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Agricultural Agent

Salary - Agricultural Agent	\$ 270.00
Salary - Stenographer	75.00
Extra clerk hire	30.00
Stationery and office supplies	77.69
Personal expenses	66.50
Mileage	677.58
Equipment	29.70
Repairs to equipment	4.00
Telephone and telegrams	53.73
Freight and express	6.46
Postage and P.O. box rent	8.78
Total	\$ 1,999.44

County Welfare Agent

Salary - Stenographer	\$ 506.80
Stationery and supplies	143.88
Equipment	126.22
Telephone and telegrams	126.94
Total	\$ 903.84

Court House

Salary - Janitor	\$ 1,500.00
Salary - Extra Janitor's services	125.00
Light	901.95
Fuel	1,608.90
Water	100.10
Insurance	17.87
Repairs to building	487.12
Furniture and fixtures	279.56
Supplies	521.29
Laundry	26.00
Express, printing, freight and cartage	154.32
Supplies - Court Ho. grounds	15.85
Total	\$ 5,737.96

PUBLIC SAFETY

Sheriff's Department

Salary - Sheriff	\$ 3,000.00
Salary - Under Sheriff	1,500.00
Stenographer's services	16.00
Stationery and printing	71.50
Mileage	814.16
Telephone and telegrams	279.84
Total	\$ 5,681.50

Jail

Salary - Nightwatchman	\$ 1,500.00
Salary - Deputy Sheriff	750.00
Salary - Jail Physician	500.72
Fees and expenses-Deputy Sheriffs	2,344.19
Conveying prisoners to Jail and Prisons	463.06
Supplies	331.48
Light	263.50
Fuel	300.12
Water	36.40
Insurance	3.75
Subsistence of Prisoners	4,950.00
Clothing and shoe repairs - Prisoners	16.83
Dental services and operations-Prisoners	119.00
Repairs to building	274.19
Supplies and repairs to Spring Street residence	1.48
Express, freight and cartage	57.11
Miscellaneous	6.25
Total	\$11,918.08

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Coroners Fees

Coroners fees	\$ 1,762.50
Officers fees - assisting Coroner	3.00
Jurors' fees at Inquest	211.50
Witness fees at Inquest	55.80
Examination of Dead	150.00
Livery for Coroner	69.98
Stenographer's fees and testimony at Inquest	78.16
Miscellaneous	3.00

Total \$ 2,333.94

TOTAL PUBLIC SAFETY. \$ 19,933.52

Contagious Diseases

Scarlet Fever	\$ 1,510.45
Diphtheria	22.00
Typhoid Fever	896.98
Salary - County Physician	720.00
Expenses - County Physician	141.68
Fuel - Emergency Hospital	76.50
Miscellaneous	636.40

Total \$ 4,004.01

Poor Commission

Salary - Poor Commissioners	\$ 390.00
Expenses - Poor Commissioners	67.60
Telephone	149.74
Equipment - Co. Infirmary	890.52

Total \$ 1,497.86

Public Education

Salary - School Commissioner	\$ 2,880.00
Salary - Stenographer	900.00
Expenses	35.00
Stationery and office supplies	396.64
Printing and binding	56.00
Mileage	361.58
Supplies - Annual Round-up	34.00
Telephone and telegrams	57.34
Freight and express	6.07
Postage and P.O. Box rent	1.50

Total \$ 4,728.13

Public Election

Printing and supplies - Regular Election	\$ 133.69
Postage and express on Election supplies	3.40

Total \$ 137.09

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Public Mine Inspector

Salary - Mine Inspector	\$ 1,800.00
Expenses	225.80
Stationery and printing	26.50
Stenographer's services	15.00
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Total	\$ 2,067.30

Public Statistics

Birth and Death Certificates paid Two. Clerks, Statutory.	\$ 371.75
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Tax Commission

Services - Commissioners	\$ 96.00
Mileage	29.12
Clerk hire	59.50
Supplies	30.30
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Total	\$ 214.92

EXTRAORDINARY

Postage and box rent	\$ 1,287.90
Appraisal maintenance	120.00
Advertisement-U.P. Development Bureau	56.76
Dog census	87.90
Compensation Insurance	692.38
Board - Dependent children	1,882.00
Board - Illegitimate child	31.18
Salary - Co. Trespass Agent	350.00
Christmas Seals	10.00
Rental, phone and supplies -- U.S. Employment office	361.80
Clerk hire - Insurance Committee	25.00
Services - Dental Clinic	377.43
Services - Attorney	10.00
Short term tax bonds - Township Treasurers	654.75
Delivering Chattel Mortgages - Register of Deeds	17.80
Stock killed by dogs - Statutory	88.00
Refund on Recording fees - Register of Deeds	6.00
Express on Tax Roll . . . . .	.40
Mortgage Tax refund	12.50
E.R.A. phone calls	5.75
Transportation - 4-H Club	25.00
Expenses - grasshopper poison	247.89
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Total	\$ 6,350.44

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

Mich. Children's Aid Society	\$ 300.00
U.P. Development Bureau	1,000.00
Marquette County Historical Society	100.00
Holy Family Orphans Home	500.00
Red Cross Association	1,600.00
Good Will Farm	300.00
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Total	\$ 3,800.00

Total General Fund \$100,201.69

SANATORIUM FUND

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1935	\$ 20,056.92
Appropriation	45,937.00
Receipts	14,891.37
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	\$ 80,885.29
Disbursements	80,000.00
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Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1936	\$ 885.29

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COUNTY ROAD FUND

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1935	\$ 154,625.72
Appropriation	31,172.47
Receipts	247,890.84
Transfers from Personal taxes, Delinquent taxes, and etc.	7,209.36
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	\$ 440,898.39
Disbursements	315,386.11
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	\$ 125,512.28
Correction and refund transfers	3,859.35
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Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1936	\$ 121,652.93

POOR FUND

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1935	\$ 59,959.00
Appropriation	85,000.00
Receipts	2,684.58
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	\$ 147,643.58
Disbursements	120,908.19
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Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1936	\$ 26,735.39

FAIRGROUNDS FUND

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1935	\$ 904.35
Appropriation	8,000.00
Receipts	242.74
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	\$ 9,147.09
Disbursements	2,147.09
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	\$ 7,000.00
Correction Voucher No. 931	7,000.00
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Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1936	- - - - -

CHILDREN'S UNIT BOND AND INTEREST FUND

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1935	\$ 4,240.00
Transfer from County Debt Service	12,000.00
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	\$ 16,240.00
Disbursements	11,525.00
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Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1936	\$ 4,715.00

Bonds outstanding - - \$ 60,000.00

SOLDIERS' RELIEF FUND

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1935	\$ -12.45
Appropriation	400.00
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	\$ 387.55
Disbursements	370.50
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Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1936	\$ 17.05

DEPENDENT CHILDREN'S FUND

Aid for Dependent Children	\$ 32,348.00
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COUNTY PARKS AND AIRPORTS FUND

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1935	\$	7,594.60
Appropriation		8,000.00
Receipts		242.97
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	\$	15,837.57
Disbursements		13,701.33
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Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1936	\$	2,136.24

- SUMMARY OF DISBURSEMENTS -

Champion Park:

Salaries	\$	6,712.58
Meals - Park Commissioners		14.00
Lighting		226.07
Insurance		259.36
Taxes		47.78
Supplies		628.52
Recording deeds and etc.		3.50
Telephone		65.35
Projects		846.21
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Total Champion Park Disbursements	\$	8,803.37

Gwinn Park:

Salaries	\$	534.73
Supplies		71.88
Insurance		12.20
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Total Gwinn Park Disbursements	\$	618.81

Big Bay Park:

Salaries	\$	211.02
Insurance		34.50
Supplies		619.64
Freight		15.10
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Total Big Bay Park Disbursements	\$	880.26

County Airports:

Labor, supplies and equipment on County Airport projects	\$	3,398.89
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STATE INSTITUTIONS AND PUBLIC CHARGES FUND

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1935	\$	-3,366.49
Appropriation		24,000.00
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	\$	20,633.51
Cash Receipts		627.09
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	\$	21,260.60
Disbursements		19,832.33
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Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1936	\$	1,428.27

- Disbursements -

Patients - Newberry State Hospital	\$	3,453.98
Patients - Mich. Farm Colony - Epileptics		227.85
Patients - Mich. Home Training School		596.07
Patients - School for Deaf		10.84
Patients - Mich. State Public School		232.05
Patients - Ionia State Hospital		200.79
Patients - School for Blind		35.53
Patients - Mich. Children's Institute . . . . .		.65
Medical treatment, adults and children, U. of M. Hospital and St. Luke's Hospital		10,111.71
Expenses - Mental Clinic		134.30
Exam. - Delinquent Children		6.60
Conveying Children		338.19
Examination of Insane		372.95
Conveying Insane		455.67
Search for Insane patient		2.00
Examination and conveying Feebled-minded		123.06
Investigations - Adults Afflicted		194.13
Examination - Adults Afflicted		20.12
Examination - Epileptic		13.20
Conveying Epileptic, Afflicted Adults and Children		3,302.64
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Total Disbursements	\$	19,832.33

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SUMMARY

General Fund	\$	100,201.69
Sanatorium Fund		80,000.00
County Road Fund		315,386.11
Poor Fund		120,908.19
Fairgrounds Fund		2,147.09
Children's Unit Bond and Interest Fund		11,525.00
Soldiers' Relief Fund		370.50
Dependent Children's Fund		32,348.00
Co.Parks and Airports Fund		13,701.33
State Institutions and Public Charges Fund		19,832.33
Total	\$	696,420.24

Frank G. Jenks

County Clerk.

COUNTY TREASURER'S REPORT

Office of the County Treasurer

Marquette, Mich., October 6, 1936.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith the annual statement of receipts and disbursements for the year ending September 1, 1936, and the trial balances for the months ending August 31, 1936 and September 30, 1936.

There is also for your consideration the statement from the Auditor General of the Charged Back List for the year ending June 30th, 1936, and a memorandum of the amount to be charged to the several townships and cities as rejected taxes.

Respectfully submitted,

J. E. Hayden,

County Treasurer.

OFFICE OF COUNTY TREASURER, MARQUETTE COUNTY

Rejected Taxes Charged Back by Auditor General as of
June 30, 1936.

	Int.on State Tax	State Tax	County Tax	Co.Debt Service Tax	Co.Road Tax	Total Chgd. City or Twp.	City or Twp.Taxes	Grand Total
City of Ishp.	\$.10	\$.81	\$ 3.33	\$.44	\$.16	\$ 4.48	\$ 11.75	\$ 16.23
City of Marq.	.42	8.41	88.90	3.83	7.17	108.73	221.53	330.26
City of Neg.	.18	1.79	11.34	.42	.75	14.48	33.61	48.09
Champion Twp.	.34	.84	5.62	.24	.72	7.76	19.14	26.90
Chocolay Twp.	.12	1.02	5.72	.18	.52	7.56	12.07	19.63
Ely Twp.	1.07	4.24	29.44	1.82	3.16	39.73	59.47	99.20
Ewing Twp.	.03	.30	3.04	.48	.25	4.10	5.28	9.38
Forsyth Twp.	.55	6.83	51.78	2.33	5.06	66.55	121.37	187.92
Humboldt Twp.	1.05	6.13	21.71	1.29	2.56	32.74	97.09	129.83
Ishpeming Twp.	.23	1.34	2.79	.01	.85	5.22	6.28	11.50
Marquette Twp.	.03	.38	4.00	.29	.33	5.03	3.64	8.67
Michigamme Twp.	.84	2.24	8.50	.26	1.66	13.50	44.00	57.50
Negaunee Twp.	1.11	6.79	29.92	2.74	2.88	43.44	161.03	204.47
Powell Twp.	.02	.48	5.08	.21	.40	6.19	6.49	12.68
Republic Twp.	.61	7.87	73.50	6.19	5.82	93.99	249.05	343.04
Richmond Twp.	.28	2.01	6.96	.14	.26	9.65	29.60	39.25
Sands Twp.	.18	1.41	6.08	.17	.30	8.14	12.32	20.46
Skandia Twp.	.35	3.37	32.28	6.11	2.62	44.73	42.89	87.62
Tilden Twp.	.40	1.36	4.26	.09	1.05	7.16	15.16	22.32
Turin Twp.	.54	3.17	16.03	1.27	2.26	23.27	40.87	64.14
Wells Township	1.19	3.61	9.22	.12	3.37	17.51	47.44	64.95
West Branch Twp.	.02	.38	4.04	.17	.33	4.94	8.96	13.90
	\$9.66	\$64.78	\$423.54	\$28.44	\$42.48	\$568.90	\$1,249.04	\$1,817.94

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STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS

September 1, 1935 to September 1, 1936

Balance on hand and in Banks September 1st, 1935		\$ 513,905.49
Poor Fund	\$	2,684.58
Library Fund		4,554.40
County Road Fund		247,890.84
Sanatorium Fund		14,891.37
Inheritance Tax Fund		12,736.87
Estate of Marie Rasmussen	\$	290.18
Estate of Thea Peterson		112.43
Estate of Emily Girling		9.44
Estate of Halvor Thureson		27.80
Estate of Edward Priebe		86.25
Estate of Peter Lundquist		560.92
Estate of Sezare Messier		87.50
Estate of Mary Abraham		7.13
Estate of Honora Riley		40.00
Estate of Agnes Thoney		159.56
Estate of Verona Erbelding		15.38
Estate of Susan Dayton Williams		308.02
Estate of Peter A. Auno		35.76
Estate of Anna Mary Van Evera		449.83
Estate of Thomas George Bowden		99.98
Estate of John Person		28.91
Estate of Gotthard Johnson		1,428.39
Estate of Catherine Conolly		6,979.37
Estate of Eugene W. Adams		205.26
Estate of Elizabeth McHatton		330.84
Estate of Mary Gustafson		3.55
Estate of John W. Beckman		1,011.43
Estate of Hannah Cotcher		85.80
Estate of Edward A. Lokken		153.42
Estate of William Leininger		219.72
Mortgage Tax Fund		83,329.50
State Tax Fund		9,182.88
Delinquent Tax Fund		105,798.80
Refund Delinquent Tax Fund		1,082.52
Primary School Fund		356,363.65
Teachers' Institute Fund		225.50
Township Fund		1,682.63
County Parks Fund		242.97
Tax Collection Fund		332,337.85
Personal Tax Collection Fund		1,639.14
State Institutions and Public Charges Fund		627.09
Highway Bond Improvement Retirement Fund		36,869.53
Dependent Children's Fund		16.00
Emergency Relief Administration Fund		109,403.10
Emergency Relief Administration - Payroll Fund		13,367.49
Fair Grounds Fund		242.74
General Fund		10,102.64
Fees returned by County Officers	\$	5,002.75
County Clerk	\$	247.10
County Treasurer		42.50
Register of Deeds		4,550.15
Sheriff		163.00
Dog Licenses		62.00
House Rent		195.00
Clifford Felt		195.00
Telephone Calls		23.80
Operator's Licenses		201.30
Jail Costs and Officers' Fees		184.75
Sale of one quart varnish		1.21
Postage		1.25
Refund Court Ho & Jail Group Insurance		37.21
Outstanding checks charged off		80.56
Interest on Certificates of Deposit		3,535.06
First National Bank - Ne-		
gaunee	\$	575.00
First National Bank &		
Trust Company-Marq-		
quette		575.00
Union National Bank-		
Marquette		575.00
Marquette County Sav-		
ings Bank - Marquette		575.00

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Miners' First National Bank -		
Ishpeming	575.00	
The Peninsula - Ishpeming	520.00	
Gwinn State Savings-Gwinn.	140.00	
Circuit Court Fees returned by Co.Clerk	756.50	
Specific Mortgage Tax	15.00	
Refund on Mortgage Tax	6.25	
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Total Receipts		\$1,345,272.09
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Total		\$1,859,177.58

STATEMENT OF CASH DISBURSEMENTS

September 1, 1935 to September 1, 1936

General Fund		\$ 107,201.69
Poor Fund		120,908.19
County Road Fund		315,386.11
Sanatorium Fund		80,000.00
Inheritance Tax Fund		12,736.87
Estate of Marie Rasmussen	290.18	
Estate of Thea Peterson	112.43	
Estate of Emily Girling	9.44	
Estate of Halvor Thureson	27.80	
Estate of Edward Priebe	86.25	
Estate of Peter Lundquist	560.92	
Estate of Sezare Messier	87.50	
Estate of Mary Abraham	7.13	
Estate of Honora Riley	40.00	
Estate of Agnes Thoney	159.56	
Estate of Verona Erbeling	15.38	
Estate of Susan Dayton Williams	308.02	
Estate of Peter A. Auno	35.76	
Estate of Anna Mary Van Evera	449.83	
Estate of Thomas George Bowden	99.98	
Estate of John Person	28.91	
Estate of Gotthard Johnson	1,428.39	
Estate of Catherine Conolly	6,979.37	
Estate of Eugene W. Adams	205.26	
Estate of Elizabeth McHatton	330.84	
Estate of Mary Gustafson	3.55	
Estate of John W. Beckman	1,011.43	
Estate of Hannah Cotcher	85.80	
Estate of Edward A. Lokken	153.42	
Estate of William Leininger	219.72	
Mortgage Tax Fund		41,614.25
State Tax Fund		4,840.15
Delinquent Tax Fund		80.66
Refund Delinquent Tax Fund		1,254.54
Teachers' Institute Fund		209.11
Soldiers' Relief Fund		370.50
Township Fund		460,051.37
Primary School	\$162,574.65	
Primary Supplement and Equalization	193,789.00	
Library	6,721.11	
Delinquent Taxes	96,966.61	
Fair Grounds Fund		2,147.09
County Parks Fund		13,701.33
Tax Collection Fund		950.22
Personal Tax Collection Fund		24.76
Cemetery Trust Fund		5.00
Aid for Dependent Children Fund		32,348.00
Children's Unit Bond and Interest Fund		11,525.00
State Institutions and Public Charges Fund		19,832.33
Highway Bond Improvement Retirement Fund		36,838.18
Emergency Relief Administration Fund		130,556.58
Emergency Relief Administration - Payroll Fund		13,367.49
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Total Disbursements		\$1,405,949.42
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Balance on hand and in Banks September 1st, 1936		\$ 453,228.16

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MONTHLY STATEMENT AND TRIAL BALANCE

For Month Ending September 30th, 1936.

Ledger Accounts	Debit Balance	Credit Balance
General Fund	\$	\$ 71,206.48
Poor Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	20,934.04
Library Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	1,050.00
County Road Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	134,991.96
Sanatorium Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	2,683.38
Mortgage Tax Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	88.00
State Tax Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	12,582.26
Delinquent Tax Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	20,108.52
Refund Delinquent Tax Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	1.33
Teachers' Institute Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	635.84
Temporary Relief Fund	\$ 12.95	. . . . .
County Parks Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	217.73
Tax Collection Fund	1,702.03	. . . . .
Condemnation Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	38.30
Aid for Dependent Children . . . . .	. . . . .	4,167.00
Children's Unit Bond and Interest Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	4,715.00
Escheats Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	25.58
Cemetery Trust Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	262.44
State Institutions and Public Charges Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	1,158.40
Highway Bond Improvement Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	118,568.26
Highway Bond Improvement Retirement Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	7,172.91
Personal Tax Collection Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	3.01
County Debt Service Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	37,145.00
County Law Library Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	750.00
County Road Commission	7,163.89	. . . . .
County Sanatorium	100.00	. . . . .
County Treasurer	429,526.57	. . . . .
Cash Account	7,229.18	. . . . .
Banks-		
First National - Negaunee	52,190.12	. . . . .
First National & Trust Co.-Marquette.	49,500.00	. . . . .
Union National - Marquette	49,500.00	. . . . .
Miners' First National - Ishpeming	49,500.00	. . . . .
The Peninsula - Ishpeming	37,300.79	. . . . .
Gwinn State Savings - Gwinn	12,000.00	. . . . .
The Peninsula - Ishpeming (Impounded)	12,199.21	. . . . .
Negaunee State - Negaunee (Impounded)	5,568.85	. . . . .
Republic State - Republic (Impounded)	4,538.42	. . . . .
Miners' National - Petty Cash Account	14.42	. . . . .
Miners' First National - Petty Cash Account.	285.58	. . . . .
Miners' National - Petty Cash Payroll Account.	1,863.89	. . . . .
Miners' First National - Petty Cash Payroll Account	5,000.00	. . . . .
First National & Trust Co. - Sanatorium Petty Cash	100.00	. . . . .
Certificates of Deposit-		
First National - Negaunee	28,500.00	. . . . .
First National & Trust Co.-Marquette	28,500.00	. . . . .
Union National - Marquette	28,500.00	. . . . .
Miners' First National - Ishpeming	28,500.00	. . . . .
The Peninsula - Ishpeming	28,500.00	. . . . .
Gwinn State Savings - Gwinn	7,500.00	. . . . .
Revenue Account . . . . .	. . . . .	1,500,001.26
Disbursement Orders	1,587,447.95	. . . . .
Surplus . . . . .	. . . . .	524,237.15
Totals	\$2,462,743.85	\$2,462,743.85

I hereby certify that the above statement is a true condition of the County Funds, Cash and Bank Balances, at the close of business September 30th, 1936.

Signed: J. E. HAYDEN, County Treasurer.

Countersigned: FRANK G. JENKS, County Clerk.

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MONTHLY STATEMENT AND TRIAL BALANCE

For the Month Ending August 31st, 1936.

Ledger Accounts	Debit Balance	Credit Balance
General Fund	\$	\$ 79,467.62
Poor Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	26,735.39
Library Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	576.00
County Road Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	121,652.93
Sanatorium Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	885.29
Mortgage Tax Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	116.00
State Tax Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	14,153.45
Delinquent Tax Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	9,489.88
Teachers' Institute Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	635.84
Temporary Relief Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	17.05
County Parks Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	2,136.24
Tax Collection Fund	1,702.03	. . . . .
Condemnation Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	38.30
Aid for Dependent Children . . . . .	. . . . .	6,523.00
Children's Unit Bond and Interest Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	4,715.00
Escheats Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	25.58
Cemetery Trust Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	262.44
State Institutions and Public Charges Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	1,428.27
Highway Bond Improvement Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	118,568.26
Highway Bond Improvement Retirement Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	36,869.53
Personal Tax Collection Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	3.01
County Debt Service Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	37,145.00
County Law Library Fund . . . . .	. . . . .	750.00
County Road Commission	7,163.89	. . . . .
County Sanatorium	100.00	. . . . .
County Treasurer	453,228.16	. . . . .
Cash Account	6,384.33	. . . . .
Banks-		
First National - Negaunee	76,736.56	. . . . .
First National & Trust Co.-Marquette	49,500.00	. . . . .
Union National - Marquette	49,500.00	. . . . .
Miners' First National - Ishpeming	45,150.00	. . . . .
The Peninsula - Ishpeming	37,300.79	. . . . .
Gwinn State Savings - Gwinn	12,000.00	. . . . .
Miners' National - Ishpeming (Impounded)	4,350.00	. . . . .
The Peninsula - Ishpeming (Impounded)	12,199.21	. . . . .
Negaunee State - Negaunee (Impounded)	5,568.85	. . . . .
Republic State - Republic (Impounded)	4,538.42	. . . . .
Miners' National - Petty Cash Account	14.42	. . . . .
Miners' First National - Petty Cash Account	285.58	. . . . .
Miners' National - Petty Cash Payroll Account	1,863.89	. . . . .
Miners' First National - Petty Cash Payroll Account	5,000.00	. . . . .
First National & Trust Co.-Sanatorium Petty Cash	100.00	. . . . .
Certificates of Deposit-		
First National - Negaunee	28,500.00	. . . . .
First National & Trust Co. - Marquette	28,500.00	. . . . .
Union National - Marquette	28,500.00	. . . . .
Miners' First National - Ishpeming	28,500.00	. . . . .
The Peninsula - Ishpeming	28,500.00	. . . . .
Gwinn State Savings - Gwinn	7,500.00	. . . . .
Revenue Account . . . . .	. . . . .	1,342,204.32
Disbursement Orders	1,405,949.42	. . . . .
Surplus . . . . .	. . . . .	524,237.15
Totals	\$2,328,635.55	\$2,328,635.55

I hereby certify that the above statement is a true condition of the County Funds, Cash and Bank Balances, at the close of business August 31st, 1936.

Signed: J. E. HAYDEN, County Treasurer.

Countersigned: FRANK G. JENKS, County Clerk.

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REPORT OF THE REGISTER OF DEEDS

Marquette, Mich., Sept. 18, 1936.

Annual Report of the Register of Deeds .

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:--

I herewith submit my account of receipt as Register of Deeds of Marquette County, for the fiscal year from September 1, 1935 and ending August 31, 1936:

Recording deeds	\$1,334.65
Recording mortgages	2,102.00
Recording discharges of mortgages	167.00
Recording assignments of mortgages	17.50
Recording miscellaneous records	206.75
Filing chattel mortgages	697.50
Filing levies, Lis Pendens, Liens and attachments	18.75
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	\$4,544.15
Amount paid to the County Treasurer	\$4,544.15

Respectfully submitted,

ELLEN M. SANDELL,
Register of Deeds.

The annual reports of County School Commissioner, Sheriff, County Agricultural Agent, Morgan Heights Sanatorium, Morgan Heights Sanatorium, Superintendents of the Poor, Welfare Agent, Board of County Road Commissioners, Board of Park Trustees, County Inspector of Mines; Marquette County Chapter, American Red Cross and the Marquette County Fair, were read in part and ordered filed.

The monthly reports of County Treasurer, Morgan Heights Sanatorium, Superintendents of the Poor and County Jail Physician.

✓ A resolution adopted by the Michigan State Association of Superintendents of the Poor at Mount Clemens, Michigan on August 20th, 1936 relative to the handling of relief by local authorities was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Nicholas, referred to the Committee on Legislation.

✓ The following resolution was read, and Supervisor Muck moved that the resolution be adopted. Supported by Supervisor Swanson and unanimously carried.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Children's Fund of Michigan established in Marquette County, for a twelve week period during the past summer, the Marquette County Dental Clinic under the direction of Dr. Bristol of Detroit, who rendered excellent service.

AND WHEREAS, the work done by Dr. Bristol has been of benefit to 725 children in the county of Marquette.

AND WHEREAS, the educational value of this type of work means a great deal to the future health of the people of Marquette County.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the County Board of Supervisors at its annual meeting on October 12, 1936 express its appreciation and sincere thanks to the Children's Fund of Michigan for the valuable services rendered.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the County Commissioner of Schools be instructed to use his efforts in continuing the Dental Clinic in Marquette County next summer.

STANLEY WILLIAMS,
E. G. MUCK,
AXEL O. ANDERSON,
ALLAN SWANSON,
CHAS. J. STAKEL.
County Education Committee.

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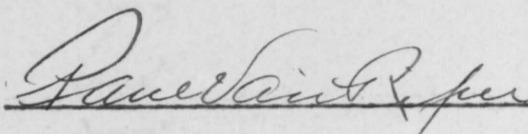
Verbal applications for reappointment of John Robertson as Poor Commissioner, Ernest L. Pearce as Trustee of Morgan Heights Sanitarium and E. W. Carlson as School Examiner, were announced by the Clerk, and it was moved by Supervisor Wiseman that these appointments be laid over until the next meeting of this Board. Supported by Supervisor Dolf and unanimously carried.

A communication from Supervisor Heikkila relative to beer taverns and slot machines was read, and it was moved by Supervisor Nicholas that this communication be laid upon the table. Supported by Supervisor Gribble and carried.

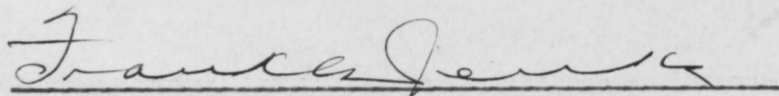
It was moved by Supervisor Nicholas that a vote of thanks be extended to the Chairman of the Finance and Taxation Committee for the exhaustive work he had done in compiling such complete reports of his Committee for this Board. Supported by Supervisor Dobson and unanimously carried.

It was moved by Supervisor St. Onge, supported by Supervisor Price, that a vote of thanks be extended to the Board of Trustees and the Superintendent of Morgan Heights Sanitarium for the fine dinner served to the Board of Supervisors.

There being no further business, it was moved by Supervisor Nardi, supported by Supervisor Wiseman, that the Board adjourn until Thursday, the 12th day of November, A. D. 1936, at 2:15 o'clock p.m.



Chairman.



Clerk.

Marquette, Mich., Nov. 12, 1936

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Thursday, the 12th day of November, A. D., 1936, at 2:15 o'clock p.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Paul Van Riper.

The roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present:

Allen, Anderson, Annala, Danielson, Dobson, Dolf, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Heikkila, Hebert, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, McNamara, Nardi, Nelson, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Stakel, Stearns, Stenglein, Swanson, St. Onge, Toms, Warmanen, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--39.

Absent: None.

Upon motion of Supervisor Stenglein, supported by Supervisor Nardi, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

✓ A communication from M. B. McPherson, Chairman of the State Association of Supervisors, relative to the three amendments that were voted on at the last general election, was read, and ordered filed by the Chair.

✓ The following communication was read, and it was moved by Supervisor Perkins that Mr. Kreig be employed as Trespass Agent for the County for the same period and at the same salary as last year, which was \$50.00 a month from November 15th, 1936 to May 1st, 1937. The motion was seconded by Supervisor Mongrain and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Allen, Anderson, Annala, Danielson, Dobson, Dolf, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Heikkila, Hebert, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, McNamara, Nardi, Nelson, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Stakel, Stearns, Stenglein, Swanson, St. Onge, Toms, Warmanen, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--39.

Nays: None.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION

Marquette, Mich., Nov. 2, 1936.

Board of Supervisors, Marquette County,
Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-- Last year an informal agreement was made between your body and this department covering the services of Mr. Frank Kreig on land trespass work in the county during the season when he was not employed as a fire warden. We feel that his work was quite valuable in detecting trespass on state owned and tax delinquent land and in securing the payment of delinquent taxes.

We are recommending that a similar agreement be made covering the period from November 15th until about May 1st or such time as the services of Mr. Kreig are again needed on fire suppression. This department will pay one-half of the salary of \$100 per month and all necessary expenses if the county will pay the other half of his salary.

We should be glad to have your Board take action on this proposal and advise this office as soon as convenient.

Yours very truly,

L. N. JONES,
Regional Supervisor.

✓ A communication from L. R. Walker, County Agricultural Agent, requesting additional appropriation for office and travel expense together with a comparative list of appropriations from other counties in the Upper Peninsula from J. G. Wells, Jr., Assistant County Agent Leader, were read, and it was moved by Supervisor McNamara that this be laid over until the January 1937 meeting of this Board. Supported by Supervisor Dobson and carried.

✓ A communication from the Secretary and Treasurer of the Michigan State Association of Supervisors, giving the dates of their annual convention, was read, and as this county is not a member of this Association it was moved by Supervisor Wiseman that the communication be filed. Supported by Supervisor Price and carried.

✓ A communication from Regina Honkavaara relative to complaints having been made in regard to the salary of the stenographer of the Prosecuting Attorney was read, and it was moved by Supervisor Nicholas that the communication be filed and that the Clerk be instructed to advise Miss Honkavaara that no complaints had ever reached the Board of Supervisors. Supported by Supervisor Dobson and carried.

✓ The written and verbal applications for the offices of Superintendent of the Poor, Trustee of Morgan Heights Sanitarium and School Examiner which were laid over from last meeting, were read, and it was moved by Supervisor Mongrain that William S. Ewing be named as Superintendent of the Poor for the ensuing three years, supported by Supervisor Stenglein. It was moved by Supervisor Price that John Robertson be re-appointed as Superintendent of the Poor for the ensuing three years, supported by Supervisor Anderson. The Chair appointed Supervisor Stakel and Muck as tellers and the vote for this office resulted in Ewing 22, Robinson 15, and 2 Blanks. The Chairman declared Mr. Ewing duly elected.

✓ It was moved by Supervisor Stenglein that E. L. Pearce be named as Trustee of Morgan Heights Sanitarium for the ensuing three years and that the Clerk be instructed to cast the ballot in favor of Mr. Pearce for this office. Supported by Supervisor Wiseman and carried.

✓ Supervisor St. Onge moved that E. W. Carlson be reappointed School Examiner for the ensuing two years. Seconded by Supervisor Price and carried.

✓ M. C. Spencer, Secretary of the Marquette County Agricultural Society, presented the names of H. S. Nightingale, Joseph Yelle, Edward G. Muck, Matt Annala, Axel O. Anderson, Evert Laine and John Weiland as the seven Directors of this Society whose terms expire December 31st, 1936. It was moved by Supervisor Nicholas that the persons named be appointed as directors as requested by the Secretary of this Society. Seconded by Supervisor Price and carried.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Gribble, adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Allen, Anderson, Annala, Danielson, Dobson, Dolf, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Heikkila, Hebert, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, McNamara, Nardi, Nelson, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Stakel, Stearns, Stenglein, Swanson, St. Onge, Toms, Warmanen, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--39.

Nays: None.

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The following report was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Labold, unanimously carried.

MARQUETTE COUNTY BUDGET AND
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

October 22nd, 1936.

To the Chairman and Honorable Board
of Supervisors, Marquette County,
Michigan.

Your Budget and Executive Committee to whom was referred the letter from the Typographical Union No. 359, Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, report as follows:

The Upper Peninsula Development Bureau had already contracted with a printing firm in Ann Arbor to have the "Hiawatha Lure" printed before the communication from the Secretary of the Typographical Union had had a chance to be considered by your Budget and Executive Committee. We understand that two Marquette County firms presented a bid to the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau, but that the successful bidder, whose print shop is located in Ann Arbor, was given the contract because of a slightly lower price.

We also find on investigation that the Marquette County Board of Supervisors at their Annual Meeting, provided a definite contribution in the Annual Budget to the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau before your Committee had a chance to study the protest voiced by the Typographical Union. It is also a fact that the appropriation provided for in the Annual Budget was not made conditional that the printing of the "Hiawatha Lure" should be done in the Upper Peninsula.

We, therefore, recommend that the County Clerk be instructed to inform the Secretary of the Typographical Union at Sault Ste. Marie, that the Marquette County Board of Supervisors find upon investigation that nothing can be done this year that would make it possible to have the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau's Lure Book printed North of the Straits.

H. E. PERKINS.
J. G. STENGLEIN,
JOSEPH F. LABOLD,
T. J. NICHOLAS,
H. S. NIGHTINGALE,
PAUL VAN RIPER,
CHAS. J. STAKEL,
M. B. RICHARDS.

The monthly reports of County Treasurer, Superintendents of the Poor, and County Jail Physician were read and ordered filed.

The following resolution was read:

RESOLUTION

To the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County:

WHEREAS the Superintendents of Poor of Marquette County maintain an office in Ishpeming under the supervision of one E. R. Nelson; and

WHEREAS it appears that the necessity of maintaining this office has disappeared, for the reason that other agencies and offices are well able to take care of the diminishing relief load; and,

WHEREAS the said Mr. E. R. Nelson is receiving a salary of \$250.00 per month, together with expenses, NOW THEREFORE

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County do and they hereby notify and recommend to the Superintendents of Poor of Marquette County that they discontinue the Ishpeming office and discharge Mr. E. R. Nelson.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. DOBSON, Seventh
Ward Supervisor, Ishpeming, Mich.

Dated November 9, 1936.

Supervisor Dobson moved for its adoption, supported by Supervisor Mackey. The Chairman stated that there was an opinion on the Clerk's desk from the Attorney General relative to this matter and requested the Clerk to read the same, which is as follows:

STATE OF MICHIGAN
ATTORNEY GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 30, 1936.

Mr. John D. Voelker, Prosecuting Attorney,
Ishpeming, Mich.

Dear Sir:-- In reply to your letter of October 26 we wish to answer your questions in order, as follows:

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(1) We are of the opinion that the Superintendents of Poor of Marquette County can hire and set the salaries of its employes without regard to the recommendation of the Board of Supervisors.

Section 8233 of the Compiled Laws of 1929 provides in part as follows:

"They (superintendents of poor) shall have the general superintendence of all the poor who may be in their respective counties, and shall have power, and it shall be their duty: * * * "

"Third, To employ one (1) or more suitable persons to be keepers of such houses or places (in which poor persons are maintained), and all necessary officers and servants; * * * "

"Seventh, To draw, from time to time, on the county treasurer for all necessary expenses incurred in the discharge of their duties, which draft shall be paid by him out of the moneys placed in his hands for the support of the poor."

The above statute clearly gives the superintendents of the poor the power to employ servants and to set their salaries. The fact that the supervisors are given power by statute to appoint the superintendents of the poor to their office, does not give them the power to control their acts.

(2) We are of the opinion that the County Road Commissioners of Marquette County can employ and set the salary of the superintendent without regard to the recommendation of the board of supervisors.

Section 4003 of the Compiled Laws of 1929 gives the supervisors of Marquette County the authority to appoint the board of county road commissioners but it does not, in any way, limit the general powers of county road commissioners.

We wish to call your attention to Section 3984 of the Compiled Laws of 1929 which reads in part as follows:

"The board of county road commissioners shall constitute and be a body corporate * * *. They shall appoint a competent superintendent, skilled in road building, who may or may not be an engineer who shall under the direction of the board, supervise all road building operations in the county. * * * "

The board of county road commissioners have the power, by statute, to employ the superintendent. The fact that in Marquette County the supervisors have authority to appoint the county road commissioners, does not give the supervisors authority to control the acts of the road commission while in office.

Very truly yours,

DAVID H. CROWLEY,
Attorney General.

By JAMES F. SHEPHERD,
Deputy Attorney General.

The vote being taken the motion to adopt the resolution was lost.

✓ A resolution from the Board of Supervisors of Clinton County relative to the present set up of the S. E. R. A., was read, and it was moved by Supervisor Mongrain that the same be filed. Supported by Supervisor Gribble and carried.

✓ A resolution from the Allegan County Board of Supervisors relative to the administration of emergency relief was read. Upon motion of Supervisor Gribble, supported by Supervisor Mongrain, the same was ordered filed.

✓ A resolution from the Allegan County Board of Supervisors opposing any further work on geographical survey and farm inventory, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Price, same was ordered filed.

✓ A resolution from the Allegan County Board of Supervisors relative to the allotment of sales tax to counties, was read and upon motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Laine, the same was ordered filed.

✓ A resolution from the Board of Supervisors of Gogebic County relative to empowering any County to acquire and operate hydro-electric plants for the benefit of the County, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Nardi, the same was ordered filed.

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Resolutions from Baraga County on sales tax, from Manistee County on the proposed changes in the Social Security Act, from Oakland County on amendments voted on at the last general election and from Cass County on administration of relief, were read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Price, were ordered filed.

A resolution forwarded from the Board of Supervisors of Mackinaw County relative to changes in fishing laws was read and it was moved by Supervisor Perkins that this be referred to the Committee on Conservation. Supported by Supervisor Wiseman and carried.

There being no further business, it was moved by Supervisor Dobson and supported by Supervisor Price, that the Board adjourn until Wednesday, the 16th day of December, A. D., 1936, at 2:15 o'clock p. m.

Paul Van Riper

Chairman.

Francis J. J...

Clerk.

Marquette, Mich., Dec. 16, 1936.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday, the 16th day of December, A. D. 1936, at 2:15 o'clock p.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Paul Van Riper.

The roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present:

Allen, Anderson, Annala, Danielson, Dobson, Dolf, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Heikkila, Hebert, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, McNamara, Nardi, Nelson, Nicholas, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Stakel, Stearns, Stenglein, Swanson, St. Onge, Toms, Warmanen, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Absent: Nightingale--1.

Upon motion of Supervisor Richards, supported by Supervisor Allen, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The following communication was read, and it was moved by Supervisor Wiseman that same be adopted. Supported by Supervisor Muck and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Allen, Anderson, Annala, Danielson, Gribble, Heikkila, Hebert, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, McNamara, Nardi, Nelson, Nicholas, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Stakel, Stearns, Stenglein, Swanson, St. Onge, Toms, Warmanen, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Nays: None.

BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD Commissioners

Ishpeming, Mich., Dec. 8, 1936.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Sirs: Relative to disposition of money received on account of motor vehicle license taxes and gasoline taxes returnable to this county for the calendar year 1937, and in conformity to Public Acts of Michigan numbers 7 and 8 of the Extra Session of 1934, your Board of County Road Commissioners recommend:

Pursuant to such acts, one half of each settlement on account of the above mentioned monies, is to be credited to the County Road Fund to be used for administration, maintenance, betterments, and construction of County Roads.

Further, pursuant to such acts, that the remainder, hereinafter called the second half of such monies, as returned to Marquette County, shall be applied as follows and in the following order of priority:

First priority of second half--The sum of \$36,855.69 shall be credited to the Highway Bond Retirement Fund to pay principal, interest and disbursing fees on the

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General County Highway Bonds for payments due thereon, to and inclusive of the interest payments payable in April 1938, which interest payment comes due prior to anticipated receipts on monies from these sources for the year 1938.

Second priority of second half--The difference between the second half of such above mentioned monies and the amount of money to be credited to the Highway Bond Retirement Fund is then to be divided and applied as follows:

(a) One half of the difference mentioned in second priority of second half, immediately above, is to be credited to the County Road Fund and used for maintenance of County Roads adopted in conformity to Act 130 P.A. Michigan 1931.

(b) The remaining half of second priority of second half, as mentioned immediately above, shall be divided as follows:

To be paid to Marquette City	33.553%
To be paid to Negaunee City	14.865%
To be paid to Ishpeming City	20.959%
To be credited to County Road Fund	<u>30.623%</u>
	100.000%

The money credited to the County Road Fund to be used for administration, maintenance, improvements, and construction of County Road in conformity to the statutes.

The money to be paid to the cities to be used as provided in said Acts 7 and 8 of Extra Session of 1934.

Yours truly,

Board of County Road Commissioners,
By K. I. Sawyer, Supt.

✓ A communication from A. F. Hyer, Northland, Michigan, asking that the road to his farm be plowed, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Price, referred to the Committee on Highways and Bridges and the County Road Commission.

✓ A communication from T. A. Downey, District Manager, United States Employment Service, relative to the purchase of two typewriters for their department, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Dolf, laid on the table for sixty days.

A communication from Supervisor Heikkila on bank nights at the theaters, was read, and it was moved by Supervisor McNamara that this communication be laid on the table. Supported by Supervisor Price and carried.

The Chair introduced to the Board the County Officers that take office January 1st, 1937.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Stenglein, supported by Supervisor Wiseman, adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Allen, Anderson, Annala, Danielson, Dobson, Dolf, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Heikkila, Hebert, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Mitchell, Mon-grain, Muck, Mussatto, McNamara, Nardi, Nelson, Nicholas, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Stakel, Stearns, Stenglein, Swanson, St.Onge, Toms, Warmanen, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Nays: None.

✓ The following report was read, and it was moved by Supervisor Wiseman that the same be adopted. Supported by Supervisor Muck and carried.

Ishpeming, Mich., Dec. 10, 1936.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan

Gentlemen:-- In the matter of several petitions which were referred to the Board of County Road Commissioners and your Committee on County Roads and Bridges.

The Board of County Road Commissioners and the Committee on County Roads and Bridges met in the office of the Commission at Ishpeming December 8th, 1936 and considered these various petitions.

In the matter of petition of Matt Lappi and Jacob Koski, relative to work on Road AL in Champion Township.

It appears that there might be a possibility of working this in, under the W.P.A. setup and your Committee recommends that this matter be left in the hands of the Road Commission and if and when it appears feasible, that the matter be taken up by said Road Commission.

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In the matter of petition of Matt Mackey relative to plowing eleven roads in Humboldt Township. This petition was considered by roads.

It appears that the Road Commission has already included four of these roads in the plowing schedule for the current winter, these being roads where plowing is possible, that their plans with the W.P.A. contemplate improvements on two more of these roads, and that the Road Commission has included in their winter schedule all that it is possible to grant of this petition.

In the matter of petition from John Laitinen and fifty-five other residents of Ewing Township, and an additional petition from W. J. Stephens and sixty-two other residents of Wells Township for extension of Road DA across the Escanaba River and to an intersection with Road 557.

This matter was reviewed and your Committee and the Board report that it is not possible to undertake this work at the present time for financial reasons and that to handle the construction of the bridge as a W.P.A. project does not appear to be feasible because of the fact that the cost of materials for the bridge would run higher than is allowable under a W.P.A. setup.

In the matter of petition from Sanna Ranta and twenty-four other residents of Richmond Township requesting reconstruction of nine roads in Richmond Township.

It appears that these roads are all of such character that plowing is now possible and that plowing is being done on all except a few portions near the end of some of these roads, and that the Road Commission contemplates improvements on these portions if it is possible to work them into the W.P.A. project and that this possibility is limited by the advisability of keeping the labor supply in the vicinity available for the proposed water supply project in the Village of Palmer. It appears that in the main these roads are adequate for the requirements.

In the matter of petition of Theo. Warmanen and fifty-six other residents of Ewing Township relative to graveling Road DB, and a portion of Road DE.

It appears that this work is contemplated in the W.P.A. setup, that to date trucks have not been furnished by the W.P.A. in sufficient numbers to finish Road DA, but it is hoped that the work requested will be reached by the W.P.A. Nothing further is possible by the Road Commission at the present time.

In the matter of petition from Thomas Trewartha and nineteen others relative to widening Road PF.

It appears that this road is now in such shape that it can be plowed and that it is plowed and that the request is not necessary for winter service but it is desirable for safe two way travel.

Your Committee recommends that this be left in the hands of the Road Commission to include in the W.P.A. setup, when possible.

We recommend concurrence in the above action in each of the petitions.

Yours truly,

BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS,
By K. I. SAWYER, Supt.

COMMITTEE ON COUNTY ROADS AND BRIDGES,
By W. J. Wiseman,
Chairman.
E. G. Muck,
Evert Laine,
William Nelson,
Allan Swanson,
E. J. St. Onge,
M. B. Richards,
Bernard McNamara,
T. J. Nicholas.

The following report was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Stenglein, supported by Supervisor Nardi, the report was adopted.

December 1st, 1936.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisor,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Your Committee on Buildings, Grounds and Insurance made an inspection of County Property on October 20th. The Committee was accompanied by the Chairman of the Board, Dr. Paul Van Riper.

The Champion Beach Property was first inspected and found all equipment and property in first class condition. The Committee was very much impressed

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with the way that the equipment is being stored. The caretaker is to be complimented on the condition of the building and grounds.

The County Road Buildings and grounds were then inspected and also the new garage which was built under the supervision of the County Road Commission using W.P.A. labor. The Superintendent should be commended for the fine constructions of this first class building.

The Marquette County Airport was next visited. Men were working on the caretaker's residence and the garage was completed. The hangar was in practically the same condition as when the Road inspection was made. Up to the time of the inspection by the Committee no steel had been received for the roof.

At Morgan Heights Sanatorium we did not make an inspection of the Hospital Buildings but did inspect the boiler plant. We found that the interior had to be repainted and this has been done. The Chairman later made an inspection and found same in first class shape.

On the 21st of October we inspected the Fair Grounds and buildings and found same in first class condition with the exception of the dining room. Therefore the Committee does hereby recommend that the ceiling and walls be covered with some suitable building material, thus making this building more inviting to the public.

The Court House group was inspected, including the new roof that has been put on the County Jail and the Sheriff's residence. The Committee made a suggestion with reference to fastening the cornice, which has been done.

The County Infirmary was inspected and found everything about the grounds and buildings the same as usual, in first class condition.

The Skandia Garage which was under construction at that time was inspected, and found that this building as well as the caretaker's residence are first class in every respect and a credit to the county.

The Committee was very much impressed with the work accomplished under the supervision of all Department heads in charge. We consider the County fortunate in having men in charge who are vitally interested in their work.

Respectfully submitted,

BUILDINGS, GROUNDS AND INSURANCE
COMMITTEE,

John G. Stenglein,
Chairman.

Julius Heikkila,
John Ghiardi,
Thomas Gribble,
James Nardi.

Supervisor Nicholas moved that the question of improvements to ceiling of the dining room at the fair grounds be laid on the table until next summer. Supported by Supervisor McNamara and carried. Remarks were made on this question by Supervisor Heikkila and Mr. K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent of the County Road Commission, stated this was a W.P.A. Project and he thought the same had been approved.

It was moved by Supervisor Mongrain that the Clerk be instructed to address a communication to Mr. Martin A. Holland, District Director of the W.P.A. at Iron Mountain, Michigan, requesting early favorable action on the application heretofore made through the Fair Association with the approval of this Board of Marquette County for the construction of an Exhibition Hall at the County Fair Grounds. Motion was supported by Supervisor Jernstad and unanimously carried.

The monthly reports of County Treasurer, Superintendents of the Poor and Morgan Heights Sanatorium were read and ordered filed.

The monthly report of Mr. Frank E. Kreig, Trespass Agent, was received and ordered filed.

✓ A resolution from Houghton County on welfare and relief was read, and it was moved by Supervisor Stakel that this be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee for study and to report back to this Board at their next regular meeting and that the Clerk send a copy of this to each member of the Executive Committee. Motion was seconded by Supervisor Gribble and carried.

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A resolution from the Board of Supervisors of Monroe County requesting the amendment of the covert act to allow counties to borrow money for the construction of roads by the issuance of bonds, etc., was read. It was moved by Supervisor Perkins that the resolution be filed. Supported by Supervisor Price and carried.

A resolution from the Midland County Board of Supervisors favoring a County Organization for Welfare Relief, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Gribble, supported by Supervisor Hebert, was ordered filed.

The bonds of the incoming county officers as required by statute were read, and it was moved by Supervisor Perkins that these be referred to the Prosecuting Attorney. The motion was seconded by Supervisor McNamara and carried.

The Prosecuting Attorney reported back that the bonds were OK with the exception of that of Albert E. Sanders, Coroner, which was not signed. It was moved by Supervisor Perkins that the bonds be approved after the bond of the coroner had been signed. Supported by Supervisor McNamara and carried.

It was moved by Supervisor Perkins that the Clerk be authorized to have an audit made of the county books from September 1st, the end of the audit made by the State Auditors, to December 31st inclusive. Motion was seconded by Supervisor Gribble and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Allen, Anderson, Annala, Danielson, Dobson, Dolf, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Heikkila, Hebert, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, McNamara, Nardi, Nelson, Nicholas, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Stakel, Stearns, Stenglein, Swanson, St. Onge, Toms, Warmanen, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Nays: None.

Supervisor Stakel moved that the salaries of all clerks and appointive officers be fixed in accordance with the resolution adopted by this Board at their meeting held November 8th, 1928. The motion was seconded by Supervisor Stenglein and unanimously carried.

Supervisor Stakel moved that the Chair appoint a committee to draw up a resolution relative to outgoing County Officers and present at the next meeting of this Board. Motion was seconded by Supervisor Jernstad and carried.

It was moved by Supervisor Wiseman that the Chair appoint someone to make an inventory of the equipment in Court House and Jail. The motion was seconded by Supervisor Mongrain and unanimously carried.

It was moved by Supervisor Nicholas that the County Clerk be instructed to communicate with the County Road Commission conveying the recommendation of the Board of the Board of Supervisors for their immediate consideration of a general raise in pay for all employees under the control of said County Road Commission. The motion was seconded by Supervisor Mackey and unanimously carried.

There being no further business, it was moved by Supervisor Nardi and supported by Supervisor Mackey, that the Board adjourn until Wednesday, the 20th day of January, A. D. 1937, at 2:15 o'clock p.m.

Paul Van Riper

Chairman.

Frank Jenkins

Clerk.

January 20, 1937

Marquette, Mich., Jan. 20, 1937

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday, the 20th day of January, A. D. 1937, at 2:15 o'clock p.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Paul Van Riper.

The roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present:

Allen, Anderson, Annala, Danielson, Dobson, Dolf, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Heikkila, Hebert, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, McNamara, Nardi, Nelson, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Stakel, Stearns, Swanson, St. Onge, Toms, Warmanen, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--37.

Absent: Stenglein and Weiland--2.

Upon motion of Supervisor Richards, supported by Supervisor Price, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

✓ Supervisor Dobson was given the floor and inquired about a motion made by Supervisor Stakel at the December meeting. Said motion pertaining to salaries of Clerks and Stenographers as fixed by the Board at a meeting held on November 8, 1928. After remarks by Supervisor Stakel and the aforesaid motion being read by the Clerk, the Chair decided the motion was relevant and in order.

✓ A communication from J. E. Hayden, Ex-County Treasurer relative to reimbursement of salary paid Deputy County Treasurer, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Anderson, it was referred to the Budget and Executive Committee.

✓ A communication from Alfred H. Wellman relative to inventory of Court House and Jail, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Perkins was referred to the Buildings, Grounds and Insurance Committee. Supported by Supervisor Anderson and unanimously carried.

✓ A communication from James K. Jamison, Deputy Auditor General, relative to County debt to the State was read and ordered filed by the Chair. The Clerk was instructed to write the Auditor General informing him that the County was not indebted to the State of Michigan.

✓ A communication from the Board of Supervisors of Keweenaw County relative to conservation matters was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Mongrain was referred to the Conservation Committee. Supported by Supervisor Gribble and carried.

✓ A communication to the County Clerk of Marquette County and one to C. J. Stakel, President of the Marquette County Fair Association, relative to construction of an exhibition building at the County Fair Grounds, were read and ordered filed by the Chairman. Supervisor Stakel asked for comments from K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent of the County Road Commission, on the above project and these were granted.

✓ A communication from Clarence E. Lott in regard to collection of abstract fees for the years 1933 and 1934 for the Register of Deeds, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nightingale was referred to the Budget and Executive Committee and the Prosecuting Attorney. Supported by Supervisor Dobson and unanimously carried.

✓ A communication from K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent of the County Road Commission, relative to Mr. Hyer's of Wells Township request for plowing his road was read and ordered filed by the Chair.

✓ A communication from K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent of the County Road Commission, advising the Board that effective January 1, 1937 a raise of 5 cents per hour was granted to all persons paid on an hourly basis and a raise of \$10.00 per month to all persons paid on a salary basis was received, and ordered placed on file by the Chairman.

✓ A petition from Axel E. Senobe, Register of Deeds, relative to re-indexing thirteen (13) libers of Miscellaneous Records, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Price and carried, referred to the Budget and Executive Committee.

✓ A communication from John D. Voelker, Prosecuting Attorney, citing cases handled in the last six months and suggesting retention of an assistant, was received and ordered filed by the Chair.

✓ It was moved by Supervisor Stakel that contracts between Grace Hospital at Ishpeming, Michigan, Twin City Hospital at Negaunee, Michigan, St. Mary's Hospital at Marquette, Michigan and the County of Marquette be adopted. Supported by Supervisor Dobson and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

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Yeas: Allen, Anderson, Annala, Danielson, Dobson, Dolf, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Heikkila, Hebert, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, McNamara, Nardi, Nelson, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Stakel, Stearns, Swanson, St. Onge, Toms, Warmanen, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--37.

Nays: None.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Mongrain, adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Allen, Anderson, Annala, Danielson, Dobson, Dolf, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Heikkila, Hebert, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, McNamara, Nardi, Nelson, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Stakel, Stearns, Swanson, St. Onge, Toms, Warmanen, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--37.

Nays: None.

The bonds of Treasurer, Deputy Treasurer and one Circuit Court Commissioner, as required by statute, were read, and upon motion of Supervisor Perring referred to the Prosecuting Attorney. Motion was seconded by Supervisor Nardi and carried.

The Prosecuting Attorney reported back that the bonds were OK as to legal form.

The following report was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Mongrain, supported by Supervisor Price, report was adopted.

Ishpeming, Mich., Jan. 11, 1937.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:

Your County Planning Committee met on January 8th, 1937.

The following steps have been taken relative to proceeding in the matter of a zoning ordinance and zoning map in compliance with the authority granted by the electorate in the referendum held on September 15th, 1936.

Considerable confusion seems to exist in the County as to what the purpose of this County zoning is to be. In stating the question on the ballot in the election, it was necessary to ballot on making an entire State statute effective in this County, and the question was stated using the title of the statute. The statute permits the zoning regulations on the height, area, size and location of buildings in metropolitan areas.

The confusion mentioned above arises from the fact that this is a statute permitting zoning in all the varying conditions existing in the State outside of city limits. It is the opinion of your committee that the only thing to be desired in Marquette County at the present time is zoning for land use, and that the other permitted types of zoning are not at the present time applicable to this County.

It is the intent of your committee to prepare an ordinance and zoning map which will be subjected to hearings in each of the townships and cities of the county and with all of the information then accumulated a final draft will be prepared to be submitted to your Board. This ordinance and map will be predicated on zoning the county into three land use types, namely; forestry, recreational and unrestricted.

We recommend concurrence of your Board in the procedure outlined.

To produce the above mentioned result your committee has resolved itself into one sub committee which will work with the Prosecuting Attorney for the preparation of a tentative ordinance, and into three sub committees which will work with the County Agricultural Agent, the County School Commissioner and the County Road Commission in the preparation of a tentative zoning map. As soon as these sub committees formulate the ordinance and compile the map your committee will proceed with hearings.

We recommend concurrence in our suggested procedure in this matter.

We have also appointed, K. I. Sawyer as Secretary of the Committee. Mr. Sawyer will act without compensation for this service.

Yours truly,
COUNTY PLANNING COMMITTEE,
By Paul Van Riper,
Chairman.
P. R. Perring,
Joseph F. Labold,
Lawrence Ewing,
Orin Stearns,
John Weiland,
W. J. Wiseman.

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Supervisor Stakel gave a splendid and illuminating oral report of his attendance at a meeting in Norway, Michigan for the formation of a new Upper Peninsula Supervisor's Association. As only five counties were represented, Supervisor Stakel urged delay in the formation of this new Association.

Supervisor Nicholas moved that a vote of thanks be given Supervisor Stakel for his attendance at and report of this meeting. Motion was supported by Supervisor Nardi and carried.

Supervisor Jernstad began a discussion on the relief program in this County, citing one particular case, whereupon Supervisor Perring asked for comment on this question from William J. Fountain, County E.R.A. Administrator. Mr. Fountain then explained the Poor Commission set-up in this County. It was moved by Supervisor Nardi, supported by Supervisor Hebert and carried, that the Relief Commission give a full report of monies spent in each Ward and Township, thus enabling the Supervisors of these respective Wards and Townships to become acquainted with relief being given.

✓ The following resolution was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Muck, was adopted.

COUNTY OF MARQUETTE

WHEREAS, The terms of several County Officers expired on December thirty-first, 1936,

WHEREAS, The said officers having served Marquette County well and faithfully throughout their period of incumbency,

WHEREAS, It seems fitting in the case of the Probate Judge that special mention should be made. He has served Marquette County efficiently and continuously for over thirty years.

Having received the support of the Electors over such an unusually long period of time, proves capable and honest service for the Public and County needs; but there has been able and noteworthy work done by him that the public does not realize namely;

The rare service and valuable opinions cheerfully and gratuitously given in Committee conferences of Board members, has ironed out numerous wrinkles. His comprehensive knowledge of welfare work, and clarity of thought with understandable exposition, will ever be remembered by Committee members who were fortunate to sit at the table with this master of logical presentation,

WHEREAS, The County Clerk also served the County of Marquette for a period of thirty years. The remarkable service rendered by him with exceptional ability so often demonstrated, has gained for him in the Public Press the name of being ranked with the ablest County Clerks the State of Michigan ever has had.

Apart from the work that could reasonably be expected from him under the Statutes, Frank Jenks has contributed in large measure to a great amount of constructive work accomplished by the Board of Supervisors throughout the years.

His timely suggestions at Board meetings have saved the taxpayers' money, and in some instances prevented chaotic conditions materializing in questions under debate.

Among other valuable contributions to the County's well-being, has been his invaluable assistance to all Board Committees needing his aid. At such Committee sessions he labored long and ably with graciousness and courtesy, knowing full well that such service would never reach the public eye or ear. The exemplary record of these unusual Public servants merits our greatest admiration and esteem.

WHEREAS, William Prin with thirty-five or more years of service, known for his painstaking care in all cases brought within his official circle, is a man who used every proper energy to care for the interest of the taxpayer as well as rendering all needful services in the common weal.

Considerable sums of money could have been easily wasted in the fulfillment of his duties, from which no legal redress could have been secured.

In this official the County had ample evidence of a combination of virtues. Prompt responses when needed, excellent judgment in treatment of cases, made possible by a keen, observing mind with a long practical experience in accomplishments and a business judgment that gave to the County able service with a minimum of expenditures.

WHEREAS, The Mining Inspector throughout the years of his incumbency has brought the office up to a point of high efficiency and strict, honorable dealing. Equipped from the beginning with a background of practical mining accomplishments, and a studious life in safety measures, he is known by both miners and mine corporations to be highly competent, courageous and a square shooter. To others in the County outside of mining activities, he is universally known as a courteous gentleman.

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THEREFORE, Be it resolved that this Board being fully cognizant of the meritorious services rendered, do hereby tender to all of said officers, together with their able and courteous staffs of clerks and typists, our heartiest vote of thanks for the high type of services so graciously rendered to the people of Marquette County, and the Board of Supervisors.

Be it further resolved that this resolution be spread upon the minutes of the Board of Supervisors, and a copy given to the Daily Press of the County.

T. J. Nicholas,
C. E. Dolf,
Jas. A. Jernstad,
Committee.

The Chairman ordered a rising vote of thanks to the outgoing officers.

The monthly reports of County Treasurer, Superintendents of the Poor, Morgan Heights Sanatorium and County Jail Physician were read and ordered filed.

The monthly report of Frank E. Krieg, Trespass Agent, was received and ordered filed.

The following resolution was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Perring, supported by Supervisor Muck and carried, was referred to the Budget and Executive Committee and the Prosecuting Attorney.

RESOLUTION

Be it resolved, pursuant to House Enrolled Act No. 14 of Legislature of Michigan Special session 1931-32, that

- The First National Bank of Negaunee
- The First National Bank & Trust Co. of Marquette
- Union National Bank of Marquette
- The Miners' First National Bank of Ishpeming
- The Peninsula Bank of Ishpeming
- The Gwinn State Savings Bank of Gwinn, Michigan,

be and they are hereby designated for the term ending December 31, 1938, as depositories in which the Treasurer of Marquette County shall deposit all moneys, including tax moneys coming into the hands of such Treasurer, to not exceed the amount set opposite the name of said banking institutions, respectively, as follows:

The First National Bank of Negaunee	\$200,000.00
The First National Bank & Trust Co. of Marquette	100,000.00
Union National Bank of Marquette.	100,000.00
The Miners' First National Bank of Ishpeming	100,000.00
The Peninsula Bank of Ishpeming	100,000.00
The Gwinn State Savings Bank of Gwinn, Michigan	25,000.00

J. L. Moroney,
County Treasurer.

A resolution from Supervisor Labold relative to the reconstruction of M 95 from Republic to U.S. 41 was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Labold, supported by Supervisor Mackey and carried the resolution was adopted.

Chairman Van Riper addressed the Board citing the emergency that exists in the present location of M-95 and suggested that the Highway Commission should take care of this problem in the immediate future. Mr. K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent of the County Road Commission, stated that while the County Road Commission had nothing to do with the reconstruction of this road, they would cooperate with the Highway Department in any manner whatsoever. Supervisor Nicholas moved to amend the resolution by referring it to the Committee on Highways and Bridges and the County Road Commission to report at the next meeting. Supported by Supervisor Wiseman and carried. Supervisor Mongrain moved that the Committee be authorized to go ahead immediately without reporting back to the Board. Supported by Supervisor Nardi and carried. Supervisor Wiseman, Chairman of the Committee, said the Committee would meet next week to act on the above.

A resolution from the Board of Supervisors of Genesee County relative to the consolidation of Welfare Agent and Old Age Assistance Bureau, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Gribble, ordered filed.

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A resolution from the Board of Supervisors of Oakland County relative to delinquent tax lands, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Dobson, ordered filed.

A resolution drawn at the business meeting of the Legislative Committees of County Officials at the Hotel Olds, Lansing, Michigan, January 3, 1937, relative to an amendment to the constitution providing for the increase of the terms of all County Officials from two years to four years and all Township Officials from one year to two years, was read, and it was ordered placed on file by the Chair.

A resolution from the Board of Supervisors of Hillsdale County relative to the consolidation of the State Emergency Welfare Relief Commission with the State Welfare Department, was read, and ordered filed by the Chair.

A communication, held over from the December meeting, from L. R. Walker, County Agricultural Agent, relative to the budget of above agent, was read. Supervisor McNamara moved that it be placed on file. Supported by Supervisor Nardi and carried.

Sheriff Dewey Hansen addressed the Board and requested additional blankets and mattresses for the County Jail. Supervisor Nicholas moved that the Sheriff be empowered to purchase necessary items immediately. Supported by Supervisor Gribble and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Allen, Anderson, Annala, Danielson, Dobson, Dolf, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Heikkila, Hebert, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, McNamara, Nardi, Nelson, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perkins, Per-ring, Price, Richards, Stakel, Stearns, Swanson, St. Onge, Toms, Warmanen, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--37.

Nays: None.

Motion was made by Supervisor Nicholas suggesting that the contents of the Court House and Jail be included in the survey and under the jurisdiction of the Committee on Buildings, Grounds and Insurance. Supported by Supervisor Annala and carried.

There being no further business, it was moved by Supervisor Nardi and supported by Supervisor Nicholas, that the Board adjourn until Wednesday, the 24th day of February, A. D. 1937, at 2:15 o'clock p.m.

Paul Van Riper
Chairman.

Lloyd Le Vasseur
Clerk.

February 24, 1937

Marquette, Mich., Feb. 24, 1937

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday, the 24th day of February, A. D. 1937, at 2:15 o'clock, p.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Paul Van Riper.

The roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present:

Allen, Anderson, Annala, Danielson, Dobson, Dolf, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Heikkila, Hebert, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, McNamara, Nardi, Nelson, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Price, Richards, Stakel, Stearns, Stenglein, Swanson, St. Onge, Toms, Warmanen, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Absent: Perkins--1.

Upon motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Price, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Claim for \$129.25 for extra clerk hire in the Judge of Probate's office was submitted by Michael J. Khoury, and upon motion of Supervisor Perring, supported by Supervisor Dolf, the bill was placed on file.

A petition from Michael J. Khoury, Judge of Probate, requesting the appointment of a Deputy Probate Register, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Perring, supported by Supervisor Dolf, was ordered placed on file.

At this juncture the Board was addressed by Judge Khoury who explained the necessity of extra clerk hire due to the pressing business of the Court at this time.

It was moved by Supervisor Nightingale that the above motion relative to extra clerk hire be amended for reconsideration and referred to the Budget and Executive Committee with power to act. Supported by Supervisor Jernstad and carried. Remarks pertinent to the above motion and amendment were given by Supervisors Nicholas, Perring and Nightingale.

✓ Petition from residents of Wells Township pertaining to the plowing of the road known as the Stephen's Road, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Anderson, was referred to the Committee on Highways and Bridges.

✓ Petition from residents and taxpayers of Negaunee Township relative to the improvement and widening of County Road J. K., sometimes known as Mitchell's Road, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Mitchell, referred to the Committee on Highways and Bridges.

Communication from the Good Will Farm thanking the Board of Supervisors for the generous donation, was read, and by order of the Chairman, placed on file.

✓ Communication from Senator John C. Wickstrom advising the Board of his interest in the reconstruction of Highway M-95 from Republic north to US-41, was read, and ordered placed on file by the Chair.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Price, adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Allen, Anderson, Annala, Danielson, Dobson, Dolf, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Heikkila, Hebert, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, McNamara, Nardi, Nelson, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Price, Richards, Stakel, Stearns, Stenglein, Swanson, St. Onge, Toms, Warmanen, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Nays: None.

✓ The following resolution was read and upon motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Muck, was adopted.

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BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS

Ishpeming, Mich., Jan. 30, 1937

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:

In the matter of preparing resolution and transmitting same to the Honorable Murray D. Van Wagoner, State Highway Commissioner, as directed at the last meeting of your Board.

Your Board of County Road Commissioners and Committee on County Roads and Bridges met on January 29th, 1937. A resolution, of which copy is attached, was prepared and transmitted to the Clerk with a request that he transmit same to the Honorable Murray D. Van Wagoner, State Highway Commissioner, pursuant to direction of your Board, and the further request that he transmit copy thereof to the Honorable C. F. Sundstrom, Member of the House of Representatives, and copy to the Honorable John C. Wickstrom, Senator from this district.

Yours truly,

BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS,
By K. I. SAWYER, Supt.

COMMITTEE ON COUNTY ROADS AND BRIDGES,
By W. J. Wiseman,
Chairman.

Allan Swanson,
M. B. Richards,
William Nelson,
E. G. Muck,
T. J. Nicholas,
Bernard McNamara.

WHEREAS M-95 from Republic to Iron Mountain has, with the exception of a small gap, been reconstructed into a fine modern road with wide, safe grades, good alignment and surface; and,

There still remains on this Road M-95 the comparatively short portion extending Northerly from Republic to U.S. 41, which has never been rebuilt since it was cut through the woods years ago, and this portion of the road is narrow and crooked, having sixty-four curves and turns in approximately eight miles, and there are several dangerous situations arising from very narrow one way traffic bridges and excessively dangerous railroad crossings on curves and at the base of hills, and the dangerous character of this stretch of road has contributed to many and serious accidents, and,

This M-95 is the principal route of travel between the Marquette and Menominee Iron Ranges, and points beyond, and the above mentioned portion of this road carries heavy local travel between Republic and Marquette Range points, and,

There are at the present time between two and three hundred men working on W.P.A. and resident either in Republic or Humboldt Townships traversed by this road or within easy access to this road, who could be employed to advantage in reconstructing this portion of M-95; and,

Articles in the newspapers have indicated that surveys are to be initiated by the State Highway Department for the re-routing of this road and such articles indicate that the time when this road will be reconstructed is uncertain and possibly distant in the future;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County

That, we commend the Honorable Murray D. Van Wagoner, State Highway Commissioner, for initiating steps for the surveying of this highway and that,

We petition the Honorable Murray D. Van Wagoner, that he take into account the vital need to the Marquette Range of the reconstruction of this road and the availability of relief workers, and that he place this road under construction at the earliest possible date.

The following resolution from the Committee on Conservation was read, and it was moved by Supervisor Nardi that the same be adopted. Supported by Supervisor Mackey and unanimously carried.

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Marquette, Mich., Jan. 23, 1937.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:

Your Committee on Conservation met Saturday, January 23, 1937 in the Court House. After study of resolutions from Keweenaw County and Mackinaw County relative to conservation matters, Committee wishes to go on record as favoring the following provisions:

1. Two year closed season on partridges and then have season open and close on the same day throughout the entire State of Michigan.
2. That spearing of fish in inland lakes be prohibited throughout the year.
3. That no game fish be taken in any inland lake during the month of May of each year.
4. That the bounty on coyotes be raised to \$20.00 per head.
5. That a bounty of 50 cents be placed on woodchucks, hawks, owls, and weasels and a bounty of 25 cents on crows.
6. That legislation covering the above be given immediate effect.

We also wish to go on record as against the following provisions:

1. License fee and licensing of professional hunting and fishing guides.
2. License fee for any person seining minnows to be used for bait.

We further recommend that copies of this resolution be sent to P. G. Hoffmaster, Director of Conservation at Lansing, Michigan and to the Board of Supervisors of Keweenaw County and Mackinaw County.

James Nardi,
Gust Danielson,
Jas. A. Jernstad,
Alfred A. Allen,
Axel O. Anderson,
Matt Mackey,
Orin J. Stearns.

✓ The following report of the Budget and Executive Committee was read, and it was moved by Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Dobson, that the report be adopted, with an extension of time given the Committee to consider the banking and bonding question.

MARQUETTE COUNTY BUDGET AND EXECUTIVE
COMMITTEE

Ishpeming, Mich., Feb. 19, 1937.

To The Chairman,
The Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette, Michigan.

Dear Sir:

At a meeting of the Budget and Executive Committee held in the Court House at Marquette, on Friday afternoon, January 29th, certain matters referred to this Committee by the Board of Supervisors, were considered.

We are pleased to report that we did not have to take any definite action on the subject matter in the letter from Mrs. E. Sandell, former County Register of Deeds. If the Board will recall, Mrs. Sandell, through her attorney, Mr. Clarence E. Lott, made a request that the abstract fees for the years 1933-34, which she had deposited with the County Treasurer, be returned to her personally. Mr. Perkins, Chairman of the Committee, reported that Mrs. Sandell had asked him to interview her, and she stated that after re-considering the matter in her own mind, she had decided not to make the specific request for the abstract fees for those years. In view of the new developments in this particular instance, we recommend that the Board of Supervisors let the matter drop, and that Mrs. Sandell's communication be filed.

The Committee also reviewed the communication presented to the Board by J. E. Hayden, former County Treasurer, in which he asks for a reimbursement in whole or in part of the proportion of the salary paid to the Deputy Treasurer out of his own pocket, but after viewing this matter from all angles, we recommend to the Board of Supervisors that this request be denied.

With reference to the County Treasurer's bond and the matter of designating definite depositories for County funds, because the Committee was unable to contact the

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Prosecuting Attorney, it was decided that the Committee would make no definite recommendation to the Board of Supervisors. It was further agreed, however, that if before the next meeting of the Board of Supervisors, an emergency arose by the cancellation of the Treasurer's bond, which is now in force, that the Committee meet and decide definitely with the Prosecutor, as to the proper procedure.

We understand, however, that the bond has not been cancelled, and for that reason have taken no definite action, and furthermore, we did not make any specific recommendation to the Board of Supervisors.

Presumably, the question will arise again at the next meeting, and the Prosecuting Attorney will have additional information to submit to the Board.

John G. Stenglein,
M. B. Richards,
Joseph F. Labold,
H. S. Nightingale,
T. J. Nicholas,
Chas. J. Stakel,
Paul Van Riper.

The bond of Roscoe W. Baldwin, Circuit Court Commissioner, was presented, and upon motion of Supervisor Stenglein, supported by Supervisor Anderson, referred to the Prosecuting Attorney.

The monthly report of Frank E. Krieg, Trespass Agent, was received and ordered filed.

The monthly reports of County Treasurer, Superintendents of the Poor, County Jail Physician and Morgan Heights Sanatorium were read and ordered filed.

Judge Khoury again addressed the Board asking for permission to hire a temporary assistant in his office until disposition of previous request. It was moved by Supervisor Nicholas that the request be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee with power to act. Supported by Supervisor Nardi and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Allen, Anderson, Annala, Danielson, Dobson, Dolf, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Heikkila, Hebert, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, McNamara, Nardi, Nelson, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Price, Richards, Stakel, Stearns, Stenglein, Swanson, St. Onge, Toms, Warmanen, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Nays: None.

✓ The report of the State Auditor General on examination of the books and records of Marquette County, was presented, and upon motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Annala and carried, was referred to the Auditing Committee. Supervisor Perring asked if this report was available for study by any of the members of the Board and the Clerk advised the Board that the aforesaid report or any other records in his office were open for inspection at all times.

✓ A resolution from the Board of Supervisors of Lewanee County relative to the consolidation of the offices of County Welfare Agent and Old Age Assistance Bureau, was received, and upon motion of Supervisor Jernstad, supported by Supervisor Wiseman, ordered filed.

✓ The following resolution from the Board of Supervisors of Delta County was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Anderson, referred to the Conservation Committee.

DELTA COUNTY, MICHIGAN
RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, it appears to be the concensus of opinion of hunters, woodsmen and conservationists that there is a marked decrease in the number of white tail deer in the several counties of the Upper Peninsula and it is feared that if the annual kill of deer continues at the same rate as in former years that the deer will be totally depleted.

AND WHEREAS, the continued decrease in the number of deer in this peninsula will be a serious economic loss; would do much to affect all wild life, and directly and indirectly will affect the tourist traffic to the peninsula, and destroy, in part, the lure to this section as a recreation and summer sports area.

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THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors of Delta County in meeting assembled, January 4, 1937, go on record as favoring the enactment of legislation amending the game laws of this State so as to provide for an alternate closed and open season for killing of deer, such seasons to conform to the deer seasons in the State of Wisconsin, and when open, that each licensee be permitted to kill one deer regardless of sex.

Moved by Supervisor Bredahl, supported by Supervisor Olsen, that the foregoing resolution be accepted and placed on file. Motion carried.

✓ A resolution from the Board of Supervisors of Gogebic County relative to the maintenance of Junior Colleges, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Gribble, ordered placed on file.

At this time the Chair apprized the Board of the expiration on April 30, 1937 of the office held by Philip B. Spear, County Road Commissioner. Upon motion of Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Muck, nominations for this office were laid on the table for one month.

At the request of Supervisor Nicholas, Supervisor Stakel explained the donation of \$100.00 for flood relief by the Budget and Executive Committee. Supervisor Nicholas moved as favorable the actions of the Budget and Executive Committee in regard to this matter. Supported by Supervisor Nardi and carried.

There being no further business, it was moved by Supervisor Dobson, supported by Supervisor Price, that the Board adjourn until Wednesday, the 24th day of March, A. D. 1937, at 2:15 o'clock p.m.

Paul Van Riper

Chairman.

Lloyd L. Vasseur

Clerk.

Marquette, Mich., March 24, 1937.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday, the 24th day of March, A.D. 1937, at 2:15 o'clock p.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Paul Van Riper.

The roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present:

Allen, Anderson, Annala, Danielson, Dobson, Dolf, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Heikkila, Hebert, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, McNamara, Nardi, Nelson, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Stearns, Stenglein, Swanson, St. Onge, Toms, Warmanen, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Absent: Stakel--1.

Upon motion of Supervisor Richards, supported by Supervisor Allen, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

✓ A communication from V. B. Steinbaugh, Deputy Highway Commissioner, relative to the progress of survey on relocation of M-95, was read and ordered placed on file by the Chair.

✓ A communication from Matt L. Mackie, County Drain Commissioner, relative to reimbursement of salary in accordance with Act 318 of the Public Acts of 1929, State Drain Law, was read and upon motion of Supervisor Gribble, supported by Supervisor Anderson and carried, referred to the Budget and Executive Committee.

✓ A communication from T. A. Downey, District Manager of the U.S. Employment Service, relative to the purchase of equipment for their office, was read. It was moved by Supervisor Perkins and supported by Supervisor Mackey, that it be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee with power to act. Motion was unanimously carried.

✓ A communication from Axel E. Senobe, Register of Deeds, apprising the Board of the probable introduction of legislation removing chattel mortgages from the office of Register of Deeds to the office of Secretary of State whereby the County would entail a loss of approximately \$700.00 annually, was read, and upon

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motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Dobson and carried, referred to the Legislation Committee and the Prosecuting Attorney.

Application for reappointment to the position of County Physician by Charles N. Bottum, M.D., was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Stenglein, supported by Supervisor Nardi, was laid on the table until the next meeting.

Application for reappointment to the position of County Jail Physician by C. LeGolvan, M.D., was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Price, was laid on the table until the next meeting.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Wiseman, adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Allen, Anderson, Annala, Danielson, Dobson, Dolf, Ghiardi, Gribble, Heikkila, Hebert, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Mitchell, Mon-grain, Muck, Mussatto, McNamara, Nardi, Nelson, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Stearns, Stenglein, Swanson, St. Onge, Toms, Warmanen, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--37.

Nays: Ewing--1.

After reading of resolution drawn up by the Committee on Conservation it was moved by Supervisor Perkins, supported by Supervisor Jernstad, that it be laid on the table until the next meeting.

Supervisor Nightingale addressed the Board and asked for an extension of time for the study of the State Auditor's report. It was moved by Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Dobson, that the same be granted.

✓ The following report of the Budget and Executive Committee was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Dobson, supported by Supervisor Nightingale and carried, the report was adopted.

MARQUETTE COUNTY BUDGET AND
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Ishpeming, Mich., March 18, 1937.

Honorable Chairman and Board of
Supervisors, Marquette County, Mich.

Gentlemen:-- Your Budget and Executive Committee have had under consideration various items referred to it by the Board of Supervisors, and beg leave to report as follows:

We recommend that in the event the Board of Supervisors is compelled to definitely designate depositories for County funds, that the County Treasurer's bond be reduced from \$125,000 to \$25,000.

We also recommend that if the various commissions and their agencies in the County who are handling County money after it has been turned over to them by the County Treasurer, do not have their employees bonded, that each and every department furnish suitable bonds in the amount to be determined by each commission, covering the personnel in each department.

We also agreed that the Judge of Probate be allowed not to exceed, if the necessity arises, the amount of \$400.00 per year for extra clerk hire for his office for the year 1937.

We also recommend with reference to the re-indexing of the 13 Miscellaneous Record Books in the County Register of Deeds office, that Register of Deeds advertise for bids for the indexing of these Miscellaneous Records. After the bids have been received, we recommend that he report back to the Board of Supervisors.

(Signed)

Joseph F. Labold,
M. R. Richards,
H. S. Nightingale,
Paul Van Riper,
Chas. J. Stakel.

The monthly report of Frank E. Krieg, Trespass Agent, was received and ordered filed.

The monthly reports of County Treasurer, Morgan Heights Sanatorium, Superintendents of the Poor, County Jail Physician and Red Cross Nurse.

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It was moved by Supervisor Muck, supported by Supervisor Dolf that Philip B. Spear be nominated for the office of County Road Commissioner for the ensuing term. Supervisor Nicholas moved that the Clerk be instructed to cast a unanimous ballot for Philip B. Spear for the office of County Road Commissioner. Supported by Supervisor Jernstad and carried.

It was moved by Supervisor Nightingale that the old Auditing Committee be allowed to audit the bills for the next meeting. Supported by Supervisor Wiseman and carried.

✓ It was moved by Supervisor Jernstad that this County adopt daylight saving time commencing Sunday, April 25, 1937 at 2:00 o'clock a.m. and ending September 26, 1937 at 2:00 o'clock a.m. The motion was seconded by Supervisor Mackey and unanimously carried.

✓ Supervisor Nardi moved that the County Road Commission revise its wage scale to provide for a minimum base wage of \$4.00 a day for labor in conformity with pay scale of Mining Companies and the various cities in the County. Mr. Sawyer concurred in Supervisor Nardi's attitude but explained the limited budget they were working under and that they were working under the same scale as the State Highway Department. He explained that by revising the County scale of wages it would conflict with the State scale of wages and that it would be impracticable to work under these conditions. He also explained that they were negotiating with the State Highway Department for favorable revision of wages. The above motion was supported by Supervisor Mackey and unanimously carried.

There being no further business, it was moved by Supervisor Wiseman that the Board adjourn, subject to the call of the Clerk. Supported by Supervisor Allen and carried.

Lloyd LeVasseur
Clerk.

Paul Van Riper
Chairman.

Marquette, Mich., April 21, 1937

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday, the 21st day of April, A. D. 1937, at 2:15 o'clock p.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Clerk.

The following call was read:

COUNTY OF MARQUETTE
OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK

Marquette, Mich., April 14, 1937.

Mr. Lloyd LeVasseur, Clerk,
Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Dear Sir:--You are hereby requested to call a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of said county to convene at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday, the 21st day of April, A. D. 1937, at 2:15 o'clock for the purpose of organization and transaction of such business as may properly come before the meeting.

John G. Stenglein,
Paul VanRiper,
H. S. Nightingale,
W. J. Wiseman,
Axel O. Anderson,
Gust Danielson,
Thomas Gribble,
H. E. Perkins,
Joseph Mongrain,
James Nardi,
E. J. St. Onge,
M. B. Richards,
E. G. Muck.

It was moved by Supervisor Gribble that Supervisor Paul Van Riper be elected Chairman for the ensuing year. Supported by Supervisor Muck and carried.

Motion was made by Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Mongrain, that the Clerk cast a unanimous vote for Supervisor VanRiper as Chairman.

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The roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present:

Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Dolf, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St.Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and VanRiper--39.

Absent: None.

It was moved by Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Annala and carried that the same rules of order governing the Board in the past be adopted for the next term.

Motion was made by Supervisor Dolf that the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting be dispensed with. Supported by Supervisor Dobson and carried.

✓ A petition signed by thirteen voters of Negaunee Township and Negaunee City relative to construction of new highway in Township 48, North of Range 26 West, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor St.Onge, supported by Supervisor Wiseman and carried, was referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee and the Marquette County Road Commission.

✓ The following petition from Axel E. Senobe, Register of Deeds, was submitted to the Board of Supervisors:

"I have made a thorough examination of the 13 volumes of Miscellaneous Records and I feel that the fairest way would be to grant my request of January 13, 1937.

The incoming business for the past two weeks has piled up to such an extent that we have not been able to dispose of it up to date.

We could use an extra clerk to assist with this work, and when this work slows up we can use this clerk to re-copy the miscellaneous records, etc."

A motion was made by Supervisor Dobson, supported by Supervisor Mackey, that the petition of Axel E. Senobe, Register of Deeds, be granted. An amendment to the motion to refer the petition to the Budget and Executive Committee to report back at the next meeting of the Board was made by Supervisor Perkins and seconded by Supervisor Anderson. The original motion as amended was supported and carried.

✓ A petition signed by fifty-one signers that live along County Road DB of Rock, Michigan, requesting that the road be surfaced with gravel, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Price, was referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee and the Marquette County Road Commission.

A petition from Wilfred Murray, Spanish American War Veteran, relative to restoration of tax exemption in compliance with Section 3395 of the Compiled Laws of 1929, was read. It was moved by Supervisor Gribble, supported by Supervisor Jernstad and carried, that the same be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee and the Prosecuting Attorney.

✓ A communication from the Michigan Association of Registers of Deeds requesting the Board to authorize the Register of Deeds to attend the state convention at Escanaba, Michigan, was read. It was moved by Supervisor Perkins, supported by Supervisor Laine, that the County pay the transportation expenses only in the event the Register of Deeds cared to attend the convention. Adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Dolf, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St.Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and VanRiper--39.

Nays: None.

✓ A petition signed by nineteen residents and taxpayers of Skandia Township, requesting widening and graveling of Township Road OC, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Dobson and carried, was referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee and the Marquette County Road Commission.

Communication from the State Welfare Commission relative to inspection of the Marquette County Infirmary, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Dolf, was ordered placed on file.

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Communication from the Marquette County War Relief Fund, requesting the appointment of Fred Bernardi to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Tom Redmond, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Mongrain, supported by Supervisor Jernstad, was laid on the table until the next meeting.

Supervisor Perkins moved that the Chair appoint a committee of two to draw a resolution in respect to Tom Redmond. Supported by Supervisor Mongrain and carried. The Chair appointed Supervisor Dolf and Supervisor Mongrain on this Committee.

Report of the Morrison Audit Company for the period September 1, 1936 to December 31, 1936, inclusive, was presented and upon motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Anderson, ordered placed on file.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Toms, was adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Dolf, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St.Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and VanRiper--39.

Nays: None.

The monthly report of Frank E. Krieg, Trespass Agent, was received and ordered filed by the Chair.

The monthly reports of County Treasurer, Morgan Heights Sanatorium and County Jail Physician were read and ordered filed.

✓ Resolution from the Monroe County Board of Supervisors recommending that the State Legislature amend the present liquor control act of this state so as to prohibit the sale of beer and other intoxicants after the hour of 11:00 p.m. on every week day night and all day on each Sunday of the year, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nardi, supported by Supervisor St.Onge was ordered placed on file.

✓ Resolution from the Monroe County Board of Supervisors relative to state aid for Junior Colleges, was read, and it was moved by Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Gribble and carried, that the same be placed on file.

✓ Resolution from the Board of Supervisors of Chippewa County condemning the interchange of lands between the State and Federal Government, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Price and carried, was referred to the Committee on Legislation.

✓ Resolution presented by the Conservation Committee relative to alternate open and closed season for killing of deer, carried over from the last meeting, was ordered tabled upon motion of Supervisor Nardi, supported by Supervisor Jernstad and carried.

On behalf of the Board the Chairman welcomed the new members.

✓ Supervisor Mongrain addressed the Board and asked Mr. Sawyer if he would explain the Sugar Loaf Trail proposition. Mr. Sawyer consented and explained to the Board that the reason the County Road Commission was in favor was because their contribution would be in the form of equipment with very little cash outlay. He also explained that the County Road Commission owns the site of the proposed project and that the consummation of the project would be beneficial to the County because it would lessen the fire hazard which now exists. He further explained that it was not the intention to spoil the natural beauty of the spot.

✓ Sheriff Dewey Hansen addressed the Board and asked for more money for prisoners' board because of the increased cost in living. The present rate is fifty cents a day per prisoner and he claims some of the counties in the Upper Peninsula were paying seventy-five cents a day per prisoner. Supervisor Nightingale moved that the request be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee to report back at the next meeting. Supported by Supervisor Dobson and carried.

✓ It was moved by Supervisor Mongrain, supported by Supervisor St.Onge, and carried, that the Clerk be appointed as Purchasing Agent and Custodian of the Building with the same powers and duties as the former Clerk.

Motion was made by Supervisor Jernstad that a rising vote of thanks be given Supervisor VanRiper for his splendid work and wonderful service to the Board in the past year. Supported by Supervisor Price and carried.

There being no further business, it was moved by Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Annala, that the Board adjourn until Wednesday, the 19th day of May, A.D. 1937, at 2:15 o'clock p.m.

Lloyd Le Vasseur
Clerk

Paul VanRiper
Chairman.

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Marquette, Mich., May 19, 1937

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday, the 19th day of May, A. D. 1937, at 2:15 o'clock p.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Paul Van Riper.

The roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present:

Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Dolf, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Absent: Stenglein--1.

Upon motion of Supervisor Richards, supported by Supervisor Price, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Communication from The State Association of County Clerks requesting the County Clerk to attend the convention to be held at Crystal Falls, Michigan, on July 7, 8 and 9, was read. Supervisor Nardi moved that the request be granted. Supported by Supervisor Dobson and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Dolf, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Nays: None.

✓ Petition signed by fourteen residents and taxpayers of Humboldt Township requesting repair of twenty roads and a bridge across the Black River on road FFK, was read. Upon motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Laine, the petition was referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee and the Marquette County Road Commission.

✓ Petition signed by thirty-one taxpayers of Ewing Township requesting improvement of road DF, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Annala and carried, was referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee and the Marquette County Road Commission.

✓ Petition from Michael J. Khoury, Judge of Probate, requesting an additional allowance for extra clerk hire, was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Jernstad, supported by Supervisor Nardi and carried, was referred to the Budget and Executive Committee.

Communication from Wilbur E. Crowley, Marquette County Supervisor of the Old Age Assistance Bureau, requesting a desk for his office in the City Hall, was read. Supervisor Nicholas moved that the request be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee. Supported by Supervisor St. Onge and carried.

✓ Communication from Clarence W. Lock, Secretary of the State Association of County Treasurers, requesting the presence of the County Treasurer at the annual meeting of the State Association of County Treasurers to be held at Escanaba, July 8th and 9th was read. It was moved by Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Gribble, that the Treasurer be permitted to go. An amendment to the motion permitting the Deputy Treasurer to go was made by Supervisor Mongrain and seconded by Supervisor Sanders. The original motion as amended was carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Dolf, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Nays: None.

✓ Communication from J. L. Moroney, County Treasurer, offering the suggestion that the Chairman of the Board be authorized to appoint a committee to work in conjunction with the Treasurer's Office with the idea in view of changing the present system used in the collection of delinquent taxes to a more modern one, was read. Supervisor Gribble moved that it be referred to the Finance and Taxation Committee. Supervisor Nicholas suggested that the words, "with power to act", be deleted from the petition. The motion was then supported by Supervisor Mongrain and carried.

✓ After a lengthy discussion of mileage to be paid County Officers attending out of town conventions it was moved by Supervisor Nicholas that all County

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Officers be allowed the same mileage as the Supervisors if the convention is to be held anywhere in the Upper Peninsula. Supported by Supervisor Perkins and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Dolf, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Nays: None.

A statement was submitted by Supervisor Stakel showing the E.R.A. expenditures and source of revenue for the calendar year 1936. Supervisor Stakel suggested that this statement be printed in the Negaunee Iron Herald and filed with the minutes of the meeting.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Dobson, was adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Dolf, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Nays: None.

The report of the Budget and Executive Committee was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Perkins, supported by Supervisor Nardi, was adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dolf, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--36.

Nays: Dobson and Erkkila--2.

MARQUETTE COUNTY BUDGET AND EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Ishpeming, Mich., May 5, 1937.

Honorable Chairman and Marquette
County Board of Supervisors, Marquette,
Michigan.

Gentlemen:

Your Budget and Executive Committee upon considering the matter of increasing the amount allowed for feeding prisoners in the County Jail, taking into account the increase in the cost of food, recommend, that the rate of 50 cents per day be increased to 65 cents per day effective upon adoption by the Board of Supervisors as of June 1st, 1937.

With reference to the communication of Wilfred Murray, Spanish-American war veteran, regarding the restoration of the tax exemption to Spanish-American war veterans to comply with Section 7, Act 206, of the Public Acts of 1893, and Section 3395 of the compiled laws of 1929, after conferring with the Prosecuting Attorney, we recommend the County Clerk be instructed to notify Mr. Murray to take the matter of exemption up with the local assessor of Board of Review in the assessing district where his property is located.

Your Budget and Executive Committee also recommend that in view of the fact that the Board of Supervisors failed to recommend an annual salary for the County Drain Commissioner at the last Annual Meeting of this Board held in October 1936, that the Auditing Committee be empowered to pay a reasonable amount per diem and for expenses, whenever the County Drain Commissioner turns in a report for which he can legally qualify for payment of services.

The Committee also recommends that the request of the Register of Deeds for extra clerk hire be denied. An investigation of the work performed by this office indicates that there is less need for extra clerk hire than there was last year. For the first four months of 1936, the fees received for recording deeds, mortgages, etc., averaged \$512.36 per month. For the first three months of 1937 the fees turned in to the County Treasurer's office by the Register of Deeds, averaged only \$219.79 per month, which would indicate that the amount of work required for recording deeds, mortgages, etc., is only 40% of the previous year. In view of the fact that the Annual Budget adopted by the Board of Supervisors provides for a salary and larger compensation for extra clerk hire than was put in for the year 1936, and in view of the fact that the work in the Register of Deeds office is considerably less than the previous year, we recommend that the Board of Supervisors do not make any additional appropriation for extra clerk hire, and

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that the amount established in the Annual Budget of October 1936 is amply to carry on all of the work in this office.

Respectfully submitted,

H. E. Perkins,
T. J. Nicholas,
Joseph F. Labold,
M. B. Richards,
H. S. Nightingale,
Paul Van Riper,
Chas. J. Stakel.

It was moved by Supervisor Stakel, supported by Supervisor Nightingale and carried, that the Clerk be instructed to notify the Register of Deeds that he should advertise for bids for the proposed re-indexing referred to in the Budget and Executive Committee's report.

The monthly report of Frank E. Krieg, Trespass Agent, was received and ordered filed by the Chair.

The monthly reports of Superintendents of the Poor, County Treasurer and Morgan Heights Sanatorium were read and ordered filed.

✓ A communication from the cities of Ishpeming, Marquette and Negaunee signed by the attorneys of these respective cities, was read by Herbert J. Potter, City Attorney of Ishpeming, Michigan. The attorneys claimed there was an illegal distribution of County Road money under the Horten Act which has resulted in a loss of \$20,796.50. It was moved by Supervisor Stakel, supported by Supervisor Nightingale and carried, that the above claim be referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee, the Marquette County Road Commission and the Prosecuting Attorney, for study and to report back to the Board.

✓ The following resolution drawn up by Supervisor Dolf and Supervisor Mongrain was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Mongrain, supported by Supervisor Price, was adopted.

Mr. Chairman:--

Upon the death of Mr. Thomas M. Redmond which occurred on March 24th, 1937, Marquette County lost one of its valued and highly respected citizens.

Tom, as he was universally known, was born at Hancock, Michigan, on April 2, 1895 and moved to Marquette at the age of twelve and had since made his home here. Graduating from the Marquette High School in 1913, he later became established in the insurance business and was so engaged up to the time of his death. Mr. Redmond was considered an authority on insurance matters and often acted in an advisory capacity in the writing of various lines of insurance.

On June 25th, 1918, Mr. Redmond enlisted at Camp Custer and served his country overseas until April 2, 1912, when he returned and was honorably discharged on April 19, 1919, when he resumed his activities in the insurance business.

On June 25th, 1935, Mr. Redmond married Miss Elsie Simister who survives him, as does a sister, Mrs. W. D. McIntosh, of Los Angeles, California.

As a public spirited citizen Mr. Redmond was outstanding, his qualifications being such as spelled real service in whatever his undertakings happened to be. As chairman of the Marquette County Chapter of the American Red Cross and as one of the trustees of the Marquette County War Chest Fund his services were invaluable, and were always given with one idea in mind, that of service to his fellow men.

His untimely death has left a vacancy in the life of this community that will be hard to fill.

Therefore be it resolved that we, the members of the Marquette County Board of Supervisors, hereby express our profound regret at the passing of Mr. Redmond, and that a copy of this resolution be spread upon the minutes of this meeting and a copy sent to members of the deceased's family.

C. E. Dolf,
Joseph Mongrain,
Committee.

✓ Resolutions from the Board of Supervisors of Jackson County and Branch County, Michigan, relative to closing of taverns and other places where beer and liquor are sold at the hour of 11:00 p.m. each week day night and all day Sunday were presented, and upon motion of Supervisor Dobson, supported by Supervisor Mongrain and carried, were placed on file.

✓ A resolution from the Isabella County Board of Supervisors citing opposition to legislation of any kind which has for its object the extinguishment or diminishing of any monies due any oil and gas producing Township or County in this State, was read. Supervisor Mongrain moved that the resolution be placed on file. Supported by Supervisor Gribble and carried.

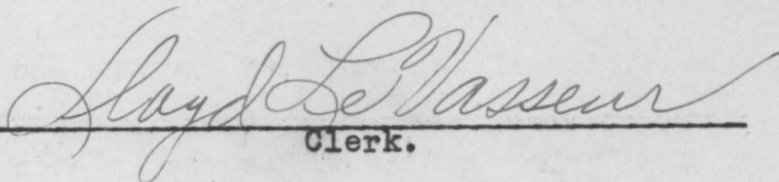
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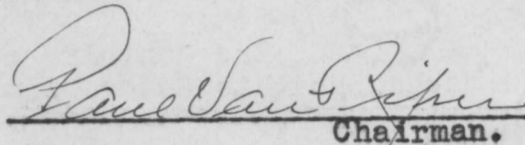
Application of Dr. C. LeGolvan for appointment as County Jail Physician, laid on the table at the March meeting, was presented. Supervisor Wiseman moved that Dr. C. LeGolvan be appointed County Jail Physician for the ensuing year. Supported by Supervisor Price. Supervisor Mongrain moved that the Clerk cast a unanimous ballot for Dr. C. LeGolvan. Supported by Supervisor Perkins and carried.

Supervisor Mongrain moved that the Clerk cast a unanimous ballot for the appointment of Dr. Charles N. Bottum as County Physician for the ensuing year. Supported by Supervisor Wiseman and carried.

Supervisor Mongrain moved that Fred I. Bernardi be elected to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Tom Redmond, Secretary of the Marquette County War Relief Fund. Supported by Supervisor Jernstad and unanimously carried.

There being no further business, it was moved by Supervisor Perring, supported by Supervisor St. Onge, that the Board adjourn until Monday, the 28th day of June, A. D. 1937, at 10:00 o'clock a.m.


Clerk.


Chairman.

Marquette, Mich., June 28, 1937

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Monday, the 28th day of June, A. D. 1937, at 10:00 o'clock a.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Paul Van Riper.

Before the roll was called a communication from the Richmond Township Clerk was read citing the resignation of T. J. Nicholas, Sr., Supervisor from the above Township and the appointment of Lester Nicholas to fill the vacancy, to take effect June 15, 1937.

The Chairman then welcomed the new Supervisor on behalf of the Board.

The roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present:

Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Dolf, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stenglein, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Absent: Stakel--1.

Upon motion of Supervisor Richards, supported by Supervisor Price, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

A communication from George T. Gundry, Auditor General, inviting all the County Treasurers to attend personal conferences to be held at Escanaba in connection with State Convention of County Treasurers, was read, and it was ordered filed by the Chair.

A communication from J. Avery Peterson, County Welfare Agent, requesting the Board to advance monthly his per diem and mileage fees chargeable to the State, was read. On motion of Supervisor Labold, and there being shown this would not result in any expenditure of County money, the request was carried unanimously.

A petition from Matt L. Makie, Drain Commissioner, asking for permission to attend State Convention of Drain Commissioners at Escanaba on July 6th and 7th, was read. Supervisor Perkins moved that it be granted in like manner as other County Officials expenses are paid. Supported by Supervisor Gribble and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Dolf, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stenglein, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper.--38.

Nays: None.

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Supervisor Stenglein moved to suspend regular order of business to pass from the report of the Equalization Committee to the reports of other Committees. Supported by Supervisor Mongrain and carried.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Richards, was adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Dolf, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stenglein, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Nays: None.

✓ The following report of the Highways and Bridges Committee and the County Road Commission, was read. Supervisor Wiseman moved the adoption of the report. Supported by Supervisor Laine and carried.

Ishpeming, Mich., June 23, 1937.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:

In the matter of petitions referred to the County Road Commission and your Committee on County Roads and Bridges.

Petitions which we considered were from Humboldt Township for reconstruction of twenty-one roads, from Negaunee Township for a road between the Negaunee Cemetery and U.S. 41, from Negaunee Township for reconstruction of the Mitchell Road, from Skandia Township for reconstruction of Road OC, and from Ewing Township for extension of reconstruction on Road DF and reconstruction of Road DB.

Your Committee met first on May 25th and again on June 22nd for the purpose of viewing the premises involved in each instance.

We then considered all petitions and considered at length the finances available in the hands of the County Road Commission.

It was pointed out that Roads DF and DB in Ewing Township were in the present W.P.A. setup and that Road FFU and FFY in Humboldt Township were in the present W.P.A. setup and will be taken care of if and when reached by the W.P.A.

It was pointed out that the County Road Commission is not in a position to finance any improvements to which they are not already committed, and continue to provide the services they have given in the past without some additional revenues.

Because of the lack of finances in the hands of the County Road Commission we recommend that all of these matters be referred to the County Road Commission for consideration if and when the finances will permit their consideration.

Yours respectfully,
COMMITTEE ON COUNTY ROADS AND BRIDGES,
W. J. Wiseman,
Chairman.

John Ghiardi,
Allan Swanson,
Lester E. Nicholas,
Evert Laine,
J.A. Jernstad,
E. J. St. Onge,
H. S. Nightingale,
E. G. Muck,
M. B. Richards.
BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS,
By K. I. Sawyer, Supt.

✓ The following report of the Highways and Bridges Committee together with the County Road Commission and Prosecuting Attorney, was read. It was moved by Supervisor St. Onge that the report be adopted. Supported by Supervisor Dobson and unanimously carried.

BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS
Ishpeming, Mich., June 22, 1937.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:

In the matter of the claim presented at the last meeting

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of our Board by the cities of Ishpeming, Marquette and Negaunee through their respective city attorneys and involving the allocation of money returned to Marquette County from the motor vehicle weight tax and the gasoline tax.

This claim was referred by you to the County Road Commission, the Committee on County Roads and Bridges of this Board, and the Prosecuting Attorney.

The joint group, to which this matter was referred, met in the Supervisors Chamber in the Court House, with representatives of the cities on June 10, 1937.

Mr. Potter re-stated the position and claim of the cities in the matter.

Mr. Sawyer stated the claims and position of the Board of County Road Commissioners in the matter.

The Prosecuting Attorney made remarks in the matter, in which he pointed out that the matter depended on the correct meaning of a certain paragraph in the statutes, that this correct meaning was never a certainty until the matter had been tried out in court. That court action was always somewhat uncertain as to results, and that he as prosecutor had convinced himself of the reasonableness and common sense of the position of the Road Commission and believed that if necessary to enter court action in the matter, it is probable that the position of the Road Commission would be sustained in court.

For the cities, debate was had in the matter by Attorney Potter, Mayor Jacques, Mayor Agnoli and Mayor Pro Tem. Kenney.

For the County Road Commission, debate was entered by Messrs. Spear and Sawyer.

Captain Nicholas spoke on the duties of the joint body in the matter.

After hearing all matters adjournment was taken until June 22nd. Your Committee and the Road Commission again met and pursuant to action on that day;

We recommend that the claims of the three cities be denied.

As a matter of record and to file with this report we are attaching copy of the claim as presented by Mr. Potter and;

Copy of brief of the the Road Commissioners' claims and position as presented by Mr. Sawyer.

COMMITTEE ON COUNTY ROADS AND BRIDGES,

W. J. Wiseman,
J. A. Jernstad,
H. S. Nightingale,
M. B. Richards,
Evert Laine,
Allan Swanson,
Lester E. Nicholas,
John Ghiardi,
E. G. Muck,

BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS,

By K. I. Sawyer, Supt.
R. S. Archibald,
P. B. Spear.

Concurred in:

John Voelker,
Prosecuting Attorney.

✓ The following report of the Legislation and County Parks Committee was read, and on motion of Supervisor Stenglein, supported by Supervisor Muck and carried, was ordered adopted.

BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS

Ishpeming, Mich., June 21, 1937.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.
Gentlemen:

Your Committee on Legislation and County Parks met with the Board of County Park Trustees on June 18th, 1937.

Together we visited Champion Beach Park where we found the park fully prepared for the summer season and in good condition. Electric service for trailers has been installed and all buildings and appurtenances are in good repair.

We visited the Dexter emergency landing field where we found the field outlines cut with harrow work, and from there visited the County Airport and then the Big Bay Park.

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At the County Airport we found that runways have been stabilized, all buildings in the W.P.A. program, except the hangar, built and in use and work on the hangar moving along well.

The Board of Park Trustees discussed the matter of fees and regulations at the airport and there is hereto attached a schedule of fees and regulations which are now in effect. Relative to these regulations, it is pertinent to point out, that the matter of liability on the County arising from such things as taking a fee or percentage of revenue from carrying passengers, etc., has been gone into and liability does exist if the County becomes a party to such use by taking money therefor. The matter of insurance against this liability is being gone into and will be analyzed against probable revenues. Until insurance against this liability is secured the Board of County Park Trustees will not take any revenue from such sources as carrying passengers, air circuses, etc., and the revenue derived will be solely from storage in the hangar and sale of gasoline and oils.

At the Big Bay Park we found the grounds very considerably improved, the caretaker's house reconstructed and in good order, and plans underway for construction of two comfort stations.

We also considered the matter of certain pending legislation and authorized the Chairman to wire Senactr Wixtrom of our approval of House Bill 119 which would allocate a portion of the sales tax money for County Road purposes.

Yours respectfully,
COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATION AND COUNTY PARKS.
John G. Stenglein,
Thos. O. Price,
Irving Mitchell,
E. G. Muck,
L. E. Nicholas,
C. E. Dolf,
Thomas Gribble.
BOARD OF COUNTY PARK TRUSTEES.
By K. I. Sawyer, Supt.

✓ AIRPORT CHARGES AND REGULATIONS, SEASON OF 1937

--Charges--

Applying to aircraft owned in Marquette County and using County Airport as a home port and for persons putting their own planes in and out of hangar.

- Storage of plane in hangar for plane of not over 50 ft. wing spread \$7.50 per month
- Storage of plane in hangar for plane of over 50 ft. wing spread \$ 10.00 per month

Locally owned planes for which storage is paid in the hangar and for which fuel and oils are bought from the station on the airport may be operated off the airport for any purpose permitted by their license without other airport charge.

Locally owned planes may be staked down off runways, provided fuel and oil is purchased from the airport station.

No plane may be kept regularly at the airport which does not comply with the above.

Applying to aircraft using County Airport but not as home port.

- Storage of plane in hangar for plane of not over 50 ft. wing spread--
- One day or fraction thereof \$ 1.00
- Including transport of not exceeding four persons to town 2.00
- One week or fraction 6.00
- Storage of plane in hangar for plane of over 50 ft. wing spread
- One day or fraction thereof 1.50
- Including transport of not exceeding four persons to town 2.50
- One week or fraction thereof 9.00

No operator shall operate any plane or other aircraft which is not owned in Marquette County and using the County Airport as a home port; for hire, to carry passengers for pay by the trip, for exhibition, or for any other purpose producing a money gain to the operator or owner of such aircraft, until arrangements therefor have been made with the airport management and permit secured, provided that this regulation shall not operate to prohibit the landing and taking off of passengers on this port where such passengers travel originated at some port outside of Marquette County.

The County of Marquette assumes no liability for fire

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or theft occurring to or on any plane, aircraft, conveyance, or part thereof, or contents thereof, using this airport and appurtenances. The moderate charges for services tendered are based on the aircraft or conveyance, owner assuming all risks of fire, theft and liability.

All planes landing or using this field must register.

All laws, rules and regulations of the United States Department of Commerce Aeronautics Branch, and of the Department of Aeronautics, State of Michigan, apply to the use of this airport.

The following report of the Budget and Executive Committee was read, and on motion of Supervisor Perkins, supported by Supervisor Labold and carried, was adopted.

MARQUETTE COUNTY BUDGET
AND EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

May 27th, 1937.

To the Honorable Chairman and Board
of Supervisors, Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:

Your Budget and Executive Committee after carefully considering the subject matter of the two requests referred to it by the Board of Supervisors on May 19th, beg leave to report as follows:

Regarding the communication of Mr. Wilbur E. Crowley, Marquette County Supervisor of the Old Age Assistance Bureau, wherein he refers to Act 159, of the Public Acts of 1935, particularly that Section of the Act which reads as follows: "The Board of Supervisors shall provide space and the necessary office equipment for the use of the Old Age Assistance Bureau, and appropriate the necessary funds for the payment of the office expenses required of said Bureau", arrangements have been made to move a desk from the Court House just as soon as Mr. Crowley finds suitable quarters to house the equipment.

With reference to the letter of Mr. Khoury, Judge of Probate, requesting an appropriation for additional clerk hire over and above that granted by the Board of Supervisors on March 24th, this year, your committee respectfully calls your attention to the fact that on March 24th, when the entire Board of Supervisors was in session, upon motion made by John T. Dobson, the following resolution was moved for adoption, to wit: "We also agree that the Judge of Probate be allowed, not to exceed, if the necessity arises, the amount of \$400.00 for extra clerk hire for his office for the year 1937." This motion, upon being seconded, by Mr. Nightingale, was unanimously adopted by the Board of Supervisors.

In view of the foregoing facts, your Budget and Executive Committee, despite the fact that the communication of M. J. Khoury, dated May 18th, was referred to the Budget and Executive Committee, feel that this Committee has no right to recommend that the Board of Supervisors grant the request of the Judge of Probate, because, the resolution heretofore referred to and adopted by the Board, explicitly stated that the \$400.00 allowance for extra clerk hire was not to be exceeded for 1937.

We therefore recommend that the Board of Supervisors authorize the County Clerk to receive the communication of the Judge of Probate and place it on file.

Respectfully submitted,
H. E. Perkins,
H. S. Nightingale,
Joseph F. Labold,
M. B. Richards,
Paul Van Riper,
Capt. T. J. Nicholas,
Chas. J. Stakel.

Supervisor Laine moved that the Board adjourn until 1:30 o'clock p.m. to enable the Equalization Committee to study and complete their report and submit it to the Board. Supported by Supervisor Jernstad and carried.

Board re-convened at 1:30 o'clock p.m. and roll being called the following Supervisors were found to be present:

Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Dolf, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stenglein, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Nays: None.

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REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY AS ASSESSED AND TOTAL VALUATION
AS EQUALIZED

City or Township	Real Estate as Assessed	Personal Property as Assessed	Total Valuation as Assessed	Amount Added	Amount Deducted	Total Valuation as Equalized
	Dollars	Dollars	Dollars	Dol	Dol	Dollars
City--						
Ishpeming -----	\$ 8,432,360	\$ 2,195,560	\$10,627,920	\$ 80	\$ - - -	\$10,628,000
Marquette -----	7,501,625	1,563,375	9,065,000	- - -	- - -	9,065,000
Negaunee -----	11,288,250	2,564,575	13,852,825	175	- - -	13,853,000
Townships--						
Champion-----	884,030	149,750	1,033,780	220	- - -	1,034,000
Chocoy -----	310,010	1,100	311,110	- - -	110	311,000
Ely-----	2,590,970	977,430	3,568,400	- - -	400	3,568,000
Ewing-----	104,090	3,750	107,840	160	- - -	108,000
Forsyth-----	863,670	582,725	1,446,395	- - -	395	1,446,000
Humboldt-----	432,525	27,900	460,425	- - -	425	460,000
Ishpeming-----	1,659,085	753,575	2,412,660	340	- - -	2,413,000
Marquette-----	404,025	270,085	674,110	- - -	110	674,000
Michigamme-----	652,110	33,910	686,020	- - -	20	686,000
Negaunee-----	366,765	97,000	463,765	235	- - -	464,000
Powell-----	1,005,180	641,800	1,646,980	20	- - -	1,647,000
Republic-----	453,055	67,665	520,720	280	- - -	521,000
Richmond-----	457,916	66,130	524,046	- - -	46	524,000
Sands-----	192,950	55,360	248,310	- - -	310	248,000
Skandia-----	336,085	19,500	355,585	415	- - -	356,000
Tilden-----	1,870,455	210,325	2,080,780	220	- - -	2,081,000
Turin-----	281,750	20,050	301,800	200	- - -	302,000
Wells-----	303,850	14,800	318,650	350	- - -	319,000
West Branch-----	262,900	4,400	267,300	- - -	300	267,000
	<u>\$40,653,656</u>	<u>\$10,320,765</u>	<u>\$50,974,421</u>	<u>\$ 2,695</u>	<u>\$ 2,116</u>	<u>\$50,975,000</u>

The monthly reports of County Treasurer, Superintendents of the Poor, County Jail Physician and Morgan Heights Sanatorium were read and ordered filed.

Supervisor Nardi moved that the question of County Road tour be referred to Committee on Highways and Bridges and County Road Commission to select a date. Supported by Supervisor Dobson.

Supervisor Wiseman amended the above by suggesting Wednesday, August 11, 1937 as the date. Supported by Supervisor Price and carried. The original motion as amended was carried.

There being no further business, it was moved by Supervisor Anderson, supported by Supervisor Erkkila, that the Board adjourn until Wednesday, the 21st day of July, A. D. 1937, at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

Lloyd L. Wasson
Clerk

Paul Van Riper
Chairman

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Marquette, Mich., July 21, 1937

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday, the 21st day of July, A. D. 1937, at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Paul Van Riper.

The roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present:

Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Dolf, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Tomas, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Absent: Mitchell--1.

Upon motion of Supervisor Dobson, supported by Supervisor Sanders, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

✓ A petition signed by fifty-six signers of Marquette County citing dangerous and rough condition of County Road 553 and requesting adequate maintenance by Marquette County Road Commission, was read. Supervisor Yelle moved that the request be referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee and the Marquette County Road Commission. Supported by Supervisor Wiseman and carried.

✓ A petition signed by fourteen residents of Sands Township requesting grading of the Charles Dahlstrom road was read, and on motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Yelle, referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee and the Marquette County Road Commission.

✓ A claim signed by Wm. Quantz, Sr. and May Quantz, stating that May Quantz suffered injuries to one foot when she stepped on a stake used in snow-fence assembly, which stake was negligently left imbedded in their field by the Marquette County Road Commission, was read. An attached claim signed by Matt Peura, Attorney, stating that he represented Mr. and Mrs. Quantz and that formal claim would be made when Mrs. Quantz recovered from the injuries, was read. On motion of Supervisor Perkins, supported by Supervisor Gribble and carried, both claims were referred to the Marquette County Road Commission and Prosecuting Attorney.

A communication from the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau asking the Board to appoint two members to the County directorate, was read, and on motion of Supervisor Stakel, supported by Supervisor Mongrain; Supervisor Wiseman and Supervisor Van Riper were re-appointed for the ensuing year.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Mongrain, was adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Dolf, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Nays: None.

The following report of the Marquette County Road Commission and the Highways and Bridges Committee was read, and adopted on motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Mussatto.

Ishpeming, Mich., July 19, 1937.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan
Gentlemen:

In the matter of the annual inspection trip.

Your Committee on County Roads and Bridges met on July 19th, 1937.

We have planned an inspection of highways on the Northeast and central part of the County with dinner at the Big Bay Park, to be held August 11th, as set by your Board.

We have determined that transportation should be furnished by contributed cars and request that each of you who can will assist by furnishing your car for the trip. The Road Commission will furnish gasoline and oil the same as they did last year.

Yours respectfully,
COMMITTEE ON COUNTY ROADS AND BRIDGES,

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W. J. Wiseman,
Chairman.

E. J. St. Onge,
E. G. Muck,
M. B. Richards,
Allan Swanson,
Evert Laine,
Jas. A. Jernstad,
L. E. Nicholas,
John Ghiardi,

Board of County Road Commissioners,
By K. I. Sawyer, Supt.

The following report of the Agriculture Committee was read, and on motion of Supervisor Labold, supported by Supervisor Mackey, was adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Dolf, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Nays: None.

The agricultural committee met Monday, July 19, in the county agricultural agent's office in the Court House. The meeting was called to discuss various activities of the county agricultural agent.

The grasshopper situation was discussed and it was learned that there were sections of the county where the grasshoppers were numerous enough to cause damage. Poison bait has already been made at Lawson in Skandia Township and will be made in Ewing Township on Thursday of this week.

The grasshopper situation can be taken care of without a special appropriation as the county has on hand \$688.38 worth of bran, or approximately 30 tons. There is stored at Ishpeming and other places 26 barrels of calcium arsenite besides several barrels of molasses, so we have more bait material than will be used this year. If any supervisors have complaints of grasshopper damage, they may turn them over to Mr. Walker and he will take care of the situation.

This last year the county agricultural agent has had over four hundred 4-H Club enrollments scattered over almost every township in the county. Club achievement days are held every fall and spring in various sections of the county. Cash prizes are given to outstanding club exhibits and to outstanding individual exhibits. Prizes of expenses paid at Camp Shaw during 4-H Club encampment are also made to thirty boys and girls over fifteen years of age who are given the title of county honor members in the various projects, such as clothing, handicraft, canning, potato, garden, forestry, health and for various contests.

The State Department of Agriculture handles the Race Horse money and about \$35,000 of this Race Horse fund is appropriated to 4-H Club work in the State. Marquette County 4-H club work received \$490. of this fund this last year. This money can be used for prizes, camp expenses, and various other purposes, but not for transportation to Camp Shaw. A school bus can be hired at Republic to take the 4-H Club members of the county to Chatham on Monday, August 2, and return on Saturday, August 7, for \$30. This has been done for several years and the committee recommends that the county agricultural agent be authorized to hire the bus again this year and the sum of \$30 be allowed for the hire of the same.

Joseph F. Labold
Matt Mackey
Maini Helmeoja
John Weiland
John Mussatto
Lawrence C. Ewing

The following report of the County Planning Committee was read, and ordered filed by the Chair.

Ishpeming, Mich., July 20, 1937.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:

Your County Planning Committee report that we met on July 20th, 1937; that tentative zoning map is prepared subject to review and preparatory to holding public hearings.

That tentative ordinance is under consideration and much supporting data assembled, tabulated, and mapped, and that it is the expectation to be able to proceed with hearings within a few weeks.

MARQUETTE COUNTY PLANNING COMMITTEE

Paul Van Riper,
Chairman.

July 21, 1937

Matt Mackey,
John Weiland,
P. R. Perring,
W. J. Wiseman,
Joseph F. Labold,
Lawrence C. Ewing,
K. I. Sawyer, Sec'y.

Supervisor Nightingale moved that the Morrison Audit Company be allowed to audit the accounts of the Justices of the Peace of the county. Supported by Supervisor Wiseman and adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Dolf, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St.Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Nays: None.

The monthly reports of County Treasurer, Superintendents of the Poor, Morgan Heights Sanatorium and County Jail Physician were read and ordered filed.

The following resolution from the Mackinac County Board of Supervisors was read, and on motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Laine, was referred to the Legislation Committee.

OFFICE OF COUNTY CLERK
MACKINAC COUNTY

St. Ignace, Mich., Tuesday, June 29
A.D. 1937.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors
of Mackinac County:

Your Committee on Special Taxation respectfully asks the United States Government to adopt the same system that the State of Michigan has that will reimburse the several counties for the loss they are taking by the purchase of the lands from owners who were taxpayers.

We respectfully report and offer the following resolution:

1st. WHEREAS, The U. S. Government has been purchasing a considerable acreage of lands to set aside for Federal Forest Reserves, and

2nd. WHEREAS, These lands before their purchase by the Government were taxable property and the source of considerable revenue much needed by the several municipalities in which they are located, and

3rd. WHEREAS, The Government pays no taxes upon the local public, therefore Be It Resolved, That we respectfully request our Federal Government to adopt some system whereby our townships and counties shall be reimbursed for the financial loss created by the removal of so large an area of tax paying land from our tax roll, and Be It Further Resolved, That the clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Mackinac County be instructed to send a copy of these resolutions to the President of the United States, to our United States Senators and District Representatives in Congress, to our Governor and Secretary of State and to the Clerks of the several counties of the Upper Peninsula and Lower Peninsula where lands are acquired by the Federal Government.

Signed:

F.E. Skeels,
Robert Cille,
Carl Worth.

Mr. K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent of the Marquette County Road Commission, addressed the Board and explained the County Airport Dedication Program.

Sheriff Dewey Hansen informed the Board that the condition of the walls of the Jail was poor and asked the Buildings, Grounds and Insurance Committee to inspect the Jail at their earliest convenience.

Sheriff Hansen requested the Board to allow him to attend the State Convention of County Sheriffs to be held at Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, on July 26th, 27th and 28th, and on motion of Supervisor Dobson, supported by Supervisor Gribble, the request was granted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Dolf, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St.Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Nays: None.

There being no further business, it was moved by Supervisor

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Stakel that the Board adjourn until Wednesday, the 25th day of August, A. D. 1937, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., for its next regular business session. Supported by Supervisor Erkkila and unanimously carried.

Lloyd L. Pussur
Clerk

Paul VanRiper
Chairman.

Marquette, Mich., Aug. 25, 1937

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday, the 25th day of August, A. D. 1937, at 10:00 o'clock a.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Paul VanRiper.

The roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present:

Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Dolf, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St.Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and VanRiper--39.

Absent: None.

Upon motion of Supervisor Richards, supported by Supervisor Sanders, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

✓ A petition signed by F. B. Franson requesting plowing of an additional 1/4 mile road to his farm in Township 48 North Range 27 W, was read. On motion of Supervisor Wiseman, it was referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee and the Marquette County Road Commission. Supported by Supervisor Price and carried.

✓ A communication from Michael J. Khoury, Judge of Probate, asking for additional clerk hire, was read, and on motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Richards and carried, was referred to the Budget and Executive Committee.

✓ A petition signed by sixty-four taxpayers of West Branch Township urging construction of a road on Section Line between Section 26 and 27 in Township 46 North Range 24 W, was read. Supervisor Wiseman moved it be referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee and the Marquette County Road Commission. Supported by Supervisor Anderson and carried.

✓ A petition signed by twelve signers of Negaunee Township requesting repair of and widening of Road J.D. from Hammila corner westerly in Township 48 North Range 26 W, was read. On motion of Supervisor St.Onge, supported by Supervisor Annala and carried, it was referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee and the Marquette County Road Commission.

A formal claim of Mrs. Quantz by Matt Peura, her attorney, requesting reimbursement for injuries sustained in an accident caused by a snow fence stake left imbedded on their farm, was read. It was moved by Supervisor Wiseman that the claim be referred to the Marquette County Road Commission and the Prosecuting Attorney. Supported by Supervisor Anderson and carried.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Mongrain, was adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Dolf, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St.Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and VanRiper--39.

Nays: None.

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The monthly reports of County Treasurer, Morgan Heights Sanatorium and Superintendants of the Poor were read and ordered filed by the Chair.

A resolution from the Board of Supervisors of Keweenaw County petitioning the Federal Government for reimbursement for taxes lost because of the incorporation of Isle Royale as a National Park, thus removing all land on Isle Royale from the tax rolls, was read. On motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Price and carried, the communication was referred to the Legislation Committee.

There being no further business, it was moved by Supervisor Price that the Board adjourn until Wednesday, the 15th day of September, A.D. 1937, at 2:00 o'clock p.m. Supported by Supervisor Wiseman and carried.

Paul Van Riper

Chairman.

Lloyd LePasser

Clerk.

Marquette, Mich., Sept. 15, 1937.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday, the 15th day of September, A.D. 1937, at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Paul Van Riper.

The roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present:

Present: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Halmeoja, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mon-grain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St.Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--36.

Absent: Dolf, Goulette and Jernstad--3.

Upon motion of Supervisor Richards, supported by Supervisor Anderson, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

A communication from the Marquette County Road Commission with the following resolution attached, was read.

Board of County Road Commissioners

Ishpeming, Mich., Sept. 14, 1937.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-- The County Road Commission has been receiving a great many complaints relative to the bill boards which have been erected along side of our highways. We are also informed that other companies contemplate erecting bill boards if those now erected are continued in use.

We do not feel that the Road Commission should operate independently and alone, but desire to put into effect, instructions to our forces as shown on the attached resolution, provided the Board of Supervisors put similar instructions into effect in the balance of the county. From previous experience we know this practice is effective in discouraging the erection of signs, as similar practice was used for several years.

I trust you will give this your careful consideration.

Yours truly,

BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS,
By K. I. Sawyer, Supt.

WHEREAS the State of Michigan and also the County of Marquette have expended money and their representatives have spent time and effort to beautify the roadsides and preserve the natural beauty of the country side.

AND WHEREAS there is now a practice by some parties to detract from the beauty of the country side through the erection of bill boards and other advertising matter, therefor;

BE IT RESOLVED, that those doing the purchasing for this department, when prices and other things are substantially equal, be directed to place all orders with the

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individuals, firms and corporations who co-operate in preserving the natural beauty of this county by not using bill boards or other outdoor advertising material at any point, except immediately in front of where goods or services are sold.

Supervisor Perkins moved that the Board adopt a resolution similar in nature, applying to all departments of the County. Supported by Supervisor Dobson and carried.

✓ A communication from the Marquette County Road Commission citing the contemplated centralization of schools by transporting students from Wells Township to Gwinn and from Ewing Township to Maple Ridge Township school at Rock in Delta County, was read. Copies of above were sent to the interested township, county and state school authorities. The communication stated the Commission has neither money or equipment enough to keep the proposed routes in a condition to insure safe transportation in the winter and that the Commission will not assume the responsibility for the safe transportation of children on these routes.

The above communication was ordered received and placed on file by the Chairman.

✓ A communication from the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau relative to advertising in the 1938 issue of "Lure of the Land of Hiawatha", was read. Supervisor Stenglein moved that it be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee. Supervisor Nicholas urged the Committee to deliberate on the possibility of having the publication printed in the Upper Peninsula and that information be obtained on the letting of contracts for the publication. Supported by Supervisor Anderson and carried.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Price, was adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Halmeoja, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--36.

Nays: None.

The audit of County Justice Dockets for the two years ending June 30, 1937, prepared by the Morrison Audit Company was presented and on motion of Supervisor Perkins, supported by Supervisor Nicholas and carried, was referred to the Auditing Committee and the Prosecuting Attorney with power to act.

✓ The following report of the Committee on Highways and Bridges and the Marquette County Road Commission was read. Supervisor Wiseman moved its adoption. Supported by Supervisor Ghiardi and carried.

Ishpeming, Mich., Sept. 8, 1937.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:--Your Committee on County Roads and Bridges and the Board of County Road Commissioners met on September 3rd, 1937, at which time a very lengthy discussion was had on finances, after which the following petitions were considered:

Axel O. Anderson and others relative to construction of a road in Sections 26 and 27 in Town 46 N. Range 24 W.

F. B. Franson, for snow plowing the Dead River Road.

Ray Van Linden and others relative to maintenance on Road 553.

Chas. Dahlstrom and others for the construction of a road 1/2 a mile in length on his property.

Hilmer Samuelson and others for reconstruction of Road JD.

Because of the financial situation under which the Road Commission is working we recommend that these roads be referred to the County Road Commission to be cared for when they have funds available for that purpose.

Yours truly,

Board of County Road Commissioners,
By K. I. Sawyer, Supt.
Committee on County Roads and Bridges,
By W. J. Wiseman,
Chairman.

H. S. Nightingale,
E. G. Muck,
John Ghiardi,
M. B. Richards,
E. J. St. Onge,
T. J. Nicholas,
Thos. O. Price,
Evert Laine.

✓ The following report of the Committee on Legislation and County Parks was read. On motion of Supervisor Stenglein, supported by Supervisor Price, the report was adopted.

Legislation and County Parks Committee.

September 13th, 1937.

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Hon. Board of Supervisors, Marquette
County, Marquette, Michigan.
Gentlemen:

Your committee on Legislation and County Parks met on September 10th, 1937 and recommend to the County Board of Supervisors the following resolution for adoption:

WHEREAS, the Government pays no taxes upon the local public, therefore be it Resolved that we respectfully request our Federal Government to adopt some system whereby our townships and counties shall be reimbursed for the financial loss created by the removal of so large an area of tax paying land from our tax roll and be it further Resolved that the clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County be instructed to send a copy of these resolutions to the President of the United States, to our United States Senators and District Representatives in Congress, to our Governor and Secretary of State and to the Clerk of the several counties of the Upper Peninsula and Lower Peninsula where lands are acquired by the Federal Government. The Clerk is also hereby instructed to write to Keweenaw and Mackinac Counties that the Marquette County Board of Supervisors has concurred with their resolutions.

John G. Stenglein,
Thomas Gribble,
John Mussatto,
Irving Mitchell,
E. G. Muck,
T. J. Nicholas,
Thos. O. Price,
H. E. Perkins.

✓ Supervisor Gribble moved for the adoption of the following report of the Committee on Buildings, Grounds and Insurance. Supported by Supervisor Mongrain and carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BUILDINGS, GROUNDS AND INSURANCE.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors
of Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-- Your Committee on Buildings, Grounds and Insurance beg to submit the following report on their tour of inspection of buildings and grounds, made in the following places: Champion Beach, County Road Commission property, Air-port, Morgan Heights Sanitarium, Fair Grounds, and County Infirmary. At Champion Beach, we found conditions in wonderful shape, grounds all cleaned and buildings kept up to the highest standard; crowds at the Bath House this year have been exceedingly large. At the County Road Buildings and Grounds, we also found everything in good shape. At the Air-port, everything is about complete and pretty well enclosed. At Morgan Heights Sanitarium, buildings are in good shape; grounds clean, and very pleasant to look at. At the Fair Grounds, we found grounds and buildings all cleaned up, which is saying a good deal as the County Fair had just closed only a few days before. This Committee would recommend that before the opening of the county fair next year, that some competent person be engaged to make a thorough inspection of the grand stand to see that it is absolutely safe to withstand the large weight that it has to carry. At the Court House, we find that at some date in the near future there will have to be some minor repairs in the Court room. At the Jail, a much needed coat of paint is about complete. At the Infirmary, we found buildings and grounds kept up to the highest standard.

In regard to insurance, it is our recommendation that all insurance written on a Co-Insurance basis be brought up to a proper amount to agree with the current values as shown on the last Lloyd-Thomas appraisal. Insurance on items not covered under a Co-Insurance clause to remain as is except in some unusual case or cases where a perceptible increase warrants an increase.

In conclusion, we think the people in charge of the various departments mentioned in this report, should be given credit for the way in which they have taken care of the public's property.

Respectfully submitted,
Thomas Gribble,
Chairman.

Joseph Mongrain,
James Nardi,
John T. Dobson,
John Ghiardi,
Joseph Yelle.

✓ The following survey of the Committee on Buildings, Grounds and Insurance was read and on motion of Supervisor Gribble, supported by Supervisor Ghiardi and carried, was referred to the Finance and Taxation Committee for study.

Ishpeming, Mich., Sept. 8, 1937.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-- Your Committee on Buildings, Grounds and Insurance has caused preliminary estimates to be made for the purpose of improving the grounds of the Court House and Jail by the construction of concrete paved driveways and parking area.

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The doing of this work is necessary because of the fact that these areas are now imperfectly drained and are not susceptible of satisfactory maintenance in their present condition.

The estimate of doing the desired work is as follows:

Excavation and preparation of sub grade	\$ 210.00
Removing scale pit, re-shaping conduit, etc	172.50
Catch basin and tile drain outlet	127.00
6" reinforced concrete pavement	2,887.00
	<u>\$3,397.10</u>

We recommend that provision for doing this work next summer be made in the appropriations to be made at the annual meeting.

COMMITTEE ON BUILDINGS, GROUNDS AND INSURANCE,

By Thomas Gribble,
Chairman.

Gust Danielson,
Joseph Mongrain,
James Nardi,
John T. Dobson,
John Ghiardi,
Joseph Yelle.

The monthly report of Superintendents of the Poor was read and ordered filed by the Chair.

✓ Supervisor Wiseman moved that the Chairman appoint a Salary Committee of three to study salaries of County employees, exclusive of County officers, to report to the Budget and Executive Committee to enable them to prepare next year's budget. Supported by Supervisor Price and carried.

✓ Supervisor Stakel gave some pertinent remarks regarding new laws pertaining to Supervisors passed by the recent Legislature. Supervisors will be allowed \$5.00 per diem instead of \$4.00 per diem and a reduction in mileage fees of from 8 cents to 5 cents. Also under the new laws no member can attend more than fifteen regular meetings a year or more than forty special meetings and the annual meeting cannot last longer than ten days.

Also that Township Treasurers will now become members of the Township Board.

There being no further business, it was moved by Supervisor Dobson that the Board adjourn until Monday, the 11th day of October, A. D. 1937, at 9:30 o'clock a.m., for the regular annual meeting.

Raymond L. Hasser
Clerk

Thomas Gribble
Chairman.

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Marquette, Mich., Oct. 11, 1937.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Monday, the 11th day of October, A.D. 1937, at 9:30 o'clock a.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Paul VanRiper.

The roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present:

Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St.Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and VanRiper--38.

Absent: Dolf--1.

Upon motion of Supervisor Richards, supported by Supervisor Dobson, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

A communication from Axel O. Anderson, Supervisor, West Branch Township, regarding the Townships representing the lower portion of Marquette County being very desirous of establishing a public park on Farmer's Lake on Lot 1 of Section 16, T.45 N., R.24 W., was read, and on motion of Supervisor Anderson, supported by Supervisor Laine, was referred to the Marquette County Road Commission and the Committee on Legislation and County Parks.

A claim from Matt Heino, of Humboldt, Michigan wherein expenses entailed in constructing fences, etc., to the amount of \$115.50, along right-of-way through his property in Section 19, T 48, NR W, was read. Supervisor Wiseman moved it be referred to the Marquette County Road Commission. Supported by Supervisor Price, and carried.

A petition signed by twenty-eight signers of Chocolay Township urging construction of a road on Section Line between Section 7 and 18, T 47, N.R. 24 W. and known as the Sicotte and O.H. Clish road, was read, and on motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Gribble, was referred to the Marquette County Road Commission and the Highways and Bridges Committee.

The following apportionments, certificates of determination and requests were read, and upon motion of Supervisor Dobson, supported by Supervisor Stakel, were referred to the Finance and Taxation Committee and the Prosecuting Attorney.

BOARD OF SUPERINTENDENTS OF THE POOR

Ishpeming, Mich., Oct. 6, 1937.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-- Due to the reduced appropriation last year, the Poor Fund showed an overdraft of \$1,888.62 on August 31, 1937.

We have had under consideration the matter of requirements for next year and recommend an appropriation of \$80,000 for Poor Fund purposes to provide necessary funds until August 31, 1938.

We also recommend there be included in your appropriation for General Fund purposes, the sum of \$2,500.00 for repairs, replacements and improvements at the County Infirmary.

Respectfully submitted,
Marquette County Poor Commission.
By G. R. Jackson, Chairman.

CC- C. J. Stakel.
H. W. Trembath.

BOARD OF SUPERINTENDENTS OF THE POOR

Ishpeming, Mich., Oct. 6, 1937.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:--There is an overdraft in the Poor Fund after the payment of August claims, of \$1,888.62. Our monthly expenditures are averaging about \$6,600.00. I would therefore recommend that \$28,500 be transferred from the General Fund to the Poor Fund to take care of this overdraft and our requirements for the last four months of this year.

Yours very truly,

Marquette County Poor Commission
By G. R. Jackson, Chairman.

CC--C. J. Stakel, Chairman.
Finance Committee.

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MORGAN HEIGHTS SANATORIUM

Negaunee, Mich. Sept. 2, 1937.

Mr. C. J. Stakel, Chairman,
Finance and Taxation Committee,
Ishpeming, Michigan.

Dear Mr. Stakel:--Adverting to your letter of the 28th.

Yesterday afternoon, Mr. Pearce and I met with Superintendent Berry and made a preliminary survey in order that we might be in position to give you tentative figures as requested.

We did not attempt, owing to lack of time, to go into each item making up the various divisions of our accounts, but give you below a summary of our present ideas treating only the major divisions.

Division	Actual 1935	Actual 1936	Proposed 1937	Probable 1938
Administrative	\$ 4,548.51	\$ 4,582.48	\$ 4,640.00	\$ 5,200.00
Care of patients	19,027.53	21,438.99	22,400.00	24,750.00
Dietary	21,000.46	20,711.66	22,800.00	25,000.00
General Operation	19,819.41	20,329.52	20,425.00	22,500.00
Grounds	1,637.76	822.68	1,425.00	1,425.00
Permanent Improvements and Contingencies			3,310.00	3,310.00
Deficit				5,000.00
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Estimated Revenues			\$75,000.00	\$87,185.00
			<hr/> 21,000.00	<hr/> 42,000.00
County Appropriation Asked			\$54,000.00	\$45,185.00

The foregoing indicates that our request for the County when definitely decided upon will be approximately \$10,000.00 less than we asked for last year; due to the fact that the increased state aid is effective the latter part of July and the further fact that we were able to economize in certain particulars somewhat more than we had thought possible, will bring our deficit for the year down to probably in the neighborhood of \$4,000.00 although I have, as you will observe from the foregoing, inserted the arbitrary sum of \$5,000.00 in making up the tentative figures. This naturally will be subject to correction later on.

Yours very truly,

G. Sherman Collins,
Chairman.

CC to Dr. Robert F. Berry, Supt.
Mr. E. L. Pearce,
Dr. W. S. Picotte.

BOARD OF SUPERINTENDENTS OF THE POOR

Ishpeming, Mich., Sept. 25, 1937.

Mr. C. J. Stakel, Chairman,
Finance and Taxation Committee,
Ishpeming, Michigan.

Dear Sir:-- I herewith submit an estimate on the funds required for the Poor Commission for 16 months, that is, September 1, 1937 to December 31, 1938, amounting to \$105,000.00; and for repairs and improvements at the County Infirmary, \$2,500.00, which should be provided for in the General Fund.

The basis of the above estimate has been taken from our average monthly expenditure for the past 12 months, namely, \$6,566.11.

This for 16 months would figure	\$105,057.76
The Poor Fund account at present is overdrawn	\$ 1,888.62
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	\$106,946.38

The above would indicate we need \$106,946.38 to carry us through until taxes come through in January, 1939. However, it is impossible for anyone to figure just exactly what the call will be against this fund and for that reason we have used as a basis our average monthly expense for the past year.

Yours very truly,
G. R. Jackson, Chairman.

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BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS

Ishpeming, Mich., Sept. 3, 1937.

Mr. Lloyd LeVasseur, County Clerk,
Marquette, Michigan.

Dear Sir:-- Will you please bring to the attention of the County Tax Commission when they have their next meeting on the matters of tax allocation as follows:

It will be the intent of the Board of County Road Commissioners to request the Board of Supervisors to raise money as follows:

For general County Road purposes, under Act 283, Public Acts of Michigan 1909, the sum of thirty-four thousand seven hundred seventy-three dollars (\$34,773.00); also to raise, to be used for maintenance of McNitt roads, pursuant to Section 10 of Act 130, Public Acts of Michigan 1931, the sum of forty-eight thousand seven hundred dollars (\$48,700.00); and for County Park purposes they will request the Board to raise the sum of twelve thousand seven hundred forty-three dollars and seventy-five cents (\$12,743.75), being one quarter mill on the current year's valuation.

SUMMARY

By Act 283 Public Acts 1909	\$ 34,773.00
By Act 130 Public Acts 1931	48,700.00
Park Fund	12,743.75

Thanking you for calling this to their attention, I am,

Yours very truly,

K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent.

BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS

Ishpeming, Mich., Sept. 14, 1937.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-- At a meeting of the Board of County Road Commissioners of Marquette County, Michigan, held September 14th, 1937, the following resolution was adopted:

"WHEREAS the Board of County Road Commissioners has adopted all township roads in this county, including streets and alleys in unincorporated villages, into the county road system pursuant to the provisions of Act 130 Public Acts of Michigan 1931, and

WHEREAS under the provisions of this act there is to be received by the county a sum of \$69,538.35 per year for use in maintaining these roads so adopted because of said Act 130; and as is by such act provided and,

WHEREAS this sum of \$69,538.35 is not sufficient for the proper maintenance and provides no money for improvement of the highways adopted under said act; and,

WHEREAS provisions for raising money to provide funds necessary for the maintenance of these roads adopted under this Act 130 are set forth in Section 10 of Act 130 P. A. 1931.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED.

That the amount of money required for the proper maintenance during the next year of those roads adopted into the county road system because of provisions of Act 130 P. A. 1931, be fixed at and determined at, the sum of One Hundred Twenty-eight Thousand Two Hundred Ninety-three (\$128,293.00) Dollars, to be expended in accordance with the following estimates to-wit:--

Snow removal for wheel traffic, snow fencing, sanding and winter maintenance on 498 miles	\$ 42,880.00
Maintenance of roadbed, road grade, culverts, bridges and ditches on all roads, in- cluding streets and alleys in unincorporated villages adopted because of the McNitt Law (1166 miles).	71,126.00
Calcium chloride treatments (42 miles)	6,300.00
Compensation insurance on employees	1,350.00
Proportional share warehousing equipment, etc.	6,637.00
	<u>\$ 128,293.00</u>

AND WHEREAS there is to be received from the distribution of funds under said Act 130 P.A. 1931, the sum of \$69,538.35, which is to be used for paying for part of such maintenance, and that there will be additional money received by the county for aid in plowing snow, which is not certain in amount, but which we estimate at \$10,054.65, making an estimated total of \$79,593.00 to be received for providing maintenance on these highways and that therefor there are insufficient funds available for proper maintenance of these roads, as follows:

Needed for proper maintenance of McNitt Highways	\$ 128,293.00
To be received from mentioned source	<u>79,592.00</u>
Amount to be raised by taxation to make up deficiency	\$ 48,700.00

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THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the amount of money to be raised by taxation pursuant to Section 10, Act 130 P. A. Michigan 1931, and in addition to the monies raised for general county road purposes which is raised pursuant to Act 283 P. A. 1909 as amended, be fixed at and determined at the sum of Forty-eight Thousand Seven Hundred (\$48,700.00) Dollars, such sum to be spread on the assessment rolls of the cities and townships of the county, and when collected to be credited to the County Road Fund for use in the maintenance of roads adopted into the County Road System because of the provisions of Act 130 P. A. 1931."

Yours respectfully,

Board of County Road Commissioners,
Marquette County, Michigan,

By P. B. Spear, Chairman.

BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS

Ishpeming, Mich., Sept. 14, 1937.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:--At a meeting of the Board of County Road Commissioners of Marquette County, Michigan, held September 14, 1937, the following resolution was adopted:

"RESOLVED, by the Board of County Road Commissioners of Marquette County, Michigan, that it be and is hereby determined that the amount of tax to be raised in the County Road Fund, in this County, for the year Nineteen Hundred Thirty-seven, and spread on the assessment rolls of the Townships and Cities of the County, for said year, be and the same is fixed at and determined at the sum of Thirty-four Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy-three (\$34,773.00) Dollars, such sum being three-fourths of one dollar on each One Thousand Dollars of assessed valuation according to the assessment rolls of this County, for the last preceding year, such sum being the amount to be raised for County Road purposes as is provided in Act 283, Public Acts of Michigan 1909, as amended, and to be expended in accordance with the following estimate, to-wit:

Administration, maintenance and betterments on roads
in the County Road System \$34,773.00"

Board of County Road Commissioners of
Marquette County, Michigan.

By P. B. Spear, Chairman.

BOARD OF COUNTY PARK TRUSTEES

Ishpeming, Mich., Sept. 14, 1937.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-- At a meeting of the County Park Trustees of Marquette County, Michigan, held September 14th, 1937, the following resolution was adopted:

"RESOLVED, that the County Park Trustees of Marquette County, Michigan, do hereby determine that there is necessary for County Park purposes in the County for the next year the sum of Twelve Thousand Seven Hundred Forty-three Dollars and Seventy-five Cents (\$12,743.75) being twenty-five cents on each One Thousand Dollars of assessed valuation according to the assessment rolls of the County, such sum to be expended in accordance with the following estimate, to-wit:

Administration, maintenance and betterments of
County Parks and Airports \$12,743.75"

Board of County Park Trustees, Marquette
County, Michigan.

By P. B. Spear, Chairman.

Board of County Road Commissioners

COUNTY COMMISSIONER OF SCHOOLS

Marquette, Mich., Sept. 2, 1937.

Mr. C. J. Stakel,
Budget and Executive Committee,
Marquette, Michigan.

Dear Mr. Stakel:--In response to your suggestion, I am sending the attached statement showing the proposed budget for this office for the year 1937-38.

I have given the items appearing therein very careful thought and consideration. I believe the budget as proposed provides for only a minimum program. I am hoping that funds will be available some day for an enlarged and improved county educational program.

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I should greatly appreciate an opportunity to discuss this budget with you and with our County Educational Committee before it is presented to the County Budget and Executive Committee.

Very sincerely yours,
Stanley Williams.
County Commissioner of Schools.

PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1937-38
- County Commissioner of Schools-

	Last Budget Submitted for 1937-38	Requested Budget
Personal Service:		
Salary-School Commissioner	\$3,240.00	\$3,000.00
Salary-Secretary	1,200.00	1,080.00
Special Clerical Help	40.00	. . . . .
Office Supplies:		
Stationery, Stencils & Misc. Supplies	200.00	200.00
Telephone and Telegraph	125.00	125.00
New Office Equipment . . . . .	. . . . .	130.00
Instructional Supplies:		
Attendance Reports, Child Accounting forms, Report Cards, etc.	320.00	300.00
Standardized Testing Program Supplies . . . . .	. . . . .	100.00
Magazines and Pro- fessional Books.	20.00	20.00
"The School News" (6 issues)	100.00	200.00
Achievement Day Supplies:		
Diplomas, Honor Award Pins, Programs, etc.	55.00	60.00
Expense Accounts:		
Mileage and Traveling Expense	550.00	500.00
Meals en route	25.00	. . . . .
Special Meetings	60.00	60.00
Census Enumeration	505.00	. . . . .
Enforcement at Attendance Laws	30.00	25.00
Services of a Deputy Sheriff when needed . . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .
	\$6,470.00	\$5,800.00

PROBATE COURT
MARQUETTE COUNTY, MICHIGAN

Marquette, Mich., Sept. 9, 1937.

Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-- In accordance with the established policy of your honorable body, I submit herewith the following proposed budget for the office of Judge of Probate covering the period of the fiscal year ending August 31st, 1938.

The current business of the court and recently enacted legislation necessitates an increased allowance for clerk hire; wherefore the proposed budget allots \$800.00 to meet this situation. This fund is to be drawn upon the basis of not more than \$15.60 each week, or permitting the employment of a competent and experienced clerk not more than four days a week at sixty cents per hour.

The proposed budget also includes an item of \$300.00 for equipment. This sum will be appropriated for the purchase of additional document filing sections. At the present time we have only sufficient space to carry the court files for not more than the next four or five months. The cost price of the purchase of this equipment has not been to date ascertained. However, in comparison to the court's prior purchase of similar filing sections, the allotment of this sum should be sufficient to cover the necessary additions.

The other items included in the budget are substantially the same, with the exception of a few instances, as shown in the County Clerk's report for the preceding fiscal year.

Probate Judge	\$3,450.00
Salary Probate Register	1,500.00
Special Clerk Hire	800.00
Stationery and Office Supplies	571.36
Printing and Binding	150.00
Equipment	300.00
Telephone and Telegrams	86.52
	\$6,857.88

Respectfully submitted,
Michael J. Khoury, Probate Judge.

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Applications for appropriation from Starr Commonwealth for Boys, The Michigan Children's Aid Society-U.P. Branch, The Marquette County Historical Society, Good Will Farm and Upper Peninsula Development Bureau of Michigan were received and upon motion of Supervisor Dobson, supported by Supervisor Stakel, were referred to the Finance and Taxation Committee and the Prosecuting Attorney.

Mr. F. B. Spear addressed the Board on behalf of the Marquette County Historical Society, and gave pertinent remarks about financial condition and plans for the future.

Mr. George E. Bishop, Sec.-Mgr. of the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau, also addressed the Board and asked for their continued co-operation as in the past.

✓ A communication from K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent of the Marquette County Road Commission, with copy of an agreement between the Oliver Iron Mining Company and County of Marquette, granting an easement to make possible the consummation of a proposed W.P.A. project, was presented to the Board. On motion of Supervisor Gribble, supported by Supervisor Dobson, it was referred to the Prosecuting Attorney.

✓ A communication from the Marquette County Road Commission with attached release of claim signed by Mrs. Quantz and her husband, was read. The claim was settled by the Marquette County Road Commission and the Prosecuting Attorney for the sum of \$100.00. Mrs. Quantz was injured by part of a snow fence post left in the ground in some unknown manner. The Road Commission admitted no legal obligation but said there was a moral obligation since the Quantz' gave permission to erect the snow fence on their property. Supervisor Dobson moved approval of the report. Supported by Supervisor Mackey and carried.

✓ The following communication from the Marquette County Road Commission with the attached letter from L. B. Reid, Director of Finance of the State Highway Department, were read.

Board of County Road Commissioners

Ishpeming, Mich., Oct. 8, 1937.

Mr. Lloyd LeVasseur, County Clerk,
Marquette, Michigan.

Dear Sir:--I am attaching herewith copy of a letter received from the State Highway Department in the matter of the monies awarded for the year 1936 to the County Road Commission, which are the same monies claimed by the Cities in their claims.

There is also attached, copies of the correspondence leading up to this and you will note the allegation of the Highway Department as to the intent, is incorrectly stated.

I would thank you if you would call these matters to the attention of the Board at their next meeting.

Yours truly,
K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent.

State of Michigan
Highway Department

Lansing, Mich., Sept. 27, 1937.

Mr. K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent,
Marquette County Road Commission,
Ishpeming, Michigan.

Dear Mr. Sawyer:--Your letter of August 4 advised us that you did not intend to make an adjustment with the cities in your county for the year 1936 covering your use of funds under the so-called McNitt Priority in the Weight and Gas Tax Laws.

In view of the Attorney General's opinion, holding that the use of funds under Sub-section 4 of Section 34, Act 7, P. A. 1934, and Sub-section 4 of Section 19, Act 8, P. A. 1934, was illegal for 1936 and subsequent years, and in view of a decision handed down in Dickinson County, which held that the County was not entitled to use funds under these sub-sections, we wish to advise you that it will not be possible to approve further payments to you under Acts 7 and 8, P.A. 1934, until the payments to the cities have been adjusted.

We regret the necessity for this action, as this Department has nothing to gain by withholding your funds. However, the laws have placed the responsibility of seeing that the Weight and Gas Tax funds are legally expended on this Department, and no other procedure is open to us.

Very truly yours,
L. B. Reid,
Director of Finance.

After remarks by K. I. Sawyer, stressing the importance of Mr. Reid's letter, and discussion by the Prosecuting Attorney and Supervisor Nicholas, Mr. Sawyer drew up the following petition. Supervisor Nicholas moved that the Board concur in the above request. Supported by Supervisor Perring and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing,

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Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and VanRiper--38.

Nays: None.

To the Board of Supervisors:

In the matter of communication from L. B. Reid referring to monies apportioned for the years 1936 and 1937, I ask in the name of the County Road Commission that the matter be referred to the County Road Commission, the Committee on County Roads and Bridges and the Prosecuting Attorney with power to act.

Yours truly,

K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent.

The following communication was read, and on motion of Supervisor Perkins, supported by Supervisor Anderson, the present supervisors were appointed as directors for a term of three years.

MARQUETTE COUNTY FAIR

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Lloyd LeVasseur, County Clerk.

Dear Sir:-- I beg to advise you that the term of office of the following members of the Board of Directors of The Marquette County Agricultural Society expire with the year 1937.

Thomas Gribble--Ishpeming City.
Edlore Patient--Wells Township.
E. W. Whinnen--Republic Township.
Andrew Hemmila--Negaunee Township.
E. J. St. Onge--Ely Township.
Nicholas Blake--Ewing Township.
Charles Koski--Humboldt Township.
William Jory--Forsyth Township.

These Directors are elected for a term of three years and are replaced by the present incumbent on the Board of Supervisors from their respective Townships or Cities.

Will you kindly advise me of the action taken by the Board of Supervisors.

Yours very truly,

Marquette County Agricultural Society.

M. C. Spencer, Sec'y.

It was moved by Supervisor Stakel, supported by Supervisor Nardi, that the regular Rules of Order be suspended to enable the Budget & Executive Committee to report before the Finance and Taxation Committee.

Supervisor Perkins moved that the Budget and Executive Committee recess for fifteen minutes to enable the Salary Committee, consisting of Chairman Perkins, Supervisor Nicholas and Supervisor Stakel, to report to the Budget and Executive Committee. Supported by Supervisor Nightingale.

Supervisor Stakel addressed the Board and gave recommendations of raises in salaries of stenographers for ensuing year which were referred to the Finance and Taxation Committee.

The Secretary of the Budget and Executive Committee then read the complete report of the Budget and Executive Committee's recommendation, which upon motion of Supervisor Stakel, supported by Supervisor Dobson, was referred to the Finance and Taxation Committee.

On motion of Supervisor Stakel, supported by Supervisor Price, the rejected tax list was referred to the Finance and Taxation Committee.

At this juncture the Prosecuting Attorney reported the agreement between the Oliver Iron Mining Company and Marquette County was O.K. as to legal form. Supervisor Gribble moved for the adoption of the resolution and its execution by the Chairman and the Clerk of the Board. Supported by Supervisor Muck and carried.

Sheriff Hansen addressed the Board requesting screening for the lower five windows on the Jail proper to eliminate articles being brought into the Jail without the knowledge of the officers. Supervisor Mongrain moved the request be referred to the Buildings and Grounds Committee. Supported by Supervisor Jernstad and carried.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and on motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Wiseman, was adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

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Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St.Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and VanRiper---38.

Nays: None.

The following resolution submitted by the Morgan Heights Contact Committee was read. Supervisor Nicholas moved that the resolution be spread upon the minutes of the meeting in its entirety. Supported by Supervisor St.Onge and carried.

Morgan Heights Contact Committee.

September 30, 1937.

Board of Supervisors, Marquette, Mich.
Gentlemen:

WHEREAS, The Fifty-ninth Legislature of the State of Michigan at its regular session of 1937 enacted legislation pertaining to the hospitalization and treatment of persons afflicted with tuberculosis which was a decided advance on this very important State activity, and

WHEREAS, a citizen of Marquette County and former supervisor, in his capacity as State Representative from this district, in the person of Charles F. Sundstrom, of Michigamme, Michigan, was instrumental in initiating and carrying through to enactment legislation pertaining to tuberculosis at the last session of our State Legislature which is a tremendous help to this county and every other county in this state engaged in tuberculosis work,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County spread upon the records its grateful appreciation of this fine piece of work and its commendation for Mr. Sundstrom's splendid and untiring efforts in this undertaking,

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to Mr. Sundstrom and to the Boards of Supervisors of other counties in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan.

John Ghiardi,
P. R. Perring,
Irving Mitchell,
Matt Annala,
Isadore Goulette,
Swande S. Erkkila.

The following report was read, and Supervisor Nicholas moved that it also be spread upon the minutes of the meeting as read. Supported by Supervisor Nardi and carried.

Morgan Heights Contact Committee

October 9, 1937.

To the Board of Supervisors of
Marquette County:

Your Morgan Heights Sanatorium Contact Committee hereby reports that during the past year, it has kept in touch with the affairs of the Sanatorium in various ways and that at a meeting of the Contact Committee held at the Sanatorium on September 28th, a thorough inspection of the institution was conducted and its affairs gone into in considerable detail.

Your Contact Committee reports to you that in its opinion the affairs of the institution are managed in an efficient and economical manner and it believes the thanks of the Board of Supervisors are due to the Board of Trustees of Morgan Heights Sanatorium. The Committee further reports that it is thoroughly satisfied with the management of the institution under the direction of Superintendent Robert F. Berry, M.D., and believes him to be a capable executive and a skilled surgeon. His ability as a surgeon is of particular benefit to the work carried on by the Sanatorium and it means that such skilled treatment is now available to the people of Marquette County who are afflicted with Tuberculosis; previously, it had been necessary to call in outside aid or send the patients to Ann Arbor.

We found the institution on the occasion of our inspection to be in excellent shape, both within the buildings and outside the same. Considerable improvements during the past year have been made in the grounds.

John Ghiardi,
P. R. Perring,
Irving Mitchell,
Matt Annala,
Isadore Goulette,
Swande S. Erkkila.

The monthly report of County Jail Physician and Morgan Heights Sanatorium were read and ordered filed by the Chair.

The following resolution was read, and on motion of Supervisor Perring, supported by Supervisor St.Onge, was unanimously adopted.

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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Children's Fund of Michigan established in Marquette County, for a twelve-week period during the past summer, the Marquette County Dental Clinic under the direction of Dr. M. H. McConnell of Detroit, who rendered excellent service, AND WHEREAS, The work done by Dr. McConnell has been of benefit to 766 children in the County of Marquette, AND WHEREAS, The educational value of this type of work means a great deal to the future health of the people of Marquette County, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the County Board of Supervisors, at their Annual Meeting on October 11, express its appreciation and sincere thanks to the Children's Fund of Michigan for the valuable services rendered, AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the County Commissioner of Schools be instructed to use his efforts in continuing the Dental Clinic in Marquette County next summer.

Stanley Williams,
E. G. Muck,
Axel O. Anderson,
Chas. J. Stakel,
Allan Swanson,
Education Committee.

Supervisor Stakel moved that the Finance and Taxation Committee adjourn until 1:30 o'clock p.m. and the rest of the Board until 2:15 o'clock p.m. Supported by Supervisor Mongrain and carried.

Upon reconvening the following report of the Finance and Taxation Committee was read. Supervisor Stakel moved its adoption. Supported by Supervisor St. Onge and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and VanRiper--38.

Nays: None.

Marquette, Mich., Oct. 11, 1937.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:--Your Committee on Finance and Taxation having had under consideration the various taxes of 1935, and prior years, charged back and rejected by the Auditor General, respectfully recommend that the same be charged up to the several cities and townships in which the lands lie, and that the same be entered in a separate column on the respective assessment rolls as "Rejected Taxes."

Chas. J. Stakel, Chairman,
Finance and Taxation Committee.

OFFICE OF COUNTY TREASURER, MARQUETTE COUNTY
Rejected Taxes Charged Back by Auditor General as of June 30, 1937.

	Int.on State Tax	Expense	State Tax	County Tax	Debt Service	Road Tax	County Township	Total State County Chgd. Twp. Taxes	Grand Totals
City of Ishpeming-----	\$. . .	\$. . .	\$. . .	\$11.15	\$.61	\$1.23	\$12.99	\$38.66	\$51.65
City of Marquette-----	.48	. . .	1.18	8.53	.45	1.04	11.68	25.35	37.03
Chocolay Township-----	.80	. . .	.94	28.49	1.51	4.25	35.99	32.15	68.14
Ely Township-----	.01	. . .	.41	32.41	2.53	3.51	38.87	50.75	89.62
Ewing Township-----	. . .	. . .	. . .	4.08	.24	.48	4.80	4.50	9.30
Forsyth Township-----	.26	. . .	5.25	27.43	.94	5.58	39.46	58.46	97.92
Humboldt Township-----	. . .	. . .	. . .	3.74	.20	.41	4.35	7.28	11.63
Ishpeming Township-----	. . .	. . .	. . .	3.23	.19	.37	3.79	4.60	8.39
Marquette Township-----	. . .	. . .	. . .	.34	.02	.04	.40	.29	.69
Negaunee Township-----	. . .	. . .	. . .	11.48	.65	1.26	13.39	31.49	44.88
Powell Township-----	. . .	. . .	.04	1.16	.12	.13	1.45	1.39	2.84
Republic Township-----	5.69	4.00	7.53	29.37	.90	8.08	55.57	129.15	184.72
Richmond Township-----	. . .	. . .	. . .	17.11	.93	1.90	19.94	60.80	80.74
Sands Township-----	1.66	. . .	4.91	9.95	. . .	3.66	20.18	41.33	61.51
Skandia Township-----	. . .	. . .	. . .	2.04	.11	.22	2.37	2.24	4.61
Tilden Township-----	.07	. . .	1.47	39.99	4.82	4.00	50.35	114.36	164.71
Turin Township-----	.02	. . .	.41	11.68	1.38	1.19	14.68	14.56	29.24
Wells Township-----	.20	. . .	.62	4.51	.18	.77	6.28	9.38	15.66
West Branch Township--	. . .	. . .	. . .	4.12	.22	.45	4.79	7.97	12.76
	\$9.19	\$4.00	\$22.76	\$250.81	\$16.00	\$38.57	\$341.33	\$634.71	\$976.04

The following report of the Finance and Taxation Committee was presented, and Supervisor Stakel moved for its adoption. Supported by Supervisor Richards and adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell,

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Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St.Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and VanRiper--38.

Nays: None.

TAXES TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:--Your Committee on Finance and Taxation, having had the matter under consideration, would respectfully recommend that there be raised by taxation the current year, the following amounts for the purpose herein set forth:

State Tax			\$
County Road Tax		83,598.05	
County Debt Service		14,196.68	
County Tax		331,333.74	
Poor Fund.	\$	***	
Morgan Heights Sanatorium Fund		42,000.00	
Aid for Dependent Children--Act 228 P.A.1913.		***	
State Institutions and Public Charges Fund.		***	
County Parks and Airports.		11,000.00	
Marquette County Agricultural Society.		6,000.00	
Fair.	\$	4,500.00	
Buildings and Grounds		1,500.00	
Soldiers' Temporary Relief Fund		400.00	
General Fund.		271,933.74	
Circuit Court		7,600.00	
Justice Court		2,750.00	
Judge of Probate		6,200.00	
Register of Deeds.		5,600.00	
Prosecuting Attorney		5,500.00	
Sheriff		5,000.00	
County Clerk		7,000.00	
County Treasurer.		8,600.00	
School Commissioner.		5,100.00	
Coroners		2,500.00	
Mine Inspector.		2,300.00	
Public Elections.		500.00	
Public Statistics.		400.00	
Agricultural Agent.		1,600.00	
County Physician.		850.00	
Poor Commissioners, salaries & expenses.		***	
Bd. of Supervisors, mileage, services, etc.		7,000.00	
Court House--operating and repairs.		6,500.00	
Jail, operating and repairs.		14,000.00	
County Poor Farm--repairs & renewals.		1,000.00	
Contagious Diseases.		3,000.00	
Compensation Insurance Premiums.		625.00	
Fire Insurance Premiums.			
Tax Commission.		200.00	
Township Treasurers' Bonds.		675.00	
Postage and Box Rent.		1,400.00	
***Welfare & Relief (Poor Fund, etc., etc.)		165,200.00	
Miscellaneous Contingencies.		7,033.74	
Special Appropriations--			
Holy Family Orphanage		500.00	
Michigan Hospital School			
Good Will Farm		300.00	
Michigan Children's Aid Society.		300.00	
Marquette County Historical Society		100.00	
Upper Peninsula Development Bureau.		1,000.00	
Marquette Co. Chapter, Amer. Red Cross.		1,600.00	
Total Taxes			\$429,128.47

The same to be apportioned as follows:

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	County Tax	County Road Tax	Co. Debt Service Tax	Total
City of Ishpeming.	\$ 69,081.48	\$ 17,429.79	\$ 2,959.93	\$ 89,471.20
City of Marquette.	58,922.50	14,866.60	2,524.66	76,313.76
City of Negaunee	90,043.36	22,718.63	3,858.11	116,620.10
Townships--				
Champion.	6,719.58	1,695.40	287.91	8,702.89
Chocoday.	2,022.22	510.22	86.65	2,619.09
Ely.	23,194.60	5,852.17	993.82	30,040.59
Ewing.	700.96	176.86	30.03	907.85
Forsyth.	9,401.56	2,372.09	402.83	12,176.48
Humboldt.	2,992.76	755.10	128.23	3,876.09
Ishpeming.	15,682.29	3,956.76	671.94	20,310.99
Marquette.	4,381.72	1,105.54	187.74	5,675.00
Michigamme.	4,459.13	1,125.07	191.06	5,775.26
Negaunee.	3,014.47	760.58	129.16	3,904.21
Powell	10,705.37	2,701.05	458.69	13,865.11
Republic	3,384.68	853.98	145.03	4,383.69
Richmond.	3,406.30	859.43	145.95	4,411.68
Sands.	1,614.02	407.23	69.15	2,090.40
Skandia.	2,311.30	583.16	99.03	2,993.49
Tilden	13,525.07	3,412.48	579.51	17,517.06
Turin	1,961.70	494.95	84.05	2,540.70
Wells	2,071.22	522.59	88.76	2,682.57
West Branch.	1,737.45	438.37	74.44	2,250.26
Total	\$331,333.74	\$ 83,598.05	\$ 14,196.68	\$429,128.47

Chas. J. Stakel, Chairman,
Finance and Taxation Committee.

✓ The following report of the Finance and Taxation Committee was presented. Supervisor Stakel moved it be adopted. Supported by Supervisor Price, and adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and VanRiper--38.

Nays: None.

Marquette, Mich., Oct. 11, 1937.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:--Your Committee on Finance and Taxation recommend that the following increases in salaries for stenographers and clerk hire, be recommended for the various departments mentioned below, the salary increase to be effective as of November 1st, 1937.

-County Clerk's Office-

Mildred M. Johnson, Deputy County Clerk, from \$110.00 to \$115.00 per month.
Elizabeth N. Wiseman, Stenographer, from \$90.00 to \$95.00 per month.

-County Treasurer's Office-

Elsie Storstrang, Stenographer, from \$75.00 to \$80.00 per month.

-Register of Deeds' Office-

Margaret M. Reichel, Deputy Register of Deeds, from \$110.00 to \$115.00 per month.
Ella Froling, Clerk, from \$55.00 to \$60.00 per month.

-School Commissioner's Office-

Ruth C. Johnson, Stenographer, from \$75.00 to \$82.50 per month.

-Prosecuting Attorney's Office-

For Clerk Hire, \$1,000 extra per year at the rate of \$83.33 per month.

Chas. J. Stakel, Chairman,
Finance and Taxation Committee.

✓ The following report of the Finance and Taxation Committee was read, and it was moved by Supervisor Stakel, supported by Supervisor Nardi, that the taxes be decreed and apportioned according to said report. The report was adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Anderson, Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and VanRiper--38.

Nays: None.

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Marquette, Mich., Oct. 11, 1937.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:--Your Committee on Finance and Taxation after considering the various County Taxes to be apportioned to the different political sub divisions in the County, and after having examined the Tax Statements of the various cities and townships, recommend that the following taxes be decreed and apportioned to the various political sub divisions according to the following report.

Chas. J. Stakel, Chairman.
Finance and Taxation Committee.

MARQUETTE COUNTY
RESUME OF CITY AND TOWNSHIP
TAXES--1937-1938

City of Ishpeming
Valuation: \$10,627,920.00

	Taxes
County Tax	\$ 69,081.48
County Road Tax	17,429.79
County Debt Service Tax	2,959.93
City Contingent Fund Tax	44,400.00
City Debt Service Tax	16,235.00
School Tax	71,844.74
School Debt Service Tax	24,875.00
Highway Tax	79,700.00
Library Fund Tax	9,700.00
Fire Fund Tax	10,400.00
Sewer Fund Tax	4,100.00
Cemetery Fund Tax	5,100.00
Water Fund Tax	6,000.00
TOTAL TAXES	\$361,825.94
Rejected County Tax	12.99
Rejected City & School Tax	38.66
GRAND TOTAL	\$361,877.59

City of Marquette
Valuation: \$9,065,000.00

County Tax	\$ 58,922.50
County Road Tax	14,866.60
County Debt Service Tax	2,524.66
City Contingent Tax	40,275.00
School Tax	73,000.00
School Debt Service Tax	27,000.00
Library Fund Tax	13,597.00
Excess of Roll	53.47
TOTAL TAXES	\$230,239.23
Rejected County Tax	11.68
Rejected City & School Tax	25.35
GRAND TOTAL	\$230,276.26

City of Negaunee
Valuation: \$13,852,825.00

County Tax	\$ 90,043.36
County Road Tax	22,718.63
County Debt Service Tax	3,858.11
City Contingent Tax	53,600.00
City Debt Service Tax	79,000.00
School Tax	120,672.90
School Debt Service Tax	8,160.00
Street and Highway Tax	69,000.00
Fire Fund Tax	13,800.00
Library Fund Tax	5,300.00
Sewer Fund Tax	3,000.00
Water Fund Tax	11,000.00
Cemetery Fund Tax	11,300.00
TOTAL TAXES	\$ 491,453.00
Rejected County Tax
Rejected City & School Tax
GRAND TOTAL	\$ 491,453.00

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Champion Township
Valuation: \$1,033,780.00

County Tax	\$ 6,719.58
County Road Tax	1,695.40
County Debt Service Tax	287.91
Twp. Contingent Fund Tax	2,584.45
Township Debt Service Tax	975.00
School Tax	<u>11,371.58</u>

TOTAL TAXES \$ 23,633.92

Rejected County Tax . . . . .	. . . . .
Rejected Twp. & School Tax	<u>.</u>

GRAND TOTAL \$ 23,633.92

Chocolay Township
Valuation: \$311,110.00

County Tax	\$ 2,022.22
County Road Tax	510.22
County Debt Service Tax	86.65
Township Tax . . . . .	. . . . .
School Tax	<u>2,134.21</u>

TOTAL TAXES \$ 4,753.30

Rejected County Tax	35.99
Rejected Twp. & School Tax	<u>32.15</u>

GRAND TOTAL \$ 4,821.44

Ely Township
Valuation: \$3,568,400.00

County Tax	\$ 23,194.60
County Road Tax	5,852.17
County Debt Service Tax	993.82
Township Contingent Tax	3,568.40
Township Debt Service Tax	5,000.00
School Tax	14,273.60
School Debt Service Tax	<u>3,350.00</u>

TOTAL TAXES \$ 56,232.59

Rejected County Tax	38.87
Rejected Twp. & School Tax	<u>50.75</u>

GRAND TOTAL \$ 56,322.21

Ewing Township
Valuation: \$107,840.00

County Tax	700.96
County Road Tax	176.86
County Debt Service Tax	30.03
Township Tax (Contingent)	308.42
School Tax	<u>431.36</u>

TOTAL TAXES \$ 1,647.63

Rejected County Tax	4.80
Rejected Twp. & School Tax	<u>4.50</u>

GRAND TOTAL \$ 1,656.93

Forsyth Township
Valuation: \$1,446,395.00

County Tax	\$ 9,401.56
County Road Tax	2,372.09
County Debt Service Tax	402.83
Township Contingent Tax	3,615.98
Township Debt Service Tax	800.00
School Tax	6,306.28
School Debt Service Tax	<u>3,704.48</u>

TOTAL TAXES \$ 26,603.22

Rejected County Tax	39.46
Rejected Twp. & School Tax	<u>58.46</u>

GRAND TOTAL \$ 26,701.14

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Humboldt Township
Valuation: \$460,425.00

County Tax	\$ 2,992.76
County Road Tax	755.10
County Debt Service Tax	128.23
Township Contingent Tax	1,892.35
School Tax	1,266.16
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TOTAL TAXES	\$ 7,034.60
Rejected County Tax	4.35
Rejected Twp. & School Tax	7.28
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GRAND TOTAL	\$ 7,046.23

Ishpeming Township
Valuation: \$2,412,660.00

County Tax	\$ 15,682.29
County Road Tax	3,956.76
County Debt Service Tax	671.94
Township Contingent Tax	2,412.66
Township Debt Service Tax	1,100.00
School Tax	14,138.18
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TOTAL TAXES	\$ 37,961.83
Rejected County Tax	3.79
Rejected Twp. & School Tax	4.60
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GRAND TOTAL	\$ 37,970.22

Marquette Township
Valuation: \$674,110.00

County Tax	\$ 4,381.72
County Road Tax	1,105.54
County Debt Service Tax	187.74
Township Contingent Tax	842.63
School Tax	3,539.08
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TOTAL TAXES	\$ 10,056.71
Rejected County Tax40
Rejected Twp. & School Tax29
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GRAND TOTAL	\$ 10,057.40

Michigamme Township
Valuation: \$686,020.00

County Tax	\$ 4,459.13
County Road Tax	1,125.07
County Debt Service Tax	191.06
Township Contingent Tax	3,667.72
School Tax	10,667.72
Fire Fund Tax	500.00
Lighting Fund Tax	1,400.00
New Town Hall	2,000.00
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TOTAL TAXES	\$ 24,010.70
Rejected County Tax
Rejected Twp. & School Tax
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GRAND TOTAL	\$ 24,010.70

Negaunee Township
Valuation: \$463,765.00

County Tax	\$ 3,014.47
County Road Tax	760.58
County Debt Service Tax	129.16
Township Contingent Tax	1,326.37
Township Debt Service Tax	300.00
School Tax	6,492.71
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TOTAL TAXES	\$ 12,023.29
Rejected County Tax	13.39
Rejected Twp. & School Tax	31.49
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GRAND TOTAL	\$ 12,068.17

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Powell Township
Valuation: \$1,646,980.00

County Tax	\$ 10,705.37
County Road Tax	2,701.05
County Debt Service Tax	458.69
Township Contingent Tax	6,191.46
Township Debt Service Tax	7,177.00
School Tax	9,000.00
School Debt Service Tax	<u>9,000.00</u>
TOTAL TAXES	\$ 36,233.57
Rejected County Tax	1.45
Rejected Twp. & School Tax	<u>1.39</u>
GRAND TOTAL	\$ 36,236.41

Republic Township
Valuation: \$520,720.00

County Tax	\$ 3,384.68
County Road Tax	853.98
County Debt Service Tax	145.03
Township Contingent Tax	1,301.80
Township Debt Service Tax	1,850.00
School Tax	2,270.40
School Debt Service Tax	<u>2,200.00</u>
TOTAL TAXES	\$ 12,005.89
Rejected County Tax	55.57
Rejected Twp. & School Tax	<u>129.15</u>
GRAND TOTAL	\$ 12,190.61

Richmond Township
Valuation: \$524,046.00

County Tax	\$ 3,406.30
County Road Tax	859.43
County Debt Service Tax	145.95
Township Contingent Tax	1,048.09
Township Debt Service Tax	1,620.00
School Tax	2,546.86
School Debt Service Tax	<u>5,250.00</u>
TOTAL TAXES	\$ 14,876.63
Rejected County Tax	19.94
Rejected Twp. & School Tax	<u>60.80</u>
GRAND TOTAL	\$ 14,957.37

Sands Township
Valuation: \$248,310.00

County Tax	\$ 1,614.02
County Road Tax	407.23
County Debt Service Tax	69.15
Township Contingent Tax	1,420.70
School Tax	<u>1,455.10</u>
TOTAL TAXES	\$ 4,966.20
Rejected County Tax	20.18
Rejected Twp. & School Tax	<u>41.33</u>
GRAND TOTAL	\$ 5,027.71

Skandia Township
Valuation: \$355,585.00

County Tax	\$ 2,311.30
County Road Tax	583.16
County Debt Service Tax	99.03
Township Contingent Tax	800.06
School Tax	<u>1,639.25</u>
TOTAL TAXES	\$ 5,432.80
Rejected County	2.37
Rejected Twp. & School Tax	<u>2.24</u>
GRAND TOTAL	\$ 4,437.41

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Tilden Township
Valuation: \$2,080,780.00

County Tax	\$ 13,525.07
County Road Tax	3,412.48
County Debt Service Tax	579.51
Township Tax (Contingent)	2,080.78
Township Debt Service Tax	1,460.46
School Tax	12,193.37
School Debt Service Tax	13,000.00

TOTAL TAXES. \$ 46,251.67

Rejected County Tax	50.35
Rejected Twp. & School Tax.	114.36

GRAND TOTAL. \$ 46,416.38

Turin Township
Valuation: \$301,800.00

County Tax	\$ 1,961.70
County Road Tax.	494.95
County Debt Service Tax.	84.05
Township Contingent Tax.	754.50
Township Debt Service Tax.	4.333.85
School Tax.	

TOTAL TAXES. \$ 7,629.05

Rejected County Tax	14.68
Rejected Twp. & School Tax.	14.56

GRAND TOTAL. \$ 7,658.29

Wells Township
Valuation: \$318,650.00

County Tax.	\$ 2,071.22
County Road Tax	522.59
County Debt Service Tax	88.76
Township Contingent Tax	637.30
School Tax.	1,548.64

TOTAL TAXES. \$ 4,868.51

Rejected County Tax	6.28
Rejected Twp. & School Tax.	9.38

GRAND TOTAL. \$ 4,884.17

West Branch Township
Valuation: \$267,300.00

County Tax.	\$ 1,737.45
County Road Tax	438.37
County Debt Service Tax	74.44
Township Contingent Tax	534.60
School Tax.	1,299.08

TOTAL TAXES \$ 4,083.94

Rejected County Tax	4.79
Rejected Twp. & School Tax	7.97

GRAND TOTAL. \$ 4,096.70

Supervisor Perring moved that the reading of the detailed annual reports of the County government offices be dispensed with as it would take too long a time to accomplish. Supported by Supervisor Wiseman and carried.

Supervisor Nicholas moved that the Annual reports be printed in their entirety. Supported by Supervisor Nardi and carried.

The following Annual Reports were read in part and ordered filed.

COUNTY CLERK'S REPORT
Expenses classified for the year ending August 31, 1937.
CIRCUIT COURT

Salary--Circuit Judge.	\$ 1,500.00
Salary--Court Stenographer.	892.30
Salary--Probation Officer.	300.00
Services--Circuit Judge, 12th District	50.00
Extra Stenographer's services.	8.30
Court Stenographer's expenses.	321.13
Attorney fees, Interpreter, etc.	90.00
Officers fees-attending Court.	64.50
Officers fees-summoning Jurors.	2.60
Meals for Jurors	52.50
Law books, printing and supplies	247.82

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County Clerk's Report - Circuit Court Continued:

Witness fees	\$ 246.80
Jurors' fees	2,967.35
Examination--Criminal cases.	252.75
Dues, Bar Library Association.	50.00
Telephone	2.00
Miscellaneous . . . . .	.83

Total \$ 7,048.88

JUSTICE COURT

Justice fees.	\$ 2,163.40
Jurors' fees.	84.00
Witness fees.	187.20
Stenographer's services	86.00
Medical examinations-drunken drivers.	34.00

Total \$ 2,554.60

COUNTY OFFICERS

LAW DEPARTMENT

Salary-Prosecuting Attorney.	\$ 3,041.62
Salary-Clerk (Sept. 1st to Dec. 31, 1936.	360.00
Traveling expenses	237.37
Attending Prosecuting Attorneys' Convention	40.00
Stationery and office supplies.	277.16
Telephone and telegrams.	131.97
Filing Divorce reports	180.00
Transcript from Circuit Court	5.50
Postage	14.88

Total. \$ 4,288.50

JUDGE OF PROBATE'S OFFICE

Salary--Probate Judge.	\$ 3,450.00
Salary--Probate Register	1,437.50
Extra Probate Judge's services	79.48
Special Clerk hire	629.55
Stationery and office supplies	571.36
Printing and binding	42.00
Equipment	183.00
Repairs	5.90
Freight	1.32
Telephone and telegrams	95.42

Total. \$ 6,495.53

Total Judiciary Expenses \$ 20,387.51

LEGISLATIVE

Supervisors' Regular meetings.	\$ 2,068.00
Supervisors' Special meetings.	1,284.00
Supervisors' mileage	2,433.62
Publishing Board proceedings	825.20
Clerk for Finance & Taxation Committee	70.52

Total. \$ 6,681.34

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE

Salary--County Clerk	\$ 3,833.31
Salary--Deputy County Clerk.	1,270.00
Salary--Stenographer.	1,005.00
County Clerk's bond	19.00
Stationery and office supplies.	452.85
Telephone and telegrams.	105.46
Express, freight and transfer	6.81
Repairs to equipment.	9.85

Total. \$ 6,702.28

Total Legislative. \$ 13,383.62

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FINANCE DEPARTMENT

COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICE

Salary--County Treasurer.	\$	3,175.00
Salary--Deputy County Treas.		1,375.00
Salary--Clerk.		1,065.00
Extra clerk hire.		419.45
Stationery and office supplies.		494.37
Printing and binding		162.00
County Treasurer's bond		1,662.50
Deputy Treasurer's bond		57.00
Advertising Delinquent Tax notices		68.83
Mileage-Convention and Auditor General's school.		40.61
Repairs		23.90
Telephone and telegrams.		102.60
Express and freight		2.28
Total	\$	<u>8,648.54</u>

REGISTER OF DEEDS AND ABSTRACT OFFICE

Salary--Register of Deeds.	\$	2,880.00
Salary--Deputy Register of Deeds		1,270.00
Extra Clerk hire		693.80
Register of Deeds bond		28.50
Stationery and office supplies		428.36
Printing and binding		92.00
Telephone and telegrams		64.10
Total	\$	<u>5,456.76</u>

AGRICULTURAL AGENT

Salary--Stenographer.	\$	900.00
Stationery and office supplies		16.86
Mileage		542.46
Personal expenses		62.01
Post office box rent. . . . .		.75
Telephone and telegrams		116.74
Freight and express.		6.07
Total	\$	<u>1,644.89</u>

COUNTY WELFARE AGENT

Salary--Stenographer.	\$	635.00
Extra Clerk hire		7.00
Stationery and office supplies		88.02
Telephone and telegrams		181.92
Miscellaneous.		5.40
Total	\$	<u>917.34</u>

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE BUREAU

Equipment.	\$	5.00
Telephone.		5.46
Total	\$	<u>10.46</u>

COURT HOUSE

Salary--Janitor.	\$	1,500.00
Light.		838.33
Fuel		2,103.36
Water		100.10
Boiler Insurance		59.75
Repairs to building		915.17
Furniture and fixtures		25.75
Supplies		459.95
Laundry.		21.09
Express, freight and cartage		10.79
Supplies, Court House grounds		36.60
Total	\$	<u>6,070.89</u>

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PUBLIC SAFETY
SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

Salary--Sheriff.	\$	2,416.62
Salary--Under Sheriff.		1,500.00
Stenographer's services.		16.00
Stationery and printing.		60.60
Mileage.		843.00
Miscellaneous fees		407.86
Exp.--Sheriff's convention		80.24
Telephone and telegrams.		387.26
		5,711.58
Total	\$	5,711.58

JAIL

Salary--Night Watchman.	\$	1,500.00
Salary--Deputy Sheriff.		1,500.00
Salary--Jail Physician.		499.28
Fees and expenses--Deputy Sheriffs.		2,315.17
Conveying Prisoners to Jail and Prisons.		531.93
Supplies.		840.75
Light.		288.62
Fuel.		245.97
Water		36.40
Subsistence of Prisoners.		5,530.30
Clothing and shoe repairs-Prisoners		186.74
Repairs to building		1,725.22
Laundry.		30.10
Assisting in search for lost person.		21.60
Hospitalization and professional services--Prisoners.		295.80
Express, freight and cartage.		36.87
Supplies and repairs to Spring Street residence.		3.20
		15,587.95
Total	\$	15,587.95

CORONERS FEES

Coroners fees.	\$	1,855.50
Jurors' fees at Inquest.		208.50
Witness fees at Inquest.		229.70
Examination of Dead.		481.80
Livery for Coroner		30.00
Stenographer's fees and testimony at Inquest.		152.37
Printing and supplies		9.75
X-Rays.		15.00
Shipping bodies to University		54.00
Cleaning Jury room		2.00
Telephone		1.40
Miscellaneous		8.50
		3,048.52
Total	\$	3,048.52
Total Public Safety.	\$	24,348.05

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES

Salary--County Physician.	\$	720.00
Expenses--County Physician.		56.69
Scarlet fever		1,010.11
Diphtheria		28.60
Typhoid fever.		1,137.18
Erysipelas.		177.77
Miscellaneous		1,440.09
Fuel--Emergency Hospital.		94.20
		4,664.64
Total	\$	4,664.64

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POOR COMMISSION

Salary--Poor Commissioners	\$	270.00
Expenses--Poor Commiss'ers		86.35
Telephone		116.33
New equipment--Infirmary		660.35
Improvements--Infirmary		196.91
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Total	\$	1,329.94

PUBLIC EDUCATION

Salary--School Commissioner.	\$	2,950.00
Salary--Stenographer		900.00
Stationery and office supplies		309.97
Printing and binding		50.50
Rental--Adding machine		6.00
Mileage		363.64
Supplies--Annual Round-up		36.00
Postage and box rent		3.00
Telephone and telegrams		61.93
Freight and express.		11.34
Miscellaneous		2.58
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Total	\$	4,694.96

PUBLIC ELECTION

Services--County Canvassers.	\$	144.00
Printing and supplies--Primary Election. . .		679.06
Printing and supplies--Regular Election. . .		1,369.40
Postage and express on Election supplies . .		18.40
Correction Election returns.		157.10
Clerical services and transporting ballot boxes--Recount		677.30
Transporting Election supplies.		29.44
Telephone and telegrams.		10.98
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Total	\$	3,085.68

PUBLIC MINE INSPECTOR

Salary--Mine Inspector.	\$	1,975.00
Expenses		252.42
Stationery and printing		25.00
Stenographer's services		15.00
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Total	\$	2,267.42

PUBLIC STATISTICS

Birth and death certificates paid Twp. Clerk, statutory.	\$	400.75
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TAX COMMISSION

Services--Commissioners	\$	56.00
Mileage		19.52
Clerk hire		73.00
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Total	\$	148.52

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EXTRAORDINARY

Relief Costs--Marquette Co.	
Emergency Welfare Relief	\$ 58,156.19
Postage and box rent	1,444.07
Short term tax bonds-Township Treasurers	667.33
Inventory--Court House and Jail	25.00
Land purchased for Park purposes	1,000.00
County Audit (Sept.1st to Dec.31,1936)	166.50
Board and clothing--neglected children	3,593.86
Appraisal maintenance	120.00
Supplies, rental and phone-	
U.S. Employment office	572.83
Services--Trespass Agent	275.00
Ohio Flood Relief contribution	100.00
Christmas Seals	10.00
Services--Dental Clinic	173.51
Compensation Insurance	637.15
Funeral expenses--War Veteran	75.00
Mileage--Economic committee	20.48
Expenses--Drain Commissioners' Convention	16.96
Fees and expenses due from State--	
Welfare Agent	323.10
Naturalization fees due U.S. Government	166.25
Conveying delinquent child to Institution	52.82
Attorney's services -- Delinquent Tax cases	15.00
Fees due Negaunee City Clerk -- Dog licenses	2.80
Refund Delinquent taxes	1.70
Insurance and transportation -- 4-H Club	30.00
Total	\$ 67,645.55

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

Marquette County Michigan Centennial expense	\$ 820.41
Marquette County Agricultural Society	7,000.00
Fair	\$5,000.00
Bldgs.& Grounds.	2,000.00
U.P. Development Bureau	1,000.00
Red Cross Association	1,600.00
Mich.Children's Aid Society	300.00
Good Will Farm	300.00
Holy Family Orphans Home	500.00
Marquette County Historical Society	100.00
Total	\$ 11,620.41
Total General Fund	\$ 176,725.93

SANATORIUM FUND

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1936	\$ 885.29
Appropriation	46,364.18
Receipts	24,116.22
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	\$ 71,365.69
Disbursements	70,013.33
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Transfer to Sundry Petty cash fund	100.00
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Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1937.	\$ 1,252.36

COUNTY ROAD FUND

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1936	\$ 121,652.93
Appropriation	27,568.32
Receipts	289,884.07
Transfers from Personal taxes,delinquent taxes, rejected taxes, etc.	4,324.43
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	\$ 443,429.75
Disbursements	309,149.48
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	\$ 134,280.27
Correction and refund transfers	5,750.00
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Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1937.	\$ 128,530.27

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POOR FUND

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1936.	\$	26,735.39
Appropriation		50,000.00
Receipts		3,194.50
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Disbursements	\$	79,929.89
		78,258.25
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Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1937.	\$	1,671.64

CHILDREN'S UNIT BOND AND
INTEREST FUND

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1936	\$	4,715.00
		11,500.00
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Disbursements		16,215.00
		9,200.00
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Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1937.	\$	7,015.00
Bonds outstanding--\$20,000.00		

SOLDIERS' RELIEF FUND

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1936.	\$	17.05
Appropriation		400.00
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Disbursements	\$	417.05
		370.50
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Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1937	\$	46.55

DEPENDENT CHILDREN'S FUND

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1936.	\$	6,523.00
Appropriation		25,000.00
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Disbursements	\$	31,523.00
		21,578.00
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Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1937.	\$	9,945.00

COUNTY PARKS AND AIRPORTS FUND

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1936	\$	2,136.24
Appropriation		10,000.00
Receipts		694.25
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Disbursements	\$	12,830.49
		11,996.54
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Transfer to Sundry Petty Cash Fund		833.95
		1,000.00
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September 1, 1937	\$	— 166.05

--Summary of Disbursements--

Champion Park:		
Salaries	\$	6,550.46
Lighting		271.16
Telephone		61.20
Insurance		300.64
Taxes		39.94
Supplies		317.53
Accounts Receivable		227.79
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Total Champion Park Disbursements	\$	7,768.72
Gwinn Park:		
Salaries	\$	401.70
Supplies		37.92
Insurance		15.00
Accounts Receivable		61.87
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Total Gwinn Park Disbursements	\$	516.49

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Big Bay Park:	
Salaries	\$ 1,047.79
Insurance	66.40
Supplies	25.00
Accounts Receivable	<u>777.07</u>

Total Big Bay Park Disbursements \$ 1,916.26

County Airports:	
Supplies	\$ 395.07
Insurance	<u>1,400.00</u>

Total Airport Disbursements . . \$ 1,795.07

Total County Parks and Airport Disbursements \$ 11,996.54

STATE INSTITUTIONS AND PUBLIC CHARGES FUND

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1936.	\$ 1,428.27
Appropriation	20,000.00
Receipts	<u>1,486.55</u>

Disbursements \$ 22,914.82
27,010.95

September 1, 1937. \$ - 4,096.13

--Summary of Disbursements--

Patients - Newberry State Hospital.	\$ 7,687.55
Patients - Mich. Farm Colony for Epileptics	213.94
Patients - Home Training School.	1,525.15
Patients - Mich. Children's Institute.	73.80
Patients - School for Deaf.	33.94
Patients - School for Blind.	7.40
Patients - Ionia State Hospital.	485.21
Medical treatment, adults and children, U. of M. Hospital.	10,884.93
Expenses - Mental Clinic.	132.75
Conveying Children.	1,949.96
Examination of Insane.	540.20
Conveying Insane.	925.57
Examination and conveying feeble minded.	98.95
Investigations - Adults Afflicted.	301.24
Transportation - Probation Officers' Institute.	38.30
Examination - Epileptic.	20.00
Conveying Epileptic & Adults Afflicted.	1,948.28
Transportation - Delinquent Boys.	130.28
Miscellaneous.	<u>13.50</u>

Total State Institutions and Public Charges Disbursements \$ 27,010.95

GENERAL FUND

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1936.	\$ 79,467.62
Appropriation	136,849.97
Receipts	15,478.16

Transfers from Personal Taxes, mortgage taxes, delinquent taxes, rejected taxes and homestead lands 29,485.46
Transfer from Fairgrounds Fund--County Fair appropriation 7,000.00

Disbursements \$ 268,281.21
176,725.93

Transfers to Cemetery Trust Fund and Bank Account \$ 91,555.28
86.93

Balance on hand Sept. 1, 1937 \$ 91,468.35

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--SUMMARY--

General Fund.	\$ 176,725.93
Sanatorium Fund	70,013.33
County Road Fund.	309,149.48
Poor Fund.	78,258.25
Children's Unit Bond and Interest Fund.	9,200.00
Soldiers' Relief Fund	370.50
Dependent Children's Fund	21,578.00
County Parks and Airports Fund.	11,996.54
State Institutions and Public Charges Fund.	27,010.95
Total	\$ 704,302.98

Lloyd LeVasseur
County Clerk

COUNTY TREASURER'S REPORT
Office of the County Treasurer

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-- I submit herewith the annual statement of receipts and disbursements for the year ending September 1, 1937, and the trial balances for the months ending August 31, 1937 and September 30, 1937.

There is also for your consideration the statement from the Auditor General of the Charged Back List for the year ending June 30, 1937, and a memorandum of the amount to be charged to the several townships and cities as rejected taxes.

Respectfully submitted,
J. L. Moroney, County Treasurer.

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS
September 1, 1936 to September 1, 1937

Balance on hand and in Banks as of September 1st, 1936.	\$ 453,228.16
Poor Fund.	\$ 3,194.50
Library Fund	6,543.25
County Road Fund	289,884.07
Sanatorium Fund.	24,116.22
Inheritance Tax Fund	11,250.33
Estate of Myron J. Sherwood.	\$ 1,632.83
Estate of Joseph Lowenstein.	236.52
Estate of Mary G. Ellison	92.68
Estate of Andrew Olson	61.23
Estate of Alice H. Brink	301.62
Estate of Mary N. Outhwaite.	108.80
Estate of Moses Bastien.	383.60
Estate of Felix Chiabotto.	36.03
Estate of Herman Alanen.	100.22
Estate of Charles Cowling.	1,875.07
Estate of James LaPlante	82.69
Estate of Gyda Johnson.	37.51
Estate of Frank Nicholas Maas.	113.43
Estate of Miriam L. Hudson	684.21
Estate of Georgina McCauley.	34.19
Estate of Gustave A. Werner.	402.23
Estate of Edward A. Beyer.	286.76
Estate of Sarah A. Hamilton.	909.50
Estate of Thomas Clancey	2,056.84
Estate of Joseph S. Morrow	499.47
Estate of Andrew Eliason	256.06
Estate of Frances Jacobs	57.17
Estate of Peter Shea	522.26
Estate of Thomas Eckman.	30.97
Estate of Gertrude Johnson	278.27
Estate of Gertrude Johnson	7.41
Estate of Herman Magnuson.	162.76
Mortgage Tax Fund	\$ 2,209.00
State Tax Fund	4,258.97
Delinquent Tax Fund	107,090.54
Refund Delinquent Tax Fund	543.67
Primary School Fund	363,280.00
Teachers' Institute Fund	222.00
Township Fund	17,999.87
Personal Tax Collection Fund	1,540.59
County Parks Fund	694.25
Tax Collection Fund	341,748.91
State Institutions and Public Charges Fund.	1,486.55
Highway Bond Improvement Fund	5,000.00
Highway Bond Improvement Retirement Fund	36,855.71
General Fund	15,478.16

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Fees returned by County Officers.	\$ 6,127.88
County Clerk.	\$ 1,913.55
County Treasurer.	116.25
Register of Deeds	4,069.08
Sheriff	29.00
Dog Licenses	69.00
Change of Name	9.00
Telephone Calls.	24.50
Operators' Licenses.	211.50
House Rent	165.00
Clifford Felt.	\$ 45.00
Edward Freethy	
Jail Costs and Officers' Fees	167.25
Postage	1.69
Forest Reserve--Specific Tax	8.00
Election Return Recount advance	5.00
Refund--Juror Helmi Wentala.	6.00
Reimbursement made by Auditor Gen'l--Expense of crim- inal case--Francis Somers & Chester Burham--Convicts at Marquette Prison	95.25
Reimbursement made by Auditor Gen'l--Exp.advance to Co.Welfare Agnet	150.35
Interest on Certificates of Deposit	2,250.00
First National Bank of Negaunee	\$ 427.50
First National & Trust	427.50
Union National Bank	427.50
The Miners' First National Bank	427.50
The Peninsula Bank	427.50
The Gwinn State Savings Bank	112.50
Interest--County Treasurer's impounded Funds	
The Miners' National Bank.	\$ 4,205.00
The Peninsula Bank	1,982.74
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Total Receipts	\$ 1,233,396.59
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Total	\$ 1,686,624.75

STATEMENT OF CASH DISBURSEMENTS
September 1st, 1936 to September 1st, 1937.

General Fund.	\$ 176,725.93
Poor Fund	78,258.25
Dependent Children's Fund	21,578.00
County Road Fund	309,149.48
Sanatorium Fund	70,013.33
Children's Unit Fund Bonds and Interest Fund	9,200.00
Inheritance Tax Fund	11,250.33
Estate of Myron J. Sherwood	\$ 1,632.83
Estate of Joseph Lowenstein	236.52
Estate of Mary G. Ellison	92.68
Estate of Andrew Olson	61.23
Estate of Alice H. Brink	301.62
Estate of Mary N. Outhwaite	108.80
Estate of Moses Bastien	383.60
Estate of Felix Chiabotto	36.03
Estate of Herman Alanen	100.22
Estate of Charles Cowling	1,875.07
Estate of James LaPlante	82.69
Estate of Gyda Johnson	37.51
Estate of Frank Nicholas Maas	113.43
Estate of Miriam L. Hudson	684.21
Estate of Georgina McCauléy	34.19
Estate of Gustave A. Werner	402.23
Estate of Edward A. Beyer	286.76
Estate of Sarah A. Hamilton	909.50
Estate of Thomas Clancey	2,056.84
Estate of Joseph S. Morrow	499.47
Estate of Andrew Eliason	256.06
Estate of Frances Jacobs	57.17
Estate of Peter Shea	522.26
Estate of Thomas Eckman	30.97
Estate of Gertrude Johnson	285.68
Estate of Herman Magnuson	162.76
Highway Bond and Improvement Fund	48,477.51
Highway Bond Improvement Retirement Fund	36,869.51
State Institutions and Public Charges Fund	27,010.95
Refund Delinquent Tax Fund	553.13
Personal Tax Collection Fund	58.56
Cemetery Trust Fund	5.00
Mortgage Tax Fund	1,002.75
State Tax Fund	5,493.23
Primary School Fund	201,625.00

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Teachers' Institute Fund	\$	164.80
Soldiers' Relief Fund		370.50
Township Fund		247,868.29
County Parks Fund		11,996.54
Total Disbursements		\$ 1,257,671.09
Balance on hand and in Banks September 1st, 1937.		\$ 428,953.66

OFFICE OF COUNTY TREASURER, MARQUETTE COUNTY

Rejected Taxes Charged Back by Auditor General as of June 30, 1937.

	Int. on State Tax	State Expense	State Tax	Co. Tax	Co. Debt Service	Co. Road Tax	Total State & Co. Chgd. Twp.	Twp. Taxes	Grand Totals
City of Ishp.	\$----	\$----	\$-----	\$ 11.15	\$.61	\$ 1.23	\$ 12.99	\$ 38.66	\$ 51.65
City of Marqt.	.48	----	1.18	8.53	.45	1.04	11.68	25.35	37.03
Chocolay Twp.	.80	----	.94	28.49	1.51	4.25	35.99	32.15	68.14
Ely Twp.	.01	----	.41	32.41	2.53	3.51	38.87	50.75	89.62
Ewing Twp.	----	----	----	4.08	.24	.48	4.80	4.50	9.30
Forsyth Twp.	.26	----	5.25	27.43	.94	5.58	39.46	58.46	97.92
Humboldt Twp.	----	----	----	3.74	.20	.41	4.35	7.28	11.63
Ishpeming Twp.	----	----	----	3.23	.19	.37	3.79	4.60	8.39
Marquette Twp.	----	----	----	.34	.02	.04	.40	.29	.69
Negaunee Twp.	----	----	----	11.48	.65	1.26	13.39	31.49	44.88
Powell Twp.	5.69	4.00	.04	1.16	.12	.13	1.45	1.39	2.84
Republic Twp.	----	----	7.53	29.37	.90	8.08	55.57	129.15	184.72
Richmond Twp.	1.66	----	----	17.11	.93	1.90	19.94	60.80	80.74
Sands Twp.	----	----	4.91	9.95	----	3.66	20.18	41.33	61.51
Skandia Twp.	.07	----	----	2.04	.11	.22	2.37	2.24	4.61
Tilden Twp.	.02	----	1.47	39.99	4.82	4.00	50.35	114.36	164.71
Turin Twp.	.20	----	.41	11.68	1.38	1.19	14.68	14.56	29.24
Wells Twp.	----	----	.62	4.51	.18	.77	6.28	9.38	15.66
West Branch Twp.	----	----	----	4.12	.22	.45	4.79	7.97	12.76
	\$9.19	\$4.00	\$22.76	\$250.81	\$16.00	\$38.57	\$341.33	\$634.71	\$976.04

MONTHLY STATEMENT AND TRIAL BALANCE
For the Month Ending August 31, 1937.

Ledger Accounts	Credit Balance
General Fund	\$ 91,468.35
Poor Fund	1,671.64
Library Fund	671.00
County Road Fund	128,530.27
Sanatorium Fund	1,252.36
Mortgage Tax Fund	320.50
State Tax Fund	1,809.91
Delinquent Tax Fund	35,064.48
Teachers' Institute Fund	693.04
Temporary Relief Fund	46.55
Township Fund	1,633.12
County Parks Fund	166.05
Tax Collection Fund	519.15
Condemnation Fund	38.30
Aid for Dependent Children	9,945.00
Children's Unit Bond and Interest Fund	7,015.00
Escheats Fund	25.58
Cemetery Trust Fund	265.37
State Institutions and Public Charges Fund	4,096.13
Highway Bond Improvement Fund	73,676.86
Highway Bond Improvement Retirement Fund	36,855.73
Personal Tax Collection Fund	3.01
County Debt Service Fund	41,683.42
Sundry Petty Cash Fund	6,400.00
County Treasurer	435,326.46
Cash Account	18,577.41
Banks--	
First National-Negaunee	51,401.43
First National & Trust Co.-Marquette	47,500.00
Union National-Marquette	47,500.00
Miners' First National-Ishpeming	47,500.00
The Peninsula-Ishpeming	47,500.00
Gwinn State Savings--Gwinn	12,000.00
Negaunee State-Negaunee	3,543.81

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Republic State-Republic.	\$ 3,403.81	
Miners' First National--Co.Road Petty Cash	300.00	
Miners' First National--Co.Road Payroll Acct.	5,000.00	
First National & Trust Co.--Sanatorium Petty Cash.	100.00	
Miners' First National-Co.Parks Payroll Account	1,000.00	
Certificates of Deposit--		
First National--Negaunee.	28,500.00	
Union National--Marquette	28,500.00	
First National & Trust Co.--Marquette	28,500.00	
Miners' First National--Ishpeming	28,500.00	
The Peninsula--Ishpeming.	28,500.00	
Gwinn State Savings--Gwinn.	7,500.00	
Revenue Account.		1,232,453.70
Disbursement Orders.	1,257,619.29	
Surplus.		460,492.05
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Total	\$ 2,132,534.39	\$ 2,132,534.39

I hereby certify that the above statement is a true condition of the County Funds, Cash and Bank Balances, at the close of business August 31, 1937.
 Signed: J. L. Moroney, County Treasurer.
 Countersigned: Mildred M. Johnson, Deputy County Clerk.

MONTHLY STATEMENT AND TRIAL BALANCE

For Month Ending September 30, 1937.

	Debit Balance	Credit Balance
General Fund.	\$	\$ 82,748.04
Poor Fund	3,849.22	
Library Fund.		1,397.00
County Road Fund.		144,555.53
Sanatorium Fund	8,736.24	
Mortgage Tax Fund		71.00
State Tax Fund		1,809.91
Delinquent Tax Fund		48,892.12
Teachers' Institute Fund.		693.04
Temporary Relief Fund		16.55
County Parks Fund.	2,196.24	
Tax Collection Fund.		519.15
Condemnation Fund		38.30
Aid for Dependent Children.		9,945.00
Children's Unit Bond and Interest Fund.		7,015.00
Escheats Fund.		25.58
Cemetery Trust Fund.		265.37
State Institutions and Public Charges Fund.	4,530.04	
Highway Bond Improvement Fund.		67,625.91
Highway Bond Improvement Retirement Fund		6,654.09
Personal Tax Collection Fund.		3.01
County Debt Service Fund		41,683.42
Sundry Petty Cash Fund.		6,400.00
County Treasurer.	401,046.28	
Cash Account	7,105.23	
Banks--		
First National Bank-Negaunee.	71,093.43	
First National & Trust Co.-Marquette	37,500.00	
Union National-Marquette	37,500.00	
Miners' First National-Ishpeming	37,500.00	
The Peninsula-Ishpeming	37,500.00	
Gwinn State Savings-Gwinn	9,500.00	
Negaunee State-Negaunee.	3,543.81	
Republic State-Republic	3,403.81	
Miners' First National-Co. Road Petty Cash	300.00	
Miners' First National-Co. Road Payroll Acct.	5,000.00	
First National & Trust Co.--Sanatorium Petty Cash ..	100.00	
Miners' First National-Co. Parks Payroll Account	1,000.00	
Certificates of Deposit--		
First National-Negaunee	28,500.00	
Union National-Marquette	28,500.00	
First National & Trust Co.-Marquette	28,500.00	
Miners' First National-Ishpeming.	28,500.00	
The Peninsula-Ishpeming	28,500.00	
Gwinn State Savings-Gwinn	7,500.00	
Revenue Account.		1,386,221.62
Disbursement Orders	1,445,667.39	
Surplus	\$ 2,267,071.69	\$ 460,492.05
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Totals	\$ 2,267,071.69	\$ 2,267,071.69

I hereby certify that the above statement is a true condition of the County Funds, Cash and Bank Balances, at the close of business September 30, 1937.
 Signed: J. L. Moroney, County Treasurer.
 Countersigned: Mildred M. Johnson, Deputy County Clerk.

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REPORT OF THE REGISTER OF DEEDS

Marquette, Mich., Oct. 11, 1937.

Annual Report of the Register of Deeds To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:--I herewith submit my account of receipts as Register of Deeds for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1937.

The following is from September 1, 1936 to December 31, 1936.

1936:	
Recording Deeds	\$ 555.35
Recording Mortgages	607.90
Filing Levies . . . . .	.50
Filing Liens . . . . .	.75
Recording Discharges of Mortgages	75.75
Recording Miscellaneous records	69.50
Filing Chattel Mortgages	244.75
Recording Assignments of Mortgages	8.00
Filing Lis Pendens	2.25
Filing Attachments . . . . .	.25

The following is from Jan. 1, 1937 to August 31, 1937.

1937:	
Recording Deeds	\$ 956.20
Recording Mortgages	343.50
Recording Miscellaneous	262.04
Filing Chattel Mortgages	806.14
Recording Assignments of Mortgages	16.75
Recording Partial Release of Mortgages	7.75
Recording Orders Assigning Residue	38.95
Recording Discharges of Mortgages	72.75

	\$4,069.08
Amount paid to Co. Treasurer	\$4,069.08

Respectfully submitted, Axel E. Senobe, Register of Deeds.

The annual reports of County School Commissioner, County Agricultural Agent, Morgan Heights Sanatorium, Superintendents of the Poor, Board of County Road Commissioners, Board of Park Trustees, County Inspector of Mines; Marquette County Chapter, American Red Cross and Marquette County Fair, were read in part and ordered filed.

Prosecuting Attorney Voelker expressed his thanks to the Board for their favorable action toward his Department in raising the appropriation for the next year.

A motion was made by Supervisor Nicholas for a vote of thanks to be given the Finance and Taxation Committee and its Chairman for their excellent work and untiring efforts in preparing the lengthy and detailed reports so necessary to a complete understanding of our County affairs. Such work reflects the splendid financial condition and thorough organization of our County government. The above motion was supported by Supervisor Nardi and unanimously carried.

Appointment of a County Auditor to handle financial and other business in the County on motion of Supervisor Perring was referred to the Budget and Executive Committee. Supported by Supervisor Mackey and carried.

There being no further business, it was moved by Supervisor Sundlie that the Board adjourn until Wednesday, the 10th day of November, A. D. 1937, at 2:00 o'clock p.m. Supported by Supervisor Dobson and carried.

Raymond LeVasseur
Clerk.

Paul Van Riper
Chairman.

November 10, 1937

Marquette, Michigan, November 10, 1937

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday, the 10th day of November, A.D. 1937, at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Paul Van Riper.

The roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present:

Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--36.

Absent: Stenglein--1.

Upon motion of Supervisor Richards, supported by Supervisor Sanders, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The Chairman asked that the regular rules of order be suspended to permit the Board to draw up resolutions in honor of the two deceased Supervisors. Supervisor Wiseman moved that the Chairman appoint two committees to draw up these resolutions while a ten minute recess was granted. Supported by Supervisor Mongrain and carried. The Chairman appointed the Supervisor members of Marquette City to draw up a resolution honoring the late Charles E. Dolf, Supervisor from the third precinct Marquette City and the members of the Auditing Committee to draw up a resolution in honor of the late Axel O. Anderson, Supervisor from West Branch Township. After recess the two following resolutions were read.

RESOLUTION

✓ Whereas, the Honorable Charles E. Dolf, Supervisor from the City of Marquette, passed from this life on October 17, 1937; and
Whereas, his constant fidelity to duty and splendid performance of his public trust has won the warm personal admiration and respect of his fellow Supervisors and all who knew him; be it

Resolved, that the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County takes this occasion to express to Mr. Dolf's family its feeling of profound sorrow and deep sympathy; and that this resolution be spread at large upon the minutes of this Board; and that the Clerk be requested to forward a true copy of this resolution to the bereaved family of our departed friend.

W. J. Wiseman,
Thos. O. Price,
Joseph Mongrain.

RESOLUTION

✓ Whereas, the Honorable Axel O. Anderson, Supervisor of West Branch Township for the past fifteen years, departed this life on November 6, 1937; and

Whereas, his unswerving honesty, outstanding capability and quiet, good nature had won the warm personal admiration and highest respect of his fellow Supervisors and all who knew him; be it

Resolved, that the Board of Supervisors of Marquette County takes this occasion to express to Mr. Anderson's family its feeling of profound sorrow and deep sympathy; and that this resolution be spread at large upon the minutes of this Board; and that the Clerk be requested to forward a true copy of this resolution to the bereaved family of our departed friend.

AUDITING COMMITTEE:

H. S. Nightingale,
Thomas Gribble,
James Nardi,
H. E. Perkins,
Gust Danielson,
Joseph Mongrain,
W. J. Wiseman,
Paul Van Riper.

On motion of Supervisor Perkins, supported by Supervisor Price and unanimously carried, the above resolutions were adopted.

A touching tribute was given the late Supervisors when the Chairman requested the entire Board to stand with bowed heads for a few moments in honor of the departed Supervisors.

✓ A petition from Michael J. Khoury, Judge of Probate, requesting the establishment of a detention home for delinquent, dependent and neglected children under the age of seventeen years, pending the disposition of the case, was read. Supervisor Nicholas moved that it be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee for investigation and to report back to the Board. Supported by Supervisor Gribble and carried.

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A petition from the "Port of Detroit Authority", requesting the sum of \$200.00 for the purpose of gathering necessary testimony for the Senate hearings on the St. Lawrence Seaway project, was read. On motion of Supervisor Perkins, supported by Supervisor Wiseman, it was referred to the Committee on Legislation.

A communication from Prentiss M. Brown, U. S. Senator, stating the action taken on resolution sent him recently pertaining to reimbursement by the Government of lands taken off the tax roll, was read and ordered filed by the Chairman.

A communication from Guy T. Helvering, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, in regard to above matter was read and ordered filed by the Chairman.

A communication from L. N. Jones, Regional Supervisor of the Department of Conservation, relative to employment of Frank Krieg on County trespass cases at the rate of \$50.00 a month, was read. Supervisor Mongrain moved that the Board reappoint Mr. Krieg, with salary retroactive as of October 16, 1937 and continuing until the opening of the fire season about May 1, 1938. Supported by Supervisor Wiseman and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--36.

Nays: None.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Mongrain, was adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Annala, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--36.

Nays: None.

The following report of the Auditing Committee was read, and on motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Price, was adopted.

Marquette, Mich., Nov. 4, 1937.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Your committee to whom was referred the audit of the criminal dockets of the Justices of Peace, prepared by the Morrison Audit Company of Marquette for the two year period ending June 30th, 1937, beg to submit the following report:

A thorough examination of all accounts questioned by audit was made with the following results:

Municipal Court -- City of
Ishpeming:

Fines collected in July 1935 and
not remitted to County Treasurer
as of June 30th, 1937- - - - - \$ 176.00

Municipal Court -- City of
Marquette:

Court costs paid to City on cases where fines were imposed and not collected (this account covers a period of over eight years - - - - -	300.00
Bond forfeitures remitted to City by Court in error - - - - -	20.00

Municipal Court -- City of
Negaunee:

Bond forfeitures remitted to City by Court in error - - - - -	91.33
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Total Due County - - - - -	\$ 587.33
Total Collected and now in hands of County Treasurer- - - - -	\$ 587.33

Respectfully submitted,
H. S. Nightingale,
Chairman, Auditing Committee.

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John D. Voelker,
Prosecuting Attorney
Paul Van Riper,
H. E. Perkins,
Gust Danielson,
Thomas Gribble,
James Nardi,
Joseph Mongrain,
W. J. Wiseman.

The following report of the Marquette County Road Commission and the Committee on Highways and Bridges was read. On motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Jernstad and carried, the report was adopted.

Ishpeming, Mich., Oct. 27, 1937

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-- In the matter of petition from O. H. Clish and others pertaining to the construction of a road known as the Clish Road in Chocolay Township.

This matter was considered in joint session by the Committee on County Roads and Bridges and the Board of County Road Commissioners held on October 21st, 1937.

This joint body recognizes that this petition is similar to petitions on which we have made previous report to your Board and pursuant thereto, we make a recommendation that this petition be referred to the Board of County Road Commissioners to be taken care of if and when funds permit it.

We recommend concurrence in the disposition of this petition.

Yours truly,
Board of County Road Commissioners,
By K. I. Sawyer, Supt.
Committee on County Roads and Bridges,
By W. J. Wiseman,
Chairman.

Edward G. Muck,
Allan Swanson,
Evert Laine,
Jas. A. Jernstad,
T. J. Nicholas,
M. B. Richards,
E. J. St. Onge,
John Ghiardi,
Harry S. Nightingale.

The following report and resolution of the Marquette County Road Commission, the Prosecuting Attorney and Highways & Bridges Committee was read. On motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Price, the report was adopted.

Ishpeming, Mich., Oct. 27, 1937

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-- In the matter of adjusting funds to that the State Highway Department would continue the return of monies under the weight and gas tax laws, being the question which was raised before the Board of Supervisors at the October meeting of this Board in a communication from Mr. Reid to Mr. Sawyer, and which on recommendation of Mr. Sawyer was referred to the Committee on County Roads and Bridges, the Board of County Road Commissioners, and the Prosecuting Attorney, with power to act:

The above body met on October 21st, 1937, and considered negotiations which had been carried on by Mr. Voelker, Prosecuting Attorney, and Mr. Sawyer with the State Highway Department and the Attorney General's office and pursuant thereto, the following resolution was adopted:

"RESOLVED by the Committee on County Roads and Bridges of the Board of Supervisors, the Board of County Road Commissioners and the Prosecuting Attorney, of Marquette County, Michigan sitting in joint session and with power to act:

THAT WHEREAS negotiations have been carried on with reference to matters raised by a letter addressed by L. B. Reid to K. I. Sawyer dated September 27, 1937 on which this joint body has received recommendation from John Voelker, Prosecuting Attorney and K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent, as follows:

We recommend that Mr. L. B. Reid be advised that we accept the method of adjustment proposed in his two wires of October 19, 1937 and pertaining to matter covered in his letter of September 27, 1937.

K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent,
John Voelker,
Prosecuting Attorney.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that we accept the method of adjustment indicated in the following wires:

WESTERN UNION

Received at Ishpeming, Mich.
UM 13 55 DL 3 Extra--Lansing Mich
Oct 19 123P

K. I. Sawyer

Marquette County Road Commission

Attorney General has indicated he will render an opinion authorizing the State Highway Department to withhold monies in controversy between cities villages and County Road Commissions Stop He has suggested that this money be withheld until the cases in the lower courts are appealed to the Supreme Court and are decided therein.

L. B. Reid Director of Finance
State Highway Department 119P

November 10, 1937

Ishpeming, Mich., Oct. 19, 1937.

L. B. Reid, Director of Finance
State Highway Dept. Lansing Mich

Your wire 19th STOP Are we to understand that you would only retain monies estimated under Priority 4 Acts 7 and 8 then pay balance over to Counties STOP Wire answer collect.

K. I. Sawyer

WESTERN UNION

Received at Ishpeming, Mich.
U. 18 17 3 Extra -- Lansing Mich Oct
19 514P

K. I. Sawyer
Marquette County Road Commission

We propose to withhold only that part of the funds which are in controversy.

L. B. Reid Director of Finance
State Highway Department 430P

and pertaining to matter contained in letter from Mr. Reid, as follows:

COPY

State of Michigan
Highway Department, Lansing
September 27, 1937

Mr. K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent,
Marquette County Road Commission,
Ishpeming, Michigan.

Dear Mr. Sawyer:-- Your letter of August 4 advised us that you did not intend to made an adjustment with the cities in your county for the year 1936 covering your use of funds under the so-called McNitt Priority in the Weight and Gas Tax Laws.

In view of the Attorney General's opinion, holding that the use of funds under Sub-section 4 of Section 34, Act 7, P.A. 1934, was illegal for 1936 and subsequent years, and in view of a decision handed down in Dickinson County, which held that the County was not entitled to use funds under these sub-sections, we wish to advise you that it will not be possible to approve further payments to you under Acts 7 and 8, P.A. 1934, until the payments to the cities have been adjusted.

We regret the necessity for this action, as this Department has nothing to gain by withholding your funds. However, the laws have placed the responsibility of seeing that the Weight and Gas Tax Funds are legally expended on this Department, and no other procedure is open to us.

Yours very truly,
L. B. Reid,
Director of Finance.

IMD:RP

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Mr. L. B. Reid be given copy of this resolution."

We recommend concurrence of the Board in the action of the joint meeting.

Yours truly,
Board of County Road Commissioners,
By K. I. Sawyer, Supt.
Committee on County Roads and Bridges,
By W. J. Wiseman,
Chairman.

Edward G. Muck,
Jas. A. Jernstad,
T. J. Nicholas,
M. B. Richards,
E. J. St. Onge,
Evert Laine,
Allan Swanson,
John Ghiardi,
Harry S. Nightingale.

The following report of the Committee on Buildings, Grounds and Insurance was read, and on motion of Supervisor Mongrain, supported by Supervisor Dobson, was referred to the Buildings, Grounds and Insurance Committee with power to act.

BUILDINGS, GROUNDS AND INSURANCE COMMITTEE
November 10, 1937

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:--After a survey of the Supervisors' room on this date, we find it is badly in need of renovation inasmuch as it has been washed and cleaned several times in the past and still does not now present a clean appearance.

Therefore, we request your Honorable Body to refer the matter of renovation of the Supervisors' room to this Committee with power to act.

Respectfully submitted,
Thomas Gribble,
Chairman.

John Ghiardi,
James Nardi,
Joseph Mongrain,
Joseph Yelle,
John T. Dobson,
Gust Danielson.

November 10, 1937

✓ The following report of the Committee on Legislation and County Parks was read. Supervisor Gribble moved for its adoption. Supported by Supervisor Dobson and carried.

Ishpeming, Mich., Nov. 6, 1937.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Sirs:--Your Committee on Legislation and County Parks and the Board of County Road Commissioners to whom was referred the communication relative to establishing a County Park at Farmers Lake in Forsyth Township report;

That, a joint meeting was held on November 5th, 1937 at which time the site of the proposed Park was viewed and a meeting held and a very complete discussion had of the matter, so far as it pertains to establishment of this Park, and its relationship to the Park program.

These matters developed. At the time of the meeting it was not known whether the lands in question were for sale, and if they were for sale, at what cost. This Park is in the approximate vicinity of the Gwinn County Park, now operated by the County, and the relationship of the proposed Park with the Gwinn Park, and possibility of working out some other solution of the Gwinn Park, so as to get a larger Park for a County Park in this part of the County, was considered. The question as to the adequacy of the lake and possible site at Farmers Lake was also considered with the thought, that it might be advisable to investigate further and see if a more adequate Park could be found to serve the Eastern part of the County, and because of the fact that the whole problem seems to require very careful weighing and a very thorough investigation, your Committee recommend that the whole question be referred to the Board of County Park Trustees for investigation and with direction to report at some future date when they have secured sufficient information so that definite suggestions can be made in the matter.

Yours respectfully,
Board of County Road Commissioners,
By K. I. Sawyer, Supt.
Committee On Legislation and County Parks,
By John G. Stenglein,
Chairman.

Thomas Gribble,
H. E. Perkins,
John Mussatto,
Irving Mitchell,
Thos. O. Price,
T. J. Nicholas,
Edward G. Muck.

The monthly reports of County Treasurer and Superintendents of the Poor were read and ordered filed by the Chairman.

✓ A resolution submitted by the Delta County Board of Supervisors urging the importance of the appointment of the State Planning Committee, was read. Supervisor Wiseman moved that it be referred to the Planning Committee with power to recommend. Supported by Supervisor Mongrain and carried.

✓ A resolution from the Lapeer County Board condemning any movement to deprive counties that desire them, of their County Normal, was read. On motion of Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Nardi, it was referred to the Educational Committee.

✓ A resolution from the Mackinac County Board requesting the government to reimburse the counties for loss of taxes due to government acquisition of these lands, was read and ordered filed by the Chairman.

✓ The following resolution from the Washtenaw County Board was read, and on motion of Supervisor Stakel, supported by Supervisor St. Onge, was referred to the Budget and Executive Committee.

A Resolution from the Washtenaw County Board of Supervisors to the Legislature of the State of Michigan and the Board of Supervisors.

WHEREAS, as a result of numerous automobile accidents and otherwise, a considerable number of transients and out-of-State patients are conveyed by ambulance to local hospitals, which said hospitals feel that it is the obligation of the County of Washtenaw or the State of Michigan to pay the costs for medical treatment and hospitalization for said transients and out-of-State patients confined in said hospitals and who are financially unable to pay for said treatment and hospitalization, and

WHEREAS, it would become a heavy burden upon the County to pay for the treatment of said indigent transient and out-of-State patients, who are not residents of said County.

Therefore, BE IT RESOLVED, that suitable legislation be enacted by the Legislature of the State of Michigan so as to enable the State to reimburse the various hospitals throughout the State of Michigan for the costs incurred for the care and hospitalization of indigent transient and out-of-State patients.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this Resolution be forwarded to the various State Senators and Representatives and also to the various County Clerks of the State of Michigan.

Louis Bauer,
F. D. Forsythe,
Fred Blumhardt, Chairman,
Legislative Committee.

December 22, 1937

Supervisor Perkins, Chairman of the Salary Committee, addressed the Board and moved that the report of the salaries of the deputies and clerks employed in the Court House, submitted at the last meeting, be referred back to the Salary Committee to report back at the next meeting. The motion was supported by Supervisor Mongrain and carried.

Supervisor Nightingale moved that Mr. H. W. Trembath, whose term as County Poor Commissioner expires December 31, 1937, be nominated for the office to succeed himself. Supported by Supervisor Danielson.

Supervisor Perkins moved for the nomination of Mr. G. Sherman Collins as Trustee for Morgan Heights Sanitarium to succeed himself. Mr. Collins' term expires also December 31, 1937. Above motion was supported by Supervisor Ghiardi.

Supervisor Stakel addressed the Board and also presented an illuminating and detailed report of the taxes and expenses of Marquette County for the last fifteen years. He explained that Marquette County was carrying a large relief load which has amounted to more than half of the taxes and in some years to as high as 75% of the taxes. These reports were distributed to all the Supervisors.

On behalf of the Board the Chairman thanked Mr. Stakel for his splendid report.

There being no further business, it was moved by Supervisor Stakel that the Board adjourn until Wednesday, the 22nd day of December, A. D. 1937, at 2:00 o'clock p.m. Supported by Supervisor Erkkila and carried.

Paul Van Riper

Chairman.

Lloyd L. Vasseur

Clerk.

Marquette, Mich., Dec. 22, 1937.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of December, A.D. 1937, at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Paul Van Riper.

The Chairman introduced Mr. Louis Biegler and Mr. Charles R. Swanson, the two new Supervisors, to the rest of the Board and placed them on the same Committees as their late predecessors, Supervisors Dolf and Anderson.

The roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present:

Annala, Biegler, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Swanson, Toms, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--37.

Absent: Laine and Weiland--2.

Supervisor Richards moved the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting be dispensed with. Supported by Supervisor Sanders.

A communication from West Branch Township Board, advising appointment of Charles R. Swanson to succeed the late Axel O. Anderson, Supervisor from that Township, was received and ordered filed by the Chairman.

A communication from Donald Lahtela of Republic, requesting the Marquette County Road Commission to take over a private road into his residence, was read. On motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Price, it was referred to the Highway and Bridges Committee and the Marquette County Road Commission.

A communication from Axel E. Senobe, Register of Deeds, citing the deplorable condition of some of the plats recorded in his office and requesting immediate attention to same, was read. Supervisor Nightingale moved it be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee with power to act. Supported by Supervisor Labold and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Annala, Biegler, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila,

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Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St.Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Swanson, Toms, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--37.

Nays: None.

A communication from the Marquette County Agricultural Society advising vacancy on Board of Directors caused by the death of Axel O. Anderson, was read. Supervisor Perkins moved that Charles R. Swanson be appointed to fill the vacancy. Supported by Supervisor Muck and carried.

The following communication was read, and on motion of Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Nardi, was referred to the Prosecuting Attorney.

BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS

Ishpeming, Mich., Dec. 14, 1937.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Sirs:--Relative to disposition of money received on account of motor vehicle license taxes and gasoline taxes returnable to this county for the calendar year 1938, and in conformity to Public Acts of Michigan numbers 7 and 8 of the Extra Session of 1934, your Board of County Road Commissioners recommend:

Pursuant to such acts, one half of each settlement on account of the above mentioned monies, is to be credited to the County Road Fund to be used for administration, maintenance, betterments, and construction of County Roads.

Further, pursuant to such acts, that the remainder, hereinafter called the second half of such monies, as returned to Marquette County, shall be applied as follows and in the following order of priority:

First priority of second half--The sum of \$36,796.83 shall be credited to the Highway Bond Retirement Fund to pay principal, interest, and disbursing fees on the General County Highway Bonds for payments due thereon, to and inclusive of the interest payments payable in April 1939, which interest payment comes due prior to anticipated receipts on monies from these sources for the year 1939.

Second priority of second half--The difference between the second half of such above mentioned monies and the amount of money to be credited to the Highway Bond Retirement Fund is then to be divided and applied as follows:

To be paid to Marquette City	33.553%
To be paid to Negaunee City	14.865%
To be paid to Ishpeming City	20.959%
To be credited to County Road	
Fund	30.623%
	<u>100.000%</u>

The money credited to the County Road Fund to be used for administration, maintenance, improvements, and construction of County Roads in conformity to the statutes.

The money to be paid to the cities to be used as provided in said Acts 7 and 8 of Extra Session of 1934.

Yours truly,

Board of County Road Commissioners,
K. I. Sawyer, Supt.

A communication from Wilbur E. Crowley of the Old Age Assistance Bureau, requesting the County to furnish more desirable office space due to the inadequacy of the present set-up, was read. On motion of Supervisor Perkins, supported by Supervisor Mongrain, the communication was referred to the Budget and Executive Committee.

Supervisor Nicholas suggested the Budget and Executive Committee investigate the Court House for desirable quarters for the Old Age Assistance Bureau.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Erkkila, was adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Annala, Biegler, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St.Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Swanson, Toms, Wiseman, Yelle and VanRiper--37.

Nays: None.

The following report of the Budget and Executive Committee was read, and on motion of Supervisor Dobson, supported by Supervisor Gribble, was adopted.

Marquette, Mich., Dec. 7th, 1937.

To the Chairman and
Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-- Your Budget and Executive Committee to whom was referred the question of add-

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ing and auditor to the County staff of employees, are recommending to the Board of Supervisors that the hiring of such an auditor be deferred for the present. The principal reason for this recommendation is due to the fact that no provision was made in the Annual Budget adopted at the October 1937 meeting of the Board, for an office of this kind.

Your Committee is not unmindful of the value of adding an auditor to the County pay roll to keep the Board properly informed on all matters of interest to the Board. We believe, however, that the advantages to be derived in hiring an auditor, would be defeated if his tenure in office would be uncertain. Only when his duties can be clearly defined, and only, if and when it can be arranged that a competent person would be hired, who would serve in that position for at least a reasonable length of time, would the County benefit from the establishment of this new department. Your Committee believes that the Board would only receive benefits comparable to the increased cost of maintaining a County Auditor's department, only when he would be given the position long enough to familiarize himself with all of the ramifications of the various county department, so that proper and intelligent reports could be made to the Board.

In some of the other counties where this particular office has been created, it has been clearly demonstrated that the County Auditor is only valuable to the Board in the same ratio that his services are continued over a considerable period of years.

Your Committee believes that this matter should be given further study because the thought behind the question has real merit in it, but for the present we do not believe the time is propitious for making a change.

Committee:

T. J. Nicholas,
John G. Stenglein,
Paul Van Riper,
H. E. Perkins,
M. B. Richards,
Chas. J. Stakel,
H. S. Nightingale,
Joseph F. Labold.

The following report of the Salary Committee was read. Supervisor Nicholas moved the adoption of the full report as read. Supported by Supervisor Annala and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Annala, Biegler, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mon-grain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, St. Onge, Sundlie, Swanson, Swanson, Toms, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--37.

Nays: None.

Marquette, Mich., Nov. 15, 1937.

To the Honorable Chairman and
Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Your Salary Committee met in the Court House on Monday afternoon, November 15th, and after careful examination of the pay roll for county officers for the past ten years, report as follows:

FIRST--We recommend that the Board of Supervisors rescind the following resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors at the October meeting of 1928, to-wit: "We also recommend that the maximum salary for deputy clerks and stenographers, after five years of service, shall be as follows: Deputies \$125.00 per month, and stenographers \$100.00 per month."

SECOND--We also recommend that any other motion or resolution or parts of resolutions in the minutes of the Board of Supervisors meetings relating to matters pertaining to the salaries of deputies, clerks and stenographers, be rescinded.

THIRD--In the place of the motions and resolutions that we recommend should be rescinded, we recommend that on and after January 1st, 1938, when new employees are added to the pay roll for the County Officers, that the monthly salary of any deputy shall start at \$100.00 per month. At the end of one year of service the salary shall automatically be raised \$5.00 per month, and this automatic raise of \$5.00 per month shall continue until the maximum of \$125.00 per month will have been reached.

We further recommend that the salaries of clerks and stenographers shall start at \$75.00 per month, and shall be automatically raised at the rate of \$5.00 per month after each year's service, until at the end of five years the maximum salary of \$100.00 per month has been reached.

FOURTH--It is understood that the salary schedule as recommended, is to apply only to deputies, clerks and stenographers that are employed in regular county departments over which the Board of Supervisors has the legal right and authority to fix salaries.

The salary schedule as proposed is not applicable to employees of departments over which the State and Federal governments have jurisdiction.

FIFTH--We also recommend that the salary of Ella Froling, clerk in the Register of Deeds office, be raised to \$75.00 per month, amount to be retroactive as of November 1st, 1937.

Respectfully submitted,

T. J. Nicholas,
H. E. Perkins,
Chas. J. Stakel,

Salary Committee.

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Three reports of the County Trespass Agent were received and ordered filed.

The monthly reports of County Jail Physician, Superintendents of the Poor and Morgan Heights Sanatorium were read and ordered filed.

Supervisor H. S. Nightingale moved that H. W. Trembath be appointed to succeed himself as Poor Commissioner for the ensuing term. Supported by Supervisor Nicholas and carried.

✓ On motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Muck and carried, G. Sherman Collins was appointed to succeed himself as Trustee of Morgan Heights Sanatorium for the ensuing term.

✓ A resolution from Arenac County Board of Supervisors, requesting State Legislators to work for an appropriation for County Normals for the school year 1938-39, was read. On motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor St. Onge, the resolution was referred to Mr. Stanley Williams, School Commissioner, and the County Educational Committee.

✓ A resolution from the Gogebic County Board of Supervisors, requesting the Governor to re-build the entire State Tax Program, citing inconsistencies in the fifteen mill tax limitation and advocating a severance tax on ore, was read. On motion of Supervisor Jernstad, supported by Supervisor Wiseman, the resolution was filed.

✓ A resolution from the Chippewa County Board of Supervisors, pertaining to lands taken off tax rolls, was read, and on motion of Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Wiseman, was ordered filed and further ordered that the Clerk advise Chippewa County of its action in this regard at a previous meeting.

✓ A resolution from the Board of Supervisors of Roscommon County, advocating the legalization of slot machines to enable the State to receive more revenue and eliminating the present evil condition that exists, was read. Supervisor St. Onge moved that the resolution be filed. Supported by Supervisor Dobson and carried.

Supervisor Nicholas moved that the Board extend Christmas greetings to the Chairman and Clerk of the Board and also for the Clerk to extend these greetings to the rest of the County Officers and employees. Supported by Supervisor Nardi and carried.

The Chairman, with the consent of the Board, advised the Clerk to close the County Building at Friday noon for the Christmas week-end.

There being no further business, on motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Dobson, the Board adjourned until Wednesday, the 19th day of January, A. D. 1938, at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

Paul Van Riper

Chairman.

Lloyd Passer

Clerk.

Marquette, Mich., Jan. 19, 1938.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday, the 19th day of January, A. D. 1938, at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Paul Van Riper.

The roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present:

Annala, Biegler, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, Sundlie, Swanson, Swanson, Toms, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--35.

Absent: Gribble, Nardi, St. Onge and Weiland--4.

Supervisor Richards moved the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting be dispensed with. Supported by Supervisor Price.

✓ A communication from the Port of Detroit Authority asking for an appropriation for the work of the National Seaway Council was read. On motion of Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Price, the communication was filed.

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The following communication was read. Supervisor Nicholas moved its adoption and for the approval of the report of the Marquette County Road Commission referred to therein. Supported by Supervisor Annala and carried by the following yea and nay vote:

Yeas: Annala, Biegler, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, Sundlie, Swanson, Swanson, Toms, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--35.

Nays: None.

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

Ishpeming, Mich., Jan. 13, 1938.

Board of Supervisors, County Court House, Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:--At the December meeting of the Board a communication of the Board of County Road Commissioners relative to the disposition of money received on account of motor vehicle license taxes and gasoline taxes, returnable to this county for the calendar year of 1938, was referred to me.

In my opinion the Board may legally follow the recommendation of the County Road Commissioners. The request of the Commissioners does not involve disputed Sub-section Four, which is the subject of three pending law suits against the county by the three cities in the county.

Very truly yours,
John D. Voelker.

A communication from Wm. Waananen of Republic requesting the Marquette County Road Commission to improve road into his farm, was read. Supervisor Wiseman moved the communication be referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee and the Marquette County Road Commission. Supported by Supervisor Dobson and carried.

A communication from Matt Olson of Republic requesting the Marquette County Road Commission to take over his private road into his farm, was read. On motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Labold, it was referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee and the Marquette County Road Commission.

A petition, signed by six signers, property holders of lots in Riverside Addition to Lakewood, requesting the Marquette County Road Commission to build a roadway into their property, was read. On motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Jernstad, it was referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee and the Marquette County Road Commission.

A communication from Mrs. O. H. Clish of Chocolay Township, requesting action on the improvement of the road into their farm, was read. Supervisor Wiseman moved it be referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee and the Marquette County Road Commission. Supported by Supervisor Dobson and carried.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and upon motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Erkkila, was adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Annala, Biegler, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Helmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Perkins, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, Stenglein, Sundlie, Swanson, Swanson, Toms, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--35.

Nays: None.

The following report of the Budget and Executive Committee was read. Supervisor Perkins moved the adoption of the report and that the Clerk notify the two offices referred to therein to exchange places in the Court House. Supported by Supervisor Labold and carried.

Marquette, Mich., Jan. 7, 1938.

To the Honorable Chairman, and Board of Supervisors, Marquette County, Michigan.

Your Budget and Executive Committee having considered the matter of providing more suitable quarters for the Old Age Assistance Bureau, recommend that the officials of the Works Progress Administration organization in Marquette County be requested to vacate the rooms now being occupied by the Works Progress Engineering Department on the second floor of the Court House. We further recommend that these rooms be offered to the Old Age Assistance Bureau, and that the office now being occupied by this Bureau in the basement of the Court House, be turned over to the W.P.A. Engineering Department if they desire it.

With reference to the detention home asked for by the Judge of Probate, in which to house delinquent children awaiting trial before the Probate Judge, your Budget and Executive Committee suggests that this problem might be solved by adding a wing to the

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Deputy Sheriff's residence on Spring Street. We recommend that the Budget and Executive Committee's suggestion be considered by the Board of Supervisors, only after the Buildings, Grounds and Insurance Committee of the Board has had a chance to study the suggestion.

We recommend, therefore, that this matter be turned over to the Buildings, Grounds and Insurance Committee, and that the Committee be requested to secure plans or sketches, as well as competitive bids for consideration by the entire Board of Supervisors, when all the necessary information has been secured.

Respectfully submitted,

H. E. Perkins,
Paul Van Riper,
Joseph F. Labold,
H. S. Nightingale,
M. B. Richards,
Chas. J. Stakel.
Budget & Executive Com.

The report of the County Trespass Agent was presented and ordered filed.

The monthly reports of County Treasurer, Superintendents of the Poor and Red Cross Nurse were read and ordered filed by the Chairman.

A resolution from the Crawford County Board of Supervisors adopted at a meeting held January 7, 1938, advocating the legalization of slot machines by the State of Michigan, was presented. Supervisor Stakel moved the resolution be filed. Supported by Supervisor Richards and carried.

There being no further business, on motion of Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Price, the Board adjourned until Wednesday, the 16th day of February, A. D. 1938, at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

Paul Van Riper

Chairman.

Lloyd L. Wasson

Clerk.

February 16, 1938

Marquette, Mich., Feb. 16, 1938.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday, the 16th day of February, A.D. 1938, at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Paul Van Riper.

The roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present:

Annala, Biegler, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, St. Onge, Stenglein, Sundlie, Swanson, Swanson, Toms, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--37.

Absent: Perkins and Weiland--2.

Supervisor Wiseman moved the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting be dispensed with. Supported by Supervisor Dobson.

✓ A communication from John D. Chubb, Architect from Chicago, Illinois, offering his services as architect for the construction of the detention home as part of the Deputy Sheriff's residence on Spring Street, was read. Supervisor Wiseman moved it be referred to the Buildings, Grounds and Insurance Committee. Supported by Supervisor Price and carried.

✓ A communication from T. A. Downey, District Manager of the Michigan State Employment Service, requesting the sum of \$50.00 per month beginning March 1, 1938, explaining that the expenses of \$30.00 to \$40.00 a month the County formerly paid may increase due to new duties of the office, was read. On motion of Supervisor Perring, supported by Supervisor Gribble, it was referred to the Budget and Executive Committee with the suggestion the Committee get a report from the Employment office of the work done by the office in the past, to enable the Board to have a picture of the benefits derived from the Employment Service.

✓ A communication from Avery Peterson, County Welfare Agent, requesting a raise in salary for the Secretary in his office from \$55.00 to \$75.00 a month and also an appropriation of \$35.00 to cover material for tests formerly conducted by Mr. Yudin, Psychiatrist of the Branch Prison, was read. Supervisor Wiseman moved the communication be referred to the Salary Committee. Supported by Supervisor Laine and carried.

✓ A petition signed by three taxpayers of Town 46 North Range 26 W. requesting snow removal on County Road "MC" connecting County Road "MA", was read. Supervisor Wiseman moved it be referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee and the Marquette County Road Commission. Supported by Supervisor Dobson and carried.

✓ A communication from Matt L. Makie, Drain Commissioner, requesting the Board to finance the publishing of nine laws in the Mining Journal relative to drainage, was read. On motion of Supervisor Perring, supported by Supervisor Nicholas, it was referred to the Auditing Committee.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and on motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Richards, it was adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Annala, Biegler, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, St. Onge, Stenglein, Sundlie, Swanson, Swanson, Toms, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--37.

Nays: None.

✓ The following report of the Marquette County Road Commission and the Highways & Bridges Committee was read and on motion of Supervisor Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Jernstad, it was adopted.

Ishpeming, Mich., Feb. 15, 1938.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-- In the matter of petitions referred to the Board of County Road Commissioners and the Committee on County Roads and Bridges.

The Committee on County Roads and Bridges and the Board of County Road Commissioners met in joint session on February 15, 1938.

With regard to the request from Don Lahtela of Republic to adopt his private road leading from the County Road to his house, and a similar request from Matt Olson to adopt his private road leading from the County Road to his house. We recommend that these requests be denied as it is impossible for financial reasons for the County Road Commission to adopt these roads at the present time.

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With regard to the request of Wm. Waananen. This road is in the W.P.A. setup and is in process of being started at the present time.

With regard to the request of Albert Jacobson relative to road to Riverside addition to Lakewood. A similar request had been presented to the County Road Commission, survey has been made and application is being made for a railroad crossing, which is necessary before any further action can be taken in the matter. The County Road Commission has already got this in process.

With regard to request from Mrs. Clish. This is in the W.P.A. setup, had previously been set up to be started as a W.P.A. job at which time the men were transferred to the trunk line highway, which according to rules has priority over County Roads. With regard to this road the County Road Commission will try to handle this as a W.P.A. project if they can secure the necessary men.

Board of County Road Commissioners,
By K. I. Sawyer, Supt.
Committee on County Roads and Bridges,
By W. J. Wiseman,
Chairman.

T. J. Nicholas,
H. S. Nightingale,
Allan Swanson,
E. J. St. Onge,
John Ghiardi,
M. B. Richards,
Jas. A. Jernstad,
Evert Laine,
E. G. Muck.

The report of the County Trespass Agent was received and ordered filed by the Chairman.

The monthly reports of County Treasurer, Jail Physician, Red Cross Nurse and Morgan Heights Sanatorium.

✓ A resolution from Tuscola County Board of Supervisors opposing legalization of slot machines, was read. Supervisor Nardi, supported by Supervisor Annala, moved it be filed.

✓ A resolution from the Chippewa County Board of Supervisors endorsing the County normal system and urging its continuance was read. On motion of Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Nardi, it was referred to the County Educational Committee.

✓ The following report compiled by Supervisor Stakel showing expenditures and appropriation for welfare work for the calendar year 1937, was presented. Supervisor Stakel moved the report be made part of the minutes of this meeting, Supported by Supervisor Muck and unanimously carried.

COUNTY OF MARQUETTE

Summary of the Expenditures and Appropriations for All Kinds of Welfare Work, Relief and Assistance Rendered by the County Alone for Calendar Year 1937.

Appropriations made to the Emergency Relief Commission	\$	54,946.08
Cost of Operating County Infirmary		14,017.67
Hospitalization and Medical Care by Poor Commission		46,653.59
Salaries and General Expense, County Poor Commission		8,160.43
Poor Commissioners' Salaries and Expense		600.00
State Institutions and Public Charges, Adult Afflicted		27,049.26
Amount Paid to Other Counties for Marquette County Residents by Poor Comm.		242.00
Burial of Indigents		2,440.59
Board and Clothing for Delinquent and Dependent Children		4,518.08
Mothers' Pensions and care of Afflicted Children		14,600.00
Conveying Afflicted Children		52.82
County Welfare Agents' Department, for clerical hire and office expenses		970.41
Appropriations for Orphanages		1,100.00
Marquette County Chapter, American Red Cross		1,600.00
Cost of Dental Clinic for Indigents		96.00
Soldiers' Welfare Relief Fund		370.50
Contagious Diseases		4,916.99
Care of Tubercular Indigents at Morgan Hts. Sanatorium (County Amount Only)		46,364.18

Grand Total \$ 228,698.60

Supervisor Stakel addressed the Board and cited the deplorable and dangerous condition of the highways during the recent three day storm and for two weeks afterwards and commended the Marquette County Road Commission through Mr. Sawyer for its emergency purchase of a new "Sno-go" unit to facilitate the opening of the roads so necessary to the welfare of the County.

Numerous statistics were presented to show the necessity of snow removal in this County by Supervisor Stakel and K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent of the Marquette County Road Commission. Supervisor Stakel moved that \$20,000.00 of the County Debt

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Service fund be transferred to the County Road fund for the purchase of the "Sno-go" unit and for reconditioning old equipment used during the severe storm. The motion was supported by Supervisor St. Onge.

Supervisor Nicholas addressed the Board at this juncture and moved an amendment to the above motion, wherein the balance or remainder of the County Debt Service fund also be transferred to the County Road fund for the express purpose of purchasing additional snow removal equipment. The amendment was supported by Supervisor Annala and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Annala, Biegler, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, St. Onge, Stenglein, Sundlie, Swanson, Swanson, Toms, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--37.

Nays: None.

The original motion as amended was also carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Annala, Biegler, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perring, Price, Richards, Sanders, Stakel, St. Onge, Stenglein, Sundlie, Swanson, Swanson, Toms, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--37.

Nays: None.

Supervisor Jernstad moved that the Board extend a vote of thanks to Mr. K. I. Sawyer, the Marquette County Road Commission and all its organization for the splendid and heroic work accomplished during the recent unprecedented storm period. Also, that the Clerk be instructed to forward a letter embodying the above motion to the Marquette County Road Commission to display on its bulletin boards to acquaint all employees with the action of the Board in this respect. Supported by Supervisor Gribble and unanimously carried.

There being no further business, on motion of Supervisor Dobson, supported by Supervisor Erkkila, the Board adjourned until Wednesday, the 23rd day of March, A. D. 1938, at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

Paul Van Riper

Chairman

Lloyd DePasser

Clerk

Marquette, Mich., March 23, 1938

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of March, A. D. 1938, at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Paul Van Riper.

The roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present:

Annala, Biegler, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Sanders, St. Onge, Stenglein, Sundlie, Swanson, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Absent: Stakel--1.

At the suggestion of Supervisor Nicholas the minutes of the previous meeting were ordered read by the Chairman.

A communication from Mr. K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent of the Marquette County Road Commission, relative to the motion of Supervisor Jernstad at the last meeting, which motion commended the organization for its splendid work during the storm period of January, was read. On behalf of the organization, Mr. Sawyer thanked the Board for their gracious expression of thanks. The communication was ordered filed by the Chairman.

✓
A communication from St. Luke's Hospital, stating that effec-

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tive March 1st the hospital would be unable to admit contagious disease cases for less than \$4.50 a day, due to the great cost of hospitalization, was read. On motion of Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Gribble, the communication was referred to the Budget and Executive Committee.

✓ A communication from the Marquette County Bar Association, requesting the Board to appoint a Committee to work with the Association in investigating the feasibility of establishing a proposed new law library in the Court House, was read. Supervisor Dobson moved that the request be granted and that the Chairman appoint a Committee of five to cooperate with the Bar Association. Supported by Supervisor Stenglein and carried. The Chairman appointed the Supervisors from Marquette City as a Committee with Supervisor Stenglein as the Chairman of same.

✓ The following communication from the Marquette County Road Commission was read, and Supervisor Nicholas moved it be referred to the Auditing Committee for examination and to report back to the Board at the next meeting. Supported by Supervisor Dobson and carried.

Board of County Road Commissioners
Ishpeming, Mich., March 18, 1938.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:--Please accept our thanks for the grant of \$41,683.42, being the amount of money which is the balance left in the fund transferred to the County Road Commission account, for the purchase of snow removal equipment, by action of your Board at their February meeting.

We have utilized this fund to make the following purchases and the machinery is now all in our possession and is being used to good advantage under the conditions which exist:

TU 8 Snogo complete	\$16,067.00
Loading attachment for same	508.73
RD 8 Diesel Caterpillar Tractor complete	8,095.38
LaPlant Choate Plow with accessories for power control	3,040.95
FBS Walters Truck and accessories	9,649.40
Walters Type Frink Plow and hydraulic controls	1,400.00
Walters center ice cutting blade	900.00
Balance applied on renewal and rehabilitation of County tractors	<u>2,021.96</u>
	\$41,683.42

With reference to the amount applied on tractor renewals, the County Road Commission has repaired and rehabilitated and put in working condition, Tractors 102, 103, 106, 107 and 108. In doing this work, we have purchased \$2823.86 worth of parts and spent approximately the same amount in labor.

Also in addition to the purchases which we made from your grant, and for protection of the people in the County under the conditions which exist, the County Road Commission purchased with road monies after the big blizzard, but before your grant was made, one Snogo, so that there are now three Snogos owned by the County.

In addition to the above, the County Road Commission has purchased an Angle Dozer attachment for the LaPlant Choate Plow and also summer pads for the Diesel Tractor so that this tractor outfit may be used in Angle Dozer work both on snow, ice and in summer operations. This outfit has approximately 50% more power than any tractor outfit previously owned.

The addition of the machinery which has been made possible by your grant, has placed the County Road Commission in a position so that the providing of snow plow service is now much more secure.

Thanking you for this prompt action in the meeting of the emergency which existed, we are,

Yours truly,
Board of County Road Commissioners,
By K. I. Sawyer, Supt.

Applications for County Jail Physician and County Physician tendered by the incumbents, were read and ordered tabled until the next meeting.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and on motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor St. Onge, it was adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Annala, Biegler, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Sanders, St. Onge, Stenglein, Sundlie, Swanson, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Nays: None.

✓ The following report of the Buildings, Grounds and Insurance Committee was read. Supervisor Gribble moved it be adopted and that the Clerk be authorized to receive bids when plans and specifications are completed, also that the project be approved by the Prosecuting Attorney. Supported by Supervisor Mongrain and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

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Yeas: Annala, Biegler, Danielson, DeGroat, Dobson, Erkkila, Ewing, Ghiardi, Goulette, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Laine, Mackey, Miller, Mitchell, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Sanders, St. Onge, Stenglein, Sundlie, Swanson, Swanson, Toms, Weiland, Wiseman, Yelle and Van Riper--38.

Nays: None.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:-- Your Committee on Buildings, Grounds and Insurance met in session at the Court House on Saturday, March 12, 1938, at 1:30 p.m. for the purpose of discussing the building of the new Detention Home as an integral part of and addition to the Deputy Sheriff's residence on Spring Street. This proposal was referred to our Committee at the November meeting of your Honorable Board to report back at a future meeting.

Tentative drawings were submitted and the following new construction and repairs to existing conditions are recommended:

1. That the building be a two story addition of cinder block fireproof construction with stuccoed exterior.
2. Room to be 10x10x7 firred and metal lathed and plastered with cement.
3. Bar joist construction throughout and ceiling to be insulated with a built-up roof.
4. Each room to have one toilet and wash-basin, two cots, two stools and the tables fastened to the wall.
5. Two doors at entrance; one steel door with screen and one wood.
6. Steel sash to be used with a 6"xl8" light to eliminate use of bars and covered with a 16 gauge galvanized iron screen.

To facilitate this work, pantry in present house must be removed and cupboards built in kitchen of present residence.

Also that the present heating plant be adequately renovated in keeping with the rest of the project.

Your Committee has interviewed the Welfare Agent and the Probate Judge and find our recommendations are in compliance with statutes relative to this project.

The total estimate of this project ready for occupancy is \$2,174.40.

We recommend the adoption of this resolution and that plans and specifications be drawn up, but actual construction not to start until after organization of new Board and Committees.

Thomas Gribble,
Chairman.

Joseph Mongrain,
Gust Danielson,
James Nardi,
John Ghiardi,
John T. Dobson,
Joseph Yelle.

The following report of the Budget and Executive Committee was read, and Supervisor Perkins, supported by Supervisor Price, moved for its adoption. Motion was unanimously carried.

Marquette, Mich., March 16, 1938.

To the Honorable Chairman,
and County Board of Supervisors,
Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:--Your Budget and Executive Committee to whom was referred the letter from the State Employment Office, which is affiliated with the Federal Employment office, requesting a specific amount of not more than \$50.00 each month for the maintenance of the Central Office in the City of Marquette, recommend that the Board of Supervisors, through its Auditing Committee, approve the expenditures in connection with this office, not to exceed \$35.00 per month in any particular month.

(Signed)
H. E. Perkins,
Paul Van Riper,
Joseph F. Labold,
M. B. Richards,
Chas. J. Stakel.

The following report of the Salary Committee was read. Supervisor Perkins moved it be adopted. Supported by Supervisor Dobson and carried.

Marquette, Mich., March 16, 1938.

To the Honorable Chairman,
and County Board of Supervisors,
Marquette, Michigan.

Gentlemen:--Your Salary Committee after considering the letter of the County Welfare Agent, which was referred to this Committee by the Board of Supervisors at the February meeting, beg to report as follows:

We recommend that the request for an increase in salary of the Welfare Agent's secretary be denied, because of the fact that the Board of Supervisors on November 15th, 1937, adopted a resolution which embodied the following, to-wit:

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"It is understood that the salary schedule as recommended, is to apply only to Deputies, Clerks and Stenographers that are employed in regular County Departments over which the Board of Supervisors has the legal right and authority to fix salaries. The salary schedule as proposed is not applicable to employees of departments over which the State and Federal governments has jurisdiction."

Because of the fact that the Board of Supervisors specifically adopted this resolution, your Salary Committee feel that the entire Board has already settled the question of salary for the Secretary of the County Welfare Agent's department, because, the Board of Supervisors has no jurisdiction over that particular department.

Furthermore, we wish to call your attention to the fact that in adopting the budget for the fiscal year September 1st, 1937 to August 31st, 1938, at the Annual Meeting held in October 1937, the appropriation of the County Welfare Agent's department was limited to \$1,100.00, which covered the salary of the stenographer, stationary, office supplies, telephone, telegrams and miscellaneous items. In the making up of this budget it was contemplated that the portion of the Agent's secretary's salary to be paid by the County, would not exceed \$55.00 per month.

We also recommend that the materials requested for conducting psychiatric tests, which were formerly conducted at the Branch Prison, be denied. We understand that the State has paid for these tests in the past, and we feel that if the Welfare Agent's department can show a saving by having the Welfare Agent himself conduct these tests, that the State should furnish the necessary materials.

(Signed)

H. E. Perkins,
T. J. Nicholas,
Chas. J. Stakel.

The report of the County Trespass Agent was received and ordered filed by the Chairman.

The monthly reports of County Treasurer, Superintendents of the Poor and Morgan Heights Sanatorium were read and ordered filed by the Chairman.

The Chairman ordered the Clerk to read the monthly reports of the Justices of the Peace of the County at each monthly meeting.

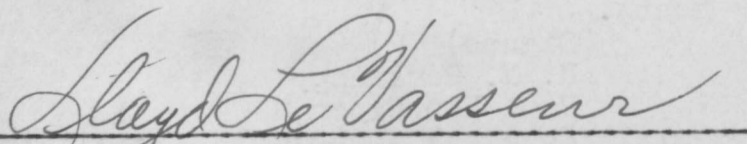
Supervisor Dobson brought up the question of the salaries of the Poor Commission and stated that in his opinion they were too high and suggested investigation of same. Supervisor Nicholas moved that the question be referred to the Poor Contact Committee. Supported by Supervisor Nardi and carried.

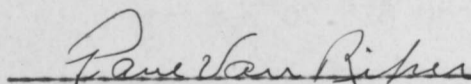
After laudatory remarks by members of the Board, praising Mr. Sawyer and Mr. Voelker for their splendid work in preparing the County defense in the cases of the cities of Marquette, Ishpeming and Negaunee against the County for the return of weight and gas tax money, Supervisor Nicholas moved the legislation Committee be authorized to draw up a resolution embodying the above. Supported by Supervisor Annala and carried.

Supervisor Nightingale moved that the present Auditing Committee be authorized to audit the bills for the next meeting. Supported by Supervisor Dobson and carried.

Before adjournment the Chairman, Dr. Paul Van Riper, expressed his thanks to all members of the Board for the splendid cooperation with him in the past year and said it was deeply gratifying to work with such a pleasant and conscientious group of County representatives.

There being no further business, it was moved by Supervisor Dobson that the Board adjourn, subject to the Call of the Clerk. Supported by Supervisor Price and carried.


Clerk


Chairman.

Marquette, Mich., April 14, 1938.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Marquette County met, pursuant to a call duly made at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Thursday, the 14th day of April, A.D. 1938, at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Clerk.

The following call was read:

COUNTY OF MARQUETTE
OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK

Marquette, Mich., April 7, 1938

Mr. Lloyd LeVasseur, Clerk,
Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

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Dear Sir:--You are hereby requested to call a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of said County to convene at the Court House in the City of Marquette, on Thursday, the 14th day of April, A. D. 1938, at 2:00 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of organization and transaction of such business as may properly come before the meeting.

Chas. J. Stakel,
P. R. Perring,
Gust Danielson,
James Nardi,
W. J. Wiseman,
Thos. O. Price,
Joseph DeGroat,
H. S. Nightingale,
Paul VanRiper,
Joseph Mongrain,
Jas. A. Jernstad,
John G. Stenglein,
Matt Mackey.

The roll being called, the following Supervisors were found to be present:

Allen, Bergeron, Biegler, Cooper, Danielson, DeGroat, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Larson, Mackey, Miller, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Parsons, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Rose, Solem, Stakel, Stenglein, St. Onge, Swanson, Toms, Tullila, Weiland, Wm. J. Wiseman, Sol Wiseman, Yelle and VanRiper--39.

Absent: None.

The Clerk stated the first order of business was the selection of a Chairman for the ensuing year.

Supervisor Gribble moved that Supervisor VanRiper be nominated for Chairman. Supported by Supervisor Muck.

No more nominations being offered it was moved by Supervisor Ewing, supported by Supervisor Jernstad and carried, that the nominations be closed. Supervisor Van Riper was then elected Chairman by the unanimous vote of all Supervisors.

The Chairman addressed the Board and expressed his appreciation for the cooperation extended him in the past and also cited the great relief load facing the County at the present time and that economy should be the watchword for the coming year.

It was moved by Supervisor Wm. J. Wiseman, supported by Supervisor Biegler, that the same rules of order as used in the past be again adopted for the ensuing year.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were ordered read by the Chairman.

At this juncture the Chairman introduced and welcomed the new Supervisors to the Board.

✓ A communication from J. P. Zirkaloso, Chairman of the Port of Detroit Authority, requesting an appropriation for study of the St. Lawrence Seaway project, was read. On motion of Supervisor Nardi, supported by Supervisor Allen, it was referred to the Budget and Executive Committee.

✓ A communication from Supervisor DeGroat of Wells Township, asking the Marquette County Road Commission to gravel road No. 426, was read. Supervisor Jernstad moved it be referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee and the Marquette County Road Commission.

A communication from Oliver Putz, President of the County Clerks Association, requesting the attendance of the Clerk at the convention to be held in Hastings, Michigan, was read. Supervisor Wm. J. Wiseman moved the Clerk be authorized to attend if he saw fit. Supported by Supervisor Gribble and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Allen, Bergeron, Biegler, Cooper, Danielson, DeGroat, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Larson, Mackey, Miller, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Parsons, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Rose, Solem, Stakel, Stenglein, St. Onge, Swanson, Toms, Tullila, Weiland, Wm. J. Wiseman, Sol Wiseman, Yelle and VanRiper--39.

Nays: None.

✓ The following communication from K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent of the Marquette County Road Commission, was read. It was moved by Supervisor Perring, supported by Supervisor St. Onge, that the communication be referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee and the Marquette County Road Commission.

Board of County Road Commissioners

Ishpeming, Mich., April 13, 1938.

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Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen: On July 25th, 1934 your Board approved a code of procedure pertaining to road work which had been passed by the Board of County Road Commissioners on July 17th, 1934 and which contained the following paragraph:

"If improvements are desired on any highways adopted after January 1, 1931, more than can be paid for as specified in Paragraph 8, the cost of such improvement may be borne jointly by the Township in which the improvement lies and the County; arrangements therefore are to be made between the County and the Township in accordance with said Act No. 130. In every instance of such improvement the Township shall pay the percentage of the cost thereof as shall be determined by the Board of County Road Commissioners, provided that on Secondary Highways and Trails the Township shall not be required to pay less than 10 per cent nor more than 50 per cent of the cost of such improvement."

In negotiations carried on with the various Townships over the past several weeks pertaining to improvements on McNitt Roads under the McNitt Act, your County Road Commission has indicated that it was their intent to have this work split on a 50-50 basis, which is in accordance with the code as adopted, but not necessarily limited to that basis by this code.

We have discussed this matter with several of the Supervisors and find that a 50-50 split would not result in a practical solution of this finance problem, and after thorough discussion we feel that there should be a difference in the amount of cost of improving McNitt Roads which should be borne by the different Townships and that it should include consideration of the ability of the Township to pay. Pursuant to that thought, we have taken the underlying idea of the Aldrich Act, under which the County participated building trunk line highways, as a basis and at a meeting of the Board of County Road Commissioners held yesterday, the following action was had:

"The Superintendent reported on negotiations concerning the participation of the various Townships in the cost of making improvements on the McNitt Roads under the McNitt Act.

The matter was discussed at length and on motion of Mr. Archibald, seconded by Mr. Elliott and unanimously carried, the following schedule for participation by the Townships was approved:

For Townships having a valuation up to \$400,000, 20 per cent of the cost of improvement to be borne by the Township and 80 per cent by the County.

For Townships having a valuation of over \$400,000 and not exceeding \$600,000, 30 per cent of the cost of improvement to be borne by the Township and 70 per cent by the County.

For the Townships having a valuation in excess of \$600,000 and not exceeding \$1,000,000, 40 per cent of the cost of improvement to be borne by the Township and 60 per cent by the County.

For Townships having a valuation in excess of \$1,000,000, 50 per cent of the cost of improvement to be borne by the Township and 50 per cent by the County."

Inasmuch as this pertains to matters which will be coming before your Board from time to time, and inasmuch as these percentages are subject to review of your Board, and inasmuch as fairness between Townships requires that some uniform rule be applied, we request that your Committee on County Roads and Bridges be instructed to meet with the Board of County Road Commissioners for further consideration of the above.

For your convenience I am attaching copy of entire code as adopted.

Yours truly,

BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS,
By K. I. Sawyer, Supt.

A communication from Lynn D. Allen, Clerk of the Oakland County Board of Supervisors, requesting attendance of the Register of Deeds to the convention to be held in June at Pontiac, was read. It was moved by Supervisor St. Onge that the Register of Deeds be authorized to attend. Supported by Supervisor Mackey and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Allen, Bergeron, Biegler, Cooper, Danielson, DeGroat, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Larson, Mackey, Miller, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Parsons, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Rose, Solem, Stakel, Stenglein, St. Onge, Swanson, Toms, Tullila, Weiland, Wm. J. Wiseman, Sol Wiseman, Yelle and VanRiper--39.

Nays: None.

The report of the Auditing Committee was read, and on motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Muck, was adopted by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Allen, Bergeron, Biegler, Cooper, Danielson, DeGroat, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Larson, Mackey, Miller, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Parsons, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Rose, Solem, Stakel, Stenglein, St. Onge, Swanson, Toms, Tullila, Weiland, Wm. J. Wiseman, Sol Wiseman, Yelle and VanRiper--39.

Nays: None.

The following report of the Auditing Committee was read, and on motion of Supervisor Nightingale, supported by Supervisor Mongrain and carried, was adopted:

Negaunee, Mich., April 14, 1938.

Honorable Board of Supervisors,
Marquette County, Michigan.

Gentlemen:--Your Auditing Committee, to whom was referred the communication from Mr. K. I. Sawyer, Superintendent, dated March 18, 1938, pertaining to the purchase of snow removal equipment, report that they met with Mr. Sawyer at Marquette on April 13th and also examined the County records and give below our findings.

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1. County Treasurer's records show Transfer Voucher No. 1077, dated March 9, 1938, to County Road Commission for the sum of \$41,683.42.

2. Attached statement shows the voucher numbers, name of manufacturer items purchased, and amounts expended covering the above appropriation, which are as follows:

Voucher		
No.		
6025--Klauer Mfg. Co.-----	\$16,067.00	One Snogo
do -----	508.73	Loading attachment for Snogo
6116--Brebner-Sinz Machinery Co.-----	8,095.38	Tractor RD8 Diesel Caterpillar
do -----	3,040.95	LaPlant Choate Plow with accessories
6117--Bark River Bridge & Culver Co.-----	9,649.40	Walters Truck fully equipped
do -----	1,400.00	Walters Type Truck Plow and hydraulic controls
6126--Bark River Bridge & Culvert Co.-----	900.00	Walters Ice Cutting Blade
Total Exp. for Equipment----- \$39,661.46		

Balance of appropriation expended for material parts, etc., for rehabilitation of County Equipment covered by various vouchers as per statement attached - - - - -

----- 2,021.96

TOTAL - - - - - \$41,683.42

3. General information:

In addition to the expenditures enumerated above the County Road Commission purchased with County Road moneys, one Snogo, this together with the one purchased with the Board of Supervisors' grant and one previously owned makes a total of three Snogos owned by the County. They also purchased Angledozer attachment for the LaPlant Choate Plow and summer attachments for the Diesel Tractor besides rehabilitating five tractors, purchasing parts for same amounting to \$2,823.86, and an equal amount in labor.

Respectfully submitted,
H. S. Nightingale,
Chairman.

Thomas Gribble,
Paul VanRiper,
W. J. Wiseman,
Joseph Mongrain,
James Nardi,
Gust Danielson.

The monthly reports of County Treasurer, Superintendents of the Poor, County Jail Physician and Red Cross Nurse were read and ordered filed.

A resolution from the Gogebic County Board of Supervisors stating the necessity of stringent fire prevention measures to safeguard our natural resources, was read. Supervisor Mongrain, supported by Supervisor Wiseman, moved that the resolution be filed.

Supervisor DeGroat addressed the Board and read a few letters from traveling salesmen stating the deplorable condition of the roads in Wells Township. A previous request of Supervisor DeGroat was referred to the Highways and Bridges Committee, so no action was taken in the above.

Four reports of fines collected by Justices of the Peace were read. Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Biegler, moved they be referred to the Auditing Committee.

Applications of Dr. C. L. LeGolván and Dr. Charles N. Bottum for appointment as County Jail Physician and County Physician laid on the table at the last meeting, were presented.

✓ Supervisor Wm. J. Wiseman moved that the Clerk case a unanimous ballot for the appointment of Dr. C. L. LeGolván as County Jail Physician for the next year. Supported by Supervisor Mongrain and carried.

✓ Supervisor Wm. J. Wiseman moved that the Clerk cast a unanimous ballot also for the appointment of Dr. Charles N. Bottum as County Physician for the ensuing year. Supported by Supervisor Mongrain and carried.

✓ Supervisor Nicholas brought up the question of the minutes of the meeting being prepared in pamphlet form for distribution to the Supervisors and asked for clarification of the matter. Supervisor Nightingale said the Chairman authorized him to investigate the cost, etc., and to report to the Board. Supervisor Nightingale stated the investigation was in process and cost would be submitted as soon as procured.

Supervisor Nicholas moved that the Auditing Committee be empowered to go ahead with this matter, thus eliminating any delay in the obtaining of these pamphlets for use of the members of the Board. The motion was supported by Supervisor Nardi and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Allen, Bergeron, Biegler, Cooper, Danielson, DeGroat, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Larson, Mackey, Miller, Mongrain,

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Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Parsons, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Rose, Solem, Stakel, Stenglein, St. Onge, Swanson, Toms, Tullila, Weiland, Wm. J. Wiseman, Sol Wiseman, Yelle and VanRiper--39.

Nays: None.

Supervisor Stenglein, Chairman of the Bar Association Committee for investigation, said the Prosecuting Attorney was contacted and that he would exchange offices with those in the Consultation Chamber. Supervisor Stenglein stated the County Bar Association wished to know if the Board would assume the cost of the necessary shelving for the law books and moved the request be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee. Supported by Supervisor Price and carried.

Supervisor Nightingale nominated R. S. Archibald to succeed himself as County Road Commissioner and moved the nomination be tabled until the next meeting. Supported by Supervisor Danielson and carried.

Supervisor Stakel addressed the Board and suggested Marquette County supply a stone for the memorial to Hugh Gray of Grand Rapids, head of the Western Michigan Tourist Association. He stated he had found a beautiful stone suitable for the purpose and suggested the Board authorize an inscription to be made on this stone. He stated the cost would be in the neighborhood of ten or fifteen dollars as the transportation was gratis and moved that the request be referred to the Budget and Executive Committee. Supported by Supervisor Nardi.

Supervisor Perring offered an amendment to the above wherein Supervisor Stakel and Supervisor Biegler be authorized to spend up to \$15.00 for the above request. Supported by Supervisor Muck and carried by the following Yea and Nay vote:

Yeas: Allen, Bergeron, Biegler, Cooper, Danielson, DeGroat, Ewing, Ghiardi, Gribble, Halmeoja, Jernstad, Labold, Larson, Mackey, Miller, Mongrain, Muck, Mussatto, Nardi, Nicholas, Nightingale, Parsons, Perkins, Perring, Price, Richards, Rose, Solem, Stakel, Stenglein, St. Onge, Swanson, Toms, Tullila, Weiland, Wm. J. Wiseman, Sol Wiseman, Yelle and VanRiper--39.

Nays: None.

Frank Russell, Jr. addressed the Board and referred to the resolution from Gogebic County relative to fire prevention and asked the Board to draw up a resolution similar in nature to the one presented by Gogebic County. Supervisor Nicholas moved that the resolution above mentioned be referred to the Conservation Committee. Supported by Supervisor Nardi and carried.

Supervisor Nicholas moved that the Chairman be authorized to confer with City officials of the County in regard to Daylight Saving Time, so that the County and the Cities would go on the new time simultaneously. Supported by Supervisor Nardi and carried.

Sheriff Hansen addressed the Board and requested the Board to look into the matter of repairs to the Sheriff's residence. On motion of Supervisor Nicholas, supported by Supervisor Halmeoja, the request was referred to the Buildings, Grounds and Insurance Committee.

Supervisor Jernstad addressed the Board and praised Supervisor Van Riper for his able guidance in the past year. Also lauded the work of Supervisor Stakel of the Finance Committee, K. I. Sawyer of the County Road Commission, the Clerk and other department heads that have done much to make such a splendid record for the Board.

There being no further business, it was moved by Supervisor Mongrain, supported by Supervisor Nardi, that the Board adjourn until Wednesday, the 18th day of May, A. D. 1938, at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

Paul Van Riper

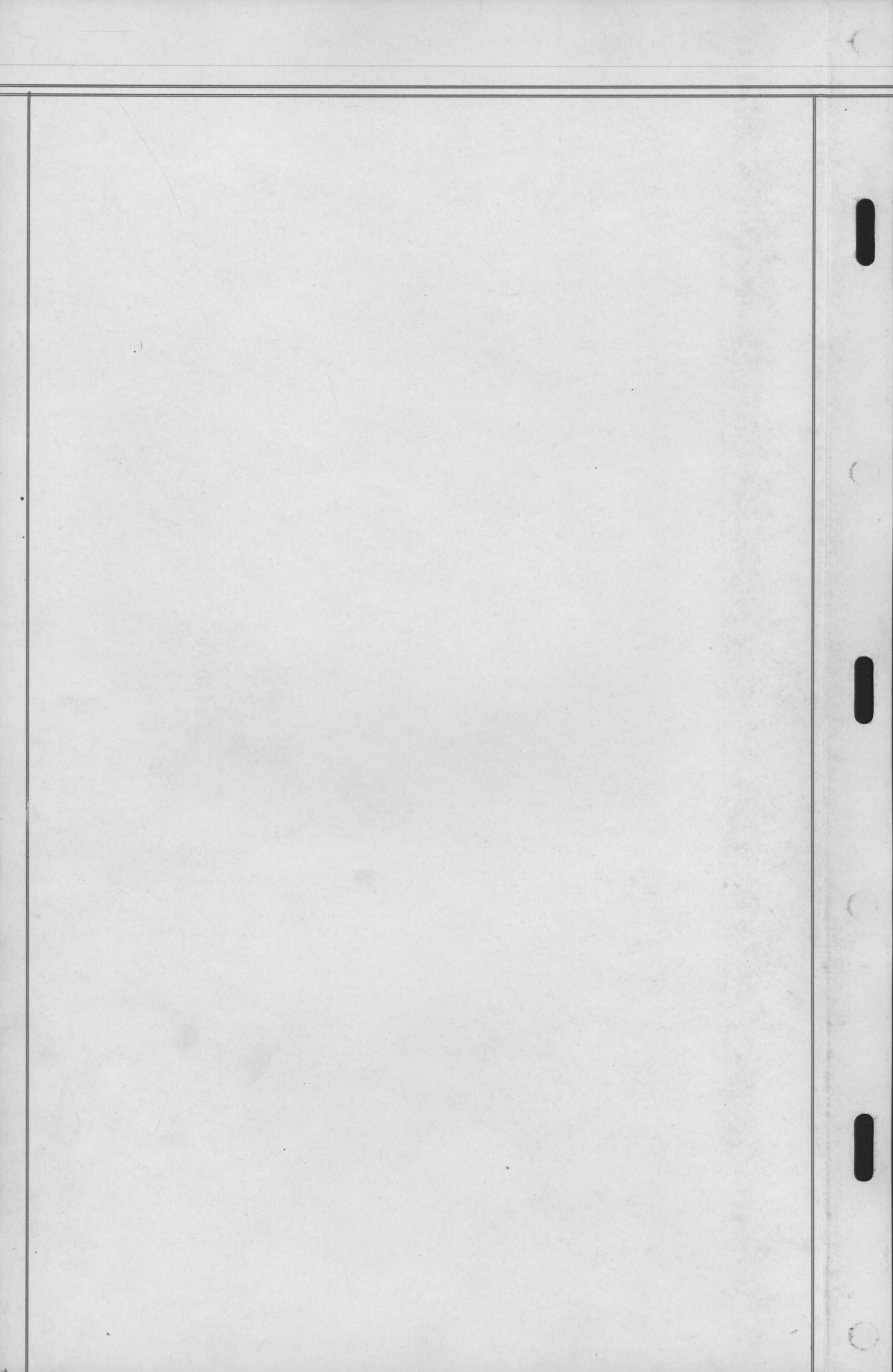
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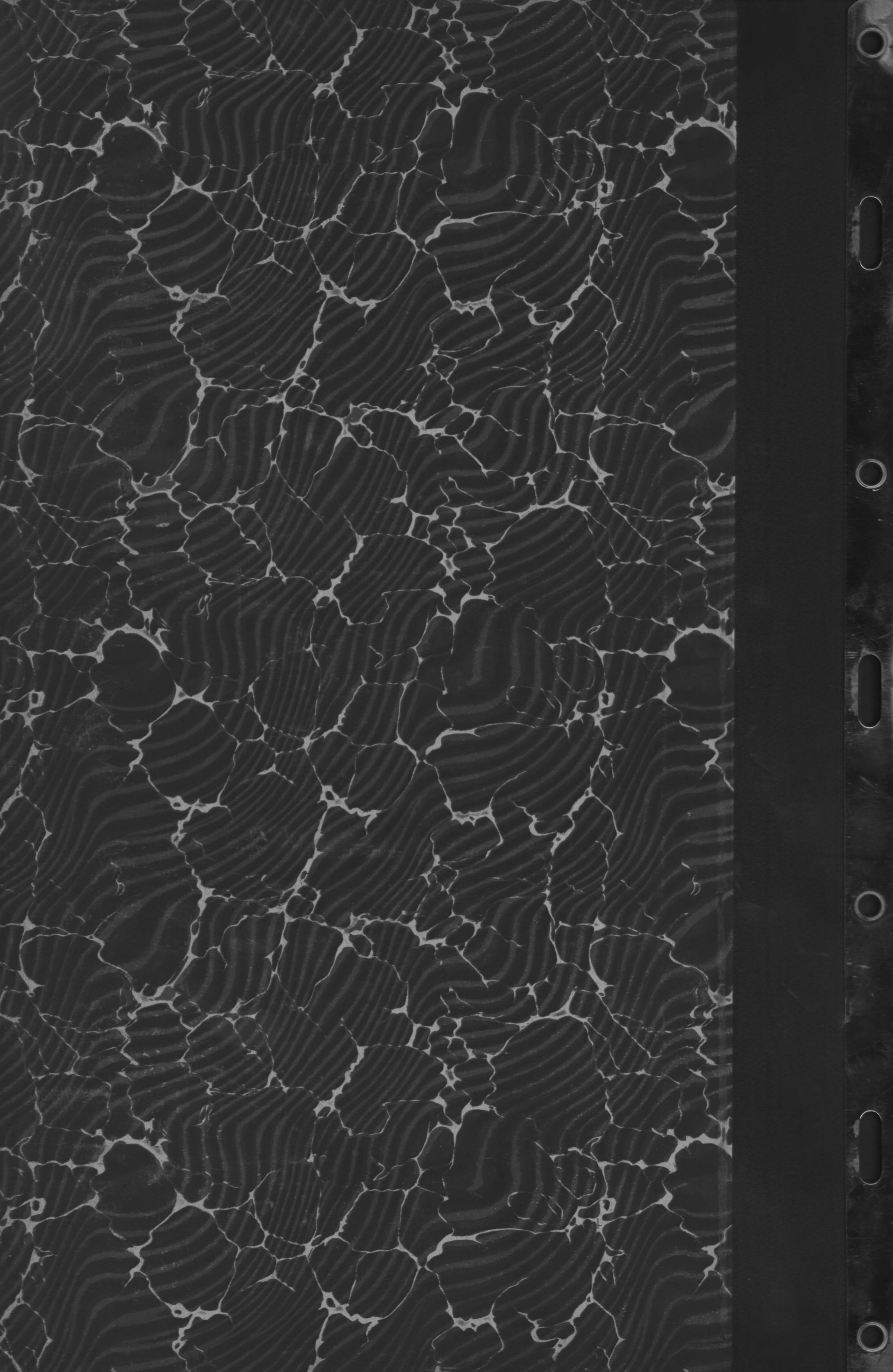
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