otto Jorgensen, Martin Heyward.

FOURTH WARD.

Grand—W. E. Giddings, Peter Baumgarten, An-
 drew Evanson.
 Petit—Geo. Jorgensen, Theodore Nelson, Lawson
 Teal, Henry Dietz, Adam Ehr Gott, Wm. Ayl-
 ward, Jr.

OSHKOSH CITY.

FIRST WARD.

Grand—W. H. Hay, J. P. Gould, J. Staudenrous.
 Petit—A. D. Morgan, John Williamson, E. Wil-
 kinson.

SECOND WARD.

Grand—C. S. Weston, Jas. Kenny.
 Petit—G. M. Hasbruck, H. Konrad, Rob't Jan-
 eicke, Jerry Dickenson.

THIRD WARD.

Grand—J. F. Stroud, J. J. Hay.
 Petit—C. A. Dinsmore, Gustave Bauman, August
 Laabs, J. C. Brockway, R. W. Holmes.

FOURTH WARD.

Grand—G. W. Roe, Robert Campbell.
 Petit—Geo. F. Eastman, Henry Hicks, W. O. Ste-
 vens, F. Powers.

FIFTH WARD.

Grand—H. C. Jewell, C. C. Chase.
 Petit—Frank Aines, J. H. Glass, R. C. Brown, F.
 B. Ives, Geo. Radford.

SIXTH WARD.

Grand—Stilman Stone, A. H. Weeks.
 Petit—Geo. Roe, John Labbs, Anton Giramis, John
 Haase.

L. H. KIMBALL,
 J. W. TOBEY,
 ED. REINERT,
 JOE HART,
 C. C. VOSBURG, Committee.

COMMITTEE ON ILLEGAL ASSESSMENTS REPORT.

Supervisor Hamilton from Committee on Illegal Assessments read and sub-
 mitted their report, which on call of ayes and noes was unanimously adopted.
To the Honorable Chairman and Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis.

The Committee on Illegal Assessments to whom were referred the petitions and matters hereinafter re-
 ferred to, beg leave to report that they have duly considered the same and recommend as follows:

1st—The petition of Silas Bullard for the cancellation of tax certificate No. 512 sale of 1889 of the S½
 except W 66 ft of Lot 12, Block 55 in the city of Menasha, face of certificate \$1.36, for the reason that the
 property was assessed as the S 1-5, but by mistake or otherwise it was returned and sold as the S½. Your
 Committee believe this irregularity renders the sale illegal therefore recommend as the owner of the certificate
 desires it, that said certificate be cancelled and the face thereof \$1.36 together with interest at 7 per
 cent. thereon from date of sale to this date be paid to the holder and petitioner, and that the amount be
 charged back to the city of Menasha.

2d—The petition of J. P. Rasmusen, County Clerk for the cancellation of Tax Certificate No. 290 sale
 of 1889, on the NW 6 1-10 ft of Lot 16, Blk 110 in the 5th ward of the City of Oshkosh, for the reason that
 the owner of the land, one Ferrance McKone paid the tax on this description to the city treasurer and said
 treasurer's receipt is annexed to the petition. As near as we have ascertained the facts it would seem
 that Lot 16 contains 66 1-10 feet, Mr. McKone owning 6 1-10 feet upon which he paid his proportion of
 tax and the holder of the tax certificate, the owner of the other 60 feet did not pay his taxes but on the sale
 of Lot 16 by County Treasurer took a certificate on the NW 6 1-10 feet of said lot or on McKone's land.
 But the certificate is not presented with the petition and we having no knowledge that he would consent to
 its cancellation have concluded that we have no authority to cancel the same and recommend that the re-
 ceipt and petition be referred back to the County Clerk and the receipt to be kept on file.

3d—The petition of Fred'k Abbott for the cancellation of certificate No. 376 sale of 1888 on Lot 15, Blk
 104 in 6th ward, city of Oshkosh, face \$1.38, (said certificate annexed to the petition) for the reason that the
 land described therein is owned and occupied as right of way for the M. I. S & W. R'y. We have in-
 vestigated the matter, and are satisfied that the allegations in the petition are true and therefore recom-

The minutes of last meeting read and approved.

COMMITTEE ON PRINTING REPORT.

Supervisor Bushnell from Committee on Printing submitted their report, which on call of ayes and noes was unanimously adopted as follows:

To the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Printing beg leave to report that 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.

M. C. BUSHNELL,
C. W. DAVIS,
H. E. HUXLEY,
L. H. KIMBALL,
C. SCHEIN, Committee.

Dated Nov. 26, 1889.

NAME.	NATURE OF ACCOUNT.	CLAIMED.	ALLOWED.
A. Barenther	Copying Grantee Index No. 1, 3844 folios.....	\$ 307 52	
Allen & Weidner..	Your Com. find but 2200 folios..... Records for Recorder's office.....	38 50	\$ 176 00 38 50

Your Committee have had under consideration the resolution to print 1000 copies in pamphlet form of the report of the County Superintendent of Schools, and would recommend that it be incorporated in the proceedings of this Board and printed with said proceedings, and not in a separate pamphlet.

Your Committee have, as requested by this Board, investigated the law relating to furnishing booths at election places, and are of the opinion that the law does not contemplate that the County shall furnish such booths.

Chairman Miller entered and took his seat.

Supervisor Schoetz moved that when the Board do adjourn, that they do then adjourn until 9 A. M. Friday, Nov. 29th. Motion lost.

PAYMENT OF SALARIES.

Supervisor Kimball offered the following resolution and moved its adoption, which motion unanimously prevailed.

Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

That the County Physician, Sheriff and Janitor for Court House be paid their salaries quarterly by County Order signed by Chairman and Clerk. All other resolutions heretofore passed by the County Board and conflicting with this resolution are hereby repealed.

L. H. KIMBALL.

BLANKS FOR INDIGENT SOLDIER RELIEF COMMISSION.

On motion of Supervisor Orchard the Clerk was instructed to furnish blanks for the use of the various Supervisors, by which they are to render report of Soldiers needing relief, such blanks to give residence, company, regiment, and number of persons in each family.

On motion by Supervisor Orchard the Board adjourned for committee work until 9 A. M. Nov. 27.

MORNING SESSION.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis.

Nov. 27, 1889, 9 o'clock A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Chairman Miller presiding.

Present—full Board, except Supervisor Tobey.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

COMMITTEE ON HEADSTONES FOR SOLDIERS REPORT.

Supervisor Arnold from Com. on Headstones for Soldiers submitted their report which on call of ayes and noes was unanimously adopted.

The account of L. A. Phetteplace for expense of draying and setting up six headstones to deceased Union Soldiers, amount \$6. The Committee recommended the payment of the account at \$6. Signed by Thos. J. Bowles, Ch'n of Com.

REPORT ON TELEPHONE.

Supervisor Loope from Committee on Telephone, submitted their report stating that arrangements could be made with the telephone company, and recommended that the company be authorized to build a line at a cost to the county not to exceed \$100 and at a rental of \$50 per annum. Also that the said company be allowed the use of teams on County farm for from two to three days while erecting the line.

Supervisor Krueger moved the acceptance and adoption of the report with instructions to District Attorney to draw up a contract in conformity with the agreement by and between the telephone company and the committee on part of County. Motion prevailed by 25 ayes to 5 noes.

Chairman declared motion adopted.

OPINION BY DISTRICT ATTORNEY ON JUSTICE FEES.

To the Honorable County Board of Supervisors:

GENTLEMEN:—Pursuant to the resolution of this body requiring me to look into the city charter of the city of Neenah and ascertain, if possible, whether or not for offences committed for the violation of any provision thereof, when the fine is paid by the defendant, it is covered into the county treasury of this county, and when the defendant does not pay the fine and costs imposed upon him he is committed to the county jail and supported at the expense of the county at large.

I have to state that there is a very peculiar section in the city charter of Neenah, Sec. 162 of Chapter 184 of the Revised Charter of the city of Neenah, provides for the punishment of several minor offences or misdemeanors nearly all of which are covered by State laws, such as drunkenness, abusive and obscene language, etc. The punishment for the violation of any of these minor offences is a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars, or imprisonment not exceeding thirty days in the county jail of Winnebago county.

The County Jail is the common property of the county—all equally have the use of it for the commitment of prisoners charged with crimes or misdemeanors. The practice of the justices of the peace of Neenah, has been I find upon examination, to charge a defendant when arrested for any offence mentioned in this section, which covers a vast number of minor offences, and when the defendant is found guilty and a fine imposed which is paid, the fine has been uniformly paid into the county treasury; and when the defendant has been so fined and in default of the payment of such fine, has been always committed to the common jail of the county and supported at the public expense, as is legal.

There are no ordinances passed by Neenah under this sweeping section.

The only advantage it gives the justices of the peace and the law-abiding citizens of Neenah is that it gives the power to sentence to hard labor in the county jail not to exceed—for drunkenness and disorderly conduct in and about the streets and public places of worship; for instance for drunken or disorderly conduct under the State law you can only sentence a man for five days and under this particular section of the Neenah Charter the Justice may sentence him to the County jail not exceeding _____ days at hard labor.

There is a state law which says that if there is an ordinance in a City punishing for the use of abusive and obscene language, then the State law will not apply. The law gives the right to every city to govern its internal affairs not inconsistent with the constitution and the laws of the State.

Chapter 117 of the laws of 1885 requires every Justice of the Peace, and is an amendment to Sec 4772 and in addition to requiring every Justice of the Peace to pay over fines within 30 days, and such magistrate shall at the same time report in writing to said county treasurer the date of conviction the title of the case and for what sum fine was imposed.

I find that Lowell Stowe Justice from Neenah has reported to the county treasurer the last meeting of the County Board from March 4th, 1889, to Nov. 4th, 1889 forty-five cases where the said Justice is liable to pay the fines into the County Treasury. This statement gives the title of the offences for instance assault and battery, for instance Fritz Malchow, assault fined one dollar and costs—paid. This offence is covered by this section 162 of the Charter of Neenah and the report shows that the fine was paid, and if the defendant had not paid it of course by law he should be committed to the common jail of the county. Even for common drunk and disorderly I see the fines have been covered into the County Treasury.

It has been the practice among Justices of the Peace where a person has been arrested at night to size up his pile of money, to arrest him for the violation of an ordinance and send the money into the City Treasury, but if he has nothing, to arrest and commit him to the county jail at the expense of the farmer as well as the city manufacturer, the farmer alike to bear the burden of the taxation.

No one better knows this than the distinguished Supervisor who introduced this resolution. Whose fame as a member of the Board is not confined to his constituents alone. He well deserves credit for seeking the dark ways and by-lanes of the Neenah Justices. But I must confess after a careful examination of the records of the said Justices I find everything done honorably and in accordance with law. That no one was fined under a City ordinance and in default of the payment of the fine into the City Treasury of Neenah he was committed to the common jail of the County, at the County's expense. All City charters contain a permission allowing them the use of County jail.

Respectfully submitted.

HENRY FITZGIBBON,
District Attorney.

On motion report accepted and adopted.

STEAM HEAT.

The special business set for this hour being the consideration of the following report by Committee on Public Buildings.

To the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

MESSRS.—We, a part of your Committee on Public Buildings finding that there is already a necessity for several new stoves in this Court House, and that a number of others can be used but a few years more, and believing that heating said building by steam will give better service for less money than does the present cumbersome method of heating by stoves, hereby recommend that you make an appropriation of \$3000 for the purpose of putting in apparatus for heating this Court House by steam.

We further recommend that your Committee on Public Buildings be authorized and instructed to prepare specifications, advertise for bids, and let the contract for putting in a steam-heating plant in this Court House, provided the same can be done for a sum not exceeding three thousand dollars (\$3000) said work to be completed on or before the 1st day of October, 1890, and to be paid for at the close of the November 1890 session of this County Board.

The contractors to furnish all the materials for the same and workmanship

to be first-class and guaranteed to heat the entire building at 70° Fahrenheit, in the coldest weather, and the building to be neither injured nor disfigured by putting in said plant.

C. W. COOK,
W. P. WARWICK,
JOSEPH ARNOLD.

Supervisor Loope moved to lay the matter over until the March session of 1890, and that Supervisors Stevens and Davis be included as members of the Committee on Public Buildings, that such Committee procure plans, specifications, and estimates of cost, and submit the same to this Board at said session, which motion unanimously prevailed.

COMMITTEE ON GENERAL ACCOUNTS REPORT.

Supervisor Warwick from Committee on General Accounts submitted their report, which on motion to adopt and on call of ayes and noes was unanimously adopted as read.

To the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on General Accounts beg leave to report that 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.

W. P. WARWICK,
C. W. COOK,
M. C. BUSHNELL,
J. T. ORCHARD,
T. E. LOOPE,
ED. REINERT,
E. E. STEVENS,
J. W. HART,
C. C. VOSBURG, Committee.

Dated, Nov. 27, 1889.

NAME.	NATURE OF ACCOUNT.	CLAIMED.	ALLOWED.
Langlade Co. Wis	Court Expenses.....	\$ 100 30	\$ 100 00
W. W. Kimball, Clk of Court	"	580 70	578 30
M. C. Bushnell	Election Returns	3 34	3 34
J. F. Murphy	"	3 56	3 56
Thos. P. Chappell	"	4 40	4 40
Thos J. Bowles	"	3 56	3 56
Chas. Morgan	"	2 84	2 84
J. B. Russell	"	3 80	3 80
A. Meisner	"	2 00	2 00
E. S. Hayden	"	2 12	2 00
C. W. Cook	"	4 40	4 40
P. Frank	"	5 60	5 60
R. Henry	"	2 48	2 48
W. P. Peckham	"	3 80	3 80
T. E. Loope	"	4 16	4 16
J. H. Olcott	"	2 42	2 42
A. H. F. Krueger	"	3 80	3 80
H. E. Huxley	"	3 80	3 80
Geo. P. Cronkhite	"	3 44	3 44
G. A. Roessler	"	3 92	3 92
J. D. Hough	"	4 28	4 28
J. P. Lomas	"	3 80	3 80
Eli Seely	"	2 00	2 00
Clemens Caudy	"	2 12	2 00
J. A. Suhl	"	3 56	3 56
W. H. Crawford	Repairing lamps	50	50
Wm. Goddard	Mdse	7 60	7 60
F. Burgess	Sewing for Jail	7 95	7 95
Oshkosh Soap Co.	Soap for Jail	15 00	15 00
Louis Defoe	Sprinkling around Court House	20 00	20 00
Hough & Topliff	Mdse for Jail	42 50	42 50
Geo. Hiller	Husks for beds	2 50	2 50
F. H. Josslyn	Mdse	21 78	21 78
Matt Carrigan	"	6 00	6 00
Chas. Haase & Son	Boots and shoes for jail	55 45	55 45
C. F. Voigt	Mdse	20 30	20 30
Wm. Spikes	"	25 00	25 00
G. F. Stroud	"	19 58	19 58
"	"	8 37	8 27
W. M. Johnson	Mdse for jail	35 90	35 90
Wyman & Barkman	"	55 49	55 49
J. A. Davis & Co.	"	27 00	27 00

NAME.	NATURE OF ACCOUNT.	CLAIMED.	ALLOWED.
Peter D. Kraby	County Atlases	\$ 17 00	\$ 17 00
C. G. Luttman	Mileage and Com. work for Indigent Soldiers	25 34	25 34
E. Giddings	" " " " " "	1 52	1 52
T. S. Allen	" " " " " "	13 00	13 00
City of Oshkosh	Burial of Union Soldiers	35 00	35 00
J. P. Rasmusen	Express charges on stationery	5 81	5 81
"	Placing descriptions on abstract	33 15	33 15
W. A. Gordon	Medical attendance at jail	42 00	42 00
"	" " at Alexian Hospital	120 00	120 00
T. J. Bowles	Com. work Poygan Bridge	17 70	17 70
M. C. Bushnell	" " to Waupaca	9 26	9 26
Peter Faust	" " Poygan Bridge	15 60	15 60
T. J. Bowles	Committee Work	9 00	9 00
Peter Faust	" " on Equalization	6 60	Disallowed.
M. M. Schoetz	" " Work	20 40	20 40
W. P. Peckham	" " " " " "	8 40	8 40
A. H. F. Krueger	" " " " " "	12 60	12 60
W. A. Leopold	" " " " " "	6 80	6 80
Chas. Morgan	Committee Work	12 24	12 24
T. E. Loope	" " " " " "	53 40	53 40
Jesse Keevil	" " " " " "	35 28	35 28
Fred. Burgess	" " " " " "	399 00	Disallowed.
Anna Schabloski	Registering prisoners	3 30	3 30
T. E. Loope	" " " " " "	3 30	3 30
W. A. Gordon	" " " " " "	6 15	6 15
J. Frank Ford	" " " " " "	60	60
H. M. Weed	" " " " " "	60	60
H. B. Dale, Jr.	" " " " " "	45	45
A. Roos	" " " " " "	75	75
J. C. Noyes	" " " " " "	8 70	8 70
F. S. Burrows	" " " " " "	2 40	2 40
J. R. Barnett	" " " " " "	5 85	5 85
F. J. Wilkie	" " " " " "	30	15
Wilhelmina Gorges	" " " " " "	60	60
C. Pasike	" " " " " "	2 55	2 55
Susan Miller	" " " " " "	3 00	3 00
Julia Schultz	" " " " " "	1 65	1 65
Gertrude Schwab	" " " " " "	18 45	18 45
Margaret Davis	" " " " " "	60	60
Hannah Peterson	" " " " " "	15	15
T. E. Bethe	" " " " " "	45	45
E. Woolaugh	" " " " " "	8 55	8 55
L. M. Griffin	" " " " " "	2 40	2 40
E. W. Clark	" " " " " "	11 70	11 70
Joseph B. Beath	" " " " " "	3 15	3 15
O. W. Burns	" " " " " "	4 35	4 35
G. A. Mueller	" " " " " "	5 40	5 40
B. C. Gudden	" " " " " "	7 95	7 95
Ashley Thompson	" " " " " "	3 45	3 45
E. W. Mace	" " " " " "	15	15
J. T. Ozanne	" " " " " "	90	90
R. H. Bingham	" " " " " "	1 20	1 20
J. S. Daniels	" " " " " "	5 50	5 50
Alex. Ault	" " " " " "	1 05	1 05
M. E. Corbett	" " " " " "	4 65	4 65
C. W. Oviatt	" " " " " "	1 05	1 05
H. B. Dale, Sr.	" " " " " "	3 45	3 45
G. B. Noyes	" " " " " "	3 60	3 60
G. M. Steele	" " " " " "	8 70	8 70
J. Massman	" " " " " "	2 70	2 70
C. D. Eddy	" " " " " "	45	45
Chas. E. Booth	" " " " " "	8 55	8 55
F. W. Wieland	" " " " " "	15	15
W. H. Titus	" " " " " "	15	15
H. M. Weed	" " " " " "	15	15
G. W. Dodge	" " " " " "	60	60
Wm. Spikes	" " " " " "	24 90	Disallowed.
Anna Schabloski	" " " " " "	3 60	3 60
E. Steirl	" " " " " "	11 10	11 10
Mary Lampell	" " " " " "	3 00	3 00
L. Froelich	" " " " " "	17 55	17 55
Anna Agergaard	" " " " " "	1 80	1 80
C. Hannig	" " " " " "	1 20	1 20
E. Loudon	" " " " " "	15	15
A. Mueller	" " " " " "	30	30
Julius Fritt	" " " " " "	30	30
John McCabe	" " " " " "	607 99	607 99
Seward E. Wood	Boots withheld from prisoner	9 00	9 00

The Clerk put the motion by Krueger which on call of ayes and noes was lost by 14 ayes to 17 noes.

The Clerk then put the motion of Stevens which on call of ayes and noes was adopted by the following vote: Ayes 16. Broderick, Eaton, Locke, Loope, Martin, Moore, Chas. Morgan, J. W. Morgan, Northrup, Reinert, Schein, Schoetz, Stevens, Suhl, Vosburg, Warwick. Noes 15. Robinson, Orchard, Lomas, Krueger, Kimball, Huxley, Hart, Hamilton, Faust, Davis, Cook, Chappell, Bushnell, Bowles and Arnold.

On call of ayes and noes on the report as amended, the same prevailed by 19 ayes to 10 noes.

On motion by Supervisor Cook the Board adjourned until 1 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis.,
Nov. 27, 1889, 1 o'clock P. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Chairman Miller presiding.

Present—a majority of members.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

TO SIGN ORDERS.

Supervisor Northrup submitted the following resolution and moved its adoption which motion unanimously prevailed.

Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

That the chairman and clerk be and they are hereby authorized to issue a county order for each of the accounts allowed during the present session of the board and of all appropriations made (not otherwise provided for) and that the clerk be and is hereby authorized to correct all apparent clerical errors that he may discover in writing up the proceedings.

C. P. NORTHRUP.

The time set for special business having arrived to-wit: The report from committee on Illegal Assessment in resolution by Chairman Miller providing for the non-litigation to collect costs and expenses of Commission on Equalization from towns raised.

Supervisor Bowles moved to postpone further consideration of the report until March session 1890, which motion unanimously prevailed.

COMMITTEE ON PER DIEM AND MILEAGE REPORT.

Supervisor Chappell from committee on per diem and mileage submitted the following report which on motion and call of ayes and noes was unanimously adopted.

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

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Per Diem and Mileage beg leave to report that they find the following named persons entitled to the amounts set opposite their respective names for attendance on this November Session of 1889.

THOS. P. CHAPPELL,
H. E. HUXLEY,
J. A. SUHL,
D. MARTIN,
J. P. LOMAS, Committee.

NAME.	MILEAGE.	DAYS.	PER DIEM.	TOTAL.
Joseph Arnold		14	\$ 42 00	\$ 42 00
Thos. J. Bowles	\$ 1 68	14	42 00	43 68
M. Broderick	2 16	14	42 00	44 16
M. C. Bushnell	1 44	13	39 00	40 44
Thos. P. Chappell	2 40	14	42 00	44 40
C. W. Cook	2 40	14	42 00	44 40
C. W. Davis		14	42 00	42 00
B. W. Eaton	48	14	42 00	42 48
Peter Faust	3 60	14	42 00	45 60
J. B. Hamilton	1 80	14	42 00	43 80
J. W. Hart	1 80	14	42 00	43 80
H. E. Huxley	1 80	14	42 00	43 80
L. H. Kimball	1 80	14	42 00	43 80
A. H. F. Krueger	1 80	14	42 00	43 80
A. J. Locke	48	14	42 00	42 48
J. P. Lomas	1 80	14	42 00	43 80
T. E. Loope	2 16	14	42 00	44 16
D. Martin	1 56	14	42 00	43 56
L. M. Miller		14	42 00	42 00
J. J. Moore		14	42 00	42 00
Chas. Morgan	60	14	42 00	42 60
J. W. Morgan	1 08	14	42 00	43 08
C. P. Northrup	1 80	14	42 00	43 80
J. T. Orchard	1 44	14	42 00	43 44
Ed. Reinert	2 40	14	42 00	44 40
C. A. Robinson	1 80	14	42 00	43 80
C. Schein		14	42 00	42 00
M. M. Schoetz	1 80	14	42 00	43 80
E. E. Stevens		14	42 00	42 00
J. A. Suhl	1 56	14	42 00	43 56
J. W. Tobey	1 80	9	27 00	28 80
C. C. Vosburg	96	14	42 00	42 96
W. P. Warwick		14	42 00	42 00

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT.

Supervisor Huxley, from Committee on Finance submitted the following report, which on call of ayes and noes was unanimously adopted.

To the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Finance Committee to whom was referred the report of Peter D. Kraby, County Treasurer, beginning January 5, 1889 and ending November 12, 1889, would respectfully report that they have carefully examined the same and compared the records and vouchers in his office and find them to be correct in every particular. We therefore herewith return said report and recommend that the same be adopted as a correct settlement with said County Treasurer up to Nov. 12, A. D. 1889.

Your Committee further report that they find in the County Treasury an unexpended balance of cash in the General Fund of \$29 753.14.

The estimated amount to be expended up to the end of the present year is as follows:

Salaries of County Officers	\$ 2783 00
Circuit Court expenses	4000 00
Sheriff's bills to January 1, 1890	1600 00
Per Diem and Mileage County Board	1200 00
Bills allowed at present session	12000 00
Gas, coal, wood, water, etc	250 00
Stationery and Printing	250 00
Sup't of County Poor	1500 00
Indigent Soldiers	250 00

Total to be expended \$ 23833 00
 Balance in treasury January 1, 1890 5920 14

Your Committee further report that they have compared the county orders and court certificates paid by the Treasurer with the stubs thereof in the County Clerk's and Clerk of the Court's offices and find the same correct and that they have cancelled the same upon the stub of each order and court certificate; also have entered the date of cancellation in the cancellation books opposite the entry of each said county order and court certificate, in the office of the County Clerk and Clerk of the Court. That they have made a full and complete list of said county orders and court certificates as required by law, which they present herewith to be recorded at length upon the Journal of this Board of Supervisors. Your Committee also present herewith and surrender to the Board of Supervisors all of said county orders and court certificates to be destroyed according to law.

That in compliance with the provisions of Sec. 688, Chap. 36, R. S., 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 amounts, date and to whom issued and find the said list correct, which is herewith returned to be recorded at length upon the Journal of this Board. The following true copy is hereto annexed:

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

GENTLEMEN:—In compliance with the provisions of Section 688 Chapter 36 R. S. I herewith present a descriptive list of outlawed County orders, and recommend that the same be compared with the Order Books, and that the orders described herein (if found correct) be cancelled and destroyed.

Respectfully submitted.

J. P. RASMUSEN,
 County Clerk.

NOS.	NAME.	DATE.	AM'T	B'K	NOS.	NAME.	DATE.	AM'T	B'K
1520	J. S. Smith	Nov. 29, '86	\$ 84.	F	2065	Albert Faber	Nov. 29, '86	83.	F
1678	Gustav Ratz	"	81.	"	2067	James Lloyd	"	1 95.	"
1689	James Dever	"	1 30.	"	2070	Reneau Schuette	"	1 08.	"
1706	H. W. Felton M. D.	"	83.	"	2081	H. McKenzie	"	83.	"
1710	V. M. Valerious	"	75.	"	2083	Caroline Parlow	"	83.	"
1711	Louisa Krachman	"	1 16.	"	2084	Augusta Schenck	"	83.	"
1712	Minnie Torpahl	"	1 16.	"	2085	Julia Galler	"	83.	"
1715	John Calligan	"	58.	"	2086	Eliza Asmus	"	83.	"
1719	John Kitto	"	58.	"	2087	A. T. Stille	"	1 40.	"
1742	George Lafever	"	81.	"	2102	R. A. Pratt	"	83.	"
1744	Wm. Frena	"	81.	"	2112	H. Wilder	"	83.	"
1749	Sidney Fink	"	81.	"	2115	Matilda Gabert	"	83.	"
1747	Benjamin Fink	"	81.	"	2117	Kate Nichols	"	83.	"
1748	D. Skimmerhorn	"	75.	"	2118	H. Nichols	"	83.	"
1770	Alexander Richards	"	81.	"	2119	Mrs. Newman	"	83.	"
1786	Jacob Schilinski	"	48.	"	2120	Mrs. Nardhouse	"	83.	"
1787	Katie Alstoroski	"	83.	"	2132	S. W. Hollister	"	91.	"
1788	Francis Alstoroski	"	83.	"	2133	Jason Walker	"	83.	"
1798	Louisa Goetz	"	1 56.	"	1	Catherine Ebert	"	1 56.	G
1803	Anna Eskofski	"	83.	"	10	Minnie Frieidl	"	83.	"
1837	J. G. Rosch	"	83.	"	13	Alma Poppkorn	"	83.	"
1813	John Schinski	"	83.	"	39	Joseph Hein	"	2 41.	"
1846	Anna Schinski	"	83.	"	43	Otto Beilke	"	1 82.	"
1840	Charles Heckel	"	58.	"	59	R. A. Pratt	"	1 08.	"
1850	Lyman Eldridge	"	56.	"	60	Thomas Moran	"	1 56.	"
1851	Ed. Curran	"	56.	"	61	Geo. E. Hill	"	1 56.	"
1855	August Ebert	"	59.	"	62	John McCormick	"	1 56.	"
1866	Wm. Bauernfiend	"	1 08.	"	65	Fred Lowell	"	2 04.	"
1867	Chas. Rosenoe	"	1 08.	"	66	Rich. Doyle	"	1 56.	"
1868	C. Poardman	"	1 08.	"	196	John Pagel	Jan. 6, '87	1 71.	"
1869	Herman Melcher	"	1 08.	"	199	Burt Bennett	"	2 71.	"
1870	Peter Craven	"	1 08.	"	230	Fred Schenke	"	56.	"
1876	Thos. Skinnen	"	1 08.	"	244	Mrs. M. Oberwizer	"	83.	"
1881	Frank Keyster	"	83.	"	248	Ida Karl	"	83.	"
1884	Josephine Walter	"	83.	"	249	Henrietta Kirtzel	"	83.	"
1885	Michel Waiter	"	83.	"	252	Chas. Rosenoe	"	1 66.	"
1888	Ja ob Kohl	"	83.	"	253	Joseph Rutherford	"	83.	"
1801	Edward Curran	"	1 83.	"	254	Theo. Rosenoe	"	83.	"
1895	Anton Kembecky	"	91.	"	255	Chas. Rheimer	"	83.	"
1896	C. W. Lloyd	"	70.	"	256	Barbara Eskofski	"	83.	"
1899	Louis Ellinger	"	70.	"	258	Mary Bradley	"	83.	"
1900	Michael Thompson	"	79.	"	266	William Kloepfel	"	83.	"
1908	Oscar Geiso	"	83.	"	267	Wm. Toepfer	"	58.	"
1927	Emma Neigenfiend	"	2 04.	"	409	W. H. McCurdy	Mch 5, '87	2 00.	"
1937	Frank Zeneoski	"	1 58.	"	410	C. A. Russell	"	2 00.	"
1930	Thomas Russell	"	83.	"	420	Fred Schencke	"	70.	"
1945	Joseph Jedepski	Nov. 26, '86	1 58.	"	421	T. D. Phillips	"	70.	"
1946	Anton Romcic	"	1 58.	"	425	Leonard Lampert	"	70.	"
1953	Mark Pennett	"	83.	"	426	Louis Schubert	"	83.	"
1956	Mike Madl	"	81.	"	427	Edward Smith	"	83.	"
1957	Martin Reek	"	83.	"	435	F. R. Reimann	"	83.	"
1986	Jos. Hever	"	83.	"	437	Geo. Heitl	"	83.	"
1988	Henry Kersch	"	83.	"	438	Mike Eskowski	"	83.	"
1989	Arthur Noss	"	83.	"	439	Michael Schanlen	"	83.	"
1990	"	"	83.	"	440	John Welch	"	83.	"
1991	Mary Gaffney	"	83.	"	448	Joe Niegel	"	83.	"
1992	Augusta Klabosadel	"	83.	"	452	Martha Hilkie	"	1 33.	"
1996	Mrs. N. Coon	"	1 66.	"	461	Mrs. M. Becker	"	83.	"
1998	John Embs, Sr.	"	83.	"	465	Theo. Weck	"	83.	"
2000	Geo. Walter	"	83.	"	466	"	"	83.	"
2018	Catharine O'Donell	"	1 66.	"	471	Wm. Bulwanda	"	83.	"
2019	Johannes Schuttl	"	1 66.	"	478	Eliza Dahl	"	83.	"
2023	E. Buskell	"	83.	"	481	Fabara Bowen	"	83.	"
2024	John Neigl	"	81.	"	482	Anna Jassi	"	83.	"
2025	A. Pahl	"	83.	"	483	H. Lushinger	"	1 07.	"
2027	Edward Reyschel	"	83.	"	484	W. E. Hilborn	"	83.	"
2028	John Neigl	"	83.	"	485	Peter Schuelin	"	83.	"
2029	Antonia Paul	"	83.	"	486	J. Kelley	"	83.	"
2034	August Pomery	"	83.	"	487	John Kubli	"	58.	"
2037	August Sickingman	"	83.	"	504	Joseph Riley	"	58.	"
2038	Aug. Neimann	"	83.	"	510	H. Johnson	"	83.	"
2039	H. Goodwin	"	81.	"	516	Dora Dorsey	"	83.	"
2040	"	"	83.	"	525	Christ. Riehl	"	75.	"
2046	Mary Kitzinger	"	83.	"	526	Henry Abrahams	"	83.	"
2047	Mrs. F.	"	83.	"	528	John Walter	"	83.	"
2051	Matilda Williams	"	83.	"	529	Kate Walter	"	83.	"
2057	Joseph Bangs	Nov. 29, '86	83.	"	530	Mary Thalke	"	83.	"
2058	August Klebunde	"	83.	"					
2059	Paul Gomold	"	83.	"					

Your Committee to whom was referred the report of the Commissioners for "Indigent Soldiers and Mariners" have carefully examined the same and compared the amounts paid with the vouchers and books in the County Clerk's office and find the same correct. Your Committee therefore return said report to this Board and recommend its adoption.

Your Committee also find that the amount appropriated last year to the "Indigent Soldier Relief fund" seems to have been carefully expended by the Commissioners but the average amount received by each family during the year is only about seventy-five cents per week which is a very small allowance upon which to support a family of four persons, which the Commission report as the average. We therefore recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

RESOLVED, That the sum of Three Thousand Six Hundred and Fifty Dollars be and the same is hereby levied and assessed upon the taxable property of Winnebago county in compliance with the provisions of Chapter 339 of the Laws of 1883, and the County Clerk is hereby instructed and authorized to levy the same upon all taxable property in Winnebago County.

In order to provide for the payment of the salary of the Superintendent of Schools, your Committee recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

RESOLVED, That the sum of Nine Hundred and Ten Dollars (\$910 00) be and the same is hereby levied and assessed upon the taxable property of the County of Winnebago, except the cities of Oshkosh, Neenah and Menasha, to pay the compensation and allowance of the County Superintendent of Schools of said Winnebago county.

Your Finance Committee to whom was referred the report of the County Superintendent of Schools find the number of children that are entitled to draw public money in each town as follows:

Algoma	227	Poygan	276
Black Wolf	320	Rushford	531
Clayton	422	Utica	241
Menasha	235	Vinland	326
Neenah	190	Winchester	394
Nekimi	389	Winneconne	215
Nepesuskun	243	" Village	413
Omro	691	Wolf River	330
Oshkosh	217		

Your Committee would recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

RESOLVED, That the sum of Twenty Five Thousand Five Hundred and Four Dollars and Forty Seven Cents (\$25504.47) be and the same is hereby levied upon the several towns and cities for school purposes to be apportioned as follows:

Algoma	\$ 290 61	Utica	\$ 427 77
Black Wolf	446 78	Vinland	463 08
Clayton	547 27	Wolf River	484 81
Menasha	302 83	Winchester	516 04
Neenah	237 65	Winneconne	295 04
Nekimi	502 40	Winneconne Village	540 18
Nepesuskun	541 84	Menasha city	2011 20
Oshkosh	294 69	Neenah city	2555 76
Omro	979 12	Oshkosh city	13000 00
Poygan	354 44		
Rushford	711 60		
			\$ 25504 47

Your Committee have also made the following estimate of the necessary expenses for the ensuing year:

Salaries of County Officers	\$ 12000 00
Court Expenses	12000 00
Sheriff, Justice and Constable Accounts	8000 00
General Accounts	7500 00
Sup't of Poor and Poor Farm	5000 00
Stationery and Printing	2000 00
Per Diem and Mileage of County Board	2000 00
Fuel, Light and Water	1500 00
Repairs on County Buildings	2500 00
Incidental Expenses and Insurance	1010 00
Indigent Soldiers Fund	3650 00
Total amount	\$ 57150 00
Deduct cash on hand Jan'y 1, 1890	5920 00
	\$ 51230 00

Leaves balance to be provided for

Your Committee would therefore recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

RESOLVED, That the sum of Fifty One Thousand Two Hundred and Thirty Dollars be and is hereby levied and assessed upon the taxable property of Winnebago county as a County Tax for the year A. D. 1889.

The following is an itemized statement of State Taxes to be levied upon the County of Winnebago for the current year, as certified by the Secretary of State:

One mill tax for Common Schools, Chap. 287, Laws of 1885	\$ 17660 59
Interest on Certificates of Indebtedness, School Fund income, Sec. 260-247, R. S.	5038 49
Free High Schools, Sec. 496 R. S. and Chap. 352 Laws of 1885	1530 13
Fifth Normal School Fund, Chap. 364 Laws of 1885	306 02
For University 1/4 mill, Sec. 390 R. S. Chap. 200 Laws of 1883	2207 57
SPECIAL CHARGES UPON THE COUNTY.	
For support of insane	2972 35
For support of Wisconsin Industrial School for Boys	63 72
Total am't of State Tax	\$ 29772 37

Your Committee to whom was referred the report of the Commissioners on Equalization for the year 1888 find the following towns and the city of Neenah have been reported by said Commission, changing the equalization as fixed by the County Board for the year 1888, as follows:

Towns and Cities.	Equalized by Co. Bd, '88	Equalized by Commission	Taxes Increased.	Taxes Decreased.
Algoma	\$ 427348	\$ 435348	\$ 54 56	\$
Black Wolf	291933	297933	40 92	.....
Neenah town	232490	242490	68 20	.....
Nekimi	469449	484449	102 30	.....
Nepeuskun	389449	396944	47 74	.....
Poygan	158702	166897	55 89	.....
Vinland	544195	570000	175 99	.....
Winneconne town	329975	349975	136 40	.....
Neenah city	1890937	1790938	.....	682 00
			\$ 682 00	\$ 682 00

Your Committee therefore recommend that the County Clerk be and is hereby authorized and instructed to charge up and credit to the several towns and city of Neenah, Winnebago county, the foregoing amounts as set forth in this schedule.

Recapitulation of amount of Taxes to be levied:

State Tax	\$ 29779 37
County Tax	51230 00
School Tax	23504 47
Sup't of Schools salary	910 00
Indigent Soldier's Tax	3650 00
	\$ 111073 84
Also Poygan Bridge tax by resolution	436 88

Respectfully submitted.

H. E. HUXLEY,
J. J. MOORE,
A. H. F. KRUEGER,
PETER FAUST,
J. T. ORCHARD,
E. W. EATON,
THOS. P. CHAFFELL,
C. P. NORTHRUP,
J. A. SUHL, Finance Committee.

The committee thereupon destroyed all cancelled orders and Court Certificates by burning in presence of the Board.

EX-SHERIFF FOLLETT'S BILL.

Supervisor Warwick from committee on general accounts submitted the following report which on motion was unanimously adopted.

To the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN:—Your committee on General Accounts to whom was referred the claim of Frank Follett beg leave to report that in the absence of any proposition from Mr. Follett or his attorney, and we understand that suit has already been commenced by Mr. Follett, we the committee recommend that the District Attorney be notified to defend the county against the claim of Mr. Follett assumed to be against the county.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. P. WARWICK,
C. W. COOK,
E. E. STEVENS,
J. W. HART,
J. T. ORCHARD,
C. C. VOSBURG,
ED. REINERT,
M. C. BUSHNELL,
T. E. LOOPE, Committee.

Supervisor Cook submitted a resolution authorizing the District Attorney to take such steps as he might deem best in the matter of County vs. Cornelius Newman, for the care of insane daughter.

On motion of Supervisor Stevens to indefinitely postpone consideration of said resolution, the motion prevailed.

Supervisor Stevens moved to reconsider the vote on the report of committee on printing. Motion prevailed.

Supervisor Orchard moved to allow Mr. A. Bareuther the amount as allowed by the report of printing committee and that the balance of claim be laid over until the March session 1890. Motion unanimously adopted.

Supervisor Broderick moved the adoption of the report as amended, which motion on call of ayes and noes unanimously prevailed.

Minutes of afternoon session read and approved.

On motion by Supervisor Orchard the Board adjourned until March 5, 1890, at 10 A. M.

J. P. RASMUSEN,

County Clerk.

PROCEEDINGS
—OF THE—
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
—OF—
WINNEBAGO COUNTY.

MARCH SESSION, 1890.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis.
March 5, 1890, 10 o'clock A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, from November session.

Chairman Miller presiding.

Present—full Board, except Supervisors Robinson and Stevens.

Wm. H. Leupold presented certificate of appointment as Supervisor for 6th ward, city of Oshkosh, in place of C. Schein.

F. D. Brooks presented certificate of appointment as Supervisor for town of Oshkosh in place of B. W. Eaton.

The newly appointed Supervisors subscribed the oath of office before Chairman Miller.

Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

Supervisor Schoetz submitted a call for the Hon. G. W. Burnell to become a candidate for re-election as Judge of Circuit Court, which call was duly signed by a majority of members of the County Board.

On motion the Clerk was instructed to present the said call to the Hon. G. W. Burnell.

TREATMENT OF TRAMPS.

Supervisor Faust moved that a committee of three be appointed to draw up a resolution for the treatment of tramps and that such committee be composed of one member from each city. Motion prevailed.

On motion by Supervisor Loope, Ch'n Miller was made one of the committee; the chairman appointed Supervisors Krueger of Neenah and Schoetz of Menasha.

On motion by Supervisor Loope the Board adjourned for committee work until 9 a. m.

MORNING SESSION.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis.,
March 6, 1890, 9 o'clock A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Chairman Miller presiding.

Present—full Board, except Supervisors Lomas, Stevens and Davis.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

REPORT FROM COUNTY PHYSICIAN.

County Physician W. A. Gordon being present read and submitted his annual report, which on motion by Supervisor Huxley was accepted and the Clerk instructed to insert in the proceedings of the Board and to procure 1,000 copies in pamphlet form.

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

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor of presenting herewith my report as physician to the three public institutions of which you are the elected guardians, viz: the Poor House, the Jail, and the County Asylum. The three sorrowful receptacles into which gravitate the weak, the insane, the criminal and those who have been entirely discomfited in the battle of life. In these institutions there has been about the usual amount of sickness during the year. It would probably not interest you to give a list of the diseases treated, so I omit the usual tabulated record of cases. There were five deaths during the year, three in the poor house and two in the asylum.

It affords me pleasure to be able to testify to the continued success of our plan of caring for the chronic insane. The system of small county asylums now in operation in this state is one of the beginnings of a new era in the great problem of the management of the insane. The days of mammoth insane asylums are drawing to a close.

For a generation past people have been led to believe that the acute and chronic insane should be cared for in the same buildings. In consequence of

that mistaken doctrine immense asylums have been erected in all parts of the United States, in which thousands of curable and incurable lunatics have been herded, that the recent cases might have the company of the incurable. On the theory I suppose that the drivellings of chronic maniacs will exert a remedial influence upon those who have but lately gone mad. In these large asylums with their magnificent buildings and costly equipments, there has not been success in restoring unbalanced minds commensurate to the magnitude of the institutions. In fact the asylums are responsible for many of the uncured cases within their walls. It is acknowledged by writers on insanity that the hospitals actually render certain curable cases incurable. If the hundreds of chronic cases were taken from the hospitals and placed in small asylums, and the remaining recent cases given about five times the attention they now receive, there would be a considerable increase in the per centage of recoveries. The superintendents of the hospitals are usually men of learning, skill and experience with considerable executive ability. But so much of the superintendent's energy must be given to other affairs than the actual care of the sick, that a great portion of the supremely important work, the personal, professional supervision of the insane is relegated to the assistants, who are usually young physicians without special knowledge of profound and intricate science of psychiatry.

These young doctors are employed because they are willing to work cheaply. They remain in the hospital for a year or two and then depart for the more lucrative fields of private practice. If the insane need medical attendance they should have the very best that can be obtained and not be placed almost wholly under the care of inexperienced youths who are merely seeking to perfect themselves professionally. The state should pay the physicians enough to make it an object for them to continue in the hospital service.

There are thousands of persons in Wisconsin—wounded soldiers, consumptives, widows with little homes and large families, rheumatics and other diseased and feeble people—who pay taxes to support in injurious idleness able bodied insane persons. These tax payers are less able to work than the insane. The latter if placed in small asylums would earn a fair share of their own living. They would also have the tonic influence of out door life. The prison element would be taken away. They would be benefited by closer contact with the soothing, healing influences of nature. The use of the hoe and the rake would invigorate their flabby muscles and send better blood to their weakened brains. They would be supported for much less than it now costs, and they would be vastly better off.

There are in the poor house eight women all of whom are over seventy years of age. It would be a great comfort to them if they could have a sunny, cheerful sitting room for their exclusive use. A room with a carpet and a few easy chairs. They are inmates of the county house through no fault of their own. There is something in the lot of the old women who have been consigned to this place that should enlist our heartiest sympathy. To them it seems but yesterday that they were strong, healthy, and independent; the roses were on their cheeks; they were admired and caressed; they lifted to their lips life's enchanted cup; the future was radiant with the brightness that only the beautiful dreams of youth can give. To-day ambition has fled. They have been deserted by beauty and passion. Those they loved are dead or worse than dead—indifferent. No children "climb their knees the envied kiss to share." The feeble arms are empty. There are no words of tenderness in their ears. Helpless, hapless, homeless, and almost hopeless. The wrinkled hands clasp the bible, the last hope, the only friend. With pathetic patience they are waiting in deepening desolation for the last journey—the little journey to the potter's field.

There were three births in the poor house during the year. The mothers were all quite young and unmarried. Two of them were without homes and the other one was driven from her home by an angry and brutal father. It would seem that the state which is so liberal in providing homes for ex-soldiers for the insane, for dependent children, for the sightless, for the deaf and dumb should extend its charity to this class of unfortunate and dependent women. I most respectfully recommend that this board petition the legislature to establish a lying in hospital or house of refuge in which these unhappy and wayward mothers could find shelter and seclusion. Those who are disposed to dismiss such a proposition with a smile or a sneer of contempt only expose their

own ignorance, stupidity or indifference to suffering. In Europe such hospitals abound. The great republic is less humane in this respect, than the "effete monarchies." Our chivalrous humanitarians who are hunting up sick nules and crippled dogs extend but scant courtesy to friendless parturient women. These sufferers should be sheltered in the hour of supremest human agony from the publicity and unsympathetic surroundings of the poor houses. The great fact of impending maternity should for the time at least, mantle all their misdemeanors. The hearts of these young girls are laden with sorrow which even time the great healer can never wholly take away. Their lives have been darkened by a shadow which years of penitence and purity cannot brighten.

They are undergoing a profound physical and mental revolution. They are acutely susceptible to external influences. In the poor houses they must associate with deformed and insane persons and be more or less before the eyes of the public. There is undoubtedly a certain class of "rigidly righteous" people who think the poor houses are good enough or too good for such sinners. The ladies call them "brazen things" and the boys call them "chippies."

When the feeble cry of her first born is heard the heart of the "brazen thing" throbs with the strongest and most sacred emotions that ever thrill the human soul, she is no longer a "chippy" great nature has lifted her to the dignity of motherhood.

"Ye high exalted virtuous dames,
Tied up in godly laces
Before ye gie poor Frailty names
Suppose a change o' cases,
Then gently scan your brother man
Still gentler sister woman;
Though they may gang a kennin' wrang
To step aside is human.
One point must still be greatly dark,
The moving why they do it;
And just as lamely can ye mark
How far perhaps they rue it."

Your attention is again invited to a thoughtful consideration of the jail and the current methods of treating criminals. In our own county jail I have observed that the men who are imprisoned for any considerable time in the mephitic air of this Siberian dungeon nearly always show marked physical deterioration. This bodily debility is produced by lack of exercise, by the dampness, by the exhalations of the water closets, by oedema and by the exclusion of sunlight. This applies particularly to the new jail. In the older portion where the tramps are confined there is more light and better ventilation. While the sanitary defects are glaring and numerous they are less hurtful than the pernicious influences which go forth from this abode of sin.

The object in imprisoning our fellow citizens is to protect society and to reform the law breakers. The jail system in operation in this and many other states is an absolute failure so far as reformative measures are concerned. The reform element appears to have been entirely lost sight of. Retribution, punishment, vengeance, seem to be the only objects sought. The vital fact that crime cannot be extirpated by cruelty and neglect is unknown or forgotten. Centuries of bitter, bloody experience have demonstrated that the criminal classes cannot be crushed out. It is one of the luminous truths of to-day that they can be lifted up. The ablest living penologists inform us that seventy per cent. of the criminals can be reclaimed. In Wisconsin, except in the reform school, no effort is being made toward the treatment of criminals by a sound, scientific and physiological method. The public is ignorant of what has been done in the way of prison reform in other parts of this country, and in other lands, and is indifferent on general principles. The popular creed is to push the tramps out of the county and lock the other offenders out of sight. This is the primitive, irrational, ostrich-like plan. The next generation will doubtless look with pity and amazement upon the blindness and brutality of the present. The day is not remote when criminals will be looked upon with the same compassion which we now regard the idiotic and the insane. Think for a moment of the utterly useless manner in which we attempt to reform men. A man in a drunken delirium smashes his furniture, beats his wife, abuses his children. He is sent to jail.

Often the public has to support his family while he is there. It is important that this man should love his home and country, that he becomes a sober, industrious and peaceable citizen. To attain this we force him to eat, drink

and sleep for two months with Cucumber Sam, the horse thief, he also has the benefit of the conversation and companionship of Flatboat Jack, the house-breaker. These noble men will vie with each other in their efforts to rehabilitate the character of this afflicted brother. When they have succeeded in their philanthropic efforts he is returned to the bosom of his family. This is the philosophic method by which we are now elevating humanity and checking crime. It would be better for the man, better for his family and cheaper for the community to put him in the pillory or the stocks of our forefathers. It would be a kindlier act to flog him at a public whipping post. For drunkenness the same man is sent time after time to the jail to remain the usual ten or thirty days. The same fool's remedy is applied for the twentieth offence as for the first. The weak will, the trembling muscles, the aching brain, the congested stomach, the fevered skin, the quivering nerves, are all to be cured by living for ten days in the worst society the county affords. If the company was twice as vicious probably five days would cure the inebriate. A tramp is sent to jail for from ten to sixty days. He is released and passed along to the next county. He has had no help, nothing has been done to stimulate his self-respect; he has had no discipline. When he leaves the jail he is a little lower in the scale than when he went in. The authorities have merely degraded him; made him a little more incapable of ever becoming a good citizen. Thus is the majesty of the law sustained.

Your scurvy criminal passes from the jail to the ballot box. Thus is the glory and purity of our political institutions strengthened.

There are criminals who by nature are apostates from society, traitors to the race. Ishmaelites, incorrigible, irreclaimable. There is another class which is simply morally obtuse. There is a third class whose members have fallen upon evil ways who have by circumstances been led into temptations greater than they could resist. In a certain sense society is the creator of criminals. Tramps are the product of our laws and civilization. The crowded jails are not only a cause of crime but they are a symptom of some terrible disease in the social fabric. To treat the different classes of criminals in the same manner is one of the great wrongs of the jail system. The born thief, cunning, conscienceless and old in sin, is placed on the same level as a youth who is in durance for some comparatively trivial affair. Another objection is because of the friendships that are made, partnerships in lawlessness are created. New schemes of iniquity are devised, conspiracies against the common rights of mankind are formed.

The ordinary county jail as managed and constructed is a fossilized absurdity, a legalized remnant of savagery, an organized cruelty. It is an infecting ulcer. A tramps recruiting station, a promoter of burglary, a blot upon civilization. It is an ante room of hell. The flood of crime is rising steadily, appallingly. In 1859 there was one prisoner to 3,442 people; in 1860 the ratio was one to 1,647; in 1870 it was one to 1,171; in 1880 one to 855. There are now over 80,000 persons in the penitentiaries of the country, and 15,000 in reformatories. There were 500,000 persons committed to jails last year. Of course some of these were in more than once, so that it is not possible to know the exact number, but it is large enough to be startling. And then there were quite a number who managed to keep out of prison who ought to have been in.

What is to be done with this great army of criminals? There are three great forces that build up human character: Work, education, religion. The religious people just now are so busy revising their catechisms, conducting church fairs, attending sociables, upholstering the pews, wrangling over their creeds, taking up collections for foreign missions, going to prayer meeting, and getting new choirs, that they have no time for the man who is half dead by the side of the Jericho road. The ladies of the Woman's Christian Union have held religious services twice a month in the jail, and they believe they have done some good, but when it comes to business on a large scale labor and education are the only character changing disciplines that are available. There should be three grades of prisons: Jails, reformatories and penitentiaries. The counties should have jails as places of detention for those awaiting trial and as places of punishment for minor offences, but no prisoner should be permitted to see or converse with his fellow prisoners. Absolute solitude should be enforced in all jails. The men who are committed for inebriety should for the first offence be in solitude for five days, for the second, ten days, for the third, twenty days, on a diet just sufficient to keep them in health. A physician should always be con-

sulted in these cases. If a man should be brought for a fourth time he should be sent to a reformatory where he could receive treatment and be kept at some useful labor for a protracted period.

The state should establish a reformatory where young criminals could be committed on the indefinite sentence plan. The reformatory is a place where the idea of retribution does not enter. Wholesome, vigorous, exacting discipline of mind and body lasting for months and years if necessary, will reform a man if he is not a born criminal. Those who by repeated offences prove themselves to belong to the unreformable class should be sent for many years or life to the penitentiary. The penitentiary should be kept for these incorrigibles and for those serving life sentences.

Permit me, gentlemen, in behalf of the unfortunate people for whom you legislate, to thank you for the constant and enlightened interest you have always manifested in their behalf. Allow me also to most sincerely thank you for the personal courtesy I have uniformly received at your hands.

Very Respectfully,

W. A. GORDON, M. D.

COUNTY CLERK'S REPORT.

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

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit to you my report for the year 1889, from January 7, 1889 to March 5, 1890.

RECEIPTS.

By cash on hand January 7, 1889	\$ 637 68
By redemption and deposit funds received since	4121 61
By Abstract, Printers, Clerk, and Treas. fees rec'd.....	151 75
By insane collections	849 60
Total.....	\$ 5760 64

DISBURSEMENTS.

To paid redemption on Tax Certificates	\$ 4181 09
To paid Co. Treas. Abstract Printers, Clerk, and Treas. fees.....	151 75
To paid County Treasurer insane collections	849 60
To paid County Treasurer Redemption Funds under Chap. 220 Laws of 1880.....	38 78
To balance on hand.....	539 42
Total.....	\$ 5760 64

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. P. RASMUSEN, County Clerk.

STATE OF WISCONSIN,)
COUNTY OF WINNEBAGO.)^{ss} J. P. Rasmusen being duly sworn on oath, says that to the best of his knowledge and belief the above and foregoing is correct and true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 4th day of March, 1890.

J. P. RASMUSEN.

A. H. READ, Deputy Clk Cir. Court.

On motion report accepted and referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT ON CROSSING C. & N. W. R'Y.

Supervisor Bowles from Committee on Roads and Bridges submitted their report on the right of way for crossing C. & N. W. R'y at State Hospital, which on motion by Supervisor Bushnell was accepted and adopted as follows:

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

GENTLEMEN:—We the Committee on Roads and Bridges, to whom was referred the question as to whether or not a road or highway could be obtained from the east line of the right of way of the Milwaukee & Lake Winnebago R'y, across the right of way of the Chicago & Northwestern R'y Co. at the Northern Hospital for the Insane, so as to connect the road leading from said Hospital up to the said east line of the Chicago & Northwestern R'y Co. at said point so as to connect with the road leading to the County Poor House of said county, do respectfully report as follows:

- 1st—That we have thoroughly examined the whereabouts said roads would cross and find that it would intersect and cut through the Depot grounds of the Chicago & Northwestern R'y Co. at said point.
- 2nd—We find confronting us that on the 15th day of December, 1884, the Town Board of the Town of Oshkosh, upon the petition signed by the requisite number of free-holders of said town and was made to the Town Board to lay out a highway beginning at a point on the westerly boundary of the lands of the Milwaukee & Lake Winnebago R'y Co. between the County Farm of said town of Oshkosh and said Railroad lands two rods north of the south line of said County Farm and running thence east across the land and right of way of said R'y Co. and across the right of way of the Chicago & Northwestern R'y Co. to

the center of the highway leading from the Northern Hospital in said town to the depot of the Chicago & Northwestern R'y Co. known as State Hospital. Said highway to be of the width of four rods and said described line to be the center of said highway. That immediately upon the service of said notice of application to lay out said highway, the Chicago & Northwestern R'y Co. through its attorney, Charles W. Feller, Esq., applied to the Circuit Court of Winnebago County, Wis., alleging upon information and belief that there was a secret agreement and understanding between said Town Board of Supervisors and said Milwaukee & Lake Winnebago R'y Co.; that all costs and damages and expenses of the said proceeding, laying out said proposed highway were to be paid by the Milwaukee & Lake Winnebago R'y Co.; that the tracks and platform of the said Chicago & Northwestern R'y Co. through which said highway would run were the enclosure of the said Chicago & Northwestern R'y Co. and that said proposed highway would run through the main tracks, said tracks, and depot platform and grounds of the said Chicago & Northwestern R'y Co., which said lands had been previously condemned and paid for by said Company for and as the exclusive grounds of their depot and platform and that said premises were necessary fixtures to the depot grounds of the said Chicago & Northwestern R'y Co.

That if said highway were to be laid out at the point proposed, it would intersect the platform of the depot of the Chicago & Northwestern R'y Co.; that thereupon, and upon the strength of said petition, and after due notice thereof to the town board of Supervisors of the town of Oshkosh, and after full opportunity for them to appear and be heard in their defense in said matter, the committee find that said town board of Supervisors never appeared upon the hearing of said application for injunction, never resisted it, never employed counsel to defend it and took no further steps to resist said application for injunction after the same was served upon them as aforesaid.

That upon said hearing, the court found that all of the above facts as set out in the complaint of the said Chicago & Northwestern R'y Co. were true and upon the strength thereof granted a permanent injunction against said town board of Supervisors and their successors in said office from laying out any highway at the proposed place.

We find that said injunction was duly made on the 7th day of March, 1885 and that we are informed and believe that the costs and expenses of said application and injunction were paid by the Milwaukee & Lake Winnebago R'y Co.; that said injunction stands against the laying out of the proposed highway which is particularly described herein before.

We find also that it would be a grievous wrong upon the Chicago & Northwestern R'y Co. to undertake to put a highway at the proposed point, as it would cut their platform of their depot almost in two and make them great damage.

We find it impossible to legally proceed to laying out this highway with this injunction confronting us. We are also advised and verily believe that no application to set aside said injunctinal order, would be entertained by no court for the reason that the applicants could show no diligence on their part.

We find that in order to lay the highway at the proposed point would incur upon this county a large bill of expense and with poor hopes of success. We find that the county board of Supervisors has no jurisdiction to lay out a highway at the proposed point as there is no question of law for them to settle under the Statute.

We find that the County Poor Farm has a sufficient highway leading to it as has likewise the Northern Hospital for the insane.

We find that the Chicago & Northwestern R'y Co. have always permitted foot-passengers to cross from one depot to the other and no hindrances or molestation has ever been offered to any person.

We are in hopes that this much mooted question of laying out a highway at this point will be forever set at rest. We are in correspondence with the Chicago & Northwestern R'y Co. asking them if we cannot have about twelve feet of the road leading from one of these highways on the County Poor farm to the other, leading to the Northern Hospital for the insane at the eastern boundary of their right of way. We have as yet received no answer to this correspondence.

We come to the conclusion therefore and most respectfully ask the Board to let this question rest where it now is and not have it mooted before the Board at its every session as we have no jurisdiction in the premises whatever.

Most respectfully submitted.

THOMAS J. BOWLES,
PETER FAUST,
M. P. BRODERICK,
J. T. ORCHARD,
C. A. ROBINSON,
HENRY FITZGIBBON,
Committee on Roads and Bridges.

REPORT ON STEAM HEAT.

Supervisor Cook from Committee on Public Buildings submitted their report on the proposition for Steam Heat:

To the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN.—Your Committee on Public Buildings hereby report that pursuant to instructions received by them at your last November session, they have prepared and procured plans and specifications, and estimates of cost for placing a Steam Heating plant into your Court House, and we hereby recommend that the contract for putting in a steam heating plant be let to the lowest bidder in accordance therewith.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. COOK,
W. P. WARWICK,
JOSEPH ARNOLD,
M. C. BUSINELL,
J. W. TOBEY.

To bring the question before the Board

On motion by Supervisor Schoetz the consideration of the report was made the special business for Friday, March 7, at 10 A. M.

On motion by Supervisor Loope the Board adjourned for Committee work until 9 A. M.

MORNING SESSION.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis.,
March 7, 1890, 9 o'clock A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Chairman Miller presiding.

Present—full Board, except Supervisors Lomas and Robinson.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

The official bonds of C. D. Cleveland as County Judge, and Thos. Hough as Sup't of Poor Farm, presented and on motion accepted and approved.

CROSSING (AGAIN.)

On motion by Supervisor Schoetz the matter of procuring a right of way across the C. & N. W. R'y at State Hospital was re-referred to Com. on Roads and Bridges.

TELEPHONE ACCOUNT.

Supervisor Loope from Trustees on Insane to whom was referred the account of A. B. Ferdinand, am't \$100 for building Telephone line to County Farm, reported favorably thereon, and on call of ayes and noes the account was allowed.

TELEPHONE RENTAL.

On motion by Supervisor Krueger and on call of ayes and noes the County Treasurer was instructed to pay rental of telephone to County Farm, when same becomes due.

INSTRUCTIONS TO COUNTY CLERK ON COUNTY PHYSICIAN'S REPORT.

Supervisor Cook offered the following Resolution, which on motion by Supervisor Loope was unanimously adopted:

Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

That we heartily endorse the recommendations in reference to the treatment of criminals and unfortunate classes, contained in the Annual Report for the year ending Jan. 1, 1890, of our County Physician. And we hereby request our State Legislature at its next session, to enact such laws as will secure the practical operation in this State, of said recommendations. And be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be published with said report, and that the same when so published be, by our County Clerk, forwarded to such members of the next Legislature as shall represent the various districts of this county, therein. And they are hereby requested to persistently urge the enactment of such laws as are contemplated by said report.

Supervisor Schoetz moved that when the Board shall adjourn, they shall then adjourn until 10 A. M. March 10. Motion lost.

STEAM HEAT (AGAIN.)

The time set for the consideration of the Steam Heat proposition having arrived, Supervisor Loope moved to proceed with the consideration.

Supervisor Warwick moved to accept and adopt the report of Committee on Public Buildings, on the steam heat proposition.

On call of ayes and noes the motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes—Arnold, Bowles, Brooks, Bushnell, Chappell, Cook, Davis, Faust, Hamilton, Hart, Huxley, Krueger, Leupold, Locke, Loope, Miller, Moore, Chas. Morgan, J. W. Morgan, Northrup, Orchard, Reinert, Schoetz, Stevens, Suhl, Vosburg, Warwick—27.

Noes—Broderick, Kimball, Martin, Tobey—4.

Absent, not voting—Robinson, Lomas—2.

On motion by Supervisor Cook, Supervisor Stevens was appointed by the Board to superintend the construction of steam heat plant.

On motion by Supervisor Schoetz the Committee on Public Buildings was instructed to draw up suitable resolutions for the payment of the steam heat plant, and also fix compensation of the superintendent.

Rules suspended and the Hon. Geo. W. Burnell addressed the Board, extending his thanks for the generous call made for him to become a candidate for re-election to the office of Circuit Judge.

Supervisor Huxley moved that the Board do adjourn *sine die* on March 11. Motion lost.

On motion by Supervisor Orchard the Board adjourned for Committee work until 9 A. M.

MORNING SESSION.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis.

March 8, 1890, 9:00 o'clock A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Chairman Miller presiding.

Present—full Board, except Supervisors Robinson and Lomas.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

On motion by Supervisor Bushnell a committee consist-

ing of Supervisors Hamilton, Warwick and Bowles was appointed to revise the contract with County Sheriff in relation to services rendered under salary paid.

ELECTION PRINTING.

Supervisor Bushnell submitted the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

That the County Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to pay for all election tickets printed when ordered by the County Clerk and certified to by him, and the Clerk is to charge the same back to the respective cities, as provided by Sec. 2, Chap. 248 Laws of 1889.

COMMITTEE ON TRAMPS.

Supervisor Loope moved to add two members of the Board (from towns outside cities) to the committee appointed to devise a remedy for treatment of tramps, and that such committee report their findings at next November session.

Motion prevailed and the Chair appointed Supervisors Loope and Chas. Morgan.

On motion by Supervisor Loope the Board adjourned for committee work until 10 A. M. March 10.

MORNING SESSION.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis.
March 10, 1890, 10 o'clock A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Chairman Miller presiding.

Present—full Board except supervisors Robinson and Lomas.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

COUNTY FARM SEWER.

Supervisor Krueger submitted plans and specifications for the construction of a sewer at County Farm, and moved that they be placed on file, and that the Chairman of the Board be instructed to negotiate with the State Board of Supervision to obtain water for fire and flushing purposes from the State Hospital. Motion prevailed.

Supervisor Loope moved that the Committee on Justice and Constable Accounts, with assistance of the District Attorney be instructed to examine into the cause for sentence of five persons from city of Neenah, on Feb. 24, 1890.

Supervisor Hamilton moved to amend by referring the matter to the District Attorney, and if found that a crime had been committed by the officers imposing such sentence to prosecute them for same.

Amendment carried by 15 ayes to 14 noes.

The question recurring on the original motion as amended, on call of ayes and noes, the motion prevailed by 16 ayes to 13 noes.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE REPORT.

Supervisor Huxley from Committee on Finance, submitted the following report, which on motion was accepted and adopted.

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

GENTLEMEN:—Your Finance Committee to whom was referred the annual report of J. P. Rasmusen, County Clerk, beginning Jan. 7, 1889 and ending March 5, 1890, have carefully examined and compared the same with the proper books and vouchers in the office of the County Clerk, and find the same correct as therein set forth, and recommend the adoption of the report by this County Board of Supervisors.

Respectfully submitted.

H. E. HUXLEY,
J. J. MOORE,
PETER FAUST,
J. T. ORCHARD,
A. H. F. KRUEGER,

THOS. P. CHAPPELL,
F. D. BROOKS,
C. P. NORTHRUP,
J. A. SUHL,
Finance Com.

TO BORROW MONEY.

Supervisor Huxley from Finance Committee submitted the following resolution, which on call of ayes and noes was unanimously adopted:

To the Honorable County Board of Supervisors:

WHEREAS: From present indications the appropriations made at the November session to meet the expenses of the County for the current year will be inadequate, Therefore

RESOLVED: That the Chairman of this County Board and the County Treasurer be and are hereby authorized to borrow in the name and for the use of the County of Winnebago a sum of money not to exceed Eight Thousand Dollars, (\$8,000.00) to pay any indebtedness that may accrue against said Winnebago County during the present year. Said loan to be made on the best terms available both as to time and rate of per cent.

And be it further resolved: That the Chairman and Treasurer are hereby authorized to execute notes in their official capacity for said loan, and for the payment of such notes the said County of Winnebago shall be responsible.

H. E. HUXLEY, J. J. MOORE,
A. H. F. KRUEGER, THOS. P. CHAPPELL,
F. D. BROOKS, C. P. NORTHRUP,
J. A. SUHL, Finance Com.

Supervisor Kimball submitted a resolution with instructions to justices and other officers in the arrest and conviction of tramps.

On motion by Supervisor Krueger said resolution was referred to the District Attorney.

On motion by Supervisor Northrup the Board adjourned for Committee work until 9 A. M.

MORNING SESSION.

Supervisors' Room, Oshkosh, Wis.

March 11, 1890, 9:00 o'clock A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Chairman Miller presiding.

Present—full Board, except Supervisors Robinson and Lomas, and Stevens.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Accounts presented and referred to appropriate committees.

APPROPRIATION TO SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 9.

Supervisor Krueger offered the following resolution and moved its adoption which motion on call of ayes and noes unanimously prevailed.

WHEREAS School District No. 9 in the Town of Oshkosh have had taken from its tax roll the lands occupied by the Northern Hospital and the County Farm amounting to about 620 acres, all of which is exempt from taxation.

AND WHEREAS children from the County Farm are from time to time receiving the benefit of said school.

THEREFORE it is hereby ordered and determined that there be appropriated out of any money not otherwise appropriated the sum of Twenty Five Dollars (\$25.00) from the County Treasury, and the Chairman of this Board and the County Clerk are hereby authorized to issue a County Order for such amount.

A. H. F. KRUEGER.

STEAM HEAT (AGAIN.)

Supervisor Cook from Committee on Public Buildings submitted their corrected report on Steam Heat Plant, as follows:

Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

That the contract for putting a steam heating plant into the Winnebago County Court House, be let to W. H. Crawford, of Oshkosh, he being the lowest bidder thereon. That the Committee on Public Buildings are hereby instructed to draw up and conclude a contract with said W. H. Crawford for putting in said steam heat plant in accordance with said Crawford's bid, viz: Two Thousand Six Hundred Ten Dollars (\$2610.00) and with the plans and specifications therefor adopted by this Board, said Committee is further instructed and empowered to draw up and approve a bond in such amount, with such surities as they may deem necessary for the faithful performance of said contract by said W. H. Crawford. That our County Clerk and Chairman of this Board, upon the application in writing, signed by Sup't Stevens and a majority of the Committee on Public Buildings, are hereby instructed to issue County Orders from time to time, for such amounts as may be due under said contract to-wit: Such payments to be made, one at the expiration of each thirty days from the time the said contractor commences the work of putting in the said "plant," and in amounts not to exceed seventy-five (75) per cent. of the value of work performed and materials used, or on the ground, at such times. The balance thereof to be paid when the said "plant" has been completed, tested and accepted by the joint action of said Sup't and a majority of said Committee on Public Buildings; and that the Sup't be paid at the rate of Three Dollars (\$3.00) per day for the time necessarily and actually spent in the performance of his duties as such Superintendent. Said "plant" to be completed on or before the 1st day of October, 1890. Signed

C. W. COOK,
M. C. BUSHNELL,
JOSEPH ARNOLD.

On motion by Supervisor Northrup and on call of ayes and noes the report was unanimously accepted and adopted.

COMMITTEE ON PRINTING REPORT.

Supervisor Bushnell from Committee on Printing submitted their report, which on motion by Supervisor Loope and on call of ayes and noes, was unanimously adopted as follows:

To the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Printing beg leave to report that 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.

M. C. BUSHNELL,
L. H. KIMBALL,
H. E. HUXLEY,
C. W. DAVIS, Committee.

Dated March 10, 1890.

NAME.	NATURE OF ACCOUNT.	CLAIMED.	ALLOWED.
Allen & Weidner..	Envelopes and Records for Register of Deeds.....	\$ 21 25	\$ 21 25
Office Specialty Co.	Index for Clerk of Courts	25 00	25 00
T. D. Stone	Ptn'g Notice of Teacher's Examint'n	3 50	Disallow'd

The account of T. D. Stone for printing notice of teachers' examinations disallowed for the reason that the County has never been called upon to pay such bills and is not under obligations to do so.

STATIONERY AND SUPPLIES.

Supervisor Bushnell offered the following resolution and moved its adoption, which motion unanimously prevailed:

Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

That the County will not be held liable for the payment of bills or accounts contracted for stationery, books or supplies of any nature for the County by any person other than the Purchasing Agent appointed by this Board.

RESOLUTION TO SIGN ORDERS.

Supervisor Bushnell offered the following resolution and moved its adoption which motion prevailed:

Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

That the Chairman and Clerk be and are hereby authorized to issue a County Order for each of the accounts allowed during the present session of the Board and for all appropriations made (not otherwise provided for,) and that the Clerk be and is hereby authorized to correct all apparent clerical errors that he may discover in writing up the records of proceedings.

COMMITTEE ON INDEFINITE DESCRIPTIONS.

Supervisor Schoetz moved the appointment of a Committee on Indefinite Descriptions, of which the Chairman be one. Motion prevailed, and the Chairman appointed Supervisors Schoetz and Suhl.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE AND CONSTABLE ACCOUNTS.

Supervisor Schoetz from Committee on Justice and Constable Accounts submitted their report, which on call of ayes and noes was unanimously adopted as follows:

To the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Justice and Constable Accounts beg leave to report that 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.

M. M. SCHOETZ, Ch'n,
M. P. BRODERICK,
J. W. MORGAN,
J. W. TOBEY,
W. H. LEUFOLD,
THOS. J. BOWLES, Committee.

Dated March 11, 1890.

Name.	Nature of Account.	Claimed.	Allowed.	Name.	Nature of Account.	Claimed.	Allowed.
Chas. Ollerich	Justice fees.	\$ 598 79-	\$ 598 79	W. W. Neff	Officer fees.	\$ 1 88-	\$ 1 88
Lovel Stowe	"	134 92-	129 31	J. B. Ragatz	"	4 18-	4 18
J. W. Barlow	"	168 33-	164 52	Joe Burster	"	7 78-	7 78
Wesley Mott	"	108 43-	108 43	John Cowling	"	10 19-	10 19
F. D. McCabe	"	237 66-	233 89	Henry Gudden	"	24 59-	24 59
N. Frank	"	7 53-	7 13	J. Burster	"	5 45-	5 45
R. W. Ryckman	"	138 19-	138 19	J. C. Howard	"	66 39-	66 39
J. W. Barlow	"	1 80-	1 80	Henry Frohribj	"	9 82-	9 82
J. H. Merrill	Court Com	45 15-	45 15	C. Olesen	"	4 10-	4 10
City of Oshkosh	Brd. tramps	116 08-	116 08	Wm. Hogan	"	4 47-	4 47
Geo. W. Sawyer	"	46 75-	46 75	J. B. Covey	"	78 27-	78 27
Dave Roessler	"	19 50-	19 50	J. B. Ragatz	"	39 02-	39 02
"	Constable fees	75 58-	75 58	Dan Lynch	"	18 21-	18 21
"	"	78 45-	78 45	J. E. Casey	"	8 22-	8 22
John Arft	"	115 33-	109 26	W. W. Neff	"	19 82-	19 82
"	"	23 61-	23 61	F. J. Wilkie	"	3 35-	3 35
"	"	26 12-	24 64	W. N. Conover	"	58-	58
John Lucy	Officer fees.	2 52-	2 52	W. L. Price	"	4 14-	4 14
John Petersen	"	1 45-	1 45	J. B. Covey	"	12 85-	12 85
C. A. Donnelly	"	17 18-	17 18	A. Dillmore	"	17 47-	16 10
Fred Meyer	"	2 52-	2 52	"	"	103 70-	102 96
C. A. Donnelly	"	1 95-	1 95	"	"	74 12-	74 12
A. Frohribj	"	95-	95	G. Jorgensen	"	19 35-	19 35
Fred Meyer	"	10 59-	10 59	Geo. W. Sawyer	"	5 45-	5 44
Sam Cutts	"	6 85-	6 85	F. Burgess	"	76 00-	71 00
Con McCusker	"	12 91-	12 91	G. W. Sawyer	"	175 78-	169 38
"	"	2 80-	2 80	"	"	200 89-	184 89

Name.	Nature of Acc't.	Allowed.	Name.	Nature of Acc't.	Allowed.
Marshall Harris	Before Chas. Oellerich, J. P.	2 20	Ole Bullis	Witness fees	3 29
J. P. Rasmusen	"	2 20	Mark Raymond	"	2 49
H. L. Battis	"	2 20	Wm. Ford	"	2 49
Leonard Mayer	"	2 20	A. Burney	"	2 49
Martin Oleson	"	2 20	Geo. Freeman	"	1 66
A. L. Tuttle	"	2 20	J. B. Ragatz	"	83
Thos. Engleke	"	83	Thos. Bacon	"	83
Henry Schug	"	83	H. Frohrib	"	83
Jos. Arnold	"	83	H. C. Nash	"	83
H. Melibesen	"	83	H. M. Call	"	83
Jas. Casey	"	83	A. Gudden	"	83
Phil Blake	"	83	J. B. Ragatz	"	83
W. W. Neff	"	83	John Ragan	"	83
Polly Rothman	"	1 66	Kittie Thomas	"	83
Lizzie	"	1 66	Jas. E. Casey	"	83
Pauline Waterman	"	1 66	Philip Antin	"	83
F. Falk	"	83	Geo. W. Oaks	"	83
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	J. B. Ragatz	"	83
J. Cowling	"	83	Joseph Bulda	"	2 41
Frederick Streicher	"	83	A. Golla	"	1 16
J. Cowling	"	83	Aug. Schoen	"	1 16
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	F. Burgess	"	83
Dan Lynch	"	83	Fred Malchow	"	83
H. Frohrib	"	83	J. B. Ragatz	"	83
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	Anna Vogel	"	3 28
J. Cowling	"	83	Mary Vogel	"	3 28
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	Fred Abrams	"	3 28
H. Gudden	"	83	Augusta Falk	"	83
Geo. Gilbert	"	1 66	Carolina Falk	"	83
Jas. O'Rourke	"	2 70	Ernest Falk	"	83
A. C. Typtner	"	1 66	Fred Falk	"	83
S. J. Schuwendberg	"	1 66	J. Wenzel	"	2 20
Wilhelmina Sum-	"	83	A. Galla	"	2 20
merfield	"	83	H. Kinsdorf	"	2 20
Henry Elmer	"	83	P. Blake	"	2 20
Pauline Ihrig	"	83	A. Reistow	"	2 20
John McGoorty	"	2 44	Theo. Taub	"	2 20
Norman Horton	"	2 44	J. B. Ragatz	"	83
Elizabeth	"	2 44	H. P. Dale	"	83
Lena Barnett	"	2 44	Theo Egger	"	83
Wm. Brown	"	2 60	Anton Egger	"	83
S. Tyron	"	2 44	H. Frohrib	"	83
Wm. Tyron	"	2 44	Julius Betka	"	83
Otto Raddle	"	2 56	Hrnk Weed	"	83
Wm. Crawford	"	2 68	Jake Rhyner	"	83
Mick Gaughan	"	2 56	J. Terness	"	83
Wm. Newbert	"	2 44	Wm. Hogan	"	83
Wm. McGoorty	"	2 56	H. Gudden	"	83
Hattie Ringling	"	2 72	W. W. Neff	"	83
Wm. Ringling	"	2 72	John Cowling	"	83
A. J. Bierne	"	13 00	"	"	83
Mrs. S. Crowell	"	2 72	Vinnie Pielka	"	83
A. Dalton	"	1 66	Carrie Pielka	"	83
Frank Dalton	"	1 66	J. Cowling	"	83
Robert Guth	"	83	Dan Lynch	"	83
Sam Cutts	"	83	H. Frohrib	"	83
C. McCusker	"	83	"	"	83
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	Elmer Bullis	"	3 02
J. Cowling	"	83	J. S. Daniels	"	3 92
Isaac Davis	"	83	Lou Bullis	"	1 96
Mrs. Isaac Davis	"	83	Gottlieb Powers	"	1 96
Lizzie Sanders	"	83	Jas. Goggins	"	2 12
Jas. E. Sanders	"	83	C. Costello	"	2 16
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	E. T. Bills	"	1 96
"	"	83	J. Leroy	"	3 92
"	"	83	Caddie Clark	"	3 92
"	"	83	Chas. Stell	"	4 24
"	"	83	J. Bebbe	"	1 96
Mrs. Carrie Dalton	"	1 66	Chas. Luscomb	"	1 96
Alice Miracle	"	1 66	J. Kunde	"	1 96
John Dalton	"	1 66	Wm. Hogan	"	83
Lester	"	1 66	Chas. Stell	"	1 96
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	Chas. Luscombe	"	1 96
John Cowling	"	83	J. Kunde	"	1 96
Wm. Hogan	"	83	C. Clark	"	1 96
Andrew Vogd, Sr.	"	1 39	J. Bebbe	"	1 96
John Holmes	"	50	J. Leroy	"	1 96
R. Herman	"	50	Leroy Puxley	"	83
C. O. Josslyn	"	50	J. Wilkie	"	83
Mrs. Perrin	"	2 49	Before R. W. Ryckman, J. P.		
Albert Draper	"	3 29	Thaxter Reed	Witness fees	1 33

Name.	Nature of Acc't.	Allowed.	Name.	Nature of Acc't	Allowed.
Ortilla Kuehn	Before R. W. Ryckman, J. P. Witness fees	2 16	Lillian Smith	"	83
Nelsena Hansen	"	2 16	Michael Mielke	"	83
Michael Kuehn	"	2 16	Nick Marx	"	83
P. Sorenson	"	83	Michael Smith	"	83
Eliza Dahl	"	83	Nick Marx	"	83
Wm. Pomrich	"	83	Pat Hiland	"	83
M. E. Smith	"	83	James Hiland	"	83
Fred J. Meyer	"	83	Michael Mielke	"	83
Mark Peterson	"	83	Charlotte Mielke	"	83
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	Melchard Smith	"	83
"	"	83	Nick Marx	"	83
"	"	83	Charlotte Mielke	"	83
C. B. W. Ryckman	"	83	Fred Meilke	"	83
Geo. Buckstaff	"	83	Michael Mielke	"	83
Carl Kocser	"	83	Henry Hoffman	"	83
C. B. W. Ryckman	"	83	Chas Tuschgrubber	"	83
Geo. Buckstaff	"	83	Geo. Arno	"	83
Carl Kocser	"	83	Peter Kelley	"	83
Henriette Gebauer	"	83	James Hiland	"	83
F. J. Burgess	"	83	Otto Mertz	"	83
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	Dr. G. A. Mueller	"	83
Dr. Thompson	"	1 33	Fred McCabe	"	83
Nannie Goodwin	"	1 33	John Hammer	"	83
Chrissie Gile	"	1 33	Chas. Humphrey	"	1 58
Maggie Gaffney	"	83	Michael Walter	"	1 58
Lewis Nelson	"	83	John Walter	"	1 58
Otto Elias	"	83	Peter Walter	"	1 58
Albert Dalton	"	83	John Hammer	"	1 58
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	Timothy Brogan	"	83
Emma Wenzel	"	83	Albert Roesch	"	83
Ed. Miller	"	83	Patrick Mackin	"	83
Minnie Pohl	"	83	Susan Boyce	"	83
Elhida Strochine	"	83	Peter Duffy	"	1 90
Chas. Strochine	"	83	Lovel Stowe	"	83
J. C. Mueler	"	83	Geo. W. Sawyer	"	83
A. Nemitz	"	58	Otto Jorgenson	"	2 49
Gothliet Luhn	"	58	Olaf Jorgenson	"	2 49
T. H. Hornich	"	58	Titus Coats	"	1 66
Chas. Krause	"	58	Margaret Zemlock	"	1 66
Joseph Kloeckner	"	58	Helen Zemlock	"	83
Herman Zabell	"	83	L. J. Chase	"	83
Richard Hoffman	"	83	Before J. W. Barlow J. of P.		
August Zabel	"	83	Thos. E. Putnam	Witness fees	1 20
John P. Smith	"	83	Joseph Jarvis	"	1 20
Gustav Scheiber	"	83	Thos. Cavenagh	"	1 20
F. Y. King	"	83	John Melcher	"	1 20
F. D. Weston	"	83	J. A. Linsdau	"	1 20
G. F. Dickenson	"	83	Wm. Augustine	"	1 20
E. E. Warren	"	83	G. W. Dodge	"	5 00
E. Hanscom	"	83	Carmit Kakalaski	"	83
J. G. Warren	"	83	Chas. Wellutz	"	83
Maria Brace	"	83	"	"	83
Frank Lapoint	"	1 66	Phillip Cheek	"	5 00
Sylvester Largot	"	1 66	Chas. Johnson	"	83
F. Willey	"	83	H. F. Smith	"	83
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	J. J. Fish	"	83
Frank Stein	"	83	Wm. H. Hesse	"	83
Ed. Luhn	"	58	Hambleton Bailey	"	83
Minnie Raeski	"	83	Before N. Frank, J. of P.		
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	J. M. Fowler	Witness fees	1 24
"	"	83	D. E. Stowe	"	1 24
Mary Phillips	"	83	G. H. Halch	"	1 24
J. B. Ragatz	"	83	Sherman Leighton	"	1 24
Before Lovel Stowe J. of P.			J. W. Rice	"	1 24
Wm. Nelson	Witness fees	83	D. E. Sloan	"	1 24
Mrs. J. Stip	"	91	J. S. Daniels	"	1 24
F. W. Buboltz	"	91	J. F. Ford	"	1 24
John Stip	"	91	C. W. Jones	"	83
Gustav Kalfahs	"	91	Elmer Eullis	"	83
John Connivett	"	58	Cadd Clark	"	83
Anna Connivett	"	83	John Leroy	"	83
Peter Duffy	"	83	Chas. Luscomb	"	83
Titus Coats	"	83	Before J. H. Merrill, Court Com'r.		
Wesley Mott	"	83	Patrick Gormley	Witness fees	1 08
August Will	"	83	Susan Gormley	"	1 08
Wm. Freemond	"	83	John Carlton	"	1 08
Dolie Freemond	"	83	Before Wesley Mott, J. P.		
Dr. Massman	"	83	Lilly Smith	Witness fees	83
Before F. D. McCabe J. of P.			Elmore Smith	"	83
Joseph Smith	Witness fees	83	Sarah Balduff	"	1 58
			Herman Kepka	"	91

COMMITTEE ON POOR REPORT.

Supervisor Krueger from Committee on Poor and Poor Farm submitted their report which on call of ayes and noes was unanimously adopted.

To the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Poor and Poor Farm beg leave to report that 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.

A. H. F. KRUEGER,
CHAS. MORGAN,
T. E. LOOPE,
F. D. BROOKS,
J. W. HART, Committee.

Dated March 11, 1890.

NAME.	NATURE OF ACCOUNT.	CLAIMED.	ALLOWED.
W. A. Gordon	Medical services.....	\$ 13 00	\$ 13 00
City of Neenah.....	Support of County Poor	97 49	97 49
“ Menasha.....	“ “ “	12 00	12 00
Town of Omro.....	“ “ “	46 82	46 82
“ Rushford.....	“ “ “	14 00	14 00
John Fitzgibbons..	Care of County Poor	25 60	Disallow'd

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC BUILDINGS TO AUDIT ACCOUNTS'

Supervisor Cook submitted the following resolution and moved its adoption which motion prevailed.

Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis.:

That the Committee on Public Buildings is hereby authorized to audit and allow the account of Sup't E. E Stevens for his services as such, in putting a steam heat apparatus into the Winnebago County Court House, and that upon the written application of a majority of said Committee the Chairman of this Board and our County Clerk are hereby instructed to pay such said accounts.

C. W. COOK.

MILWAUKEE BRIDGE AND IRON CO.

Supervisor Loope offered the following resolution and moved its adoption, which motion on call of ayes and noes unanimously prevailed.

Resolved That the Chairman and Clerk are hereby authorized to issue County Order for the payment of Poygan Bridge to the Mil. Bridge and Iron Co. in the amount of \$486.68.

COMMITTEE ON INSANE REPORT.

Supervisor Loope from Committee on Insane submitted their report which on call of ayes and noes was unanimously adopted.

To the County Board of Supervisors:

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Insane beg leave to report that 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.

T. E. LOOPE,
L. H. KIMBALL,
C. C. VOSBURG,
J. J. MOORE, Committee.

NAME.	NATURE OF ACCOUNT.	CLAIMED.	ALLOWED.
W. A. Gordon	Exam. of Insane	\$ 9 00	\$ 9 00
“	Insp. of Co. Asylum	9 00	9 00
B. C. Gudden	Exam. of Insane	3 00	3 00
J. C. Noyes	“ “	3 00	3 00
E. J. Schwandt.....	“ “	3 00	3 00
H. B. Dale.....	“ “	9 00	9 00
A. Roos.....	“ “	9 00	9 00
L. H. Eaton.....	“ “	3 20	3 20

COMMITTEE ON PER DIEM AND MILEAGE REPORT.

Supervisor Chappell from Committee on Per Diem and Mileage submitted their report, which on call of ayes and noes was unanimously adopted, as follows:

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

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on Per Diem and Mileage beg leave to report that they find the following named persons entitled to the amounts set opposite their respective names for attendance on this March Session of 1890.

Dated March 11, 1890.

NAME.	MILEAGE.	DAYS.	PER DIEM.	TOTAL.
Joseph Arnold		6	\$ 18 00	\$ 18 00
Thos. J. Bowles	1 68	6	18 00	19 68
M. Broderick	2 16	6	18 00	20 16
F. D. Brooks	72	6	18 00	18 72
M. C. Bushnell	1 44	6	18 00	19 44
Thos. P. Chappell	2 40	6	18 00	20 40
C. W. Cook	2 40	6	18 00	20 40
C. W. Davis		5	15 00	15 00
Peter Faust	3 60	6	18 00	21 60
J. B. Hamilton	1 80	6	18 00	19 80
J. W. Hart	1 80	6	18 00	19 80
H. E. Huxley	1 80	6	18 00	19 80
L. H. Kimball	1 80	6	18 00	19 80
A. H. F. Krueger	1 80	6	18 00	19 80
W. H. Leupold		6	18 00	18 00
A. J. Locke	48	6	18 00	18 48
J. P. Lomas	1 80	1	3 00	4 80
T. E. Loope	2 16	6	18 00	20 16
D. Martin	1 56	6	18 00	19 56
L. M. Miller		6	18 00	18 00
J. J. Moore		6	18 00	18 00
Chas Morgan	60	6	18 00	18 60
J. W. Morgan	1 08	6	18 00	19 08
C. P. Northrup	1 80	6	18 00	19 80
J. T. Orchard	1 44	6	18 00	19 44
Ed. Reinert	2 40	6	18 00	20 40
C. A. Robinson	1 80	1	3 00	4 80
M. M. Schoetz	1 80	6	18 00	19 80
E. E. Stevens		3	9 00	9 00
J. A. Suhl	1 56	6	18 00	19 56
J. W. Tobey	1 80	6	18 00	19 80
C. C. Vosburg	96	6	18 00	18 96
W. P. Warwick		6	18 00	18 00

THOS. P. CHAPPELL,
H. E. HUXLEY,
D. MARTIN,
J. A. SUHL, Committee.

APPROPRIATION TO FRANK MILLER.

Supervisor Bowles offered the following resolution and moved its adoption, which motion prevailed by 17 ayes to 9 noes.

Resolved, by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, That whereas Chap. 65 Laws of 1885 provides for the Per Diem and expenses of the County School Sup't for attendance at the District Convention of School Superintendents, and whereas Frank Miller the present incumbent of that office has presented two certificates from State Superintendent showing such attendance according to said law, and claiming thereby the sum of eight dollars, therefore be it resolved that the said sum of eight dollars be and the same is hereby ordered paid to said Frank Miller by county order signed by the Chairman and Clerk of this Board.

COMMITTEE ON GENERAL ACCOUNTS REPORT.

Supervisor Warwick from Committee on General Accounts submitted their report, which on call of ayes and noes was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Arnold, Bowles, Broderick, Brooks, Bushnell, Chappell, Cook, Davis, Faust, Hart, Leupold, Loope, Martin, Miller, Moore, Chas. Morgan, J. W. Morgan, Northrup, Orchard, Schoetz, Suhl, Tobey, Vosburg, Warwick—24.

Noes—Hamilton, Huxley, Kimball, Krueger, Reinert—5.

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

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee on General Accounts beg leave to report that 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.

W. P. WARWICK,
J. T. ORCHARD,
J. W. HART,
ED. REINERT,
M. C. BUSHNELL,
C. C. VOSBURG,
T. E. LOOPE,
C. W. COOK, Committee.

Dated, March 11, 1890.

NAME.	NATURE OF ACCOUNT.	CLAIMED.	ALLOWED.
W. W. Kimball	Court fees	\$ 208 65	\$ 208 65
John McCabe	Registering of Births and Deaths	109 79	109 74
Annie Agergard	"	90	90
Dr. Booth	"	1 65	1 65
Mrs. T. E. Bethel	"	2 70	2 70
Margaret Davis	"	45	45
Dr. Dodge	"	1 20	1 20
Wilhelmina Gorges	"	90	90
Dr. Gillin	"	15	15
Dr. Mueller	"	2 25	2 25
J. C. Noyes	"	1 95	1 95
Charlotte Parmeske	"	45	45
Dr. Roos	"	15	15
Mrs. C. Steir	"	30	30
Mrs. E. Wollang	"	60	60
Dr. Gudden	"	45	45
Dr. Ford	"	30	30
W. A. Gordon	"	15	15
Mrs. Gertrude Schwab	"	4 65	4 65
J. A. Davis & Co.	Merchandise	3 60	3 60
Hough & Toplif	"	34 86	34 86
C. F. Voight	"	20 00	20 00
Theo. Podolski	"	1 58	1 58
Chas. Haase & Son	"	23 90	23 90
J. Bauman & Co.	Medicine for jail	32 60	32 60
Webb & Rundle	Merchandise	29 65	29 65
F. J. Wilkie	Taking children to Industrial School	15 75	15 75
Good Shepherd Ind. School	Board, etc. for girls	41 20	41 20
Henry Gudden	Taking insane to hospital	16 60	16 60
B. C. Gudden	Attending E. Flynn	150 00	150 00
Chas. Jeshke	Sawing wood	5 00	5 00
A. C. Ehrman	Mdse.	10 00	Disallowed.
E. Giddings	Soldiers' Relief Com.	6 00	6 00
J. D. Carr	Type writing	2 70	2 70
John McCabe	Reg. of births and deaths	12 00	12 00
Doctor Eaton	"	1 50	1 50
W. A. Gordon	Calls at jail	2 96	2 96
F. J. Wilkie	Exam. of children for Reform School	1 20	1 20
C. C. Paige	Mileage for child	9 00	9 00
W. H. Ternouth	Repairs for pump	10 00	10 00
F. J. Wilkie	Ice for Court House	2 42	2 42
F. Burgess	Taking child to Ind. School	1 00	1 00
	Board of prisoners, etc.	35 81	35 81
	Less 3/4 paid by Co. Treas	17 82	17 82
		1331 86	
		887 91	
	Less overcharge for locking in and out prisoners	\$ 44 00	
	Less overcharge for livery and travel	77 50	
	" " " board	1 36	
L. M. Miller	Services as Trustee and Chairman	122 86	327 09
T. E. Loope	"	90 00	90 00
"	"	16 20	16 20
"	Trustee expenses to Madison	10 20	10 20
"	Committee work	8 40	8 40
Peter Faust	"	15 60	15 60
T. J. Bowles	"	16 92	16 92
W. P. Warwick	"	12 00	12 00
C. W. Davis	"	9 00	9 00
M. P. Broderick	"	20 28	20 28
C. W. Cook	"	16 80	16 80
J. T. Orchard	"	4 44	4 44
C. P. Northrup	"	17 28	17 28
J. W. Hart	"	8 64	8 64
Chas. Morgan	"	7 96	7 96

NAME.	NATURE OF ACCOUNT.	CLAIMED.	ALLOWED.
A. H. F. Krueger.....	** " Committee work	\$ 8 64	\$ 8 64
M. C. Bushnell.....	** "	7 44	7 44
B. W. Eaton.....	** "	3 36	3 36
J. W. Tobey.....	** "	9 12	9 12
M. M. Schoetz.....	** "	7 80	7 80
J. T. Orchard.....	** "	3 48	3 48
T. J. Bowles.....	** "	3 48	3 48
M. P. Broderick.....	** "	3 48	3 48
Jos. Arnold.....	** "	6 00	6 00

VOTE OF THANKS.

Supervisor Broderick offered the following resolution and moved its adoption, which motion being put by the Clerk, unanimously prevailed:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Board are due, and are hereby tendered to Chairman Miller, for the courteous and impartial manner in which he has discharged the duties of said office.

Chairman Miller thanked the Board for the kindness shown, and for the pleasant manner in which the business had been transacted.

REPORT FROM SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON SHERIFF'S SALARY.

Supervisor Hamilton from Special Committee submitted the following report, which on motion was adopted.

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

GENTLEMEN:—Your Committee to whom was referred the revision of contracts to be entered into by said County and the Sheriff, beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration and find that there is but one contract that can be entered into and that is in relation to board of prisoners, and recommend that the contract entered into between said county and the present sheriff, found on pages 27 and 28 in Board Proceedings for 1889 be adopted in the future, with the following words added or inserted therein after the word "board" in the 9th line to-wit: "to be computed at the rate of three meals only per day, and at the same rate for parts of a day, and the party of the second part hereby agrees to specify in each of his accounts therefor the exact time of day each prisoner or person charged for, is received and discharged therefrom."

J. B. HAMILTON,
W. P. WARWICK,
THOS. J. BOWLES, Committee.

PRINTING PROCEEDINGS.

Supervisor Bushnell offered the following resolution and moved its adoption which motion unanimously prevailed.

RESOLVED, by the County Board of Supervisors of Winnebago County, Wis.: That the County Clerk be authorized and instructed to have printed in pamphlet form 1,200 copies of the proceedings of the County Board of Supervisors of the November session of 1889, and March session of 1890, with index and copies to be similar in plan and contents as those printed for the County for the previous years, and that the Clerk purchase the same from the lowest bidder, and send or deliver 40 copies to each of the Supervisors from the 16 towns, and 20 copies to each of the Supervisors of each ward of the cities of Oshkosh, Neenah and Menasha, and of each incorporated village in the County, and the remainder held by him for general distribution.

The minutes read and approved.

On motion by Supervisor Bowles the Board adjourned *Sine Die*.

J. P. RASMUSEN,

County Clerk.

STATEMENT

Showing the equalized valuation of all property, also the apportionment of all taxes levied upon, and special taxes charged to the several towns, cities and villages in Winnebago County, A. D. 1889; also the debit and credit by County Board on Report by Equalization Commission.

Towns, Cities and Villages.	Equalized Valuation.	State Tax.	County Tax.	School Tax.	Indigent Soldier's Tax.	Uncollected Per. Pro. Tax 1886.	Cancelled R. E. Taxes Ch'g back	Care of Paupers.	Poygan Bridge Tax.	School Supt's Tax	Total Taxes.	Debit and Credit by Co. Board on Commissioner's Report.	
												Cr.	Dr.
Algoma	\$ 427348	\$ 836 60	\$ 1439 27	\$ 290 61	\$ 102 52	\$	\$	\$	\$ 32 30	\$ 60 49	\$ 2816 35	\$	\$ 54 56
Black Wolf	291933	571 52	983 20	446 78	70 02	.....	.....	117 06	22 12	41 33	2292 95	.....	40 92
Clayton	561230	1098 76	1890 15	547 27	134 74	.....	3 24	1 44	42 44	79 44	3797 48	.....	.....
Menasha	201164	393 83	677 50	302 83	48 25	.....	.....	.....	15 23	28 48	1468 41	.....	.....
Neenah	232490	455 07	782 99	327 65	55 76	.....	2 29	.....	17 60	32 91	1650 13	.....	68 20
Nekimi	469449	919 64	1581 06	502 46	112 62	.....	.....	.....	35 50	66 45	3319 43	.....	102 30
Nepeskun	389994	763 45	1313 44	541 84	93 56	.....	2 07	8 18	99 52	55 19	2854 99	.....	47 74
Omro	838063	1640 69	2822 47	979 12	201 09	65	4 03	58 53	63 40	118 62	5889 50	.....	.....
Oshkosh	363207	711 26	1223 49	294 60	87 17	.....	3 28	63	27 80	51 43	2390 12	.....	.....
Poygan	158702	310 69	534 49	354 44	38 06	.....	.....	.....	12 01	22 47	1328 68	.....	55 89
Rushford	521647	1021 66	1757 52	711 60	128 20	1 66	.....	.....	39 45	73 86	3730 95	.....	.....
Utica	576357	1128 37	1941 10	427 77	138 28	.....	.....	1 44	43 60	81 57	3762 13	.....	.....
Winland	544193	1065 41	1832 80	463 08	130 36	.....	.....	.....	41 17	77 03	3786 04	.....	175 99
Winchester	260958	510 89	878 87	516 04	62 60	.....	.....	.....	19 75	36 93	2025 08	.....	.....
Winneconne	349975	645 99	1111 31	296 04	79 15	.....	.....	.....	24 97	46 70	2340 56	.....	136 40
Winneconne Village	110630	216 59	372 59	540 48	26 51	.....	.....	117 06	8 37	15 66	1297 26	.....	.....
Wolf River	151545	296 69	510 38	484 81	36 35	.....	.....	80	11 45	21 44	1361 92	.....	.....
Menasha City	1058924	2073 10	3566 29	2011 20	254 10	245 09	1 41	264 91	.....	.....	8416 10	.....	.....
Neenah City	1797037	3506 09	6031 55	2515 76	429 76	4 73	4 60	85 47	.....	.....	11935 96	682 00	.....
Oshkosh City	5932506	11613 67	19979 53	13000 00	1423 70	334 09	32 61	663 25	.....	.....	47946 85	.....	.....
Total	15211554	29779 37	51230 00	25504 47	36500 00	* 586 22	55 06	1318 14	486 68	910 00	113519 84	682 00	682 00

*Charged back by mistake: should be for 1887.

STATE OF WISCONSIN,)

COUNTY OF WINNEBAGO,) ss.
 I, J. P. Rasmussen, County Clerk, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true statement of equalized value, and of the taxes levied on the several towns and cities for the year A. D. 1889.
 Dated Nov. 27, 1889.

I, J. P. Rasmussen, County Clerk, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true statement of equalized value, and of the taxes levied on the several towns and cities for the year A. D. 1889.
 J. P. RASMUSSEN, County Clerk.

Abstract of Assessments.

CERTIFIED STATEMENT

Of the principal Farm Products growing in County of Winnebago at the time of making the annual assessment of the year 1889, as ascertained and compiled pursuant to the provisions of Section 1010 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 226, Laws of 1889:

Names of Towns, Etc.	Number of Acres.																Milch Cows.				
	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.	Barley.	Rye.	Potatoes.	Root Crops.	Cranberries.	Apple Orchard.	Strawberries.	Raspberries.	Blackberries.	Currants.	Grapes.	Flax.	Hops.	Tobacco.	Cultivated Grasses.	Growing Timber.	Number.	Value.
									No. of Bearing Trees.											No. of Acres.	No.
Algoma	554	1157	1709	268	90	102	15		1322	24	7	7	1	11	1			2018	723	700	\$ 10124
Black Wolf	1311	623	739	426	6	79			227									995	1442	557	9774
Clayton	2023	1476	2369	679	487	195	2		143	3	5	2		1				2151	1509	1053	12230
Menasha	465	262	757	243	200	42					1							1171	616	383	3736
Neenah	409	443	759	148	318	72	5		271	6								1557	672	415	6437
Nekimi	2299	1105	1736	941	99	124			1907					1				1809	1253	857	14500
Nepeuskun	1744	1765	1886	167	415	131			1813									1594	643	715	13497
Omro	587	1747	2124	69	188	168			139	5	2							21	93	1095	21900
Oshkosh	764	770	1182	262	111	66		12	946									1856	409	708	9233
Poygan	673	619	605	27	224	441		2	394					2	224			791	663	539	7495
Rushford	817	1652	2010	74	673	359	13		1777	19	13	29	4	2				2360	1201	874	19184
Utica	1417	1411	2469	815	61	106			880									2478	1153	869	15755
Vinland	1441	1419	2049	658	534	295	18		558	4								3467	756	1047	15404
Winchester	827	1424	1808	112	393	181	3	5	572						9		1	1305	1235	1685	23323
Winneconne	897	825	886	134	178	67	1		448									1573	621	620	7395
Wolf River	724	360	873	61	465	76	5	40	245									931	2118	861	10044
	16952	17058	23061	5084	4472	2414	84	45	14	11642	61	28	38	5	15	7	1	26076	14107	12440	200091

*The number of acres not given by assessors owing to a misunderstanding of the blank.

CERTIFIED STATEMENT

Of the principal Farm Products grown in Winnebago County during the year 1888, as ascertained and compiled pursuant to the provisions of Section 1010 of the Revised Statutes as amended.

NAMES OF TOWNS.	BUSHELS.													No. Acres Harvested for Seed.		No. Lbs.		No. Tons.	No. of Lbs.						
	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.	Barley.	Rye.	Potatoes.	Root Crops.	Cranberries.	Apples.	Strawberries.	Raspberries.	Blackberries.	Currants.	Grapes.	Clover Seed.	Timothy Seed.	Clover.		Timothy.	Flax.	Hops.	Tobacco.	Cultivated Grasses.	Butter.	Cheese.
Algoma	7302	38005	69182	4405	1340	7117	5912	1176	1369	89	130	63	247	24	24	4						2191	36801	.....
Black Wolf	23169	25508	30379	13533	1737	16848																1865	47712	73000	
Clayton	35063	50470	95446	15585	12382	20346	845	178	4500	3500			500	30								2753	50200	.....
Menasha	8450	8418	21762	4247	5814	3523																1428	22450	3400	
Neeah	8877	15187	23833	3254	12144	6498																1966	18205	40000	
Nekimi	31338	52005	60600	24398	2338	9930	1453	150	206	261	2					64	10					4003	54570	3400	
Nepeuskun	29100	40795	62560	3515	9115	10255	4065	1555								356	59					2928	54600	16600	
Omro	9644	24310	44913	10696	4205	6197	2878	204								87						3048	16630	156000	
Oshkosh	6763	56958	97349	3740	4805	13222	1045	20														3577	68875	45600	
Poygan	10766	15695	21437	610	5055	17665		100															6700	36800
Rushford	17654	53430	62496	3847	15206	21653	5685	3895	1439	721	186	426		575	18	12	10	1				2927	63200	68316	
Utica	20320	43285	100357	10147	1844	7410	1647		876	67	1			6		16		40				2005	62700	.....
Vinland	17887	48385	76453	11805	14251	13340	2735		666	113	7	31	18			129		20	400			3981	43484	116320	
Winchester	8851	8780	21167	956	8338	9306	1710	612	158							32	195	2	136			1012	20415	76610	
Winneconne	13695	27592	36843	3518	4068	9933	379		5	15	3	9				4						1872	22157	90000	
Wolf River	12426	44117	59183	1916	7137	18494	1345	200	395	3						79	5	42	1			1218	25288	64250	
	261395	553170	893120	116232	109070	185797	33128	4707	9874	7309	3819	609	583	905	296	867	188	115	46	400		36674	610910	784296	

Agricultural Statistics.

STATEMENT

Showing all the taxes levied and all bonded and other indebtedness incurred and outstanding in the several towns, cities and villages in Winnebago County, as returned for the year 1889, under provisions of Chap. 236, Laws of 1881.

Names of Towns, Cities and Villages.	Assessed Valuation of all Property.	Towns, Cities and Villages.					Total Town, City and Village Taxes.	Railroad Aid.	Bridges.	Other Purposes.	Accrued Interest Unpaid.	Indebtedness of School Districts and for School Purposes.	All other Indebtedness of Towns, Cities and Villages.	Total Indebtedness of Towns, Cities and Villages.
		Current Expenses.	School Purposes.	Support of Poor.	Roads and Bridges and Poll tax.	Other Purposes.								
Algoma	\$ 512407	\$ 225 00	\$ 625 48	\$	2052 70	\$	\$ 2093 18	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Black Wolf	316633 00	200 00	184 70	.....	1485 02	.....	1860 72	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Clayton	533060 50	400 00	807 41	.....	2414 02	.....	3621 45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Menasha	205210 00	250 00	325 81	.....	830 93	.....	1385 74	4000	.....	4760	.....	.....	2760 00
Neenah	239648 00	1850 18	602 44	4 46	1606 91	.....	4063 09	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nekimi	482207 00	275 00	339 39	200 00	1873 60	301 00	2058 90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nepeuskun	419739 00	.....	1760 59	200 00	1478 86	.....	3448 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Omro	821645 00	965 00	2200 13	.....	4137 65	9 14	8302 78	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oshkosh	440241 00	727 73	264 00	.....	1320 72	1000 00	2312 45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Poygan	171363 00	300 00	436 24	241 77	700 00	.....	1693 01	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rushford	552128 00	1115 47	1411 38	.....	2861 20	.....	5408 05	1500	75 00	.....	.....	500 00	2075 00
Utica	397731 00	275 00	1522 23	21 44	1726 74	1213 50	6838 91	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vinland	570421 00	150 00	720 62	75 00	2252 48	4 68	3218 78	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Winchester	306701 00	300 00	570 10	11 82	2200 97	2025 08	5193 97	.....	.....	.....	.....	500 00	500 00
Winneconne	370444 00	350 00	621 53	.....	2244 82	2142 34	5711 11	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Winneconne village	121113 00	300 00	1245 18	117 00	521 55	712 40	3140 15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wolf River	163022 00	200 00	320 18	.....	1446 97	.....	2227 15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Menasha city	923044 00	1812 50	4400 00	600 00	1407 50	2650 00	11020 00	3000	.....	.....	.....	.....	2277 00
Neenah city	1531215 00	1200 00	3100 00	1553 21	3207 20	770 00	27242 20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2025 00
Oshkosh city	700052 00	.....	4000 00	427 53	.....	7211 53	15000 00	75000	41000 00	.....	.....	.....	14000 00
Total	\$ 16475033 50	16814 62	4723 20	2242 80	16072 10	13111 33	259233 14	82000	1500	44075 00	5000	17000 00	71443 00	22883 00

ABSTRACTS OF THE STATEMENTS,

Of items appearing on the assessment rolls of the several towns, cities and villages in the County of Winnebago, as returned to the County Clerk for the year 1889 under the provisions of Sec. 1066 R. S. as amended Chap. 479, Laws of 1889, showing the aggregate number and value thereof.

Towns and Cities.	Horses.		Neat Cattle.		Mules and Asses.		Sheep and Lambs.		Swine.		Wagons, Carriages & Sleighs.		Gold and Silver Watches.		Pianos, Organs, and Melodians.		Value of Bank Stock.		Value of Merchandise and Manufacturers' Stocks.	Mortgages, Notes, & Mortgages.	Value of all Personal Property.	Total Value of all Personal Property.		No. of acres of land and value thereof.		Aggregate Value of City and Village Lots.	Equalized by the County Board for year 1889.	Equalized by the County Board for year 1889.		
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value				No.	Value	No. Acres.	Value.				No. Acres.	Value.
Algoma	476	18280	1078	13957			244	\$ 380	395	\$ 943	262	\$ 3325	20	\$ 355	34	\$ 830			4620	10185	\$ 6156	\$ 59001	10924	\$ 512600		\$ 512600	\$ 427348	\$ 427348		
Black Wolf	281	12900	990	13261	10	435	253	501	476	1536	239	4183	16	77	16	305			9000	4755	46953	9335	269680		269680	201933	291233			
Clayton	648	32980	1833	17674			958	1446	752	1656	466	3042	19	199	19	211			940	7440	4878	79466	22937	462594		462594	561220	561220		
Menasha	248	7400	658	5343			361	364	165	302	93	1253	4	35	6	35			1000	2930	3810	22472	9263	182747		182747	201164	201164		
Neenah	226	10256	852	10610	2	150	191	405	242	874	118	1938	4	55	13	300			5100			29688	9374	209960		209960	232490	232490		
Nekimi	449	22030	857	14560	2	60	1809	2790	738	1693	123	2525	15	50	23	189						2446	45342	19217	435565		435565	469449	469449	
Nepeuskun	387	19060	1139	16026			4084	4993	714	2212	123	2296	18	350	34	1055			325	7500	3590	56737	19337	361580		361580	389994	389994		
Omro and Village	620	31895	2095	24665	4	100	1429	1435	861	123	3715	19	305	14	279	19	517			26525	32800	8835	133815	21627	533595	154335	538635	838093	838093	
Oshkosh	300	16040	1263	16141	4	82	179	312	310	835	152	2409	14	279	19	517			19450			59252	10055	380340		380340	363507	363507		
Poygan	247	11075	1497	16044			621	621	597	1010	75	1080	9	90	30	305			1074	980		32729	13823	139084		139084	156702	156702		
Rushford and Village	540	27719	1532	23576	5	210	2055	3155	753	3141	395	6397	30	345	28	2155			7565	17415	5458	97136	22128	411772	43000	454862	521874	521874		
Utica	501	31474	1766	23540	3	110	5610	8914	833	2856	161	3599	31	395	20	525			3350	9070	7150	96884	22630	506530		506530	576357	576357		
Vinland	565	25470	1915	22425			780	1213	674	1861	154	3139	6	46	38	1275			1015	39315	5927	101686	18262	468735		468735	544195	544195		
Winchester	572	18432	2065	16520	9	275	700	874	990	1980	244	2193	6	75	15	288			925	5340	2146	48694	20929	249175		249175	151544	151544		
Winneconne	280	11090	1402	12605	2	70	573	574	550	1055	205	2530			35	570			2700	10825	1337	43356	12471	311115	5676	316793	399975	399975		
Winneconne Village	71	2150	89	1161						32	85	1415	27	478	48	2100			21740	9100	1595	39771	59	2550	78597	126395	126395	116630	116630	
Wolf River	330	11702	1625	14393			539	709	507	1110	184	2772	3	23	5	135			1822	1130	2872	240529			69175	691515	1058924	1058924		
Menasha City	190	11705	203	3099	2	100			10	54	266	7795	68	910	89	3625	80	32000	148420	5550	27260	144530	93218	14243	397010	528	42105	1156435	189037	1790317
Neenah	358	18875	302	4570	6	195				498	14285	251	4217	217	11875	1400	91000	144530				2453483	1561	88770	4541584	4630334	5748445	5748445		
Oshkosh	1232	75715	452	11360	4	225			55	285	1767	63520	630	14132	583	39565	5000	429200	1152620			317982	2453483			1561	88770	4541584	4630334	
Total	8401	416248	23713	281521	53	2012	20390	28658	19534	25725	55941	133372	1190	22346	1328	56968	6480	552725	1539619	615797	424106	4107301	264118	5695192	6628789	12373981	1512749	15211554		

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Legislative County Officers

Senator.....	GEORGE H. BUCKSTAFF
Member of Assembly, First District	G. W. PRATT
" " " Second " 	W. L. MILLER
" " " Third " 	CASPER SMITH (Deceased)
County Judge.....	C. D. CLEVELAND
Clerk of the Court.....	W. W. KIMBALL
Deputy Clerk of Court.....	A. H. READ
Register of Probate.....	A. H. READ
Sheriff	FRED BURGESS
Under Sheriff	BEVERLY EATON
Jailor	PETER GYSE
County Clerk.....	J. P. RASMUSEN
Deputy County Clerk	E. C. RASMUSEN
County Treasurer.....	P. D. KRABY
Register of Deeds	JOHN Mc CABE
Deputy Register of Deeds	
District Attorney.....	HENRY FITZGIBBON
County Surveyor	G. A. RANDALL
Coroner.....	C. R. HAMLIN
Superintendent of County Poor.....	THOMAS HOUGH
Superintendent of Schools	FRANK MILLER
Janitor Court House.....	CHAS. JESCHKE