

**Official Proceedings**  
of the  
**Meetings**  
of the  
**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**  
of  
**Portage County**  
**Wisconsin**

**January 10, 1950**

**April 18, 1950**

**June 6, 1950**

**August 8, 1950**

**November 6, 1950**

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**CARL ROSHOLT** ..... **Chairman**  
**HENRY W. STINSON** ..... **Vice Chairman**  
**ANNE T. STROJNY** ..... **County Clerk**

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS  
OF THE  
ADJOURNED SESSION  
OF THE  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
OF  
PORTAGE COUNTY, WISCONSIN  
January 10, A. D., 1950  
FIRST DAY

The county board of supervisors of Portage county met in adjourned session in the circuit court room at the court house in the city of Stevens Point, Wisconsin, at 10:00 o'clock in the morning, January 10, A. D., 1950.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman.

The county clerk called the roll of members as follows:

Town of Alban, David Simonis.  
Town of Almond, Arleigh Hetzel.  
Town of Amherst, Henry Swenson.  
Town of Belmont, Henry Stinson.  
Town of Buena Vista, Arthur Hintz.  
Town of Carson, Martin Poliwoda.  
Town of Dewey, Peter Kawleski.  
Town of Eau Pleine, Frank Beck.  
Town of Grant, Anton Palek.  
Town of Hull, Joseph Wojcik, Jr.  
Town of Lanark, Thomas Morgan.  
Town of Linwood, John Pascavis.  
Town of New Hope, Russell Krogwold.  
Town of Pine Grove, Vilas Waterman.  
Town of Plover, Merrill West.  
Town of Sharon, Henry Schulist.  
Town of Stockton, Frank Mager.  
Village of Almond, John Rath.  
Village of Amherst, Thomas A. Guyant.  
Village of Amherst Junction, Emil Kostuch.  
Village of Junction City, Paul B. Kitowski.  
Village of Nelsonville, William Frizzell.  
Village of Park Ridge, Horace C. Atkins.  
Village of Rosholt, Carl Rosholt.  
Village of Whiting, Barney F. Omernick.  
City of Stevens Point. First ward, H. L. Kurtzweil.  
City of Stevens Point. Second ward, H. C. Welty.  
City of Stevens Point. Third ward, George E. Vaughan.  
City of Stevens Point. Fourth ward, John N. Jakusz.  
City of Stevens Point. Fifth ward, Lawrence Hehal.  
City of Stevens Point. Sixth ward, George Lutz.  
City of Stevens Point. Seventh ward, Vincent G., Jurgella.

City of Stevens Point, Eighth ward, J. M. Marshall.  
City of Stevens Point, Ninth ward, Nat Kinney.

All members present, except Supervisors Palek, Waterman, and Omernick, absent.

Miss Mae Roach, chairman of the Red Cross chapter of Portage county, appeared before the board and asked each chairman to send in a list of volunteer Red Cross workers to her: Her appearance before the board was for the purpose of getting assistance in revising a directory of volunteer workers.

Resolution No. 50 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 50**

Be it hereby resolved that the county clerk be, and she is hereby authorized to attend the county clerk's institute to be held with co-operation of the bureau of government of the University of Wisconsin extension division on March 13th and 14th, 1950.

H. L. KURTZWEIL  
H. C. WELTY

Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Rath that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Resolution No. 51 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 51**

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

Whereas, at the present time there are more than 75 World war two veterans eligible for on-the-job-farm-training who have made application to the county agent's office for this training, and

Whereas, in order to take care of them before the deadline of July 27, 1951, it is necessary to put on additional farm trainers, and

Whereas, in order to accomplish this, the revolving fund for these trainers should be increased by \$2,000.00.

Therefore, be it resolved, that the farm-trainer revolving fund be increased by \$2,000.00.

JOSEPH WOJCIK, JR.  
EMIL KOSTUCH  
THOMAS E. MORGAN  
RUSSELL KROGWOLD  
ARTHUR HINTZ

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Kostuch that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 31 ayes, and 3 absent. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, West, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Kurtzweil, Welty, Vaughan, Jakusz, Hebal, Lutz, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisors Palek, Waterman, and Omernick were absent.

Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Krogwold that the board allow the three highway committee members to attend the convention in Milwaukee on January 24, 25th, and 26th, and allow their room expenses. Motion carried.

H. L. Kurtzweil, chairman of the building and grounds committee, passed out the annual report of the committee for the year 1949 as follows:

<b>Annual Report of Building and Grounds Committee for Year 1949</b>		
<b>Court House</b>	<b>Budget</b>	<b>Expend.</b>
Coal and furnace repairs .....	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 922.82
Electric lights and bulbs .....	840.00	720.24
Water, court house and lawn .....	100.00	182.15
Office equipment and repairs .....	800.00	920.54
Supplies .....	600.00	389.18

Painting and repairs .....	740.00	1,299.47
Addressograph Dept. ....	100.00	34.28
Janitor .....	1,920.00	1,920.00
<b>Total court house</b> .....	<b>\$ 6,300.00</b>	<b>\$ 6,438.68</b>
<b>Annex</b>		
Coal and furnace .....	\$ 600.00	\$ 290.49
Electric lights and gas .....	300.00	299.30
Water .....	30.00	55.43
Office equipment .....	250.00	193.80
Supplies .....	200.00	300.95
Repairs and paint .....	300.00	371.40
Janitor .....	1,920.00	1,920.00
<b>Total court house annex</b> .....	<b>\$ 3,600.00</b>	<b>\$ 3,431.37</b>
<b>Jail</b>		
Coal and furnace .....	\$ 900.00	\$ 867.47
Gas and lights .....	500.00	520.51
Water .....	80.00	86.61
Office equipment .....	—	108.80
Supplies .....	500.00	369.16
Repairs and paint .....	820.00	836.86
<b>Total jail</b> .....	<b>2,800.00</b>	<b>2,789.41</b>
<b>Jail-annex-ct. house totals</b> .....	<b>\$12,700.00</b>	<b>\$12,659.46</b>
Co. home water for fire protection .....	***	56.25
<b>Grand total</b> .....	<b>\$12,700.00</b>	<b>\$12,715.71</b>

\*\*\* This amount was not included in budget for year 1949 and was paid according to Co. Bd. resolution.

Building & Grounds Committee  
H. L. KURTZWEIL, Chairman  
J. N. JAKUSZ, Member  
NAT KINNEY, Member

Moved by Supervisor Welty and seconded by Supervisor Kostuck that the report be received and filed. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Morgan that the bailiffs of the court be allowed the same per diem as was allowed the jurors last November and that this be retroactive to the last term of court. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Kurtzweil and seconded by Supervisor Marshall that the chair be instructed to appoint a salary committee at this session to set the salaries of the new officers for the next two-year term beginning Jan. 1, 1951, and that this committee act until the organization meeting in April. Motion carried.

The chair made the following appointment to act as a salary committee until April: Frank Mager, Thomas Guyant, and H. C. Welty.

Moved by Supervisor Schulist and seconded by Supervisor Krogwald that the appointment be confirmed. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following communication from the state highway commission:

December 21, 1949

Miss Anne T. Strojny  
County Clerk, Portage County  
Stevens Point, Wisconsin.  
Dear Madam:

SUBJECT: County Trunk Highway  
System Changes

County P-1231  
Portage County

The state highway commission of Wisconsin, at its meeting of December 15, 1949, considered the petition of Portage county for certain changes in the county trunk highway system, and the following action was taken:

1. The addition of a road in the town of Lanark. Beginning at a junction with County Trunk Highway "DD" between Sections 1 and 12, Township 22 North, Range 10 East, thence west between Sections 1 and 12, 2 and 11, 3 and 10, and southwesterly in the northwest one quarter of Section 10 and to a junction with County Trunk Highway "D." Said addition was approved.

2. The addition of a road in the town of New Hope. Beginning at a junction with State Trunk Highway 161 at the south one-quarter corner of Section 32, Township 24 North, Range 10 East, thence north on the one-quarter line of Sections 32, 29, 20, 17, and 8, said township and range, to the center of said Section 8 and a junction with County Trunk Highway "Z." Said addition was approved.

Kindly correct your records and maps to conform to the above action, and notify all parties interested.

Very Truly Yours,  
State Highway Commission of Wis.  
(Signed) WILLIAM P. WARD, Sec.

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Krogwold that the communication be placed on file. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following communication:

September 22, 1949

Mr. Carl Rosholt, Chairman  
Portage County Board of Supervisors  
Rosholt, Wisconsin  
Dear Mr. Rosholt:

On behalf of the 4-H club leaders of Portage county, we wish to take this opportunity to thank the county board for their contribution of \$250 for expenses of the Portage county 4-H livestock exhibit at the Junior State Fair.

The exhibit was an excellent one. In the herdmanship contest, in which 38 counties participated, Portage county received sixth place. Thirteen boys showed seventeen head of cattle, and every boy received a prize on every animal shown at the fair. There were three blue ribbon winners in the group.

Will you kindly convey to the board of supervisors the appreciation of the 4-H club members and leaders.

Sincerely Yours,  
M. P. PINKERTON  
County Agent  
MAE BURNS, Secretary  
Portage County 4-H  
Leaders Organization

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Schulist that the communication be placed on file. Motion carried.

A list of general claims was read by the clerk and referred to the general claims committee.

Moved by Supervisor Atkins and seconded by Supervisor Kinney that the board adjourn until 2:00 p. m. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, January 10, A. D., 1950, 2:00 P. M.  
Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman.  
All members present, as the clerk called the roll, except Sup-

ervisors Waterman, Atkins, and Omernick, absent.

Wendell McHenry, attorney from Waupaca county, and a candidate for circuit judgeship appeared before the board. He outlined his life, experience in law and also urged that every effort be made to get out the vote at the primary election in March.

Supervisor Wojcik excused.

Resolution No. 52 read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 52**

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit a schedule of tax certificates for cancellation for the reason stated herein:

**Town of Carson**

To cancel certificate No. 207, sale of 1944. Erroneous description. Certificate \$2.21, interest \$1.17, total .....	\$ 3.38
To cancel certificate No. 208, sale of 1944. Erroneous description. Certificate \$2.21, interest \$1.17, total .....	3.38
To cancel and charge to the town of Carson.	

**Town of Dewey**

To cancel certificate No. 159, sale of 1946. Exempt (subject to utility tax only). Certificate \$10.36, interest \$3.92, total .....	14.28
To cancel certificate No. 165, sale of 1947. Incomplete and illegal. Certificate \$5.58, interest \$3.30, total .....	.88
To cancel and charge to the town of Dewey.	

**Town of Hull**

To cancel certificate No. 242, sale of 1945. Incomplete description. Certificate \$2.27, interest \$.24, total .....	.51
To cancel certificate No. 282, sale of 1946. Owned by Stevens Point. Certificate \$5.16, interest \$1.96, total .....	7.12
To cancel certificate No. 283, sale of 1946. Owned by Stevens Point. Certificate \$4.13, interest \$1.57, total .....	5.70
To cancel certificate No. 286, sale of 1946. Illegal description. Certificate \$8.25, interest \$3.13, total .....	11.38
To cancel and charge to town of Hull.	

**Town of New Hope**

To cancel certificate No. 545, sale of 1944. Incomplete description. Certificate \$4.43, interest \$.29, total .....	.72
To cancel and charge to the town of New Hope.	

**Town of Pine Grove**

To cancel certificate No. 438, sale of 1946. County owned at assessment time. Certificate \$26.42, interest \$10.19, total .....	36.61
To cancel and charge to the town of Pine Grove.	

**City of Stevens Point**

To cancel certificate No. 688, sale of 1946. County owned at assessment time. Certificate \$4.20, interest \$1.57, total .....	5.77
To cancel and charge to the city of Stevens Point.	

**Town of Hull**

To cancel certificate No. 330, sale of 1947. Owned by Stevens Point. Certificate \$5.83, interest \$1.78, total .....	7.61
To cancel certificate No. 331, sale of 1947. Owned by Stevens Point. Certificate \$4.66, interest \$1.48, total .....	6.14
To cancel certificate No. 332, sale of 1947. Double assessment. Certificate \$9.31, interest \$2.66, total .....	11.97

To cancel certificate No. 399, sale of 1948. Owned by Stevens Point. Certificate \$7.34, interest \$1.40, total .....	8.74
To cancel certificate No. 400, sale of 1948. Owned by Stevens Point. Certificate \$5.86, interest \$1.20, total .....	7.06
To cancel and charge to the town of Hull.	
<b>Town of New Hope</b>	
To cancel certificate No. 504, sale of 1948. Illegal description. Certificate \$.75, interest \$.20, total .....	.95
To cancel certificate No. 659, sale of 1949. Illegal description. Certificate \$1.04, interest \$.11, total .....	1.15
To cancel and charge to the town of New Hope.	
To cancel certificate No. 1475, sale of 1941. Illegal description. Certificate \$.72, interest \$.48, total .....	1.20
To cancel and charge to the town of New Hope.	
Total amount of certificates \$99.73.	

CHARLES A. ANDERSON  
Portage County Treasurer

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Swenson that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called roll, there being 30 ayes, 3 absent and 1 excused. The following members vote aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwald, West, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Rosholt, Kurtzweil, Welty, Vaughan, Jakusz, Hebal, Lutz, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisors Waterman, Atkins, and Omernick, absent and Supervisor Wojcik, excused.

Clerk read the following report of the claims committee:  
January 10, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:  
Gentlemen:

We, your committee on claims met in adjourned session and checked over the claims and have allowed or disallowed them as follows:

	Claimed	Allowed
1. St. Michael's hospital for Medical services .....	\$ 61.50	Laid Over
2. Catherine Zwaska, taking testimony at inquest .....	24.30	\$ 24.30
3. John Dzikowski, Jr., corner's fees .....	49.80	49.80
4. Stevens Point ambulance service, ambulance services .....	16.00	16.00
5. Robert Dombrowski, car damages sustained on county trunk .....	17.50	Dis'lowed
6. W. A. Gramowski, M. D., medical services .....	10.00	10.00
7. Harry B. Pomeroy, 9 days school committee work .....	75.32	75.32
8. Wm. C. Hansen, 7 days school committee work .....	39.48	39.48
9. Lamar A. Moss, 7 days school committee work .....	43.56	43.56
10. Fred Gustin, 7 days school committee work ..	58.14	58.14
11. Arnold Albert, 6 days school committee work ..	38.40	38.40
12. Henry Schulist, 3 days school committee work ..	26.40	26.40
13. George E. Vaughan, 2 days school committee work .....	14.24	14.24
	<u>\$474.64</u>	<u>\$395.64</u>
Total claimed .....	\$474.64	
Total allowed .....	\$395.64	
Total disallowed .....	79.00	

We, your committee on claims, have carefully examined the

bills presented to us and have made corrections wherever necessary. We recommend that the amounts as allowed by the committee be allowed and that county orders be drawn for same.

HENRY SCHULIST  
MARTIN POLIWODA  
J. N. JAKUSZ  
WM. FRIZZELL  
GEORGE E. VAUGHAN

**Schedule of Witness Fees in Justice Court,  
Before W. E. Atwell, Jr., Justice of Peace**

1949	Claimed	Allowed
<b>Nov. 29 — State vs. Percy Newby:</b>		
Kathleen Wise, Plover, Wis., 1 day, 10 miles .....	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.50
Willard Wise, Plover, Wis., 1 day, 10 miles .....	2.50	2.50
<b>Dec. 19 — State vs. Marie Domack:</b>		
Lawrence Borchardt, 222 Prairie St., 1 day, 2 miles ..	2.10	2.10
Steve Konieczka, 403 Washington Ave., 1 day, 2 miles .....	2.10	2.10
Alex Landowski, 116 Bukolt Ave., 1 day, 2 miles ...	2.10	2.10
Gordon Daniels, 912 Shaurette St., 1 day, 2 miles ..	2.10	2.10
Total claimed .....	\$13.40	
Total allowed .....	\$13.40	

**Schedule of Juror and Witness Fees in Coroner's Court  
Before John Dzikoski, Jr., Coroner**

The following jurors were called to view the remains of an unidentified baby on the 8th day of Nov., 1949, at 10:00 p. m. (who died due to asphyxiation).

Juror	Claimed	Allowed
Ed. Boycks, Hotel Whiting, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	\$ 4.10	\$ 4.10
Nick Ossowski, 725 Portage St., 1 day, 2 miles ...	4.10	4.10
John Glodowski, 803 Washington Ave., 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
Francis Knope, 528 Ellis St., 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
Victor Jakusz, 319 N. Phillips St., 1 day, 2 miles ..	4.10	4.10
Ralph Cook, 429½ Church St., 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
	\$ 24.60	\$ 24.60

The following jurors were called to the inquest of the said unidentified baby on the 30th day of Nov., 1949, at 1:00 p. m.

Juror	Claimed	Allowed
Ed. Boycks, Hotel Whiting, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	\$ 4.10	\$ 4.10
Nick Ossowski, 725 Portage St., 1 day, 2 miles ...	4.10	4.10
John Glodowski, 803 Washington Ave., 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
Francis Knope, 528 Ellis St., 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
Victor Jakusz, 319 N. Phillips St., 1 day, 2 miles ...	4.10	4.10
Ralph Cook, 429½ Church St., 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
	\$ 24.60	\$ 24.60

The following witnesses were called to testify:

Witnesses	Claimed	Allowed
E. L. Zeaman, 96 Algoma St., 1 day, 2 miles .....	\$ 4.10	\$ 4.10
Dr. Fred Marrs, 538 Main St., 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
G. H. Palmer, Sparta, Wis., 1 day, 210 miles .....	4.10	4.10
	\$ 12.30	\$ 12.30

**Schedule of Witnesses and Juror Fees in the Coroner's Court  
Before John Dzikoski, Jr., Coroner**

At an inquest concerning the death of Cecelia Sankey of Whiting village, in the county of Portage, state of Wisconsin, who died on the 9th day of Nov., 1949, due to an automobile accident, was held at the city water office, in the city of Stevens Point, county of Portage, state of Wisconsin, on the 22nd day of Nov., 1949.

The following jurors were called to view the remains of the said Cecelia Sankey on the 9th day of Nov., 1949, at 11:30 a. m.

<b>Jurors</b>	<b>Claimed</b>	<b>Allowed</b>
Harold Scribner, 1006 Normal Ave., 1 day, 2 miles	\$ 4.10	\$ 4.10
Gilbert Kirby, 215 S. Michigan Ave., 1 day, 2 miles	4.10	4.10
L. W. Schnittger, 1049 Main St., 1 day, 2 miles	4.10	4.10
Leo Larsen, 121 Wyatt Ave., 1 day, 2 miles	4.10	4.10
Frank Kelly, 331 Ellis St., 1 day, 2 miles	4.10	4.10
Anton Kubisiak, 514 Jefferson St., 1 day, 2 miles	4.10	4.10
	\$ 24.60	\$ 24.60

The following jurors were called to the inquest of the said Cecelia Sankey on the 22nd day of Nov., 1949, at 1:30 p. m.

<b>Jurors</b>	<b>Claimed</b>	<b>Allowed</b>
Harold Scribner, 1006 Normal Ave., 1 day, 2 miles	\$ 4.10	\$ 4.10
Gilbert Kirby, 215 S. Michigan Ave., 1 day, 2 miles	4.10	4.10
L. W. Schnittger, 1049 Main St., 1 day, 2 miles	4.10	4.10
Leo Larsen, 121 Wyatt Ave., 1 day, 2 miles	4.10	4.10
Frank Kelly, 331 Ellis St., 1 day, 2 miles	4.10	4.10
Anton Kubisiak, 514 Jefferson St., 1 day, 2 miles	4.10	4.10
	\$ 24.60	\$ 24.60

The following witnesses were called to testify:

<b>Witnesses</b>	<b>Claimed</b>	<b>Allowed</b>
Dr. W. A. Gramowski, Park Ridge, 1 day, 2 miles	\$ 4.10	\$ 4.10
Harry Stremkowski, R. 4, City, 1 day, 2 miles	4.10	4.10
Barney Bukowski, R. 4, City, 1 day, 2 miles	4.10	4.10
Peter Bluma, 800 Church St., 1 day, 2 miles	4.10	4.10
John Strike, 1046 S. Minn. Ave., 1 day, 2 miles	4.10	4.10
Ray Wisniewski, 500 1/2 Union St., 1 day, 2 miles	4.10	4.10
Albert Zurawski, R. 4, City, 1 day, 2 miles	4.10	4.10
Kenneth Wollenschlager, 1023 E. Oak St., 1 day, 2 miles	4.10	4.10
Raymond Kitowski, Junction City, 1 day, 2 miles	4.10	4.10
	\$ 36.90	\$ 36.90

Total claimed ..... \$147.60  
Total allowed ..... \$147.60

Judiciary Committee:  
HENRY SCHULIST  
MARTIN POLIWODA  
J. N. JAKUSZ  
WM. FRIZZELL  
GEORGE E. VAUGHAN

Moved by Supervisor Kurtzweil and seconded by Supervisor Marshall that the report be accepted. Motion carried as the clerk called roll, there being 30 ayes, 3 absent, and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, West, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Rosholt, Kurtzweil, Welty, Vaughan, Jakusz, Hebal, Lutz,

Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisors Waterman, Atkins, and Omernick were absent and Supervisor Wojcik, excused.

Clerk read the following claim recommended for payment by the judiciary committee:

	Claimed	Allowed
Francis Knitter, Rosholt, Wisconsin, difference of the amount of damages sustained due to dogs—and which was overlooked at the Nov. county board session .....	\$111.00	\$ 88.80

A. PALEK  
FRANK BECK  
THOMAS GUYANT  
PETER KAWLESKI  
Judiciary Committee

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Palek that the claim be allowed. Motion carried as the clerk called roll, there being 30 ayes, 3 absent and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, West, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Rosholt, Kurtzweil, Welty, Vaughan, Jakusz, Hebal, Lutz, Jurgella, Marshall, Kinney. Supervisors Waterman, Atkins and Omernick were absent and Supervisor Wojcik excused.

Clerk read the following communication:

Portage County Free Traveling Library  
Court House, Stevens Point, Wis.  
January 10, 1950

To: Portage County Board of Supervisors.  
Gentlemen:

I hereby tender my resignation effective February 15, 1950. The reason for leaving the employ of the county is that I am graduating from the local college and must seek full time employment. You are all aware of the fact that the Portage county library is run on a part time basis and pay accordingly. This office is under the supervision of Mr. Lewis, who appoints needy veterans attending college to the position of Portage county librarian. I would like to suggest that things remain as they are as to who appoints and who has the qualifications for the job.

I enjoyed working for the county very much, and want to thank you all for your kind co-operation in the fall meetings over the past three years.

Yours Sincerely,  
(Signed)  
JAMES E. FORMELLA  
Portage County Librarian

Moved by Supervisor Swenson and seconded by Supervisor Krogwold, that the communication be accepted and placed on file. Motion carried.

Discussion had on the improvement of tax due slips sent out by the various towns and villages. It was recommended that another box be printed on the slips, labeled "High School Tuition."

The chairman suggested that the county board members notify their local treasurers to insert the name of the township or village mailing out personal property tax slips as it is difficult to ascertain where a notice comes from which has only the amount of taxes due with no description or address of any kind.

Clerk read the following report of the mileage and per diem committee:

January 10, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:  
Gentlemen:

We, your committee on mileage and per diem, would respectfully report and recommend the adoption of the same and that the chairman and county clerk be instructed to draw an order on the county treasurer for the amounts:

	Days	Per Diem	Mileage	Amount
David Simonis .....	1	7	36	\$ 9.16
Arleigh Hetzel .....	1	7	40	9.40
Henry Swenson .....	1	7	46	9.76
Henry W. Stinson .....	1	7	50	10.00
Arthur Hintz .....	1	7	41	9.46
Martin Poliwoda .....	1	7	16	7.96
Peter Kawleski .....	1	7	16	7.96
Frank Beck .....	1	7	28	8.68
Anton Palek .....	1	7	48	9.88
Jos. Wojcik, Jr. ....	1	7	6	7.36
Thomas Morgan .....	1	7	44	9.64
John Pascavis .....	1	7	15	7.90
Russell Krogwold .....	1	7	42	9.52
Merrill West .....	1	7	16	7.96
Henry Schulist .....	1	7	30	8.80
Frank Mager .....	1	7	30	8.80
John Rath .....	1	7	50	10.00
Thomas A. Guyant .....	1	7	40	9.40
Emil Kostuch .....	1	7	36	9.16
Paul B. Kitowski .....	1	7	26	8.56
William Frizzell .....	1	7	30	8.80
Horace C. Atkins .....	1	7	4	7.24
Galley 4 .....				
Carl Rosholt .....	1	7	34	9.04
H. L. Kurtzweil .....	1	7	2	7.12
H. C. Welty .....	1	7	2	7.12
George E. Vaughan .....	1	7	2	7.12
John Jakusz .....	1	7	2	7.12
Lawrence Hebal .....	1	7	2	7.12
George Lutz .....	1	7	2	7.12
Vincent G. Jurgella .....	1	7	2	7.12
J. M. Marshall .....	1	7	2	7.12
Nat Kinney .....	1	7	2	7.12

\$268.52

Mileage & Per Diem Committee  
JOHN PASCAVIS  
DAVID SIMONIS  
PETER KAWLESKI  
GEORGE LUTZ

Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Stinson that the report be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 30 ayes, 3 absent, and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, West, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Rosholt, Kurtzweil, Welty, Vaughan, Jakusz, Hebal, Lutz, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisors Waterman, At-

kins, and Omernick were absent, and Supervisor Wojcik, excused.

Supervisor Schulist, in absence of the chairman of the ambulance and radio committee, reported on the several meetings had with the city ambulance committee in an effort to adjust the ambulance service problem. He stated that at the first meeting they agreed to advertise for an ambulance driver and they received 23 applications, of which Norman Cater, of this city, was chosen. He is to work 24 hours on and 24 hours off, starting the first of January, 1950. He also reported on the ambulance service deficit for the year 1949, which is to be paid by the county for the past year in the sum of \$1,869.01 or approximately \$150.00 more than a year ago.

Mr. Schulist also made a brief report on the progress of the Christian Rural Overseas Program (CROP). January 10th, 1950, is the last day for returns from the various townships. He stated that if enough money is collected within Portage county, we would purchase a carload of some commodity to send overseas. If not enough was collected, then it would have to be turned over to the state committee at Madison and it would be pooled by them with other counties to make enough for the purchase of a carload of commodities.

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Poliwoda that we dispense with the reading of today's minutes. Motion carried.

Resolution No. 53 read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 53**

January 10, 1950

Be it hereby resolved, by the county board of supervisors of Portage county, Wisconsin, now in adjourned session assembled that the resolution, petitions and motions adopted and carried at this meeting and all appropriations made and claims allowed at this meeting be and they are hereby ratified and confirmed in all respects by this board.

HENRY SCHULIST  
MARTIN POLIWODA

Moved by Supervisor Swenson and seconded by Supervisor Krogwold that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 30 ayes, 3 absent, and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, West, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Rosholt, Kurtzweil, Welty, Vaughan, Jakusz, Hebal, Lutz, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisors Waterman, Atkins, and Omernick were absent, and Supervisor Wojcik, excused.

Moved by Supervisor Kurtzweil and seconded by Supervisor Stinson that the board adjourn sine die. Motion carried.

ANNE T. STROJNY  
County Clerk

STATE OF WISCONSIN)

(SS:

COUNTY OF PORTAGE)

I, Anne T. Strojny, county clerk of said county, and Janet Wied, deputy, do hereby certify that the above is true and correct record of the proceedings of this meeting of the county board of supervisors of Portage county, Wisconsin, which was read by the

county clerk in the presence of the members of the county board of supervisors and by them approved.

ANNE T. STROJNY  
County Clerk

Attest:

JANET WIED  
Deputy Clerk

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS  
OF THE  
ORGANIZATION SESSION  
OF THE  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
OF  
PORTAGE COUNTY, WISCONSIN  
April 18, A. D., 1950  
FIRST DAY

The county board of supervisors, Portage county, met in organization session in the circuit court room at the court house in the city of Stevens Point, Wisconsin at 10:00 o'clock in the morning, April 12, A. D., 1950.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman. The county clerk called the roll of members as follows:

Town of Alban, David Simonis.  
Town of Almond, Arleigh Hetzel.  
Town of Amherst, Henry Swenson.  
Town of Belmont, Henry Stinson.  
Town of Buena Vista, Arthur Hintz.  
Town of Carson, Martin Poliwoda.  
Town of Dewey, Peter Kawleski.  
Town of Eau Pleine, Frank Beck.  
Town of Grant, Anton Palek.  
Town of Hull, Joseph Wojcik, Jr.  
Town of Lanark, Thomas Morgan.  
Town of Linwood, John Pascavis.  
Town of New Hope, Russell Krogwold.  
Town of Pine Grove, Vilas Waterman.  
Town of Plover, Thomas Kaczmarek.  
Town of Sharon, Henry Schulist.  
Town of Stockton, Frank Mager.  
Village of Almond, John Rath.  
Village of Amherst, Thomas A. Guyant.  
Village of Amherst Junction, Emil Kostuch.  
Village of Junction City, Paul B. Kitowski.  
Village of Nelsonville, William Frizzell.  
Village of Park Ridge, Horace C. Atkins.  
Village of Rosholt, Carl Rosholt.  
Village of Whiting, Barney F. Omernick.  
City of Stevens Point, First ward, H. L. Kurtzweil.  
City of Stevens Point, Second ward, Ralph A. Cook.  
City of Stevens Point, Third ward, George E. Vaughan.

City of Stevens Point, Fourth ward, John N. Jakusz.  
 City of Stevens Point, Fifth ward, Ray Clark.  
 City of Stevens Point, Sixth ward, C. E. Nebel.  
 City of Stevens Point, Seventh ward, Vincent G. Jurgella.  
 City of Stevens Point, Eighth ward, J. M. Marshall.  
 City of Stevens Point, Ninth ward, Nat Kinney.

All members present except Supervisors Simonis, Poliwoda, Wojcik, Schulist, Frizzell, and Atkins.

Clerk read a certification from the town of Plover as follows:  
 April 17, 1950

Anne T. Strojny  
 County Clerk  
 Stevens Point, Wis.  
 Dear Miss Strojny:

Effective April 18th, 1950, Mr. Thomas Kaczmarek will resume the duties of town chairman of the town of Plover.

Sincerely,  
 JAY C. PHELPS  
 Town Clerk

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Pascavis that the certification be accepted. Motion carried.  
 Presentation of the new members of the county board was made as follows:

Mr. Ralph A. Cook — Second ward.  
 Mr. Ray Clark — Fifth ward.  
 Mr. C. E. Nebel — Sixth ward.

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Jurgella that the new members be accepted. Motion carried.  
 Supervisors Poliwoda, Frizzell, Simonis, and Schulist entered the room.

Election of the chairman of the county board was taken up.  
 Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Waterman that the clerk cast a unanimous ballot for Carl Rosholt for chairman of the county board for the ensuing year. Motion carried. Clerk cast the ballot electing Carl Rosholt, chairman for the ensuing year. Chairman Carl Rosholt thanked the board for the honor and hoped that "we will get along as good as we have before."

Clerk read cards of appreciation from the Charles Martin and Judge Carpenter families.

Supervisor Atkins entered the room.

Moved by Supervisor Waterman and seconded by Supervisor Kostuch that Henry Stinson be elected vice chairman for the ensuing year. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Jakusz that the same rules governing previous sessions be adopted at this session. Motion carried.

Supervisor Wojcik entered the room.

Resolution No. 1 read by the clerk as follows:

#### RESOLUTION NO. 1

April 17, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:  
 Gentlemen:

I hereby submit a schedule of Portage county checks for cancellation because of the length of time they have been outstanding, and have not been presented at the Citizens National bank for payment.

Check No.	Amount	Date Issued
45103	\$ .80	March 23, 1946
47177	.25	July 12, 1946
47228	.25	July 12, 1946
52723	2.10	April 22, 1947
53197	10.00	May 26, 1947
54986	.25	August 19, 1947
55036	.25	August 19, 1947
61741	.25	August 26, 1948
61782	.25	August 26, 1948
61820	.25	August 26, 1948

Total amount of cancellation \$14.65.

Respectfully submitted,  
**CHARLES A. ANDERSON**  
 Portage County Treasurer

Moved by Supervisor Waterman and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that when the next county checks are ordered that the following wording be inserted thereon: "Void if not cashed within 2 years from date of issue." Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Krogwold that we authorize the cancellation of these checks at this time. Motion carried.

Resolution No. 2 read by the clerk, and referred to the committee on illegal assessments, as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 2**

April 18, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:  
 Gentlemen:

I hereby submit a schedule of taxes for 1949 to be changed back to various districts:

**Town of Carson**

Pt. of W½ of NW frac ¼ in Section 30 Township 24 Range 7 as described in Vol. 122 page 404 of deeds, Portage county records. Exempt, county owned. To be cancelled and charged back to the town of Carson .....\$ 1.55

**Town of Dewey**

S½ of the SE¼ of NE¼ of Section 10 Township 25 Range 8. Exempt, county owned ..... 3.20

S½ of N½ of SW¼ of NE¼ of Section 15 Township 25 Range 8. Exempt, county owned ..... 1.60

S 10 acres of the SE¼ of SW¼ Section 21 Township 25 Range 8. Exempt, county owned ..... 2.41

NE¼ of SE¼ Section 22 Township 25 Range 8. Exempt, county owned ..... 7.21

To be cancelled and charged back to the town of Dewey.

**Town of Sharon**

Lot 1 in Section 3 Township 25 Range 9. Exempt, county owned ..... 12.73

Lot 20 in Section 18 Township 24 Range 9. Exempt, county owned. .... 6.27

To be cancelled and charged back to the town of Sharon.

**Village of Park Ridge**

Lot 1 and 2 of Block 21 in Viertel's subdivision. Exempt, county owned ..... 9.00

To be cancelled and charged back to the village of

<b>Park Ridge.</b>	
<b>City of Stevens Point</b>	
Out Lot 8, of assessor's plat of the Sixth ward. Exempt, county owned .....	1.13
Lots 13 and 14 in Block 3 of Wadleigh and Vaughn's addition to the Sixth ward. Exempt, county owned .....	9.00
To be cancelled and charged back to the city of Stevens Point.	
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$ 54.10</b>
Dated: April 13, 1950	

CHARLES A. ANDERSON  
County Treasurer

Resolution No. 3 read by the clerk, and referred to the committee on illegal assessments as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 3**

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:  
Gentlemen:

I hereby submit a schedule of tax certificates for cancellation for the reason herein stated:

**Town of Dewey**

To cancel certificate No. 224, sale of 1948. Subject to utility tax. Certificate \$11.48, interest \$2.46, total .....	\$ 13.95
To cancel certificate No. 255, sale of 1948. Owned by city of Stevens Point. Certificate \$4.46, interest \$.90, total .....	5.36
To cancel certificate No. 256, sale of 1948. Owned by city of Stevens Point. Certificate \$4.46, interest \$.90, total .....	5.36
To cancel and charge to the town of Dewey.	

**Town of Hull**

To cancel certificate No. 545, sale of 1943. Erroneous description. Certificate \$2.49, interest \$1.15, total .....	3.64
To cancel certificate No. 587, sale of 1943. Illegal assessment. Certificate \$1.04, interest \$.67, total .....	1.71
To cancel certificate No. 408, sale of 1944. Double assessment. Certificate \$1.01, interest \$.48, total .....	1.49
To cancel certificate No. 411, sale of 1944. Erroneous description. Certificate \$2.51, interest \$1.07, total .....	3.58
To cancel certificate No. 274, sale of 1945. Illegal assessment. Certificate \$2.76, interest \$1.54, total .....	4.30
To cancel certificate No. 405, sale of 1948. Incomplete description. Certificate \$17.60, interest \$4.04, total .....	21.64
To cancel certificate No. 530, sale of 1949. Double assessment. Certificate \$10.76, interest \$1.41, total .....	12.17
To cancel and charge to the town of Hull.	

**Town of New Hope**

To cancel certificate No. 370, sale of 1945. Erroneous description. Certificate \$.48, interest \$.23, total .....	.71
To cancel and charge to the town of New Hope.	

**Town of Pine Grove**

To cancel certificate No. 862, sale of 1943. Erroneous description. Certificate \$2.49, interest \$1.15, total .....	3.64
To cancel and charge to the town of Pine Grove.	

**Town of Plover**

To cancel certificate No. 493, sale of 1946. Illegal assessment. Certificate \$13.98, interest \$5.83, total .....	19.81
To cancel certificate No. 519, sale of 1946. Erroneous description. Certificate \$4.33, interest \$1.67, total .....	6.00

To cancel certificate No. 550, sale of 1947. Illegal assessment. Certificate \$11.64, interest \$3.84, total .....	15.48
To cancel certificate No. 572, sale of 1947. Illegal assessment. Certificate \$7.89, interest \$2.56, total .....	10.45
To cancel certificate No. 641, sale of 1948. Illegal assessment. Certificate \$12.98, interest \$2.92, total .....	15.90
To cancel certificate No. 676, sale of 1948. Illegal assessment. Certificate \$8.83, interest \$2.02, total .....	10.85
To cancel certificate No. 835, sale of 1949. Illegal assessment. Certificate \$14.94, interest \$1.92, total .....	16.86
To cancel certificate No. 865, sale of 1949. Illegal assessment. Certificate \$8.44, interest \$1.03, total .....	9.47
To cancel certificate No. 890, sale of 1949. Incomplete description. Certificate \$.59, interest \$.13, total .....	.72
To cancel and charge to the town of Plover.	
<b>Town of Sharon</b>	
To cancel certificate No. 3286, sale of 1938. Double assessment. Certificate \$1.47, interest \$1.18, total .....	2.65
To cancel certificate No. 703, sale of 1948. Erroneous description. Certificate \$3.94, interest \$.90, total .....	4.84
To cancel certificate No. 704, sale of 1948. Erroneous description. Certificate \$16.48, interest \$3.58, total .....	20.06
To cancel certificate No. 735, sale of 1948. County owned. Certificate \$1.05, interest \$.21, total .....	1.26
To cancel certificate No. 950, sale of 1949. County owned. Certificate \$1.15, interest \$.13, total .....	1.28
To cancel and charge to the town of Sharon.	
<b>Village of Amherst</b>	
To cancel certificate No. 95, sale of 1947. Incomplete description. Certificate \$.48, interest \$.16, total .....	.64
To cancel and charge to the village of Amherst.	
<b>City of Stevens Point</b>	
To cancel certificate No. 752, sale of 1945. Illegal assessment. Certificate \$2.12, interest \$1.10, total .....	3.22
To cancel certificate No. 1052, sale of 1944. County owned. Certificate \$.87, interest \$.61, total .....	1.48
To cancel certificate No. 723, sale of 1946. Special assessment Sec. 62:21H. Certificate \$114.44, interest \$47.43, total .....	161.87
To cancel certificate No. 741, sale of 1947. Special assessment Sec. 62:21H. Certificate \$108.31, interest \$34.56, total .....	142.87
To cancel and charge to the city of Stevens Point.	
Total amount of certificates .....	\$ 523.25
Dated: April 18, 1950	

CHARLES A. ANDERSON  
County Treasurer

Resolution No. 4 read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 4**

Whereas, in order to continue the immunization program as per attached report of the Portage county nurse, it will require an additional sum of six hundred dollars (\$600.00).

Now therefore, be it hereby resolved that the finance committee is hereby authorized to transfer from the contingent fund to the county nurse's diphtheria and small pox account, the sum of six

hundred dollars (\$600.00) for the continuation of the immunization program in Portage county.

H. L. KURTZWELL, Chairman  
DAVID SIMONIS  
ARLEIGH HETZEL  
VINCENT G. JURGELLA

Moved by Supervisor Waterman and seconded by Supervisor Kaczmarek that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried, as the clerk called the roll, there being 34 ayes. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwooda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krog-wold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kos-tuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney.

Report of the claims committee read by the clerk as follows:

April 17, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors, Portage County, Wisconsin:  
Gentlemen:

We, your committee on claims, met in organization session, and checked over the claims numbered from 1 to 26, inclusively. We have checked the following claims and have allowed or dis-allowed them as follows:

	Claimed	Allowed
1. Catholic welfare bureau, care of dependent children .....	\$576.00	\$576.00
2. Victor S. Prais, funeral services rendered .....	100.00	100.00
3. Alex L. Kalpinski, clerk of courts services .....	5.00	5.00
4. G. H. Palmer, mileage due in coroner's court ..	8.40	8.40
5. Fred A. Marrs, M. D., professional services .....	26.00	26.00
6. James H. Levi, district attorney fees .....	210.54	210.54
7. R. K. McDonald & Co., abstract services .....	134.00	134.00
8. C. E. Nebel, humane officer's expenses .....	99.10	99.10
9. Louis B. Nelson, 11 days committee work .....	90.44	90.44
10. Vincent G. Jurgella, 2 days committee work .....	14.40	14.40
11. L. E. Hebel 5 days committee work .....	35.60	35.60
12. H. C. Welty, 3 days committee work .....	21.36	21.36
13. Nat Kinney, 9 days committee work .....	64.08	64.08
14. John N. Jakusz, 9 days committee work .....	64.08	64.08
15. Henry L. Kurtzweil, 10 days committee work .....	70.08	70.08
16. Arthur Hintz, 5 days committee work .....	47.30	47.30
17. Lamar A. Moss, 3 days committee work .....	21.96	21.96
18. Wm. C. Hansen, 4 days committee work .....	23.88	23.88
19. Earl L. Olsen, 12 days committee work .....	99.12	99.12
20. John Dzikoski, Jr., coroner fees .....	63.10	63.10
21. George E. Vaughan, 4 days committee work ..	28.48	28.48
22. Martin Poliwooda, 6 days committee work ...	47.76	47.76
23. William Frizzell, 3 days committee work .....	26.40	26.40
24. Vilas Waterman, 4 days committee work .....	37.60	37.60
25. George Lutz, 1 day committee work .....	7.12	7.12
26. John Pascavis, 5 days committee work .....	38.60	38.60
Total amount claimed .....	\$1,960.40	
Total amount allowed .....	1,960.40	
Amount disallowed .....	\$	

**Schedule of Witness Fees in Justice Court,  
Before E. L. Welch, Justice of the Peace**

	Claimed	Allowed
<b>Feb. 5, 1950</b>		
<b>State vs. LeRoy Golden:</b>		
Lorraine Schiber, R. 4, city (River Pines san.)		
1 day, 5 miles .....	\$ 2.20	\$ 2.20
<b>Feb. 13, 1950</b>		
<b>Portage County vs. Ray C. Olson:</b>		
Neal Ketchum, 306 McCulloch St., 1 day, 5 miles	2.20	2.20
<b>March 28, 1950</b>		
<b>State vs. Robert Miller:</b>		
William Zei, 505 Park St., city, 1 day, 2 miles	2.10	2.10
Maynard Farsbetter, 178 W. Clark St., city, 1 day, 2 miles .....	2.10	2.10
Total claimed .....	\$8.60	
Total allowed .....	8.60	
Total disallowed .....	\$—	

**Schedule of Witness Fees in Justice Court,  
Before W. E. Atwell, Jr., Justice of Peace**

	Claimed	Allowed
<b>January 20, 1950</b>		
<b>State vs. Deloris Dombrowski:</b>		
Ella Beyer, 609 S. Ill. Ave., city, 1 day, 4 miles ...	\$ 2.20	\$ 2.20
Mamie Durand, 661 Prentice St., city, 1 day, 4 miles .....	2.20	2.20
<b>February 23, 1950</b>		
<b>State vs. Lindy Allen:</b>		
John Kirshling, Amherst, Wis., 1 day, 32 miles ....	3.60	3.60
Bert Shanklin, Amherst, Wis., 1 day, 32 miles ....	3.60	3.60
Harold Larson, Amherst, Wis., 1 day, 32 miles ...	3.60	3.60
Jim Wiese, Sheridan, Wis., 1 day 32 miles .....	3.60	3.60
Henry Duda, city, R. 2, 1 day, 2 miles .....	2.10	2.10
Wm. Kvatek, S. River Drive, city, 1 day, 2 miles ...	2.10	2.10
<b>February 28, 1950</b>		
<b>State vs. Nick Lukasavage:</b>		
Anastacia Karchefski, Amherst Junction, Wis., 1 day, 28 miles .....	3.40	3.40
Ray Hintz, 1110 Wisconsin St., city, 1 day, 2 miles	2.10	2.10
Gordon Daniels, 912 Shaurette, St., city, 1 day, 2 miles .....	2.10	2.10
Leonard Hucke, 206½ 6th Ave., city, 1 day, 2 miles	2.10	2.10
Floyd Pautz, 118 Lincoln Ave., city, 1 day, 2 miles	2.10	2.10
<b>February 28, 1950</b>		
<b>Portage County vs. Ben Weronke:</b>		
Kenneth Wollenschlager, 1023 E. Oak St., 1 day, 2 miles .....	2.10	2.10
William Kvatek, S. River Drive, city, 1 day, 2 miles	2.10	2.10
Neal Ketchum, 306 McCulloch St., 1 day, 2 miles	2.10	2.10
Earl Rossier, Plover, Wis., 1 day 2 miles .....	2.10	2.10
Bernard Krueger, Plover, Wis., 1 day, 5 miles	2.50	2.50
Total claimed .....	\$45.70	
Total allowed .....	45.70	
Amount disallowed .....	\$—	
Grand total amount claimed and allowed .....	\$2,014.70	

We, your committee on claims, have carefully examined the bills presented to us and have made corrections wherever necessary. We recommend that the amounts as allowed by the committee be allowed and that the county orders be drawn for the same.

VILAS WATERMAN

HENRY SCHULIST  
 GEO. E. VAUGHAN  
 GEORGE LUTZ  
 MARTIN POLIWODA  
 WILLIAM FRIZZELL  
 J. M. JAKUSZ  
 Committee on Claims

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Kurtzweil that the report be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 34 ayes. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney.

Report of the salary committee read by the clerk as follows:  
 To the Honorable Chairman and County Board of Portage County, Wisconsin:  
 Gentlemen:

After a careful consideration, we your committee appointed to fix salaries of county officers, respectfully report and recommend that said salaries be set at the following amounts per annum:

<b>Office</b>	<b>Recommended</b>
County clerk, plus fees .....	\$2,700.00 Plus list (1) of attached fees, as per Sec. 59.15(3)
County treasurer .....	\$3,000.00
Clerk of courts, plus fees .....	\$3,000.00 Plus list (2) of attached fees, as per Sec. 59.15(3)
Coroner .....	Fee Basis Fees list (4) and attached, as per Sec. 59.15(3)
Sheriff, fees on civil cases .....	\$3,600.00 Plus list (5) of attached fees, as per Sec. 59.15(3)
District attorney .....	\$3,000.00
County surveyor .....	\$15.00 per day and 6c mileage
Register of deeds .....	Fee Basis Fees listed (3) and attached, as per Sec. 59.15(3)

If and when a photostat machine is installed in the register of deeds office, the register of deeds would be placed on a straight salary basis of \$3,000, and all fees to be turned over to the county.

Officers and employes to be allowed fourteen (14) days per year absence without deduction for time out.

The surety bonds for county officers to be furnished and paid for by Portage county.

That this schedule stay in effect for the next term of two years.

We, your committee on elective officers' salaries, recommend that the above schedule be considered by the county board.

FRANK MAGER  
 THOMAS A. GUYANT  
 H. C. WELTY  
 Salary Committee

Moved by Supervisor Waterman and seconded by Supervisor

Krogwold that the register of deeds remain on a fee basis as heretofore. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Atkins and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that the report be adopted as corrected. Motion carried.

A communication from the Wisconsin Taxpayers Alliance was read by the clerk as follows:

April 7, 1950

Miss Anne T. Strojny  
Portage County Clerk  
Stevens Point, Wisconsin  
Dear Miss Strojny:

In the absence of Mr. Paul N. Reynolds from the office, your letter of February 16 about subscriptions to the Wisconsin Taxpayer for the Portage county board members has been turned over to me for reply.

As I told you when I stopped to see you on March 3, your county paid, in April, 1948, \$82 for 41 three-year renewal subscription to the Wisconsin Taxpayer for your board members. These subscriptions therefore do not expire until March, 1951.

The Wisconsin Taxpayer Alliance has no connection with any other organization or special interest group — public employes, business, teachers, farmers, local taxpayers groups, or any other. The enclosed letter from Commissioner Long of Massachusetts shows what an outstanding taxation authority thinks about the alliance.

We would appreciate it very much if I or another member of our staff could appear before a meeting of the county board in the near future to discuss the work of the alliance and explain its policies more fully. Please let us know if this could be arranged — at the convenience of the board members.

In the meantime, we hope the county board members will act to authorize the sending of the Wisconsin Taxpayer each month at least until the subscriptions have expired.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Yours Sincerely,  
JOHN P. REYNOLDS  
Assistant Director

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Waterman that the communication be tabled. Motion carried.

A communication from the public welfare department, division of correction, was read by the clerk as follows:

March 30, 1950

Mr. Florian A. Krutza, Sheriff  
Portage County Jail  
Stevens Point, Wisconsin  
Dear Sir:

On Monday, March 6th, an inspection of your jail was made and we wish to commend you and your county officials on the improvements made and the general cleanliness of it.

It was noted that only paper towels are furnished for prisoners, for both bathing and for the face and hands. I am sure you will agree with us that paper towels for bathing are not very absorbant. We believe bath towels should be furnished.

We trust that this small item will be taken care of immediately. With personal regards, I am

Very Truly Yours,  
M. A. SKAFF  
Detention Investigator

Division of Corrections  
State Dept. of Public Welf.

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Morgan that the communication be placed on file. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Kostuch and seconded by Supervisor Krogwold that the board adjourn until 2:00 o'clock. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, April 18, 1950, A. D., 2:00 p. m.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt chairman.

Clerk called the roll. All members present except Supervisors Stinson, Beck, Waterman, Schulist, Kitowski, Atkins, Omernick, and Kinney.

Petition No. 1 was read by the clerk as follows; and referred to the road and bridge committee.

**PETITION NO. 1**

April 18, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Supervisors of the County Board of Portage County.

The petition of the town of Lanark, Portage county by Thomas E. Morgan, chairman, respectfully submits that an emergency exists; wherein there is immediate necessity for the construction of a bridge across the river known as Spring Lake river, on a town highway leading in a easterly and westerly direction, from County Trunk Highway A to County Trunk Q in section eight lying wholly within the town.

That the electors of the town of Lanark at their last annual meeting voted to construct such bridge, that due provision has been made for payment of same, and that the total assessed valuation of said town as equalized by the county board is more than \$40,000.00.

Wherefore, your petitioner prays for an appropriation to be made by said county of Portage, to aid in construction of such bridge as provided by law.

THOMAS E. MORGAN  
Chairman, Town of Lanark

Supervisors Atkins, Stinson, Beck, Waterman, Omernick, Schulist, and Kitowski entered the room.

Resolution No. 5 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 5**

Inasmuch as the Portage county welfare department has been previously authorized by the county board to purchase two automobiles for use by that department and now under present regulation the state will reimburse the county at the rate of 6 cents per mile for each 2,000 miles each month and 5 cents per mile over 2,000 miles each month and would result in obtaining better personnel and monetary savings to the county.

Therefore, be it resolved that the finance committee of the county board be directed to release funds for the purchase of one automobile by the Portage county welfare board for use by the welfare department.

Respectfully Submitted,  
THOMAS E. MORGAN  
ARTHUR HINTZ  
J. M. MARSHALL  
EMIL KOSTUCH

Dated April 18, 1950.

Moved by Supervisor Kaczmarek and seconded by Supervisor Nebel that an invitation be extended to Mr. Lewis to appear before the board tomorrow morning at 10:00 o'clock on the matter

on the table. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Atkins and seconded by Supervisor Omernick that at that time we discuss the matter with Mr. Lewis that we have the costs of mileage of that office for the case workers and director separately. Motion carried.

Resolution No. 6 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 6**

April 18, 1950

To the Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Whereas, Portage county purchased a piece of land on July 23, 1930, and

Whereas, said piece of land was used for gravel pit purposes, and

Whereas, said pit has been abandoned for some time, Therefore, be it resolved, that the chairman of the county board and the county clerk be authorized to execute a quit claim deed to present owner of the surrounding lands, said gravel pit lands being described as follows:

"A piece or parcel of land located in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of the SESW of Section 5, Township 23 North, Range 10 East and more particularly described as follows: A piece of land, adjoining the present gravel pit owned by Portage county starting at the NE corner stake of old gravel pit location and continuing in the NWly direction about 400 feet to where line intersects with the highway, including all land between said line and the highway. Same containing 1 acre, more or less."

WILLIAM FRIZZELL

Supv. of Vil. of Nelsonville, Wis.

HENRY SWENSON

PAUL B. KITOWSKI

HENRY W. STINSON

Highway Committee

Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Pascavis that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Stinson that the highway committee have the authority to go into the gravel pit and take all the gravel they need and that the park board have no jurisdiction over it. Motion carried.

Supervisor Kinney entered the room.

A report of the state auditor on the county treasurer's office for period of January 1, 1948, to December 31, 1949, read by the clerk, a copy of which is on file in county clerk's office.

Moved by Supervisor Vaughan and seconded by Supervisor Guyant that the report be placed on file. Motion carried.

Recommendations in said report reread by the clerk as follows:

**RECOMMENDATIONS**

During the course of this examination certain recommendations designed to effect an improvement in the records of the county treasurer and to facilitate compliance with statutory requirements were discussed with present officials. These recommendations are presented herewith as a matter of record and for your information.

It is recommended:

1. That the treasurer issue official receipts for all funds received—Sec. 59.20(1).

2. That all receipts be recorded in the treasurer's regular cash-book—Sec. 59.20(4).

3. That all receipts be deposited intact daily—Sec. 59.75(1).

4. That the accommodation cashing of checks by the treasurer's office be prohibited.

5. That the notices of application for tax deed be served as outlined in Sec. 75.12 of the statutes.

6. That sales of tax deed property be made in accordance with Sec. 75.35(2), (d) and 75.69.

7. That the county owned government bonds be placed in the custody of the treasurer.

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Pascavis that the district attorney be called in the following morning to rule on the recommendations. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Atkins and seconded by Supervisor Stinson that the board adjourn until 10:00 o'clock Wednesday morning. Motion carried.

ANNE T. STROJNY  
County Clerk

## SECOND DAY

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, April 19, 1950, 10:00 a. m.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman.

Clerk called the roll. All members present except Supervisors Waterman and Rath.

Mr. A. J. Thelan, secretary to the Wisconsin County Board association, Madison, appeared before the board relative to the magazine dues for "Wisconsin Counties," which are part of the regular association dues. He also cited some of the activities of the County Board association, such as, the rates for patients at state institutions and the cost accounting system in the highway department. Discussion followed.

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Kostuch that the reading of the minutes be dispensed with. Motion carried.

Resolution No. 5 laid over from yesterday, was reread by the clerk as follows:

### RESOLUTION NO. 5

Inasmuch as the Portage county welfare department has been previously authorized by the county board to purchase two automobiles for use by that department and now under present regulations the state will reimburse the county at the rate of 6 cents per mile for each 2,000 miles each month and 5 cents per mile over 2,000 miles each month and would result in obtaining better personnel and monetary savings to the county.

Therefore, be it resolved that the finance committee of the county board be directed to release funds for the purchase of one automobile by the Portage county welfare board for use by the welfare department.

Respectfully Submitted  
THOMAS E. MORGAN  
ARTHUR HINTZ  
J. M. MARSHALL  
EMIL KOSTUCH

R. B. Lewis, welfare director, appeared before the board giving the total mileage per year for each case worker, a detailed report being in the county clerk's office. He stated that the caseworkers received 10c per mile on the first 200 miles, 7c on the next 300 miles and 5c after 500 miles. The state reimburses at 6c per mile.

The discussion indicated that the county would invest \$1,400, or \$1,500 in the car and then thereafter the department can operate the car for nothing.

Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Vaughan that the resolution be amended to read that we leave the matter up to the welfare board and that they hire a case worker and if they need the car, to buy it. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Stinson and seconded by Supervisor Kaczmarek that the resolution be adopted as amended. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 29 ayes, 2 nays, and 3 absent. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Clark, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisors Jakusz and Nebel voted naye, and Supervisors Waterman, Rath, and Omernick were absent.

Moved by Supervisor Nebel and seconded by Supervisor Vaughan that "public welfare department" be printed on the side of the car. Motion carried.

The matter of the state audit report on the county treasurer's records was taken up.

Clerk reread recommendation No. 4, as follows:

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

During the course of this examination certain recommendations designed to effect an improvement in the records of the county treasurer and to facilitate compliance with statutory requirements were discussed with present officials. These recommendations are presented herewith as a matter of record and for your information.

It is recommended:

1. That the treasurer issue official receipts for all funds received—Sec. 59.20(1).
2. That all receipts be recorded in the treasurer's regular cash-book—Sec. 59.20(4).
3. That all receipts be deposited intact daily—Sec. 59.75(1).
4. That the accommodation cashing of checks by the treasurer's office be prohibited.
5. That the notices of application for tax deed be served as outlined in Sec. 75.12 of the statutes.
6. That sales of tax deed property be made in accordance with Sec. 75.35(2)(d) and 75.69.
7. That the county owned government bonds be placed in the custody of the treasurer.

District Attorney James H. Levi appeared before the board and a discussion followed.

Moved by Supervisor Vaughan and seconded Supervisor Marshall that the county treasurer be instructed not to receive any more personal accommodation checks. Motion carried.

Clerk reread recommendation No. 6 as follows: "That sales of tax deed property be made in accordance with Sec. 75.35(2)(d) and 75.69.

District Attorney James H. Levi quoted the statutes on the procedure to be followed. Clerk read an outline on the procedure followed in Vilas and Rock counties. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Vaughan and seconded by Supervisor Kurtzweil that the present procedure be continued and that the district attorney and the treasurer be authorized and instructed to draw up a proper ordinance covering the sale of tax deed lands,

a copy of which is to be furnished to all board members. Motion carried, as the clerk called the roll; there being 34 ayes. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwođa, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Marshall, Jurgella, and Kinney.

Moved by Supervisor Jakusz and seconded by Supervisor Schulist that the board adjourn until 2:00 o'clock. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, April 19, 1950, 2:00 p. m.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman.

Clerk called the roll. All members present except Supervisors Palek, Atkins and Kaczmarek, absent.

Moved by Supervisor Vaughan and seconded by Supervisor Waterman that this committee be instructed to build the ordinance in regard to sale of tax owned land around the system we are now working under. Motion carried.

Resolution No. 7 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 7**

April 19, 1950

Whereas, the Wisconsin statutes prohibit the issuance of county checks in excess of the amount provided for in the budget, and,

Whereas, the clerk in the county judge's office will complete her period of employment on May 1st, 1950, at which time a new clerk will be employed at the same salary, and,

Whereas the present clerk in the judge's office is entitled to two weeks off with pay,

Now therefore, be it hereby resolved that the county board go on record authorizing the finance committee to transfer from the contingent fund to the county court fund the sum of seventy dollars (\$70.00) to cover a two week salary entitled by the clerk in the judge's office.

RUSSELL KROGWOLD  
NAT KINNEY  
HENRY SWENSON  
J. M. MARSHALL

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Marshall that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 29 ayes, 3 absent, and 2 present. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwođa, Kawleski, Beck, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisors Palek, Kaczmarek, and Atkins were absent and Supervisors Nebel and Jurgella voted present.

Resolution No. 8 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 8**

April 19, 1950

Be it hereby resolved that the finance committee transfer from the contingent fund to the county board fund the sum of \$141.00 in payment for the subscription to the Wisconsin Counties magazine, which is a part of the association dues in the Wisconsin County Boards association.

HENRY SWENSON  
 J. M. MARSHALL  
 RUSSELL KROGWOLD  
 PAUL B. KITOWSKI

Moved by Supervisor Swenson and seconded by Supervisor Wojcik that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 29 ayes, 3 absent, and 2 present. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisors Nebel, and Jurgella voted present and Supervisors Palek, Kaczmarek, and Atkins were absent.

Moved by Supervisor Kurtzweil and seconded by Supervisor Marshall that the county clerk write to Mr. Thelan and ask him to print a synopsis of the state treasurer's financial report each month in the magazine. Motion carried.

Resolution No. 9 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 9**

April 19, 1950

Be it hereby resolved that the county register of deeds be, and he is hereby authorized to attend the institute for Wisconsin register of deeds to be held with the co-operation of the bureau of government of the University of Wisconsin extension division on April 28 and 29, 1950.

J. M. MARSHALL  
 RUSSELL KROGWOLD  
 PAUL B. KITOWSKI

Moved by Supervisor Kostuch and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Supervisors Palek and Karczmarek entered the room.

Resolution No. 10 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 10**

April 19, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board:  
 Whereas, there has been a misunderstanding as to the subsidy of \$500.00 per year or \$50.00 per month for 10 months year being paid the supervising teacher by Portage county.

The salary now paid the present supervising teacher by the state is \$3,505.00 for ten months. Salary to be raised \$100.00 the coming year.

The starting salary of a new supervising teacher would be \$2,700.00 per year to be paid by the state.

The present supervising teacher was paid \$50.00 per month for January and February of 1950 with no money raised at the November session of the board.

Now, therefore be it resolved, that the \$50.00 per month that was paid the supervising teacher for January and February plus the \$50.00 per month for March, April, May and the first half of June be paid the present supervising teacher, as per her contract.

And for the coming year the county board subsidize the county supervising teacher at the rate of \$30.00 per month or \$300.00 for a ten month year.

If this amount is necessary to hire a competent supervising teacher. This factor to be determined by the county superintendent.

VILAS WATERMAN  
 BARNEY F. OMERNICK  
 JOHN RATH

Moved by Supervisor Waterman and seconded by Supervisor Pascavis that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 23 ayes, 1 absent, and 1 present. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Rosholt, and Omernick. Supervisor Poliwoda voted present and Supervisor Atkins was absent.

Discussion had on the above and it was suggested that this amount be placed in the budget in the fall.

Resolution No. 10 was reread by the clerk, as amended, as follows:

### RESOLUTION NO. 10

April 19, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board:

Whereas, there has been a misunderstanding as to the subsidy of \$500.00 per year or \$50.00 per month for 10 months year being paid the supervising teacher by Portage county.

The salary now paid the present supervising teacher by the state is \$3,505.00 for ten months. Salary to be raised \$100.00 the coming year.

The starting salary of a new supervising teacher would be \$2,700.00 per year to be paid by the state.

The present supervising teacher was paid \$50.00 per month for January and February of 1950 with no money raised at the November session of the board.

Now therefore be it resolved, that the \$50.00 per month that was paid the supervising teacher for January and February plus the \$50.00 per month for March, April, May, and the first half of June be paid the present supervising teacher, as per her contract after the money is made available at the November session of the county board.

And for the coming year the county board subsidize the county supervising teacher at the rate of \$30.00 per month or \$300.00 for a ten month year.

If this amount is necessary to hire a competent supervising teacher, this factor to be determined by the county superintendent.

VILAS WATERMAN  
BARNEY F. OMERNICK  
JOHN RATH

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Wojcik that the amendment to Resolution No. 10 be accepted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 24 ayes, and 1 absent. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Rosholt, and Omernick. Supervisor Atkins was absent.

Resolution No. 11 was read by the clerk as follows:

### RESOLUTION NO. 11

April 19, 1950

Whereas, certain state traffic laws have been changed during the past year, and,

Whereas, the county traffic ordinance must correspond with the state laws in order to be legal,

Now, therefore, be it hereby resolved that the district attorney is hereby authorized to revise the county traffic ordinance to con-

form with the state traffic laws, to be presented at the next session of the county board.

HENRY SWENSON  
J. M. MARSHALL  
PAUL B. KITOWSKI

Moved by Supervisor Kostuch and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

General list of the claims was read by the clerk and referred to the claims committee.

A report of the illegal assessment committee was read, by the clerk as follows:

[We] your committee on illegal assessments recommend that the report of Charles Anderson, county treasurer, be accepted as follows:

**Schedule of Taxes for the Year 1949**

**To be Charged Back to the Various Districts:**

**Town of Carson**

Pt of W $\frac{1}{2}$  of NW frac  $\frac{1}{4}$  in Section 30 Township 24, Range 7 as described in Vol. 122 page 404 of deeds, Portage county records. Exempt, county owned .....\$ 1.55  
To be cancelled and charged back to the town of Carson.

**Town of Dewey**

S $\frac{1}{2}$  of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 10 Township 25 Range 8. Exempt, county owned ..... 3.20  
S $\frac{1}{2}$  of N $\frac{1}{2}$  of SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of NE $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 15 Township 25 Range 8. Exempt, county owned ..... 1.60  
S 10 acres of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 21 Township 25 Range 8. Exempt, county owned ..... 2.41  
NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 22 Township 25, Range 8. Exempt, county owned ..... 7.21  
To be cancelled and charged back to the town of Dewey.

**Town of Sharon**

Lot 1 in Section 3 Township 25 Range 9. Exempt, county owned ..... 12.73  
Lot 20 in Section 18 Township 24 Range 9. Exempt, county owned ..... 6.27  
To be cancelled and charged back to the town of Sharon.

**Village of Park Ridge**

Lot 1 and 2 of Block 21 in Viertel's subdivision. Exempt, county owned ..... 9.00  
To be cancelled and charged back to the village of Park Ridge.

**City of Stevens Point**

Out Lot 8 of assessor's plat of the Sixth ward. Exempt, county owned ..... 1.13  
Lots 13 and 14 Block 3 of Wadleigh and Vaughan's addition to the Sixth ward. Exempt, county owned ..... 9.00  
To be cancelled and charged back to the city of Stevens Point.

Total .....\$ 54.10

**Schedule of Tax Certificates**

**For Cancellation for the Reason Herein Stated:**

**Town of Dewey**

[To cancel certificate No. 224, sale of 1948. Subject to utility tax. Certificate \$11.48, interest \$2.46, total .....\$ 13.94

To cancel certificate No. 255, sale of 1948. Owned by city of Stevens Point. Certificate \$4.46, interest \$.90, total	5.36
To cancel certificate No. 256, sale of 1948. Owned by city of Stevens Point. Certificate \$4.46, interest \$.90, total	5.36
To cancel and charge back to the town of Dewey.	
<b>Town of Hull</b>	
To cancel certificate No. 545, sale of 1943. Erroneous description. Certificate \$2.49, interest \$1.15, total	3.64
To cancel certificate No. 587, sale of 1943. Illegal assessment. Certificate \$1.04, interest \$.67, total	1.71
To cancel certificate No. 408, sale of 1944. Double assessment. Certificate \$1.01, interest \$.48, total	1.49
To cancel certificate No. 411, sale of 1944. Erroneous description. Certificate \$2.51, interest \$1.07, total	3.58
To cancel certificate No. 274, sale of 1945. Illegal assessment. Certificate \$2.76, interest \$1.54, total	4.30
To cancel certificate No. 405, sale of 1948. Incomplete description. Certificate \$17.60, interest \$4.04, total	21.64
To cancel certificate No. 530, sale of 1949. Double assessment. Certificate \$10.67, interest \$1.41, total	12.17
To cancel and charge to the town of Hull.	
<b>Town of New Hope</b>	
To cancel certificate No. 370, sale of 1945. Erroneous description. Certificate \$.48, interest \$.23, total	.71
To cancel and charge to the town of New Hope.	
<b>Town of Pine Grove</b>	
To cancel certificate No. 862, sale of 1943. Erroneous description. Certificate \$2.49, interest \$1.15, total	3.64
To cancel and charge to the town of Pine Grove.	
<b>Town of Plover</b>	
To cancel certificate No. 493, sale of 1946. Illegal assessment. Certificate \$13.98, interest \$5.83, total	19.81
To cancel certificate No. 519, sale of 1946. Erroneous description. Certificate \$4.33, interest \$1.67, total	6.00
To cancel certificate No. 550, sale of 1947. Illegal assessment. Certificate \$11.64, interest \$3.84, total	15.48
To cancel certificate No. 572, sale of 1947. Illegal assessment. Certificate \$7.89, interest \$2.56, total	10.45
To cancel certificate No. 641, sale of 1948. Illegal assessment. Certificate \$12.98, interest \$2.92, total	15.90
To cancel certificate No. 676, sale of 1948. Illegal assessment. Certificate \$8.83, interest \$2.02, total	10.85
To cancel certificate No. 835, sale of 1949. Illegal assessment. Certificate \$14.94, interest \$1.92, total	16.86
To cancel certificate No. 865, sale of 1949. Illegal assessment. Certificate \$8.44, interest \$1.03, total	9.47
To cancel certificate No. 890, sale of 1949. Incomplete description. Certificate \$.59, interest \$.13, total	.72
To cancel and charge to the town of Plover.	
<b>Town of Sharon</b>	
To cancel certificate No. 3286, sale of 1938. Double assessment. Certificate \$1.47, interest \$1.18, total	2.65
To cancel certificate No. 703, sale of 1948. Erroneous description. Certificate \$3.94, interest \$.90, total	4.84
To cancel certificate No. 704, sale of 1948. Erroneous description. Certificate \$16.48, interest \$3.53, total	20.06
To cancel certificate No. 735, sale of 1948. County owned. Certificate \$1.05, interest \$.21, total	1.26

To cancel certificate No. 950, sale of 1949. County owned. Certificate \$1.15, interest \$.13, total .....	1.28
To cancel and charge to the town of Sharon.	
<b>Village of Amherst</b>	
To cancel certificate No. 95, sale of 1947. Incomplete de- scription. Certificate \$.48, interest \$.16, total .....	.64
To cancel and charge to the village of Amherst.	
<b>City of Stevens Point</b>	
To cancel certificate No. 752, sale of 1945. Illegal assess- ment. Certificate \$2.12, interest \$1.10, total .....	3.22
To cancel certificate No. 1052, sale of 1944. County owned. Certificate \$.87, interest \$.61, total .....	1.48
To cancel certificate No. 723, sale of 1946. Special assess- ment 62:21H. Certificate \$114.44, interest \$47.43, total .....	161.87
To cancel certificate No. 741, sale of 1947. Special assess- ment 62:21H. Certificate \$108.31, interest \$34.56, total .....	142.87
To cancel and charge to the city of Stevens Point.	
Total amount of certificates .....	\$ 523.25

C. E. NEBEL  
ANTON PALEK  
THOMAS KACZMAREK  
VINCENT JURGELLA

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that the report be accepted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 33 ayes, and 1 absent. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwooda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Marshall, Jurgella, and Kinney. Supervisor Atkins was absent.

A report of the dance hall committee was read by the clerk as follows:

Stevens Point, Wis.  
April 17, 1950

#### Report of Dance Hall Committee

Since January 1, 1950 the dance hall committee has inspected the following halls: Red Rooster hall, People's Tavern hall, Flambeau hall, Kellins Inn hall, Club 66 hall, Log Cabin hall, Riverside hall, and Jerry's Bar hall.

Dance hall proprietors were informed as to the improvements and corrections that were necessary at the time of the inspections in order that they retain their present license or in a few cases where a new application was made no license was granted until all requirements of the ordinance were complied with.

However, we find that conditions will be more difficult in the future, as more small halls adjoining taverns are slowly creeping back into the dance business, and this kind of business has no consideration for the safety of the public.

In order to have a complete record of inspections and conditions of the dance halls in the county, we the committee recommend the following:

1. That a report of inspection be made on each hall by the committee.
2. One copy of the above inspection report be forwarded to the dance hall proprietor and one be placed on file in the county clerk's office.

3. That no license be issued until all corrections listed on report are made.

4. That town chairmen be very careful in selecting and appointing dance hall inspectors.

NAT KINNEY, Chairman  
H. C. ATKINS, Vice Chairman  
BARNEY OMERNICK, Sec.

Moved by Supervisor Morgan and seconded by Supervisor Pascavis that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that the board recess for ten minutes. Motion carried.

Supervisor Kaczmarek left the room.

A report of the claims committee was read by the clerk as follows:

April 19, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors, Portage County, Wisconsin:  
Gentlemen:

We, your committee on claims, met in organization session and checked over the claims herein, and have allowed or disallowed them as follows:

	Claimed	Allowed
1. H. C. Atkins, Sr., 4 days committee work .....	\$ 28.36	\$ 28.36
2. David Simonis, 2 days committee work .....	18.32	18.32
3. Henry Stinson, 1 day committee work .....	10.00	10.00
4. Thomas Guyant, 1 day committee work .....	9.40	9.40
5. Joseph Wojcik, 7 days committee work .....	51.52	51.52
6. Frank Mager, 4 days committee work .....	44.00	44.00
7. Barney Omernick, 4 days committee work .....	32.56	32.56
8. Arleigh Hetzel, 5 days committee work .....	47.00	47.00
9. Nat Kinney, 4 days committee work .....	28.96	28.96
	<u>\$270.12</u>	<u>\$270.12</u>

We, your committee on claims, have carefully examined the bills presented to us and have made corrections wherever necessary. We recommend that the amount as allowed by the committee be allowed and that the county orders be drawn for the same.

VILAS WATERMAN  
WILLIAM FRIZZELL  
GEORGE E. VAUGHAN  
HENRY SCHULIST  
MARTIN POLIWODA  
J. N. JAKUSZ

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Kostuch that the report be accepted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 32 ayes and 2 absent. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisors Kaczmarek and Atkins were absent.

Moved by Supervisor Kostuch and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that the reading of the day's minutes be dispensed with. Motion carried.

Supervisor Kaczmarek entered the room.

A report of the mileage and per diem committee was read by the clerk as follows:

April 19, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:  
Gentlemen:

We, your committee on mileage and per diem, would respectfully report and recommend the adoption of the same and that the chairman and county clerk be instructed to draw an order on the county treasurer for the amounts: At \$7.00 per day.

	Days	Mileage	Amount
David Simonis .....	2	36	\$ 18.32
Arleigh Hetzel .....	2	40	18.80
Henry Swenson .....	2	46	19.52
Henry W. Stinson .....	2	50	20.00
Arthur Hintz .....	2	41	18.92
Martin Poliwoda .....	2	16	15.92
Peter Kawleski .....	2	16	15.92
Frank Beck .....	2	28	17.36
Anton Palek .....	2	48	19.76
Joseph Wojcik, Jr. ....	2	6	14.72
Thomas Morgan .....	2	44	19.28
John Pascavis .....	2	12	15.44
Russell Krogwold .....	2	42	19.04
Thomas Kaczmarek .....	2	8	14.96
Henry Schulist .....	2	30	17.60
Frank Mager .....	2	30	17.60
John Rath .....	2	50	20.00
Thomas A. Guyant .....	2	40	18.80
Emil Kostuch .....	2	36	18.32
Paul B. Kitowski .....	2	26	17.12
William Frizzell .....	2	30	17.60
Horace C. Atkins .....	2	4	14.48
Carl Rosholt .....	2	34	18.08
Barney Omernick .....	2	4	14.48
H. L. Kurtzweil .....	2	2	14.24
Ralph A. Cook .....	2	2	14.24
George E. Vaughan .....	2	2	14.24
John Jakusz .....	2	2	14.24
Ray Clark .....	2	2	14.24
C. E. Nebel .....	2	2	14.24
Vincent G. Jurgella .....	2	2	14.24
J. M. Marshall .....	2	2	14.24
Nat Kinney .....	2	2	14.24
Vilas Waterman .....	2	40	18.80

\$569.00

RALPH A. COOK  
DAVID SIMONIS  
JOHN PASCAVIS  
PETER KAWLESKI

Mileage & Per Diem Comm.

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Kurtzweil that the report be accepted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 33 ayes and 1 absent. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and

Kinney, Supervisor Atkins was absent.

A list of the standing committees, appointed by the chairman, was read by the clerk as follows:

**STANDING COMMITTEES**  
of the  
**Portage County**  
**Board of Supervisors**  
April 18, 1950, Session

Carl Rosholt, Chairman  
Henry W. Stinson, Vice-Chairman  
Anne T. Strojny, County Clerk

**EQUALIZATION**

RUSSELL KROGWOLD  
BARNEY OMERNICK  
JOSEPH WOJCIK, JR.  
HENRY KURTZWEIL  
JOHN RATH  
ARLEIGH HETZEL

**CLAIMS**

VILAS WATERMAN  
HENRY SCHULIST  
JOHN N. JAKUSZ

MARTIN POLIWODA  
GEORGE E. VAUGHAN  
WILLIAM FRIZZELL  
ARLEIGH HETZEL

**ILLEGAL ASSESSMENTS**

C. E. NEBEL  
ANTON PALEK  
VINCENT G. JURGELLA  
THOMAS KACZMAREK

**TOWN ORGANIZATION**

THOMAS MORGAN  
JOHN N. JAZUSZ  
JOSEPH MARSHALL  
C. E. NEBEL

**SHERIFF & CONSTABLE FEES**

MARTIN POLIWODA  
GEORGE VAUGHAN  
JOHN PASCAVIS  
PETER KAWLESKI  
RAY CLARK

**JUDICIARY**

ANTON PALEK  
FRANK MAGER  
PETER KAWLESKI  
T. A. GUYANT  
FRANK BECK

**BUILDING & GROUNDS**

HENRY KURTZWEIL  
JOHN N. JAKUSZ  
NAT KINNEY

**HEALTH**

HENRY KURTZWEIL

VINCENT G. JURGELLA  
WILLIAM FRIZZELL  
ARLEIGH HETZEL  
DAVID SIMONIS

**WELFARE**

THOMAS KACZMAREK  
THOMAS MORGAN  
ARTHUR HINTZ  
EMIL KOSTUCH  
JOSEPH MARSHALL

**EDUCATION**

VILAS WATERMAN  
JOHN RATH  
BARNEY OMERNICK

**ROADS & BRIDGES**

HENRY SWENSON  
HENRY STINSON  
PAUL KITOWSKI  
JOHN PASCAVIS  
FRANK MAGER

**INSURANCE**

HENRY SCHULIST  
FRANK MAGER  
T. A. GUYANT

**FINANCE**

HENRY STINSON  
ARTHUR HINTZ  
HENRY SCHULIST

**RADIO**

VILAS WATERMAN  
ARLEIGH HETZEL  
HENRY SCHULIST

**PER DIEM & MILEAGE**

DAVID SIMONIS  
PETER KAWLESKI  
JOHN PASCAVIS  
RALPH A. COOK

**DANCE HALL**

NAT KINNEY  
HORACE ATKINS  
BARNEY OMERNICK

**SALARY**

VILAS WATERMAN  
FRANK MAGER  
T. A. GUYANT

**EXECUTIVE**  
 GEORGE VAUGHAN  
 JOHN N. JAKUSZ  
 FRANK BECK  
 RALPH A. COOK

**LEGISLATIVE**  
 HORACE ATKINS  
 T. A. GUYANT  
 RAY CLARK

Moved by Supervisor Waterman and seconded by Supervisor Wojcik that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

Resolution No. 12 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 12**

April 19, 1950

Be it hereby resolved by the county board of supervisors of Portage county, Wisconsin, now in organization session assembled that the resolutions, petitions and motions adopted and carried at this meeting and all appropriations made and claims allowed at this meeting, be and they are hereby ratified and confirmed in all respects by this board.

RUSSELL KROGWOLD  
 NAT KINNEY  
 PAUL B. KITOWSKI

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Omernick that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 33 ayes and 1 absent. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisor Atkins was absent.

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Kurtzweil that the board adjourn until the sixth day of June, 1950. Motion carried.

ANNE T. STROJNY  
 County Clerk

STATE OF WISCONSIN)  
 (SS.

COUNTY OF PORTAGE)

I, Anne T. Strojny, county clerk of said county, and Janet Wied, deputy, do hereby certify that the above is true and correct record of the proceedings of this meeting of the county board of supervisors of Portage county, Wisconsin, which was read by the county clerk in the presence of the members of the county board of supervisors and by them approved.

ANNE T. STROJNY  
 County Clerk

Attest:  
 JANET WIED  
 Deputy Clerk

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS  
OF THE  
ADJOURNED SESSION  
OF THE  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
OF  
PORTAGE COUNTY, WISCONSIN  
June 6, A. D., 1950  
FIRST DAY

The county board of supervisors of Portage county met in adjourned session in the circuit court room at the court house in the city of Stevens Point, Wisconsin, at 10:00 o'clock in the morning, June 6, A. D., 1950.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman.

Clerk called the roll of members as follows:

Town of Alban, David Simonis.  
Town of Almond, Arleigh Hetzel.  
Town of Amherst, Henry Swenson.  
Town of Belmont, Henry Stinson.  
Town of Buena Vista, Arthur Hintz.  
Town of Carson, Martin Póliwoda.  
Town of Dewey, Peter Kawleski.  
Town of Eau Pleine, Frank Beck.  
Town of Grant, Anton Palek.  
Town of Hull, Joseph Wojcik, Jr.  
Town of Lanark, Thomas Morgan.  
Town of Linwood, John Pascavis.  
Town of New Hope, Russell Krogwold.  
Town of Pine Grove, Vilas Waterman.  
Town of Plover, Thomas Kaczmarek.  
Town of Sharon, Henry Schulist.  
Town of Stockton, Frank Mager.  
Village of Almond, John Rath.  
Village of Amherst, Thomas A. Guyant.  
Village of Amherst Junction, Emil Kostuch.  
Village of Junction City, Paul B. Kitowski.  
Village of Nelsonville, William Frizzell.  
Village of Park Ridge, Horace C. Atkins.  
Village of Rosholt, Carl Rosholt.  
Village of Whiting, Barney F. Omernick.  
City of Stevens Point, First ward, H. L. Kurtzweil.  
City of Stevens Point, Second ward, Ralph A. Cook.  
City of Stevens Point, Third ward, George E. Vaughan.

City of Stevens Point, Fourth ward, John N. Jakusz.  
 City of Stevens Point, Fifth ward, Ray Clark.  
 City of Stevens Point, Sixth ward, C. E. Nebel.  
 City of Stevens Point, Seventh ward, Vincent G. Jurgella.  
 City of Stevens Point, Eighth ward, J. M. Marshall.  
 City of Stevens Point, Ninth ward, Nat Kinney.  
 All members present except Supervisor Schulist.  
 Resolution No. 13 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 13**

June 6, 1950

Whereas, the agriculture committee has authorized the purchase of a tree planter at a cost of \$112.54 and a plow for the tree planter at a cost of \$187.80, and,

Whereas, no appropriation has been made for this purchase,  
 Now, therefore, be it hereby resolved that the finance committee be authorized to transfer from the contingent fund to the county agricultural agent's fund the sum of three hundred dollars and thirty-four cents (\$300.34) to cover the cost of said tree planter and plow.

CARL ROSHOLT  
 JOSEPH WOJCIK, JR.  
 RUSSELL KROGWOLD

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Swenson that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 29 ayes, 1 absent and 4 present. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Kaczmarek, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisors Waterman, Mager, Rath, and Omernick voted present, and Supervisor Schulist was absent.

Resolution No. 14 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 14**

June 6, 1950

Whereas, the 4th of July falls on Tuesday this year, and,  
 Whereas, a general closing of business places on Monday is anticipated to give employes a longer week-end holiday,  
 Now, therefore, be it hereby resolved that all county offices remain closed on Monday, July 3rd, 1950.

ARLEIGH HETZEL  
 BARNEY OMERNICK  
 VILAS WATERMAN  
 CARL ROSHOLT

Moved by Supervisor Kostuck and seconded by Supervisor Morgan that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.  
 Supervisor Schulist entered the room.

Resolution No. 15 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 15**

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County State of Wisconsin:  
 Gentlemen:

Whereas, Portage county has certain inundated lands in the First and Fourth wards of the city of Stevens Point hereinafter described and two tax deeds on one description in the township of Dewey hereinafter described and

Whereas, this constitutes an inaccurate equity of county owned lands listed in the assets of Portage county.

Therefore, be it resolved that the Portage county board of supervisors remove the said lands hereinafter described from the county owned land for sale and deduct the exact amount for each description from the tax deeds held by county account of the county clerk of Portage county, Wisconsin.

**First Ward — Under Water**

Lots 1 to 77 inclusive, McKinley park addition .....\$21.38  
 Lots 50, McKinley park addition ..... 4.27  
 Lots 51 and 52, McKinley park addition ..... 4.27

**Fourth Ward — Under Water**

Lots 12, Block 5, Vettors addition ..... 7.50  
 Lots 13, Block 5, Vettors addition ..... 29.95

**Township of Dewey**

S $\frac{1}{2}$  of S $\frac{1}{2}$  of SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 21, Township 25  
 Range 8 ..... 8.80

Total .....\$76.17

Be it further resolved that the county treasurer continue to be custodian of the deeds to the aforesaid inundated lands in the event there be any future value or consideration on the descriptions, herein.

Respectfully Submitted,  
 CHARLES A. ANDERSON  
 County Treasurer

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Moved by Supervisor Kurtzweil and seconded by Supervisor Marshall that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 30 ayes, and 4 present. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Krogwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisors Swenson, Stinson, Pascavis, and Mager were present.

A list of general claims was read by the clerk and referred to the committee on claims.

District Attorney James H. Levi, read an ordinance relative to sale of tax deeded lands as follows:

The county board of supervisors of the county of Portage do ordain as follows:

An ordinance to govern and regulate the sale of tax deeded lands by Portage county, Wisconsin.

Section 1: The power to manage and sell tax deeded lands in Portage county shall be vested in the tax deeded lands committee, which committee shall consist of the county treasurer of Portage county, the county clerk of Portage county, and the supervisor from the town, village or city ward where such tax deeded real estate is located. Such committee shall have the power of management and sale of the tax deeded lands in Portage county, and the policy to be followed and the powers and duties of such committee shall be as hereinafter provided.

Section 2: Tax deeded lands as used in this ordinance mean lands which have been acquired by Portage county through enforcement of the collection of delinquent taxes by tax deed, foreclosure of tax certificates, deed in lieu of tax deed or other means.

Section 3: Whenever the committee shall deem it to the best interests of Portage county that any tax-deeded lands should be sold, a meeting of the committee membership shall be called for

the purpose of taking action on the sale of such lands. At least one day's written or telephone notice shall be required to call such meeting and full membership of such committee shall constitute a quorum.

Section 4: The committee members shall cause such tax deeded real estate to which Portage county has acquired title to be appraised by themselves to determine the value of such lands, and the committee members shall file a written report of such appraisal in the office of the county treasurer of Portage county.

Section 5: No sale of such tax deeded real estate shall be had unless the date of sale, description, and appraised value of such real estate shall have first been advertised in a newspaper of general circulation in Portage county for at least once each week for three successive weeks prior to the date of such sale.

Section 6: At such sale, or any adjournment thereof, the committee may accept the bid most advantageous to Portage county, but every bid less than the appraised value of the property shall be rejected. The committee is authorized to sell for an amount equal to or above the appraised value, without readvertising, any land previously advertised for sale.

Section 7: The provisions of this ordinance do not apply to the exchange of property as set out in Section 59.97(2)(A) Wisconsin statutes, 1949 nor to withdrawal and sale of county forest lands or to the sale or exchange of lands to or between municipalities.

Section 8: This ordinance shall apply to all tax delinquent lands regardless of the date of acquisition by Portage county.

Section 9: Upon sale being made by such committee of any tax deeded lands, the county clerk shall execute to the purchaser, in his or her name of office, in the name of Portage county, a deed therefore, witnessed, sealed and acknowledged and in like form as provided by statute, and upon sale shall therefore be paid by such purchaser to the county treasurer.

Section 10: This ordinance shall take effect upon passage and publication.

Passed and adopted this 6th day of June, 1950.

Published this 12th day of June, 1950.

CARL ROSHOLT  
Chairman of the County Board

Attest:  
ANNE T. STROJNY  
County Clerk  
Portage County, Wis.

Approved:  
JAMES H. LEVI  
District Attorney, Portage County, Wis.

Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that the ordinance be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 34 ayes. The following members voted ayes. Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney.

District Attorney James H. Levi also discussed the ordinance on traffic laws and recommended that the ordinance be adopted and published as well as seven hundred fifty printed copies be made. Moved by Supervisor Vaughan and seconded by Supervisor Swenson that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk

called the roll, there being 34 ayes. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella; Marshall, and Kinney.

The matter of publication was laid over until the afternoon session.

Perry Wordon, highway commissioner, spoke on the maintenance of the county trunks stating that there will be sufficient money to take care of the roads which were taken into consideration last fall, but for any additional new oiling there will have to be additional money transferred. He estimated about \$25,000.00 additional would be needed. Discussion followed.

Moved by Supervisor Atkins and seconded by Supervisor Kostuch that the board adjourn until 2:00 o'clock this afternoon. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, June 6, 1950, 2:00 p. m.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman.

Clerk called the roll, all members present except Supervisor Frizzell, excused.

Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Kostuch that all county owned parcels out in the county be planted with available trees and that the highway committee in their spare time do some of the work, the trees to be planted in sub-marginal land. Discussion followed.

Moved by Supervisor Waterman and seconded by Supervisor Wojcik that an amendment be made that the committee composed of the county treasurer, county clerk, and the chairman of the municipality involved determine whether that land is suitable for agriculture and whether trees should be planted there. Motion carried.

The original motion as amended was voted on. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Nebel and seconded by Supervisor Jakusz that in order to do away with further assessments on the property known as the old gravel pit on Michigan avenue just south of the railroad, that we deed same to the city, with the expressed provision that it be used for playground purposes.

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Waterman that the supervisor of the 6th ward, county treasurer, and the county clerk, the appraisal committee, determine the description of that part which is the gravel pit on Michigan avenue just south of the railroad tracks; that they be authorized to transfer the same to the city of Stevens Point with the expressed provision that it be used for park or playground purposes and that the chairman and the clerk be authorized to sign the deed. Motion carried.

Allen Precourt appeared before the board relative to setting up an identification bureau in connection with the sheriff's office. This would take in finger-printing, filing of records and contacting the FBI. He suggested that the salary for such work should be the same as the county traffic officers.

Moved by Supervisor Kurtzweil and seconded by Supervisor Nebel that this matter be referred to the radio and ambulance committee and that they report at the next meeting. Motion carried.

Resolution No. 16 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 16**

Whereas, additional funds may be required in order to provide

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for the oiling of county trunk roads, and.

Whereas, it is to the best interest of Portage county that such highways be kept in good condition.

Now, therefore, be it hereby resolved that Portage county borrow up to twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00) for the purpose of road oiling if and when needed and that the amount of the loan, the terms thereof, the individual corporation from which such loan is made to be determined further by action of the county board.

ARTHUR HINTZ  
PAUL B. KITOWSKI  
H. L. KURTZWEIL

Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Cook that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

A report of the claims committee was read by the clerk as follows:

June 6, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen:

We, your committee on claims, met in adjourned session and checked over the claims herein and have allowed or disallowed as follows:

	Claimed	Allowed
1. Fred A. Marrs, M. D., professional services	\$ 14.20	\$ 14.20
2. S. R. Miller, M. D., professional services	5.00	5.00
3. Paul N. Sowka, M. D., professional services (autopsy)	10.00	10.00
4. John Dzikoski, Jr., coroner's fees	56.20	56.20
5. Mel Reiser, claim for \$50 refund	50.00	Held open
6. Mrs. Ray Cisewski, damages to clothes	34.77	Ref. to Hwy. Com.
7. St. Michael's hospital, treatment of county patient	61.50	61.50
8. Carl Rosholt, 5 days committee work	45.20	45.20
9. Ray Clark, 3 days committee work	21.36	21.36
10. Geo. E. Vaughan, 2 days committee work	14.24	14.24
11. Arthur Hintz, 3 days committee work	28.38	28.38
	<u>\$340.85</u>	<u>\$256.08</u>

Witness Fees in Justice Court Before  
W. E. Atwell, Jr., Justice of Peace

April 14, 1950 — State vs. Wm. Blankenberg:

	Claimed	Allowed
Ormand Meindle, Junction City, R. 1, 1 day, 2 miles	\$ 2.10	\$ 2.10
John Meindle, Junction City, R. 1, 1 day, 2 miles	2.10	2.10
April 24, 1950 — State vs. John Okray:		
J. A. Skilling, Marshfield, 1 day, 70 miles	5.50	5.50
Louis Oshesky, Portage, 1 day, 150 miles	9.50	9.50
Clarence Tetzke, Berlin, 1 day, 120 miles	8.00	8.00
Tony Jelich, 1024 Fourth Ave, city, 1 day, 2 miles	2.10	2.10
May 16, 1950 — State vs. Henry Gosh:		
Frank Barbers, 302 Oak St., city, 1 day, 2 miles	2.10	2.10
Richard Woods, city, 1 day, 2 miles	2.10	2.10
	<u>\$ 33.50</u>	<u>\$ 33.50</u>

We, your committee on claims, have carefully examined the bills presented to us and have made corrections wherever neces-

sary. We have recommended that the amounts as allowed by, the committee be allowed and that the county orders be drawn for same.

VILAS WATERMAN  
 GEORGE E. VAUGHAN  
 ARLEIGH HETZEL  
 J. N. JAKUSZ  
 HENRY SCHULIST  
 Claims Committee

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski, and seconded, by Supervisor Pascavis that the report be accepted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 33 ayes and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krögwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisor Frizzell was excused.

Resolution No. 17 read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 17**

Honorable Chairman and Members of the Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:  
 Gentlemen:

Whereas the Portage County Bar association, by resolution passed and adopted at the last meeting of said association on May 31, 1950, agreed among the members of the bar that all of their law offices would remain closed for business on each Saturday during the months of June, July, and August, and;

Whereas the sole business of the county court for Portage county, Wisconsin, is dependent upon cases brought before said court by the members of the Portage County Bar association, and;

Whereas by statute the county court for Portage county is not required to hold special or general terms during the months of July and August, and;

Whereas the office of the clerk of courts for Portage county is dependent upon the functioning of the county court for Portage county and the business brought to that office by the members of the bar, and;

Whereas the circuit court for Portage county does not usually meet during the months of July and August;

Be it therefore resolved that the county judge of Portage county, Wisconsin, be and he is hereby authorized to close the office of the county judge and the office of the register in probate on each Saturday throughout the months of July and August, and,

Be it further resolved that the office of the clerk of courts for Portage county be closed on each Saturday during the months of July and August.

Respectfully submitted this 6th day of June, 1950.

JAMES H. VAN WAGENEN  
 County Judge  
 JOSEPH. WOJCIK, JR.  
 ANTON PALEK  
 PETER KAWLESKI  
 ARTHUR HINTZ  
 VILAS WATERMAN  
 HENRY SCHULIST

Moved by Supervisor Waterman and seconded by Supervisor Wojcik that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Kacz-

marek that 750 copies of traffic ordinance books be printed and that same be charged against the traffic officers account. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Kostuch that we dispense with the reading of the minutes. Motion carried.

A report of the mileage and per diem committee was read by the clerk as follows:

June 6, 1950

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Frank Beck .....	1	28	8.68
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Ray Clark .....	1	2	7.12
C. E. Nebel .....	1	2	7.12
Vincent Jurgella .....	1	2	7.12
J. M. Marshall .....	1	2	7.12
Nat Kinney .....	1	2	7.12
Vilas Waterman .....	1	40	9.40

\$284.50

RALPH A. COOK  
 DAVID SIMONIS  
 JOHN PASCAVIS  
 PETER KAWLESKI  
 Mileage & Per Diem Committee

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Schulist that the report be accepted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 33 ayes and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Copk, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisor Frizzell was excused.

Resolution No. 18 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 18**

Be it hereby resolved by the county board of supervisors of Portage county, Wisconsin, now in adjourned meeting assembled, that the resolutions, petitions, and motions adopted and carried at this meeting and all appropriations made and claims allowed at this meeting be and they are hereby ratified and confirmed in all respects by this board.

ARLEIGH HETZEL

H. C. ATKINS, SR.

Mover by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Guyant that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 33 ayes and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisor Frizzell was excused.

Moved by Supervisor Cook and seconded by Supervisor Pascavis that the board adjourn until the second Tuesday in August, being August 8, 1950. Motion carried.

ANNE T. STROJNY

County Clerk

STATE OF WISCONSIN)

(SS.

COUNTY OF PORTAGE)

I, Anne T. Strojny, county clerk, of said county, and Janet Wied, deputy, do hereby certify that the above is true and correct record of the proceedings of this meeting of the county board of supervisors of Portage county, Wisconsin, which was read by the county clerk in the presence of the members of the county board of supervisors and by them approved.

ANNE T. STROJNY

County Clerk

Attest:

JANET WIED

Deputy Clerk

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS  
OF THE  
ADJOURNED SESSION  
OF THE  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
OF  
PORTAGE COUNTY, WISCONSIN  
August 8, A. D., 1950  
FIRST DAY

The county board of supervisors of Portage county met in adjourned session in the circuit court room at the court house in the city of Stevens Point, Wisconsin, at 10:00 o'clock in the morning, August 8, 1950 A. D.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman. Clerk called the roll of members as follows:

Town of Alban, David Simonis.  
Town of Almond, Arleigh Hetzel.  
Town of Amherst, Henry Swenson.  
Town of Belmont, Henry Stinson.  
Town of Buena Vista, Arthur Hintz.  
Town of Carson, Martin Poliwoda.  
Town of Dewey, Peter Kawleski.  
Town of Eau Pleine, Frank Beck.  
Town of Grant, Anton Palek.  
Town of Hull, Joseph Wojcik, Jr.  
Town of Lanark, Thomas Morgan.  
Town of Linwood, John Pascavis.  
Town of New Hope, Russell Krogwald.  
Town of Pine Grove, Vilas Waterman.  
Town of Plover, Thomas Kaczmarek.  
Town of Sharon, Henry Schulist.  
Town of Stockton, Frank Mager.  
Village of Almond, John Rath.  
Village of Amherst, Thomas A. Guyant.  
Village of Amherst Junction, Emil Kostuch.  
Village of Junction City, Paul B. Kitowski.  
Village of Nelsonville, William Frizzell.  
Village of Park Ridge, Horace C. Atkins.  
Village of Rosholt, Carl Rosholt.  
Village of Whiting, Barney F. Omernick.  
City of Stevens Point, First ward, H. L. Kurtzweil.  
City of Stevens Point, Second ward, Ralph A. Cook.  
City of Stevens Point, Third ward, George E. Vaughan.

City of Stevens Point, Fourth ward, John N. Jakusz.  
 City of Stevens Point, Fifth ward, Ray Clark.  
 City of Stevens Point, Sixth ward, C. E. Nebel.  
 City of Stevens Point, Seventh ward, Vincent G. Jurgella.  
 City of Stevens Point, Eighth ward, J. M. Marshall.  
 City of Stevens Point, Ninth ward, Nat Kinney.

All members were present except Supervisors Palek, Krogwold, and Waterman.

Petition No. 2 was read by the clerk as follows, and referred to the road and bridge committee.

#### PETITION NO. 2

To the Honorable County Board of the County of Portage:

The petition of the undersigned town board of the town of Plover, county of Portage respectfully represents that at the last annual town meeting of said town, the electors thereof voted to re-construct the bridge lying wholly within said town located as follows:

Running easterly and westerly at a point between Sections 3 and 10, Township 22, North of Range Eight (8) East.

At the same time due provision was made for the payment by the said town of its proportion of, the cost of repairing such bridge required by law to be paid by the said town, and further, that the total valuation of said town of Plover, according to the last assessment, as equalized by the county board was in excess of four hundred thousand (\$400,000.00) dollars; that such bridge has been re-constructed at a total cost of five hundred sixty-seven and 77/100ths (\$567.77) dollars as appears from the bill attached hereto and made a part hereof by reference.

Wherefore, your petitioners pray for an appropriation to be made by the said county of Portage in the amount of two hundred eighty-three and 88/100th (\$283.88) dollars to defray its share of the expense of reconstructing such bridge and that a tax therefore be levied to that end by your honorable board.

Dated this 8th day of August, 1950.

THOMAS KACZMAREK  
 Town Chairman

#### Bill for Reconstruction of Bridge

52 hours — Mason at \$1.25 .....	\$ 65.00
Material .....	209.27
88½ hours — Labor at \$1.00 .....	88.50
88½ hours — Truck use at \$2.00 .....	177.00
Supervising .....	28.00

\$567.77

Resolution No. 19 was read by the clerk as follows:

August 8, 1950

#### RESOLUTION NO. 19

Whereas, the Wood county Normal school has billed Portage county for its share of the tuition for the year 1948-49 in the sum of four hundred thirty-five dollars (\$435.00) and for the 1949-50 tuition in the sum of seven hundred fifteen dollars (\$715.00), and,

Whereas, no appropriation has been made for the payment of Portage county's share of tuition due outside training schools, and,

Whereas, such tuition must be paid under Section 41.46 of the Wisconsin statutes, and,

Now, therefore, be it hereby resolved that the finance committee be authorized to transfer the sum eleven hundred fifty dollars (\$1150.00) from the contingent fund to the tuition to outside

training schools account for the payment of Portage county's share of tuition due Wood county Normal school under Section 41.46 of the Wisconsin statutes.

HENRY W. STINSON  
ARTHUR HINTZ  
HENRY SCHULIST

Moved by Supervisor Nebel and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 30 ayes, 3 absent and 1 present. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisors Palek, Krogwold, and Waterman were absent and Supervisor Kaczmarek, present.

Resolution No. 20 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 20**

Stevens Point, Wis.  
August 8, 1950

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

Whereas, the practice of having a skeleton crew in the offices of the court house on Saturday mornings has applied only to the months of June, July, and August, and

Whereas, such procedure has worked out satisfactorily,

Be it resolved, that the offices of the court house continue this practice throughout the year.

HENRY SWENSON  
ARTHUR HINTZ  
THOMAS MORGAN  
ARLEIGH HETZEL  
RALPH A. COOK  
C. E. NEBEL  
PAUL B. KITOWSKI  
HENRY W. STINSON

Moved by Supervisor Swenson and seconded by Supervisor Kaczmarek that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried. Supervisor Palek entered the room.

Resolution No. 21 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 21**

Stevens Point, Wis.  
November 8, 1949

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Whereas, Portage county acquired title by tax deed to the following parcels of land located in the city of Stevens Point, Portage county, Wisconsin on the dates set out after each description:

Parcel I — Beginning at the intersection of the North line of Fifth avenue, if extended, with the West line of Frederick street, thence North 77 feet, thence West 107 ft, thence South 77 ft, thence East 107 feet to the place of beginning, being part of government lot 3 in Section 30, Township 24 North, Range 8 East. Acquired by tax deed dated December 6, 1945 in book 180 of deeds, page 18, Portage county registry records.

Parcel II — Beginning a point 107 feet West of the intersection of the North line of Fifth avenue, if extended, with the West line of Frederick street, thence North 77 feet, thence West 108 feet, thence South 77 feet, thence East 108 feet to the place of beginning, being part of government lot 3 in Section 30, Township 24 North, Range 8 East. Title acquired by tax deed dated December

10, 1946 in book 180 of deeds, page 37, Portage county registry records.

Whereas, prior to the 8th day of May, 1948, Chester Wanta entered into an agreement with Portage county for the purchase of both of said parcels of land for the sum of one thousand seven hundred (\$1,700.00) dollars, and,

Whereas, Portage county conveyed the land described above referred to as parcel I to Chester Wanta by deed dated May 8, 1948 and recorded May 11, 1948 in book 185 of deeds, page 286 B, Portage county registry records, but has never conveyed the land referred to above as parcel II to said Chester Wanta, which land was to be included in the total purchase price of one thousand seven hundred (\$1,700.00) dollars paid to Portage county by Chester Wanta, and,

Whereas, the said Chester Wanta is therefore entitled to a conveyance of the land referred to above as parcel II from Portage county,

Therefore be it resolved that Portage county, through its proper officers be and hereby are authorized to convey the following described real estate to Chester Wanta, free and clear of any liens for taxes and special assessments that Portage county holds against said real estate:

Beginning at a point 107 feet West of the intersection of the North line of Fifth avenue, if extended, with the West line of Frederick street, thence North 77 feet, thence West 108 feet, thence South 77 feet, thence East 108 feet to the place of beginning, being part of government lot 3, in Section 30, Township 24 North, Range 8 East.

J. N. JAKUSZ  
J. M. MARSHALL  
PAUL B. KITOWSKI

Moved by Supervisor Kaczmarek and seconded by Supervisor Morgan that the district attorney give his opinion on the above matter. Motion carried.

A communication from Louis C. Molepske, was read by the clerk as follows:

July 14, 1950

Mr. Charles A. Anderson, Treasurer  
Portage County  
Court House Building  
Stevens Point, Wisconsin  
Dear Charles:

In line with what we discussed earlier concerning the property I bought this year, I am returning your note and the notice of assessments for the purpose that you may contact the finance committee, reference to the special assessments.

Since you are familiar with all the circumstances surrounding the deal, I would appreciate having you contact that committee and explain to them of the conditions of the sale. I mentioned to you recently I am willing to compromise by paying  $\frac{1}{2}$  and the county absorb the remainder. You realize Charles, if I am required to pay all assessments than I would be practically buying that property at a double price. Mr. H. C. Welty, supervisor at the time figured \$75, apparently was all that it was worth.

I am leaving this entirely up to you, since you have immediate access to practically all the officers whom it may concern and you would be more likely to accomplish some satisfactory arrangements. Thanking you in advance for your cooperation.

Sincerely,  
 LOUIS C. MOLEPSKE,  
 Realtor

Moved by Supervisor Vaughan and seconded by Supervisor Nebel that the assessment be investigated by the district attorney and that he bring in a report as to whether or not we should pay the half as requested. Motion carried.

Clerk read claim from the department of state audit as follows:

**Wisconsin Department of State Audit  
 Madison**

Portage County June 30, 1950  
 To State of Wisconsin, Dr.  
 Madison, Wisconsin

For services rendered in auditing the treasurer's accounts of Portage county for the two-year period January 1, 1948 to December 31, 1949 as ordered by the state auditor on January 27, 1950 pursuant to Section 15.22; Wisconsin statutes.

E. F. Time-Accountant:

Full Time: January 27, 1950; January 30, 31, 1950; February 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 23, 1950; March 8, 1950.

Part Time: January 26, 1950.

D. Burnett-Accountant:

Full Time: February 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 14, 15, 16, 20, 21, 1950.

Total cost which is made up of the per diem and expenses of the accountants, \$939.26. (Make remittance payable to Warren R. Smith, state treasurer).

STATE OF WISCONSIN)

(SS.

COUNTY OF DANE )

R. S. Mallow, chief accountant of the department of state audit, being duly sworn, deposes and says that the annexed account is just and correct and that the same has not heretofore been presented to the county board of said county, nor has the same nor any part thereof ever been paid:

R. S. MALLOW

Subscribed and sworn to  
 before me June 30, 1950

MARGARET O'NEIL

Notary Public, Dane County

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Kaczmarek that the bill not be paid until it can be placed in our regular budget. Motion carried.

Clerk read the list of general claims which was referred to the committee on claims.

Clerk read communication from Wisconsin County Boards association relative to a conservation meeting to be held at the Hardware Mutuals on August 16, 1950, at 8:00 p. m.

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Schulist that the communication be placed on file. Motion carried.

Clerk read communication from Wisconsin County Board association relative to additional highway aid.

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that the communication be placed on file. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Kotech that the board adjourn until 2:00 o'clock this afternoon. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, August 8, 1950, 2:00 p. m.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman.

All members present except Supervisors Krogwold and Waterman, absent and Supervisors Schulist and Poliwoda, excused.

Les Woerpel, president of the state federation of conservation clubs, spoke to the board in regard to the conservation program in the Eau Pleine area. He stated that the Wisconsin Valley Improvement company intends to flood the entire area and he would like to have the board go on record opposing same. He suggested that a committee be appointed to survey the entire area and investigate the matter thoroughly. Discussion followed.

District Attorney James H. Levi gave his opinion on resolution No. 21 as follows: It appears that Wanta purchased two lots and a house and through a mutual misunderstanding received only one lot. Portage county can and should give a deed to the lot in question according to the understanding. Secondly, Portage county paid a special assessment of \$222.50 for sidewalk and \$1.38 for weed cutting after the time that this lot should have been deeded to Wanta. Whether to give the lot free of all encumbrances or to ask for an additional \$223.88 is left up to the discretion of the board.

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that the deed be given to Chester Wanta upon the payment of an additional sum of \$223.88 which the county has paid for special assessments since May, 1948.

Clerk reread resolution No. 21 as follows:

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 21**

Stevens Point, Wis.  
November 8, 1949

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Whereas, the said Chester Wanta is therefore entitled to a conveyance of the land referred to above as Parcel II from Portage county,

Therefore be it resolved that Portage county, through its proper officers be and hereby are authorized to convey the following described real estate to Chester Wanta, upon the payment to Portage county, the sum of \$223.88 which the county has paid for special assessments since May, 1948, as follows.

Beginning at a point 107 feet west of the intersection of the North line of Fifth avenue, if extended, with the West line of Frederick street, thence North 77 feet, thence West 108 Feet, thence South 77 feet, thence East 108 feet to the place of beginning, being part of government lot 3, in Section 30, Township 24 North, Range 8, East.

J. N. JAKUSZ  
J. M. MARSHALL  
PAUL B. KITOWSKI

Action taken on the original motion. Motion carried.

District Attorney James H. Levi reported on the Molepske claim for the payment of one half of his assessment by Portage county, stating that this is no legal question. It is up to the board whether they want to pay half or let him pay all of it.

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Cook that Molepske take care of his own special assessment. Motion carried.

A report of the claims committee was read by the clerk as follows:

August 8, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen:

We, your committee on claims, met in adjourned session and checked over the claims and have allowed or disallowed them as follows:

	Claimed	Allowed
1. Mrs. Helen Majeski, property damages .....	\$ 4.50	Ref. to D. A.
2. Henry L. Kurtzweil, 7 days committee work ....	49.84	\$ 49.84
3. John N. Jakusz, 4 days committee work .....	28.48	28.48
4. Mel Reiser, land purchase deposit, held over from June 6, 1950 .....	50.00	Ref. to D. A.
5. Ray Clark, 2 days committee work .....	14.24	14.24
6. Arthur Hintz, 3 days committee work .....	28.38	28.38
7. Catherine Zwaska, court reporting at inquest ..	5.70	5.70
8. Henry W. Stinson, 2 days committee work ....	10.00	10.00
9. George E. Vaughan, 2 days committee work ....	14.24	14.24

**Witness Fees in Justice Court Before  
W. E. Atwell, Jr., Justice of the Peace**

**May 16, 1950**

**State vs. Henry Gosh:**

Ben Sankey, 427 Center street, city,

1 day, 2 miles (omitted from May report) .....\$ 2.10 \$2.10

**June 15, 1950**

**Portage County vs. George Hulce:**

William Kvatek, So. River Drive, city

1 day, 2 miles ..... 2.10 2.10

Raymond Kitowski, Junction City, 1 day; 2 miles 2.10 2.10

July 24, 1950

State vs. Daniel Polum:

William Kvatek, So. River Drive, city, 1 day, 2 miles .....	2.10	2.10
Neal Ketchum, 306 McCulloch street, city, 1 day, 2 miles .....	2.10	2.10
Clarence Golla, city, Route 2, 1 day, 8 miles .....	2.40	2.40
Leona Stroik, city, Route 2, 1 day 14 miles .....	2.70	2.70
	<u>\$ 15.60</u>	<u>\$ 15.60</u>

Total claimed ..... \$15.60

Total allowed ..... 15.60

**Witness Fees in Justice Court Before  
Robert C. Jenkins, Justice of the Peace**

July 25, 1950

State vs. Clarence Golla:

	Claimed	Allowed
Daniel Polum, 217 W. Clark street city, 1 day, 2 miles .....	\$ 2.10	\$ 2.10
David Lubinski, 928 Fifth avenue, city 1 day, 2 miles .....	2.10	2.10
Neal Ketchum, 306 McCulloch street, 1 day, 2 miles	2.10	2.10
William Kvatek, South River Drive, 1 day, 2 miles	2.10	2.10
	<u>\$ 8.40</u>	<u>\$ 8.40</u>

Total claimed ..... \$ 8.40

Total allowed ..... 8.40

Grand total claimed ..... \$24.10

Grand total allowed ..... 24.10

We, your committee on claims, have carefully examined the bills as presented to us and have made corrections wherever necessary. We recommend that the amounts as allowed by the committee be allowed and that the county orders be drawn for the same.

WILLIAM FRIZZELL  
MARTIN POLIWODA  
J. N. JAKUSZ  
ARLEIGH HETZEL  
HENRY SCHULIST  
GEORGE E. VAUGHAN

The district attorney reported that under the existing circumstances that Majeski claim for damages ought to be denied due to the fact that the sheriff reports that he picked up the ice-box and set it outside as carefully as if it were his own. Mrs. Majeski then hired a truck to haul her furniture and what happened after that he does not know.

On the Mel Reiser claim, the district attorney stated that this was a deposit on land purchased. Mr. Reiser neither received a refund nor did he consummate any land purchase and since the county has received the \$50.00 from the bonding company, Mr. Reiser is entitled to the refund.

Moved by Supervisor Vaughan and seconded by Supervisor Wojcik that the \$50.00 claim be included in the claims committee report and that the treasurer be instructed to refund that money. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Pascavis that the report be accepted as amended. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 30 ayes, 2 absent, and 2 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan.

Pascavis, Kaczmarek, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisors Krogwold and Waterman were absent, and Supervisors Poliwoda and Schulist, excused.

Resolution No. 22 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 22**

Stevens Point, Wis.  
August 8, 1950

Whereas;

The county clerk of Portage county has been presented with a bill for the amount of nine hundred thirty nine dollars and twenty six cents (\$939.26) from the state auditing department for an audit of the books of the county treasurer, which was not requested to be made by any county officer or member of the county board, but which was arbitrarily made by the state auditing department under Section 15.22 laws of Wisconsin,

And whereas;

The members of the county board feel that this was an unwarranted audit, inasmuch as the auditing firm, employed by the county had all of the information submitted by the auditors employed by the state auditing department and the state auditors, were informed of these facts before the state audit was started;

Now be it hereby resolved:

That the Portage county board of supervisors go on record opposing the payment of the above bill as a similar one under the above named statute, could be inflicted on any state municipality in the state, and in addition go on record, requesting our president of the County Boards association, our state senator, and assemblyman, to do all in their power to have the above named statute repealed or amended in order that the objectional features of the present law may be eliminated.

Furthermore that the county clerk mail a copy of this resolution to our state senator, assemblyman, chairman of the County Boards association and the county clerks of all counties of Wisconsin.

Respectfully submitted,  
H. L. KURTZWEIL  
HENRY SWENSON  
HENRY W. STINSON  
PAUL B. KITOWSKI  
FRANK MAGER

Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Omernick that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the report of the mileage and per diem committee as follows:

August 8, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen:

We, your committee on mileage and per diem, would respectfully report and recommend the adoption of the same and that the chairman and county clerk be instructed to draw an order on the county treasurer for the amounts.

	Days	Per Diem	Mileage	Amount
David Simonis .....	1	\$ 7.00	40	\$ 9.40
Arleigh Hetzel .....	1	7.00	42	9.52

Henry Swenson	1	7.00	46	9.76
Henry W. Stinson	1	7.00	50	10.00
Arthur Hintz	1	7.00	41	9.46
Martin Poliwoda	1	7.00	16	7.96
Peter Kawleski	1	7.00	16	7.96
Frank Beck	1	7.00	28	8.68
Anton Palek	1	7.00	48	9.88
Joseph Wojcik, Jr.	1	7.00	6	7.36
Thomas Morgan	1	7.00	44	9.64
John Pascavis	1	7.00	15	7.90
Thomas Kaczmarek	1	7.00	8	7.48
Henry Schulist	1	7.00	30	8.80
Frank Mager	1	7.00	30	8.80
John Rath	1	7.00	50	10.00
Thomas A. Guyant	1	7.00	40	9.40
Emil Kostuch	1	7.00	36	9.16
Paul B. Kitowski	1	7.00	26	8.56
William Frizzell	1	7.00	30	8.80
Horace C. Atkins	1	7.00	4	7.24
Carl Rosholt	1	7.00	34	9.04
Barney F. Omernick	1	7.00	4	7.24
H. L. Kurtzweil	1	7.00	2	7.12
Ralph A. Cook	1	7.00	2	7.12
George E. Vaughan	1	7.00	2	7.12
John Jakusz	1	7.00	2	7.12
Ray Clark	1	7.00	2	7.12
C. E. Nebel	1	7.00	2	7.12
Vincent G. Jurgella	1	7.00	2	7.12
J. M. Marshall	1	7.00	2	7.12
Nat Kinney	1	7.00	2	7.12

\$266.12

Mileage &amp; Per Diem Committee

DAVID SIMONIS  
 PETER KAWLESKI  
 RALPH A. COOK  
 JOHN PASCAVIS

Moved by Supervisor Omernick and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that the report be accepted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 30 ayes, 2 absent and 2 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Kaczmarek, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisors Krogwold and Waterman were absent and Supervisors Poliwoda and Schulist were excused.

Resolution No. 23 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 23**

August 8, 1950

Be it hereby resolved by the county board of supervisors of Portage county, Wisconsin, now in adjourned meeting assembled that the resolutions, petitions and motions adopted and carried at this meeting be and they are hereby ratified and confirmed in all respects by this board.

ANTON PALEK

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor

Cook that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 30 ayes, 2 absent, and 2 excused. The following members voted, aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Kaczmarek, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisors Waterman and Krogwold were absent, and Supervisors Poliwoda and Schulist were excused.

Moved by Supervisor Kurtzweil and seconded by Supervisor Marshall that the board adjourn until their regular fall session. Motion carried.

ANNE T. STROJNY  
County Clerk

STATE OF WISCONSIN)

(SS.

COUNTY OF PORTAGE)

I, Anne T. Strojny, county clerk of said county, and Janet Wied, deputy, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct record of the proceedings of the adjourned session of the county board of supervisors of Portage county, Wisconsin, which was read by the county clerk in the presence of the members of the county board of supervisors and by them approved.

ANNE T. STROJNY  
County Clerk

Attest:

JANET WIED  
Deputy Clerk

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS  
OF THE  
ANNUAL SESSION  
OF THE  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
OF  
PORTAGE COUNTY, WISCONSIN  
NOVEMBER 6, A. D., 1950  
FIRST DAY

The county board of supervisors of Portage county met in annual session in the circuit court room at the court house in the city of Stevens Point, Wisconsin, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, on November 6, A. D., 1950.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman.  
Town of Alban, David Simonis.  
Town of Almond, Arleigh Hetzel.  
Town of Amherst, Henry Swenson.  
Town of Belmont, Henry W. Stinson.  
Town of Buena Vista, Arthur Hintz.  
Town of Carson, Martin Poliwoda.  
Town of Dewey, Peter Kawleski.  
Town of Eau Pleine, Frank Beck.  
Town of Grant, Anton Palek.  
Town of Hull, Joseph Wojcik, Jr.  
Town of Lanark, Thomas Morgan.  
Town of Linwood, John Pascavis.  
Town of New Hope, Russell Krogwold.  
Town of Pine Grove, Vilas O. Waterman.  
Town of Plover, Thomas Kaczmarek.  
Town of Sharon, Henry Schulist.  
Town of Stockton, Frank Mager.  
Village of Almond, John Rath.  
Village of Amherst, Thomas A. Guyant.  
Village of Amherst Junction, Emil Kostuch.  
Village of Junction City, Paul B. Kitowski.  
Village of Nelsonville, William Frizzell.  
Village of Park Ridge, Horace C. Atkins.  
Village of Rosholt, Carl Rosholt.  
Village of Whiting, Barney F. Omernick.  
City of Stevens Point, First ward, H. L. Kurtzweil.  
City of Stevens Point, Second ward, Ralph A. Cook.  
City of Stevens Point, Third ward, George E. Vaughan.  
City of Stevens Point, Fourth ward, John N. Jakusz.

City of Stevens Point, Fifth ward, Ray Clark.  
 City of Stevens Point, Sixth ward, C. E. Nebel.  
 City of Stevens Point, Seventh ward, Vincent G. Jurgella.  
 City of Stevens Point, Eighth ward, J. M. Marshall.  
 City of Stevens Point, Ninth ward, Nat Kinney.  
 All members present except Supervisors Schulist and Palek,  
 absent.

Clerk read the call of the board as follows:

October 23, 1950

Miss Anne T. Strojny,  
 County Clerk, Portage County,  
 Stevens Point, Wisconsin.

Dear Madam:

We, the undersigned, constituting a majority of the members of the Portage county board of supervisors, and pursuant to Section 59.05(2) of the Wisconsin statutes, hereby request that a special meeting of the Portage county board of supervisors be held at the court house in the city of Stevens Point, Wisconsin, on Monday, November 6th, A. D., 1950, at 10:00 a. m., and that we request said meeting for the purpose of taking care of any and all business that may come up before it at that time, being the annual November session of the county board.

J. M. MARSHALL  
 HENRY W. STINSON  
 ARTHUR HINTZ  
 THOMAS E. MORGAN  
 H. L. KURTZWEIL  
 CARL ROSHOLT  
 PAUL B. KITOWSKI  
 HENRY SWENSON  
 HORACE ATKINS  
 RAY CLARK  
 VINCENT G. JURGELLA  
 J. N. JAKUSZ

NAT KINNEY  
 RUSSELL KROGWOLD  
 RALPH A. COOK  
 GEORGE E. VAUGHAN  
 VILAS WATERMAN  
 ANTON PALEK  
 JOHN RALE  
 THOMAS GUYANT  
 BARNEY F. OMERNICK  
 C. E. NEBEL  
 THOMAS KACZMAREK.

Moved by Supervisor Kurtzweil and seconded by Supervisor Kaczmarek that the same be placed on file. Motion carried.

Petition No. 3 read by the clerk as follows, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

**PETITION NO. 3**

November 6, 1950

To the Honorable County Board of Portage County, Wisconsin:  
 The petition of the town of Linwood, Portage county, Wisconsin, by John Pascavis, chairman, respectfully sets forth and shows:  
 That it was necessary to build a bridge on a road in the town of Linwood leading east and west. It is located in Section 18, running west from P. to Wood county line.

That the estimated cost of such construction is the sum of three hundred thirty dollars (\$330.00).

Wherefore, your petitioner prays that the proper officers of the county of Portage be authorized and directed to pay to the said town of Linwood the county's share of the cost of such construction, as required by the statutes, being one hundred thirty dollars (\$130.00).

Dated this 6th day of November, 1950.

Town of Linwood,  
 Portage County, Wis.  
 JOHN PASCAVIS,  
 Chairman

Supervisors Schulist and Palek entered the room.

Report of the claims committee was read by the clerk as follows:

October 31, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen:

We, your committee on claims, met in annual session and checked over the claims herein and have allowed or disallowed them as follows:

	Claimed	Allowed
1. Dr. Fred Marrs, professional services .....	\$ 10.00	\$ 10.00
2. Dr. Eric Wisiol, professional services .....	5.00	5.00
3. Anna H. Clausen, testimony transcript at inquest .....	18.00	18.00
4. Edward D. Haka, filing vital statistics .....	817.60	817.60
5. John Dzikoski, Jr., coroner fees .....	169.40	169.40
6. Ray Clark, 2 days committee work .....	14.24	14.24
7. Arthur Hintz, 3 days committee work .....	28.38	28.38
8. Henry Stinson, 2 days committee work .....	20.00	20.00
9. John Pascavis, 8 days committee work .....	63.20	63.20
10. Louis B. Nelson, 8 days committee work .....	69.44	69.44
11. Peter Kawleski, 8 days committee work .....	63.68	63.68
12. Henry Schulist, 11 days committee work .....	96.80	96.80
13. Martin Poliwoda, 6 days committee work .....	47.76	47.76
14. Vilas Waterman, 9 days committee work .....	84.60	84.60
15. Carl Rosholt, 7 days committee work .....	63.28	63.28

Total amount claimed .....\$1,571.38

Total amount allowed ..... 1,571.38

**Schedule of Witness Fees in Justice Court,  
Before Emmett L. Welch, Justice of Peace:**

1950.	Claimed	Allowed
Sept. 6 — Portage County vs. Frank Pienkowski: E. J. Bregger, 407 Strongs avenue, Stevens Point, 3 days, 6 miles .....	\$ 6.30	\$ 6.30
Henry Herian, 744 Church street, Stevens Point 2 days, 4 miles .....	4.20	4.20
Kenneth Wollenschlager, 3 days, 6 miles .....	6.30	6.30
Wm. Kvatek, South River Drive, Stevens Point. 3 days, 6 miles .....	6.30	6.30

Total amount claimed .....\$23.10

Total amount allowed ..... 23.10

**Schedule of Witness and Jury Fees in Coroner's Court:**

At an inquest concerning the death of Alfred March, of Stevens Point, Portage county, who died on the 29th day of July, 1950, due to auto-fire truck collision, was held at the city water office in the city of Stevens Point, Portage county, Wisconsin, on the 31st day of August, 1950.

The following jurors were called to view the remains of the said Alfred March:

July 29, 1950	Claimed	Allowed
<b>Jurors</b> Dan Kalpinski, 249 North Second street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	\$ 4.10	\$ 4.10

William Fisher, 736 Portage street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
Alvin Miskowski, 324 Prentice street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
Peter Firkus, 803 1/2 Union street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
Vern Soule, 1347 Water street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
John Olbrantz, 829 North Second street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
	\$ 24.60	\$ 24.60

The following jurors were called to the inquest of the said

Alfred March:

August 31, 1950

**Jurors**

Dan Kalpinski, 249 North Second street, Stevens Point, 1 day 2 miles .....	\$ 4.10	\$ 4.10
William Fisher, 736 Portage street, Stevens Point, 1 day 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
Alvin Miskowski, 324 Prentice street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
Peter Firkus, 803 1/2 Union street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
Vern Soule, 1347 Water street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
John Olbrantz, 829 North Second street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
	\$ 24.60	\$ 24.60

The following witnesses were called to testify:

**Witnesses**

Dr. William C. Sheehan, 803 Strongs avenue, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	\$ 2.10	\$ 2.10
Edward Pleet, 404 1/2 Fifth avenue, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	2.10	2.10
Peter Lazare, 621 North Fremont street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	2.10	2.10
Lloyd Mrozinski, 337 North Division, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	2.10	2.10
Norman Stiff, 727 Ellis street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	2.10	2.10
Henry Kurtzweil, 119 Smith street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	2.10	2.10
Herbert Wanserski, 440 West Clark street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	2.10	2.10
	\$ 14.70	\$ 14.70

At an inquest concerning the death of Irving Matula of the town of Hull, Portage county, Wisconsin, who died on the 26th day of July, 1950, due to injuries in an auto accident, was held at the city water office, in the city of Stevens Point, Wisconsin, on the 28th day of July, 1950.

The following jurors were called to view the remains of the said Irving Matula:

July 26, 1950

**Jurors**

Vincent Kroll, 511 1/2 North Second street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	\$ 4.10	\$ 4.10
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Norman Hahn, 1008 Main street, Stevens Point. 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
Phillip Glazer, 916 Meadow street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
John Jakusz, 217 Washington avenue, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
Anton Schultz, 425 Franklin street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
Clarence Pfeffer, 219 Plover street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	4.10	4.10
	\$ 24.60	\$ 24.60

The following jurors were called to the inquest of the said Irving Matula:

July 28th and August 5th, 1950

**Jurors**

Vincent Kroll, 511½ North Second street, Stevens Point, 2 days, 4 miles .....	\$ 8.20	\$ 8.20
Norman Hahn, 1008 Main street, Stevens Point, 2 days, 4 miles .....	8.20	8.20
Phillip Glazer, 916 Meadow street, Stevens Point, 2 days, 4 miles .....	8.20	8.20
John Jakusz, 217 Washington avenue, Stevens Point, 2 days, 4 miles .....	8.20	8.20
Anton Schultz, 425 Franklin street, Stevens Point, 2 days, 4 miles .....	8.20	8.20
Clarence Pfeffer, 219 Plover street, Stevens Point, 2 days, 4 miles .....	8.20	8.20
	\$ 49.20	\$ 49.20

The following witnesses were called to testify:

**Witnesses**

Raymond Kitowski, 422 Church street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	\$ 2.10	\$ 2.10
Kenneth Wollenschlager, 422 Church street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	2.10	2.10
Dr. S. R. Miller, 316½ Main street, Stevens Point, 1 day, 2 miles .....	2.10	2.10
Francine Sabala, R. 2, Stevens Point, 1 day .....	2.00	2.00
	\$ 8.30	\$ 8.30

Total juror and witness fees claimed ..... \$146.00

Amount allowed ..... 146.00

We, your committee on claims, have carefully examined the bills presented to us and have made corrections wherever necessary. We recommend that the amounts as allowed by the committee be allowed and that the county orders be drawn for same:

VILAS WATERMAN  
HENRY SCHULIST  
MARTIN POLIWODA  
GEORGE E. VAUGHAN  
J. N. JAKUSZ  
WILLIAM FRIZZELL  
ARLEIGH HETZEL  
Committee on General Claims

Moved by Supervisor Kurtzweil and seconded by Supervisor Krogwold that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

A report of the judiciary committee was read by the clerk as follows:

November 2, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of  
Portage County, Wisconsin:  
Gentlemen:

We, your judiciary committee, to whom was referred schedule  
of claims for damages done by dogs, beg to report as follows:

	Claimed	Allowed
1. Jack Adamski, 57 chickens killed .....	\$ 57.00	\$ 45.60
2. Mrs. Ben Berna, 4 ducks killed .....	14.00	4.20
3. Walter Blaskey, 12 Flemish giant rabbits killed .....	39.00	14.40
4. Clara Borchardt, 195 Hampshire Reds killed ....	370.50	156.00
5. Clara Borchardt, 27 Hampshire Reds killed ....	51.30	27.00
6. Herbert Borchardt, 1 pig killed .....	20.00	16.00
7. August Brown, 1 sheep, 5 lambs killed .....	125.00	54.40
8. Floyd Buckholt, 1 turkey hen killed .....	10.00	2.40
9. Steve Cieslewicz, 12 geese killed .....	42.00	19.20
10. Regina Ciseski, 51 New Hampshires, 1 goslin	52.50	42.00
11. Ray Dombrowski, 69 chickens killed .....	44.85	27.60
12. Robert Dombrowski, 10 domestic rabbits killed	25.00	12.00
13. Anna Dybas, 15 chickens killed .....	45.00	15.00
14. Anna Dybas, 8 chickens killed, 15 injured .....	75.00	8.00
15. Bert Glodowski, 50 chickens killed .....	87.50	40.00
16. Louis Kawlewski, 25 chickens killed .....	25.00	20.00
17. Mrs. Daniel Krayecki, 2 white giant rabbits ....	7.00	2.40
18. Mrs. Louis Louritzen, 3 turkeys, 8 pullets .....	37.00	13.60
19. Frank Pehowski, 29 chickens killed .....	45.00	23.20
20. Edward Oksiuta, 19 chickens killed .....	24.70	7.70
21. Edgar Parkinson, 1 sheep killed .....	20.00	16.00
22. Gregory Pascavis, 11 rabbits killed .....	27.50	13.20
23. Theodore Pascavis, 27 chickens killed .....	40.50	32.40
24. Gerald Peskie, 40 chickens killed .....	40.00	32.00
25. Roman Pliska, 51 chickens, 4 turkeys, 3 pigs	96.00	71.04
26. Dominick Rudnick; 1 pig killed .....	26.00	20.80
27. Warren Sherman, 4 rabbits killed .....	10.00	4.80
28. Nick Waslewski, 4 hogs killed .....	112.00	44.80
29. Leo Yenter, 3 adult rabbits, 10 half grown rabbits .....	16.00	11.60
30. Mrs. Tillie Zdroik, 1 barred rock hen .....	3.00	1.20
31. Mrs. Ted Zdrojewski, 19 heavy type chickens	28.50	19.00
32. Harold Buelow, 1 ewe killed, 2 ewes injured ....	60.00	30.40
33. Harry Chamberlain, 1 white gobbler, 1 bronze turkey, 8 young turkeys .....	28.00	10.20
34. Oscar Giese, 14 full grown roosters .....	35.00	14.00
35. Sigmond Misunas, 4 white turkeys dead, 8 injured .....	50.00	19.20
36. Lynn Loomis, 6 sheep killed .....	150.00	67.20
37. Raymond Palbarch, 1 two-year-old heifer killed	110.00	80.00
38. Edwin Gagas, 6 ducks killed .....	15.00	4.80
39. Nick Wiza, 16 chickens killed .....	12.00	9.60
40. Baldas Michelkamp, 6 angora rabbits killed ....	12.00	9.60
41. Edmund Richter, 1 hog killed .....	50.00	30.00
42. August Wanta, 3 hens killed .....	9.00	3.60
Total amount claimed .....	\$2,147.85	
Total amount allowed .....	1,096.14	
Total amount disallowed ..	1,051.71	

We, your judiciary committee, have carefully examined the  
bills presented to us and have made corrections where necessary.  
We recommend that the amounts as allowed by this committee

be allowed and that county orders be drawn for same.

ANTON PALEK  
PETER KAWLESKI  
THOMAS GUYANT  
FRANK BECK  
Judiciary Committee

Moved by Supervisor Vaughan and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that the report be referred back to the judiciary committee for adjustment. Motion carried.

Clerk read a communication from the state department of public instruction as follows:

**STATE OF WISCONSIN  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION  
MADISON 2**

October 31, 1950

To the County Clerk and the County Treasurer,  
Portage County.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 59.075(1) I am certifying the number of elementary teacher units operating in the county during the school year 1949-50 as follows:

Number of elementary teacher units under the jurisdiction of the county superintendent in districts which levied and placed on the tax rolls of the district for 1949-50 a tax of not less than 5 mills on the equalized valuation of the districts for the year previous to the year of levy.

92 x \$350 — \$32,200.00

Number of elementary teacher units under the jurisdiction of city superintendents in districts which levied and placed on the tax rolls of the districts for 1949-50 a tax of not less than 5 mills on the equalized valuation of the district for the year previous to the year of levy.

Stevens Point 26 x \$350.00 — \$ 9,100.00

Total school tax levy

\$41,300.00

It will be necessary for the county board to levy such additional amounts as are certified by the county superintendent pursuant to the provisions of Section 59.075(2).

Signed:

G. E. WATSON  
State Superintendent

Moved by Supervisor Waterman and seconded by Supervisor Kostuch that the communication be placed on file. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Schulist and seconded by Supervisor Wojcik that the board adjourn until 2:00 o'clock. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, November 6, 1950, 2:00 p. m.

Meeting called to order by the Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman. Clerk called the roll. All members were present except Supervisors Atkins, Wojcik, and Kinney, absent.

Game Warden Anthony Jelich appeared before the board in regard to the old John Strange dam in the McDill pond. He stated the public hearing on this matter will be held in the court house on November 28, 1950. He urged the county board to take action on the maintenance and upkeep of this dam, possibly through the park board.

Resolution No. 24 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 24**

Whereas, the dam known as the old John Strange dam in the McDill pond has been abandoned and is no longer in use, and,

Whereas, the McDill pond has the greatest number of fishermen throughout the winter months in this central area, and,

Whereas, if this dam is not maintained, it will drain the pond, as well as lose all its recreational and scenic value.

Now, therefore, be it hereby resolved that Portage county maintain the old Strange dam in the McDill pond through a 3 member conservation committee of the county board.

Dated this 6th day of November, A. D., 1950.

J. N. JAKUSZ

H. L. KURTZWEIL

NAT KINNEY

VILAS WATERMAN

EMIL KOSTUCH

DAVID SIMONIS

J. M. MARSHALL

MARTIN POLIWODA

BARNEY F. OMERNICK

THOMAS S. KACZMAREK

HORACE ATKINS

JOSEPH WOJCIK, JR.

VINCENT JURGELLA

Moved by Supervisor Waterman and seconded by Supervisor Nebel that the resolution be tabled until after the hearing. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Palek that the chair appoint a county board conservation committee of 3 to take care of and investigate this issue of the McDill pond. Motion carried.

Honorable Carl Rosholt appointed the committee consisting of Supervisors Omernick, Jakusz, and Waterman.

Moved by Supervisor Kostuch and seconded by Supervisor Schullist that the board approve the appointment. Motion carried.

A communication from the Wisconsin Telephone company at Green Bay, pertaining to the Portage county zoning ordinance was read by the clerk and referred by the chair to the district attorney for further explanation.

Petition No. 4 was read by the clerk and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

**PETITION NO. 4**

To the County Board of Portage County, Wisconsin:

We, the undersigned, residents of Portage county and Wood county, Wisconsin, who live along the county line of Wood and Portage county from a point about one-half mile south from the Soo Line tracks and to continue south to the Wood county line, all declare that this portion of the town of Carson road referred to above is and has been in poor condition for travel for a long time.

We petition to those in authority to examine this road or appoint a committee to investigate the facts we are submitting in this petition and also arrange at once to provide action to rebuild this road and surface same like the joining roads covered with granite.

(The above petition was signed by 45 members of the town of Carson).

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Wojcik that the board adjourn until 10:00 o'clock Wednesday morning. Motion carried.

ANNE T. STROJNY  
County Clerk

**SECOND DAY**

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, November 8, 1950, 10:00 a. m.

Meeting called to order by the Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman. Clerk called the roll. All members present except Supervisor Hintz, absent, and Supervisors Pascavis and Vaughan, excused.

Minutes of the previous day read by the clerk.

Moved by Supervisor Morgan and seconded by Supervisor Poliwoda that the minutes be approved. Motion carried.

Supervisor Hintz entered the room.

Petition No. 5 was read by the clerk, as follows, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

**PETITION NO. 5**

Date: November 8, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin.

The petition of the town of Lanark, Portage county, Wisconsin, by Thomas E. Morgan, chairman, respectfully sets forth, that by a petition dated April 18, 1950, the said town of Lanark made request for an appropriation to be made by said county of Portage, for the construction of a bridge across the river known as Spring Lake river whereby an emergency existed.

That there now exists such bridge, in said town, and on file in the office of the clerk of the town of Lanark there is proof of the payment of all expenses of construction of such bridge to the extent of thirty-three-hundred nineteen dollars and ten cents (\$3319.10) as itemized on sheet attached hereto.

Wherefore the said town of Lanark prays that pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided for, that there be appropriated the additional sum of sixteen hundred fifty nine dollars and fifty five cents (\$1659.55) to defray the county's share of the cost of such construction, and that the proper officers of the county of Portage, state of Wisconsin be directed and authorized to pay to the treasurer of the town of Lanark, sixteen hundred and fifty nine dollars and fifty five cents.

THOMAS E. MORGAN,  
Chairman,  
Town of Lanark.

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Jakusz that the first order of business on Friday morning be the election of the highway committee. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Kostuch and seconded by Supervisor Frizzell that the board adjourn until 2:00 o'clock. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, November 8, 1950, 2 p. m.

Meeting called to order by the Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman. Clerk called the roll. All members present except Supervisors Swenson, Kawleski, Wojcik, Morgan, Waterman, and Kinney.

Petition No. 6 was read by the clerk, as follows, and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

**PETITION NO. 6**

To the Honorable County Board of the County of Portage:

The petition of the undersigned town board of the town of Plover, county of Portage, by its chairman, respectfully represents that at the last annual town meeting of said town, the electors thereof voted to construct the bridge lying wholly within said town located as follows:

Commencing on the East line of U. S. Highway No. 51 on the line between Lots Sixteen (16) and Seventeen (17), Halladay's survey of 1888 in Section Fifteen (15), Township Twenty-three (23) North of Range, Eight (8) East, thence North eighty (80) degrees East on said line between Lots Sixteen (16) and Seventeen (17)

754.2 feet east, said line to be the center line of a new highway Fifty (50) feet wide taking Twenty-five (25) feet off the South side of Lot Seventeen (17) and Twenty-five (25) feet off the North side of Lot Sixteen (16), all in the aforesaid Section Fifteen (1), Township Twenty-three (23) North, of Range Eight (8) East.

At the same time due provision was made for the payment by said town of its proportion of the cost of constructing such bridge required by law to be paid by the said town, and further, that the total valuation of said town of Plover, according to the last assessment, as equalized by the county board was in excess of four hundred thousand (\$400,000.00) dollars; that such bridge has been constructed at a total cost of six hundred, eighty-five and 75/100ths (\$685.75) dollars as appears from the bill attached hereto and made a part hereto by reference.

Wherefore, your petitioners pray for an appropriation to be made by the said county of Portage in the amount of three hundred forty-two and 87/100ths (\$342.87) dollars to defray its share of the expense of constructing such bridge and that a tax therefore be levied to that end by your honorable board.

Dated this 8th day of November, 1950.

THOMAS S. KACZMAREK

Town Chairman of Tn. Plover.

Supervisors Morgan, Wojcik, and Kinney entered the room.

Mr. Fisher, representative of the Wisconsin forestry advisory committee, appeared before the board relative to a forest inventory. Such inventory would contain valuable information relative to an analysis of timber, such as, amount of growing merchantable timber, the volume of timber, etc. This inventory would act as a guide to the future market and would be brought up to date from time to time. Discussion followed.

Supervisors Kawleski, Waterman, and Hetzel entered the room.

Moved by Supervisor Kurtzweil and seconded by Supervisor Nebel that the report be referred to the conservation committee. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 26 ayes, and 8 nays. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Beck, Palek, Morgan, Krogwald, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. The following members voted naye: Supervisors Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Wojcik, Pascavis, Waterman, Kaczmarek, and Omernick.

Resolution No. 25 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 25**

November 8, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the Portage County Board of Supervisors:  
Gentlemen:

A room at the Stevens Point Teachers college has been designated as a sub-depository of the Wisconsin state historical society.

The staff of the State Teachers college has collected a number of old records from Portage county, these records must be sorted and cataloged, as this entails a lot of work and time, the staff has requested some financial aid in this matter.

Now therefore be it resolved that the sum of \$250.00 be appropriated for the use of this society to pay for labor in setting up this labrary.

H. C. ATKINS  
PAUL B. KITOWSKI  
RALPH A. COOK

Dr. Warren Jenkins from the State Teachers college appeared before the board and explained the program planned for the purpose of preservation and cataloging of old tax records dated back to 1848, as well as other county material obtained from the highway department vault, where such records up to this time have been stored. The money requested would be used to back some county student who is interested in that type of work and can not continue as a teacher because of lack of funds. He stated that a request would also be made to the adjoining counties whose old records would also be turned over to the college storage vault. The state has chosen this spot and has designated it as the regional depository of the State Historical society.

Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Nebel that the resolution be referred to the finance committee. Motion carried.

A recommendation from the ambulance committee was read by the clerk as follows:

Stevens Point, Wisconsin  
November 8, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board:  
We your radio and ambulance committee after having studied the ambulance service and costs of such service to Portage county for the past years of such service.

And after reviving and studying the service rendered injured in other counties of Wisconsin,

We your county committee of the county board on ambulance service of emergency cases only.

Do hereby recommend that the county board of Portage county grant the radio and ambulance committee the power to buy equipment and maintain a vehicle for emergency ambulance service only for use in Portage county.

For the first year the amount of \$4,000.00 be placed in the tax-roll for purchase, equipping, and operating, an ambulance for Portage county for the ensuing year.

VILAS WATERMAN  
ARLEIGH HETZEL  
HENRY SCHULIST

Moved by Supervisor Kaczmarek and seconded by Supervisor Nebel that the recommendation be tabled until tomorrow morning. Motion carried.

Supervisor Kinney left the room.

The traffic officers report was given by Neal Ketchum, county traffic officer, as follows:

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board:  
The following annual report of the county traffic officers was compiled by the officers from the monthly reports of the officers, accident reports on file and the records of the county highway department and covers a twelve month period ending October 31, 1950.

During this period 328 accidents occurred, in the county, outside the city of Stevens Point. This shows an increase of 26 accidents over the preceding twelve months. Injuries amounted to 187, an increase of three and deaths amounted to 6, a decrease of one over the previous period. Property damage was estimated at \$109,683.00, an increase of \$29,571.00.

The following accident facts have been compiled by this department.

There were 317 drivers from Portage county, 176 drivers from elsewhere in the state and 26 out of state drivers.

**Drivers by age:**

75 under 21  
 174 21-30  
 107 31-40  
 68 41-50  
 31 51-60  
 30 61-70  
 13 71-80  
 2 81-90

19 Not known

**Accident distribution in towns and villages:****Towns**

55 Plover  
 43 Hull  
 33 Amherst  
 28 Carson  
 28 Stockton  
 13 Buena Vista  
 12 Almond  
 12 Sharon  
 10 Dewey  
 9 Alban  
 9 Lanark  
 7 New Hope  
 7 Pine Grove  
 6 Eau Pleine  
 4 Belmont  
 4 Linwood  
 1 Grant

**Accidents by day of week**

88 Sunday  
 38 Monday  
 40 Tuesday  
 30 Wednesday  
 36 Thursday  
 37 Friday  
 59 Saturday

**Villages**

18 Whiting  
 11 Amherst  
 9 Park Ridge  
 4 Rosholt  
 3 Junction City  
 1 Almond  
 1 Amherst Junction

**Accidents by time of Day:**

A. M.	P. M.
22 12:01-1:00	17
20 1:01-2:00	20
5 2:01-3:00	15
1 3:01-4:00	16
3 4:01-5:00	28
2 5:01-6:00	26
2 6:01-7:00	15
6 7:01-8:00	23
12 8:01-9:00	23
4 9:01-10:00	16
8 10:01-11:00	17
9 11:01-12:00	18

**Accidents by hwy. locations:**

Highway	
51	85
10	83
54	26
66	25
161	5
49	4
34	4
22	2
County	61
Town	26
Village	5
Private	2

The total cost of operation for the twelve months was \$20,382.68 which includes \$13,255.86 for salaries, \$5,889.40 for car expenses and \$1,237.42 for all other expenses. During the same period the county received \$8,143.99 for fines and costs which brings the actual expense to \$12,238.69 for twelve months operation. The cost per mile to the county for the officers cars was 4.75 cents per mile of operation in county business. Miles covered for the county were 124,571.

Activities other than accident investigations include arrests of 427 persons for 476 violations, 750 warnings issued, 406 calls answered, 53 escorts, 725 driver tests and permit tests, 50 motorists were rendered assistance when their vehicles were disabled on the highway. 233 persons were given assistance in filling out license applications, 6 hearings were conducted for the state and 67 investigations were completed for the state.

Of the 476 violations that were taken to court, three were dismissed, one person charged with failing to yield the right of way was dismissed by the district attorney, one case of drunken driving and one of too fast for conditions were dismissed after trial.

**Distribution of Offenses:**

90 Speeding	12 Stop signs
56 Reckless driving	10 Failing to yield right of way
49 Drunken driving	9 Violation of turn and signal laws
43 Excess speed	8 Hit and run
41 Drivers license law	8 Fail to obey traffic officer
38 Lights and equipment	6 Intoxicated on highway
30 Illegal passing	3 Fail to report accident
21 Parking	1 Following another vehicle to close
20 Operating on left	
18 Violating vehicle license laws	
13 Truck load violations	

Respectfully submitted  
NEAL KETCHUM

Moved by Supervisor Waterman and seconded by Supervisor Cook that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Cook that the board adjourn until 10:00 o'clock Thursday morning. Motion carried.

ANNE T. STROJNY  
County Clerk

## THIRD DAY

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, November 9, 1950, 10:00 a. m.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman.

Clerk called the roll. All members present except Supervisors Palek and Mager, absent.

Minutes of the previous day were dispensed with.

R. B. Lewis, welfare director, made his annual report on the welfare department as follows:

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the Portage County Board:  
Gentlemen:

The Portage county public welfare department submits the following report covering the period—October 1, 1949—October 1, 1950 as required by state statutes under which this consolidated agency operates. Activities carried on by this combined agency include—old age assistance—aid to dependent children—aid to the blind—aid to the disabled—child welfare—social welfare services, estate and hospitalization collections, non-resident claims, referrals and county relief. Hundreds of additional investigations in the field of public welfare were made at the request of federal, state and county officials as well as municipalities within our county and from other counties and other states.

Your public welfare board is operating under Section 46.30 of the Wisconsin statutes in full co-operation with the state and federal programs in the administration of social security aids in Portage county.

Respectfully submitted,  
THOMAS KACZMAREK  
Chairman

THOMAS E. MORGAN  
 Vice-Chairman  
 ARTHUR HINTZ  
 Secretary  
 J. M. MARSHALL  
 EMIL KOSTUCH  
 R. B. LEWIS  
 Director Grade III

**PERSONNEL OF THE PORTAGE COUNTY  
 PUBLIC WELFARE DEPARTMENT  
 PORTAGE COUNTY PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD**

Thomas S. Kaczmarek, Chairman  
 Thomas Morgan, Vice-Chairman

Arthur Hintz, Secretary

Joseph M. Marshall

Emil Kostuch

**DIRECTOR GRADE III**

R. B. Lewis

**CASE WORKER II**

Elizabeth Skinner

**CASE WORKER I**

E. B. Formella

Dorothy Atkins

**CHILD WELFARE WORKER**

Lillian Engebretson

**CLERK GRADE III**

Mildred Seefluth

**CLERK GRADE II**

Valeria Constance

**CLERK TYPISTS**

Virginia Redding

Phyllis Larson

Patricia Dineen

A detailed report of old age assistance, aid to dependent children, blind aid, aid to disabled, report of state collections and a summary of social security aids is on file in the office of the county clerk.

**NON-RESIDENT WORK**

During each semi-monthly meeting of the Portage county welfare board the non-resident statements and claims are audited. The county welfare board audits only claims on persons having settlement outside the county, county charges or state-at-large charges.

There were 45 claims audited by the welfare board and of these 21 were denied. Expenditures for Portage county charges, which are those having no legal settlement in any municipality, up to September 30, 1950 totaled \$1,085.09.

From January 1, 1950 there were 27 claims for 16 persons having legal settlement in another county. Bills totaling \$4,061.83 were made out and sent by this department to other counties on these claims. Of this amount, \$3,061.19 has been collected, leaving a balance of \$1,000.64 that is still due Portage county.

Should a non-resident statement or claim be questionable when it is audited by the Portage county welfare board, no decision is made but it is referred to the district attorney for a written opinion. This was done on four occasions this year.

All state-at-large cases are investigated by this department completely before submitting to the district representative of the state department of public welfare for approval.

### HOSPITALIZATION COLLECTION

Last year's policy of sending letters to all people who received hospitalization at county cost, advising them of the fact that they are indebted to Portage county, has been continued. This method of collection continues to be very successful, and since its beginning in January 1942 a total of \$25,521.16 has been collected and returned to the county treasurer's general fund.

The total collections for the first 9 months of this year are \$448.30.

### CHILD WELFARE PROGRAM

Our county child welfare cases have again been numerous and varied. Bad home conditions are still the source of the majority of our problem cases, such as neglect and abuse, behavior problems and illegitimacy, etc.

As before, adoption investigations and investigations for agencies in other counties and states have been time consuming. This office also continues to act as representative for Travelers Aid, a nation wide agency.

The investigation, placing, supervising and licensing of foster homes is one of the most important functions of the child welfare program. This program is developing steadily with gratifying results.

From November 1, 1949 to November 1, 1950 we had 25 licensed foster homes caring for 22 Portage county children. These are classified as boarding homes, free adoption and free work homes.

There have been numerous commitments of children to various institutions outside of the county, such as Catholic welfare bureau in La Crosse, the Green Bay diocese apostolate and several public state institutions. Close contact has been maintained with these outside institutions and we have been successful in returning many of the children to persons responsible for them.

It would not be possible to carry on our child welfare program, with any measure of success without the excellent co-operation of the county judge, district attorney, county and city nurses and other city, county and town officials.

### OTHER ACTIVITIES

Section 46.35 of our statutes provides: "(2) Furnishing services to families or persons other than granting of financial or material aid where such services may prevent such families or persons from becoming public charges or restore them to a condition of self support."

We recognized the need of a large group of people in Portage county who needed help. They are alcoholics—a group of people who should never touch a drink of liquor. Because of their uncontrollable drinking they were becoming a burden upon the county. Broken homes, and neglected children and many other undesirable features were the result of their drinking as well as a great cost to the county of caring for these "drunks."

In December, 1949, with the co-operation of the state bureau of alcoholic studies and the alcoholic treatment center at Madison, we started channeling these "drunks" there for treatment where they are cared for at no cost to the county. We then aided in the establishment of our alcoholics anonymous group in Portage county, a group that any alcoholic who wants to quit drinking may join; there are no dues, no assessments; no cost to anyone in connection with this group. Thus, these people start treating themselves—the best cure for alcoholism today.

This group in Portage county is doing a wonderful job and we are proud to have had something to do with getting these people

with a common problem together and helping them to help themselves. Not only has it helped these individuals but society as a whole, and we are very proud too that since the organization of this group here in Portage county not one single person has been committed to an institution from the county at county expense for alcoholism, and further during this period not one "broken home" family was added to our rolls because of alcoholism.

These alcoholics, both men and women are doing a splendid job in re-habilitating themselves. It is a great deal of satisfaction to us to know that we had a part in getting them started in Portage county. They are doing a swell job on their own now but we shall continue to co-operate with them in every respect.

#### CONCLUSION

Your consolidated agency is performing all the functions called for by Section 46.30 under which we are organized. As you all know our offices are located in the court house annex and we want you to feel free to call on us anytime you have a problem with which we might be able to help you.

Congress has just passed the far reaching welfare bill HR6000 and it is now the law of the land. It will affect the functions of our office a great deal. We cannot predict the extent of the changes but they will be many. You may rest assured we will do our utmost to carry out the laws and their application as soon as they are made known to us.

We have at all times kept the administration of public assistance in Portage county on a high business standard to the end that the community may benefit from the application of the laws as laid down to us, and that in the end we will have better citizens and reduced relief costs.

Your welfare board, the director and entire staff are sincerely grateful for the genuine co-operation of all the county officials. The county board, both collectively and individually, and Judge Van Wagenen have been especially helpful in their recognition of the welfare problem in Portage county and to all of you we say "Thank you!"

Supervisor Palek entered the room.

Moved by Supervisor Waterman and seconded by Supervisor Kostuch that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

R. B. Lewis, service officer, made a report on the veteran's service as follows:

November 1, 1950

To Honorable Chairman and Members of the Portage County Board:

It is again my pleasure and privilege to report to you on the activities of your veterans service office for the past year, covering the period November 1, 1949 to November 1, 1950.

During this last year we have again entered another holocaust, a war in Korea. It has already taken the life of at least one Portage county soldier and severely wounded many more. Your service office is doing its best to meet the problems as they arise. Because of the increased defense program, the selective service activity as well as caring for those who are injured and become ill while in service, the demands during the past year have increased many times. The veterans of World war one and the veterans of World war two are coming rapidly to a point where their cases are becoming more complicated and their problems more varied. As you know, the veterans administration has withdrawn from the field entirely throwing the entire burden onto the county veterans service office and in addition to that the state set-up now

operates with the county service office as its representative in the county. We shall endeavor to maintain the high standard of service for the veterans of Portage county that has been rendered throughout the years.

During the past year there have been many changes in the laws and the application of the laws concerning veterans and their dependents. We endeavor to keep abreast of these changes and keep all the veterans in Portage county informed to their rights under both the state and federal laws.

We attended the institute at the University of Wisconsin as well as service officers schools at Green Bay, Fond du Lac and Stevens Point.

So that you might visualize the scope of our office, we give you the following report.

#### **FEDERAL BENEFITS**

To the end that the Portage county veteran may take advantage of the federal laws, your service office prosecutes claims for compensation for disabilities incurred in service; for pensions for disabilities not due to service; medical treatment at government expenses for service incurred disabilities, and for disabilities not service incurred where the veteran is unable to pay for his own care. In addition we secure dental care, domiciliary care, prosthetic appliances—such as artificial limbs, braces, eyes and so forth, aid them in other problems such as national service life insurance, war risk insurance which is World war one government insurance, protection of the veteran's job, the rehabilitation training either on the job, on the farm or institution, death benefits, aid for dependents on a federal level, financial assistance, GI loan information and direct GI loans, unused furlough pay, prisoner of war claims, dividend information. We might say during the past year nearly 4,000 World war two veterans received insurance dividend in Portage county. The war department also furnishes us with various types of headstones and grave markers at government expense.

#### **STATE BENEFITS**

Benefits on a state level are administered by the Wisconsin department of veterans affairs located in the capitol building at Madison and your county veterans service office is their representative in this county and through this department we obtain many benefits for the veterans of all wars, including hospitalization for veterans when not cared for by the veterans administration. We make extensive use through this department of the state of Wisconsin general hospital for examinations as well as treatments for both the veteran and his dependents. Loans are made to World war two veterans to help them in their rehabilitation, consolidation of their debts, to purchase real estate or personal property, student loans, etc. During the past year the new housing bill became effective but did very little for the veterans in our community. In fact only five persons in this community qualified under the housing bill out of more than five hundred inquiries. This is a very complicated set-up and very discouraging to the veteran. The process is very time consuming and a great deal of work is needed to prepare and present the loan to the department for their consideration. We also obtain grants from the Wisconsin department of veterans affairs to forestall want and distress of World war two veterans and also domiciliary care is furnished for veterans and their eligible dependents at the Grand Army home for veterans at King which is now under the direct supervision of the Wisconsin

department of veterans affairs.

### ACTIVITIES

So that you may have an idea of what has been accomplished during the past year and the vast amount of work involved, we give you the following report:

The interviews with veterans in our office for the past year total 10,104. (This does not include the interviews at meetings of various veterans groups throughout the county). We attended over 100 of such meetings in Rosholt, Amherst, Almond, Plover, Junction City, Lanark, and Stevens Point. At each of these meetings we have tried to inform the veterans of their rights and their privileges and so forth. We have more than 1,200 active World war one and Spanish American war cases in our files. We have 4,106 active World war two cases. We have reinstated and converted during the past year more than a million dollars in national service life insurance. More than 4,000 veterans received their national service life insurance dividends whose applications were filed through this office. The total amount of dividends received amounted to more than \$800,000.

The job as re-employment committeeman has been carried out and is receiving a great deal of attention since the step-up in the defense program in our country. This particular function is worked with the department of labor and we represent them and their many problems in this territory. The big problem, of course, is the maintaining of the veteran's rights while he is in service.

### HOSPITALIZATION

Perhaps the biggest problem your veterans service office has to contend with is the proper hospitalization of the veterans of Portage county. During this past year we have averaged 66 veterans receiving medical care every day throughout the year. These men have been hospitalized at government expense in hospitals throughout this area. The hospitals include veterans administration hospitals at Hines, Illinois, at Wood, Wisconsin, at Waukesha, Tomah, Fort Snelling, Minnesota, St. Cloud, Minnesota, Downy, Illinois, Danville, Illinois and Great Lakes. Our local hospital facilities are being used for emergency cases and the veterans administration has a contract with both St. Michaels hospital in Stevens Point and River Pines sanitorium. We have also furnished domiciliary care to veterans and their eligible dependents at Wood, Wisconsin and King. We have now 78 persons receiving domiciliary care.

### TRAINING PROGRAM

The training program under the GI bill of rights is fast coming to an end and July 25, 1951 sees the beginning of the end of that program because all persons must be in training by that date or they are not eligible and they must have completed their training before July 25, 1956. We have been aiding these veterans to obtain their objectives in training and the new rules laid down by the veterans administration have made the situation very complicated.

At the present time we have 109 boys taking on-the-job farm training in Portage county and we have applications for many more who wish to get started as soon as trainers have available room for them. We have many on-the-job trainees learning the various trades and professions throughout the county and as well as hundreds of Portage county veterans attending schools and colleges throughout the nation.

### MONETARY BENEFITS PAID TO PORTAGE COUNTY VETERANS

This year more than one million dollars was paid directly to Portage county veterans or their dependents. This is exclusive of the more than \$800,000 paid to them in their insurance dividend because that was their own money, not a bonus or gratuity of any sort. We have more than 1,000 World war two veterans of Portage county drawing compensation for service connected disabilities. These monthly benefits vary from \$15.00 a month to \$360.00 a month. During World war two Portage county suffered an exceptionally large number of very severely disabled service men and as a result we have many claims for compensation or service connected disabilities.

Total amount of compensation paid to World war two veterans this year amounted to .....	\$ 226,347.44
Amount of pensions paid to World war one and Spanish-American war veterans amounted to .....	278,490.00
Subsistence grants to trainees was .....	369,200.00
Loans made through your veterans service office from the state (11 rehabilitation loans and 5 housing loans) .....	14,165.00
Grants from the state department to forestall want and distress was .....	2,456.11
Death benefits:	
Burials — 24 persons died locally \$150.00 each .....	3,600.00
Government insurance collected was .....	26,000.00
Benefits paid to dependents of deceased veterans .....	138,253.60

Total cash benefits paid directly to Portage county veterans or their dependents during the past year was .....

\$1,058,512.15

It might be noteworthy to mention that during this past year we have made applications for 51 World war one veterans' pensions. The World war one veterans are becoming older and more of them are becoming unable to follow a gainful occupation. We have been successful in prosecuting 47 out of the 51 cases and the four that have not been acted upon are now being considered by the appeals board.

By having World war one veterans apply for this pension of \$60.00 a month it tends to lessen a great deal of our ADC roll as well as old age assistance rolls in the public welfare program.

All during World war two we kept a running account of interesting facts about the boys and girls who left Portage county to serve in the armed forces and we thought you would be interested in seeing this history which we now have in bound form. It contains write-ups covering various activities of these men and women in World war two. Not only is it a history but it is a very reliable reference book used many times in ascertaining facts in the prosecution of claims for veterans for various benefits. We hope in the future it will be of some historical value to the coming generations as it is a very accurate history of what took place in Portage county during World war two. We also have a bound book containing a record of every person who lost his life while serving in World war two in Portage county. In addition we also have a bound record containing the information on every cemetery in the county giving the exact location of every veteran's grave within every cemetery within Portage county. There are at the present time a few more than 1,500 veterans graves in the 64 cemeteries located in Portage county.

In concluding this report it is with a great deal of apprehension that we look forward to the growing holocaust that started across the seas this last summer. It has cost the lives of many good American boys and it is going to cost a lot more. We are going to see these boys come back to our community blinded and maimed and it is up to us all to see that they are given fair and adequate treatment. It is hard to realize that we are just out of one war and into another. But right now some of your sons are over in Korea battling it out for that which is right. In fact one of the members of your board has two sons in Korea at the present time, and two in the national guard. Gentlemen, it is only with your sincere co-operation and the co-operation of all the citizens of this county that we can see that the boys returning from this war are given a square deal as well as those who served in the Spanish-American war, World war one and World war two now numbering more than 6,000 in our county. They together with their dependents comprise nearly 50 per cent of our entire population. It is a big job and we ask your continued help in fulfilling our obligation to these veterans and their dependents.

Respectfully submitted,  
R. B. LEWIS,  
County Veterans Service Officer.

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Schulist that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

Supervisor Atkins and Supervisor Kaczmarek commended Mr. Lewis and Mr. Davis for compiling a record of the activities of all veterans during the war.

Moved by Supervisor Omernick and seconded by Supervisor Marshall that we refer to the building and grounds committee the matter of adequate fire protection for these records. Motion carried.

The ambulance recommendation laid over from yesterday was reread by the clerk as follows:

Stevens Point, Wisconsin  
November 8, 1950

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And after reviving and studying the service rendered injured in other counties of Wisconsin,

We your county committee of the county board on ambulance service of emergency cases only,

Do hereby recommend that the county board of Portage county grant the radio and ambulance committee the power to buy equipment and maintain a vehicle for emergency ambulance service only for use in Portage county.

For the first year the amount of \$4,000.00 be placed in the taxroll for purchase, equipping, and operating an ambulance for Portage county for the ensuing year.

VILAS WATERMAN  
ARLEIGH HETZEL  
HENRY SCHULIST

In the presence of Mr. Lewis the discussion showed that the county ambulance would be used for emergency cases only and that when veterans service required emergency trips these would be taken care of. Otherwise the veterans service would continue hiring the ambulance as heretofore. Should a shortage of ambulance arise in the county, the city would help out with their ambulance and vice versa.

Moved by Supervisor Kurtzweil and seconded by Supervisor Cook that this matter be laid over until Monday morning when Mr. Oscar W. Neale of the police and fire commission can be heard in this matter.

Mr. F. J. Schmeekle, chairman of the park board, in his report to the board, stated that Collins park has been beautified and developed. Since the Frost park has been donated to the county, no help from the state could be obtained in the maintenance thereof. Mr. Schmeekle voiced his approval of a forest inventory survey, as that would give the park board an idea of the different levels of forest stock. A discussion was had on the lake at Lake Emily park. It appears that the lake level has dropped 6 feet within the last two years mostly due to use of the lake for irrigation purposes. He also stated that a survey of the cottages has been made and the lots replatted. A card index has been made showing the owner of each individual lot and cottage.

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

Petition No. 7 read by the clerk and referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

#### PETITION NO. 7

November 8, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Whereas the east wall of a bridge between Sections 23 and 26 Township 24, Range 6 E in the town of Carson, fell over; it became necessary to construct a bridge and as the old bridge had a wood floor which was in poor condition and it would have cost too much to repair same therefor it was necessary to construct a bridge composed of two concrete culvert pipe six feet in diameter, twenty feet long, at a cost of nine hundred twenty eight (\$928.00).

Therefor the town of Carson petitions Portage county for one half of the cost of the construction of said bridge or four hundred sixty four dollars (\$464.00).

Town of Carson  
MARTIN POLIWODA  
Chairman.

#### Cost of Bridge:

40' x 6' concrete culvert pipe .....	\$426.00
Telephones to Wausau .....	2.00
12 ton tractor with bulldozer, 18 hours .....	180.00
Filling, approaches .....	120.00
Labor .....	150.00
4 poles, 24' long .....	15.00

\$928.00

Moved by Supervisor Kostuch and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that the board adjourn until 2:00 o'clock. Motion carried. Stevens Point, Wisconsin, November 9, 1950, 2:00 p. m.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman. Clerk called the roll. All members present except Supervisors Palek, Schulist, and Hintz.

Francis Mozuch, tax roll department head, gave his annual report as follows:

#### TAX ROLL DEPARTMENT

Subject: Annual Report (1950) to the County Board.

In April of this year, this department imprinted the 1950 assessment rolls for all the towns in the county and for the villages

of Almond, Amherst Junction, and Park Ridge. Tax rolls and tax receipts will soon be imprinted for these towns and villages with transfers of property current as of November 1. The other villages will continue under the old system for this year.

Since April, in addition to the daily routine of taking care of property transfers and working on the monthly county pension payrolls and checks, work had been continued on the remaining villages with the result that up to the present time, all the villages with the exception of Amherst and Whiting have been set up under our addressograph system. Plans have been drafted for the village of Amherst and work on that village will be resumed soon after the tax rolls and tax receipts have been imprinted. By spring of next year, all the towns and villages will be incorporated under our addressograph system, which will present a more unified, systematic, and accurate method of making up the county's tax rolls and receipts.

This brings us to the question of whether this department should assume the responsibility of taking over the city's rolls. At the present time, the city has a system similar to the county's and even though their machines are much older than ours, they seem to put out the work all right. Since there has been a varied opinion among some of the board members in regard to taking over the city rolls, I would like that a committee of at least two members be appointed to first make a thorough study of such a move and then present their report and recommendations to the board for its consideration and decision. This committee would have to meet with city assessor, treasurer, clerk and city affairs' committee. No action need be taken at this particular fall session, since there isn't sufficient time for making such a research, but the committee could be appointed now and could meet later but in sufficient time to submit its report at the spring meeting for final action by the county board as a whole.

I would like to add that other counties using the addressograph system have included their cities into the system, making the work more centralized for the entire county. With such a committee appointed, I feel a study of such undertaking could be made more impartially.

Since this department was a new undertaking by the county, I realized the necessity of reporting to the board on the progress made by such department until such time the addressograph system was organized and running smoothly. Well, I can say with every assurance that this department is well established now, having been in operation since the summer of 1946, and since further reports would be just a repetition of the regular routine of my duties, I see no further need of taking your time or my time with such reports, unless something of major importance arises which would need your attention and consideration.

I would like to present at this time a schedule of the responsibilities of this department, and recommend that this schedule be included in detail in the minutes of this meeting for record and future reference. This schedule will also acquaint the new members of the board with the duties of this department. The following are duties now in practice:

1. Completion of the two villages of Amherst and Whiting to our addressograph system.
2. Keeping current, transfers of property as they occur daily. This means keeping a card index on all transfers; making changes on our plates; inclusion of new parcels of land; and change of entries on our plat index and maps.

3. Running off the monthly pension payrolls and checks on our machines. This involves monthly changes on our plates including such changes as occur in address; amount of compensation, additional cases; and suspended or deceased cases.

4. Imprinting the assessment rolls in the spring, and tax rolls and tax receipts in the fall.

5. Assisting assessors, clerks, and treasurers with any problem arising in reference to their rolls and receipts.

6. Being a public office, inquiries made either through mail or in person have to be answered and taken care of.

In addition to the above mentioned duties, the following are additional duties which this department will assume upon completion of adding the villages of Amherst and Whiting to our addressograph system:

1. Sectional maps, drawn to scale, for the towns of Sharon, Hull and Plover, and for the villages of Nelsonville and Rosholt, will have to be transcribed in ink for more permanent usage, since the ones we now have are rough pencil sketches. This in itself is a major project and will take several months to transcribe the maps.

2. There is a continual need of re-drawing our inked maps when numerous changes have been made on them.

3. Making a card index of all property owners in the county listed alphabetically by name with descriptions of their lands included on such cards. This will prove especially helpful to the county treasurer's office as well as this office when such information is required. Such index would naturally have to be kept up to date.

4. Assisting other departments in the court house in addressing a heavy output of mail. Address plates will have to be made and then run off whenever a request for their need is made. This would prove especially helpful to the county agent and superintendent's office.

5. Assisting the county treasurer's office, by running off from our tax roll plates, a delinquent tax list. At the present time such list is typed out which is a long, tedious operation but a necessary one.

6. The possibility of adding the city rolls to our system which would increase the amount of work in this department considerably.

7. The need of a steady, experienced operator at all times to operate the two machines in this office that are so vital to this type of work, and to carry on the work of this department in an efficient manner.

So you see gentlemen, the schedule just presented is a full one with the proposed additional duties and being in sole charge of the department the work will keep me more than busy.

Before closing I would like to announce that your suggestion to include a separate space on our tax receipts for high school tuition, has already been taken care of. (Comment on the tax receipts insofar as sending out one copy as a bill).

In closing, I would like to say that I want you all to feel free to drop in at my office at any time to see for yourselves how this department is getting along and how it operates. I haven't had the pleasure of meeting all of you personally but the contacts I've had with the others have always been on a friendly co-operative basis and I'd like to have the opportunity of meeting the others on that same basis.

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Jakusz that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

Supervisor Palek entered the room.

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Stinson that the chair appoint, at this session, a tax roll committee of three. Motion carried.

Supervisor Schulist entered the room.

Resolution No. 26 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 26**

Providing for the Advance or Transfer of Construction Funds in Portage County.

Whereas: Federal funds have been allotted to Wisconsin for the improvement of highways to be allocated for expenditure by the state highway commission with the concurrence of the bureau of public roads, and it is desired to take advantage of every opportunity to secure the expenditure of a portion of such funds in this county, and

Whereas: Funds must be provided by the state or counties to match the federal funds allotted and, or, to pay the cost of items which are not recovered from federal funds, and

Whereas: Other emergencies frequently arise making necessary or desirable the allocation or transfer of funds to or between other authorized construction projects or for additional needed improvements,

Now, therefore, in order to provide for promptly making available the funds necessary for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned, and to avoid the delay and expense incident to calling a special meeting of this board for such purpose,

Be it resolved, that the county highway committee, with the approval of the state highway commission, is hereby authorized to transfer to or between any authorized construction projects or for additional needed improvements in this county, any fund allotted to this county by the state under the provisions of Section 20.49(4) and 84.03(3) and previously allocated by this board to any other projects, or remaining unallocated in reserve; and

Be it further resolved, that the state highway commission be and is hereby petitioned to advance, pursuant to Section 84.03(5) of the statutes, upon the filing of a request therefor by the county highway committee of this county, which said committee is hereby authorized to file, such sums as may be required and are not otherwise available, for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned on any authorized construction projects or for additional needed improvements in this county, with the understanding that such advance will be deducted from future allotments to this county for state trunk highway construction under Section 84.03 (3) of the statutes.

Resolution presented by  
HENRY SWENSON  
PAUL B. KITOWSKI  
HENRY W. STINSON

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Wojcik that the resolution be adopted: Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 32 ayes, and 2 absent. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisor Hintz and Kaczmarek are absent.

Resolution No. 27 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 27**

County Aid Bridge Construction Under Section 81.38 of the Statutes County of Portage.

Section I. Whereas the various towns hereinafter named have filed petitions for county aid in the construction of bridges under Section 81.38 of the statutes said petitions are hereby granted, and county appropriations made as follows:

Town	Bridge	Amount Raised By Local Units	Amount of County Aid Granted
Carson	Bear Creek	\$ 464.00	\$ 464.00
Lanark	Boulter	1,659.55	1,659.55
Linwood	Duda	200.00	130.00
Plover	Springville	342.88	342.87
Plover	Coulthurst	283.89	283.88

Section II. The county board does hereby levy a tax on all of the property in the county taxable for such purpose to meet said appropriations.

Resolution offered by  
HENRY SWENSON  
PAUL B. KITOWSKI  
HENRY W. STINSON  
FRANK MAGER  
JOHN PASCAVIS

Moved by Supervisor Swenson and seconded by Supervisor Krogwold that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 30 ayes, and 2 present and 2 absent. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisors Hintz, and Kaczmarek were absent, and Supervisors Waterman and Omernick voted present.

Supervisor Kaczmarek was excused.

Resolution No. 28 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 28**

State and County Aid Construction and Maintenance During the Calendar Year 1951.

Section I. The county board of supervisors of Portage county, Wisconsin, regularly assembled, does hereby ordain that such funds as may be made available to the county for highway work in the year 1951 under the provisions of Section 20.49 and Chapters 83 and 84 of the statutes and the additional sums herein appropriated shall be expended as hereinafter set forth:

Section II. County Trunk Highway Allotment. Whereas: The state highway commission has notified the county clerk that a sum of money estimated to be one hundred thirty thousand nine hundred and 00/100 dollars (\$130,900.00) will become available at the end of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1951, under the provisions of Section 20.49(3), 20.49(11)(b), and 83.10(1) of the statutes, for the county trunk highway system in the county, but the actual amount will not be known until the close of the fiscal year, June 30, 1951.

Be it resolved: That the county highway committee is authorized and directed to expend the said sum to the extent required, to match and supplement federal aid for construction, right of way, and other costs on any federal projects located on the county trunk highway system of said county, which are not recovered from federal funds, and to expend any balance for constructing, repairing,

and maintaining such county trunk highway system and the bridges thereon, including snow and ice removal and control, as directed in Section 83.10(1) of the statutes, and to reimburse the general fund for any expenditures that may be made therefrom, pursuant to Section 83.01(6) of the statutes, and to reimburse the general fund for any expenditures that may be made therefrom pursuant to Section 83.01(6) of the statutes. The distribution to such purposes is estimated, but not specifically directed to be as follows:

A. For maintenance and improvement of the county trunk highway system, the sum of one hundred thirty thousand nine hundred and 00/100 dollars (\$130,900.00).

Section III. State Trunk Highway Allotment. (A) Whereas: The state highway commission has estimated that the sum of one hundred fifteen thousand six hundred and 00/100 dollars (\$115,600.00) will become available from the appropriation of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1951, under Section 20.49(4) and 84.03(3), to be allotted and expended by the state highway commission in accordance with the provisions of Section 84.06 for the construction, reconstruction and improvement of the state trunk highway system and connecting streets upon projects which have been approved by this county, but subject to the provisions of Section 84.03(4) relative to the retirement of bonds, and

Whereas, there has been received from the state highway commission its determination as to the proposed projects and the proposed allocation of such sum,

Be it resolved: That such projects and the allocation of such sum be approved as hereinafter set forth:

1. The following sums for the improvement of the state trunk highway system on the projects described.

(A) The sum of one hundred fifteen thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$115,000.00) for the improvement of State Trunk Highway No. 54, the U. S. Highway No. 51—east county line road, approximately 7.25 miles; and (B) the sum of six hundred and 00/100 dollars (\$600.00) to be held in reserve for future allocation.

Section IV. Whereas: It appears that certain additional highway improvements in the county are necessary and warranted,

Be it resolved: That the county board does hereby appropriate the following sums for the purpose hereinafter set forth:

(A) The sum of nine thousand two hundred and 00/100 dollars (\$9,200.00) for administration, including salaries, office and travel expense of the county highway commissioner, his clerks and assistants, not paid from construction or maintenance funds.

(B) The sum of one thousand seven hundred and 00/100 dollars (\$1,700.00) for per diem and travel expense of the county highway committee.

(C) The sum of one hundred eighty-five thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$185,000.00) for maintenance, construction, oiling, snow removal and to match federal aid on the county trunk highway system.

(D) The sum of fourteen thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$14,000.00) for special highway patrolmen.

Section V. Whereas: Appropriations are made herein, in addition to the amounts available for work in the county under Section 20.49 of the statutes.

Be it resolved: That the county board does hereby levy a tax on all of the property in the county to meet such appropriations as follows:

(A) For the various purposes as set forth in Section IV. hereof,

the sum of two hundred nine thousand nine hundred and 00/100 dollare (\$209,900.00).

Section VI. Whereas: The various highway activities, for which provision is made in this resolution are continuous from year to year, and the exact cost of any work cannot be known at the time of making the appropriation therefor.

Be it resolved: That this board does hereby direct that any balance remaining in any appropriation for a specific highway improvement after the same have been completed, may be used by the county highway committee to make up any deficit that may occur in any other improvement, which is part of the same item in the county budget, for which provision is herein made, and any balances remaining at the end of the year in any highway fund shall remain and be available for the same purpose in the ensuing year.

Section VII. Whereas: The exact amount of the funds that will become available for highway purposes in the county under Section 20.49 of the statutes will not be known until on or after June 30, 1951.

Be it resolved: That the county treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to make payments for the purposes for which such funds are to be used, as hereinbefore authorized, from any funds in the county treasury that are not required for the purposes for which appropriated prior to August 1, 1951; and to reimburse such funds in the county treasury from the sums received under Section 20.49 of the statutes. The county clerk is hereby directed to levy the taxes named in Section V hereof in the county tax levy as provided by law.

SECTION VIII. Whereas: The county highway committee and county highway commissioner are charged with the duty and responsibility of carrying out the construction and maintenance of highways for which provision is made and other related supervisory and administrative duties.

Be it resolved: That the county highway commissioner shall have the authority to employ, discharge, suspend, or reinstate such personnel as he deems necessary for such purposes, provided, however, that the county highway committee may by action recorded in its minutes determine the number of persons to be hired and may also at any time by action so recorded order the county highway commissioner to employ, discharge, suspend, or reinstate any such person. The term "personnel" or "person" shall include all patrolmen, laborers, foremen, clerks, stenographers, or other employes necessary to carry on such activities.

by HENRY SWENSON  
PAUL B. KITOWSKI  
HENRY W. STINSON  
FRANK MAGER  
JOHN PASCAVIS

County Highway Committee

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Wojcik that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 32 ayes, 1 excused, and 1 absent. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Poliwooda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Schullist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney. Supervisor Hintz was absent and Supervisor Kaczmarek, excused.

Mr. William Hazelton, state highway divisional engineer, ap-

peared in regard to the above resolution. Discussion followed.

Supervisor Kaczmarek entered the room.

Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Kostuch that the board adjourn until 10:00 o'clock Friday, morning. Motion carried.

ANNE T. STROJNY  
County Clerk

## FOURTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, November 10, 1950, 10:00 a. m.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman.

Clerk called the roll. All members present except Supervisor

Schulist, absent.

Moved by Supervisor Omernick and seconded by Supervisor Kostuch that we dispense with the reading of the minutes. Motion carried.

Supervisor Schulist entered the room.

A report of the highway committee was read by the clerk as follows:

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the Portage County Board of Supervisors:

We, your highway committee, beg to make the following report.

We met at the office of the county highway commissioner in the city of Stevens Point, Wisconsin on the 22nd of November, 1949. Henry Swenson was elected chairman and Paul Kitowski was elected secretary.

The committee has checked county highway department bills twice a month for the past year. Minutes of all highway committee meetings are on file in the office of the county clerk in the court house for inspection. A total of 65 meetings were held at an average at cost of \$26.20 per meeting.

Following is a summary of the work performed by the highway department for this year. For a detailed account of the work performed please be referred to the highway commissioner's report.

Total cost of work performed on the C. T. H. system during season of 1950 as of 10/31 .....	\$213,380.90
Snow removal on the C. T. H. system for winter of 1949-50 .....	58,882.76
Total money expended on S. T. H. system for maintenance for season of 1950 as of 10/31 .....	52,991.34
Snow removal on the S. T. H. system for winter of 1949-50 .....	40,781.29
Gross earnings of highway machinery as of 10/31 .....	170,576.66
Misc. highway revenue (sale of old junk) .....	316.88

Balance carried over from 1949 .....	\$170,893.54
Appropriated in 1949 for new crushing plant .....	14,116.27
	20,000.00

Less operation and maintenance of equipment .....	\$205,009.81
	97,547.02

Less paid out for new machinery as of 10/31 .....	\$107,462.79
	69,474.35

Net machinery balance as of 10/31/50 .....	\$ 37,988.44
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New machinery purchased in 1950 consists of:

1--Allis-Chalmers Model B tractor .....	\$ 1,100.00
4--International trucks (less trade-in) .....	16,683.60
1--Cedar Rapids, Jr. crushing plant .....	33,457.44
1--Huber 8 to 12-ton roller .....	5,456.50
1--Caterpillar No. 12 Diesel motor grader .....	12,500.00
1--Portable welder .....	1,270.00
2--Stock bins .....	68.58
1--P & H $\frac{3}{4}$ yard shovel .....	16,143.61
2--B-31-45 Wausau snow plows .....	1,070.00
1--Bros Model C, T. road oil booster .....	4,090.48
1--1950 Pontiac passenger car (less trade-in) .....	1,053.00
Freight on one cycle grinder .....	9.34
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	\$ 92,902.55

New machinery purchased & received in 1950 but not paid for as of 10/31/50:

1--International truck .....	\$ 4,608.60
1--Bros Model C, T. road oil booster .....	4,049.10
2--B-31-45 Wausau snow plows .....	1,070.00
1--1950 Pontiac passenger car .....	1,053.00
Balance due on crushing plant .....	12,647.50
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	\$ 23,428.20

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Wojcik that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

A report from the highway commissioner was read by the clerk as follows:

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the Portage County Board of Supervisors:

I herewith submit my tenth annual report for the fiscal year of 1950.

A detailed report of the work performed during the past year is attached hereto.

I wish to take this opportunity of expressing my appreciation for the co-operation extended to me by the highway committee and all other members of the county board.

Respectfully submitted  
PERRY WORDEN  
Highway Commissioner

#### Statement of Advance Bridge Money

County appropriation .....	\$ 4,425.60	\$	
Paid town of Lanark .....			4,425.60
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	\$ 4,425.60	\$	4,425.60
County appropriation .....	1,125.00		
Paid towns of Buena Vista & Pine Grove .....			1,125.00
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	\$ 1,125.00	\$	1,125.00
County appropriation .....	812.61		
Paid town of Hull .....			812.61
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	\$ 812.61	\$	812.61

#### Money Expended on Various State and County Trunk Highways During Season of 1950

C.T. O	Town of Carson—completed federal aid job surface & oil $5\frac{1}{2}$ miles & surface shoulders	\$ 36,762.56
C.T. D	Towns of Almond, Pine Grove & Grant—grade & drain 11 miles, oil 1.6 miles federal	

	aid program (not complete) .....	23,803.27
C.T. DD	Town of Lanark—finish bridge construction federal aid program .....	2,040.97
C.T. B	Towns of Amherst & Stockton—surface and oil 7 miles .....	14,695.73
C.T. A	Towns of Belmont & Almond—surface and oil 8 miles .....	18,649.56
C.T. N	Town of Buena Vista—surface with clay and gravel and oil 4 miles .....	13,349.16
C.T. M	Town of Carson—surface 2 miles .....	1,611.93
C.T. Q	Towns of Amherst & Lanark—surface and oil 4 miles .....	8,437.91
C.T. K	Towns of Stockton & Buena Vista—surface and oil 2½ miles .....	5,488.90
C.T. D	Towns of Almond & Lanark—surface and oil 3 miles .....	6,680.22
C.T. J	Town of Almond—surface & oil 6½ miles ..	14,437.88
C.T. I	Town of Stockton—surface & oil 1¼ miles	2,733.98
C.T. P	Town of Linwood—surface & oil 2¼ miles	5,277.44
	Placed seal coat on Y, J, Q, & HH 3½ miles .....	15,229.83
	Mixed approximately 2,000 yards patching	10,000.00
S.T.H. #49	Town of Alban—seal coat 3.1 miles .....	1,343.67
S.T.H. #66	Town of Alban—seal coat 2 miles .....	894.45
S.T.H. #161	Town of Amherst, New Hope—seal coat 5.5 miles .....	752.06
U.S.H. #51	Town of Plover—clean ditches, surface shoulders .....	9,204.20
U.S.H. #10-51	Various, repair concrete pavement .....	3,972.24
	Total money expended on S.T.H. system for maintenance season of 1950 as of 10/31 .....	52,991.34
	Total money expended on S.T.H. system for snow re- moval for winter of 1949-50 .....	40,781.29
	Total money expended on C.T.H. system for maintenance for season of 1950 as of 10/31 .....	213,380.90
	Total money expended on C.T.H. system for snow re- moval for winter of 1949-50 .....	58,882.76
	Total cost of work performed for the various towns, villages, city of Stevens Point and individuals, con- sisting of grading, surfacing, oiling, snow removal, labor & repairs as of 10/31 .....	117,786.38
	Amount still due & outstanding 10/31/50 .....	54,053.72
	Gross earnings of highway machinery as of 10/31 .....	170,576.66
	Misc. highway revenue (sale of old junk) .....	316.88
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	Balance carried over from 1949 .....	\$170,893.54
	Appropriated in 1949 for new crushing plant .....	14,116.27
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	Less operation & maintenance of equipment .....	\$205,009.81
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	Less paid out for new machinery as of 10/31 .....	97,547.02
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	Less paid out for new machinery as of 10/31 .....	\$107,462.79
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	Net machinery balance as of 10/31/50 .....	69,474.35
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	Net machinery balance as of 10/31/50 .....	\$ 37,988.44

**Equipment Owned by Portage County  
Consists of the Following:**

50 Trucks valued at .....	\$132,955.60
12 Motor graders valued at .....	33,979.00
Oiling equipment valued at .....	9,940.48
1 Crushing plant .....	33,457.44
1 Road roller .....	5,456.50
2 Power shovels .....	24,901.61
1 30-ton trailer .....	1,620.00
1 Road sweeper .....	877.00
2 Small Model B tractors .....	2,700.00
1 Model W 240 tractor .....	900.00
1 Gravel conveyor .....	270.00
1 14' road grader .....	450.00
2 John Deere mowing machines .....	1,758.00
1 Caterpillar tractor with dozer .....	8,937.00
1 Road oil pulvi-mixer .....	2,835.00
1 Road scraper wagon .....	5,092.00
1 Material loader .....	5,625.00
1 Air compressor .....	900.00
2 Oil supply tanks .....	200.00
1 Tar kettle .....	200.00
53 Snow plows .....	28,230.00
21 Sanders .....	1,500.00
1 17,000 gal. gasoline supply tank .....	3,000.00
1 22,000 gal. road oil supply tank .....	3,000.00
1 Pontiac passenger car .....	2,183.00
Small tools, etc. ....	5,000.00
Shop equipment .....	7,000.00

Total value .....

\$322,967.63

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Pascavis that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

Resolution No. 29 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 29**

**Resolution Relating to Election of County Highway Committee**

Whereas, the Portage county highway committee is the most important committee of the county board and has under its supervision the expenditure of in excess of one half million dollars, and,

Whereas, the city of Stevens Point pays approximately 44 per cent of the total county tax levy, and is vitally interested in the disbursement of all county funds including those allocated for highway purposes, and,

Whereas, the eight villages in the county are similarly interested and diversified representation on such highway committee is desirable.

Now, therefore, be it resolved that in future elections of the county highway committee there be chosen from the county board one member from the city of Stevens Point, a second member from a village in the county and a third member from the towns in the county.

Dated November 10, 1950.

RALPH A. COOK  
GEORGE E. VAUGHAN  
NAT KINNEY  
VINCENT JURGELLA  
RAY CLARK  
J. M. MARSHALL  
BARNEY F. OMERNICK.

J. N. JAKUSZ  
H. L. KURTZWEIL  
JOHN PASCAVIS  
C. E. NEBEL  
H. C. ATKINS  
THOMAS GUYANT

Moved by Supervisor Kinney and seconded by Supervisor Atkins that the resolution be adopted.

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Hintz that the board vote by ballot on this resolution. Motion carried.

Supervisors Krogwold and Kostuch were appointed tellers. Board proceeded to vote by ballot on the resolution. Total number of votes cast was 34, of which 24 were noes and 10 ayes. Resolution lost.

The board proceeded to the election of the first member of the highway committee in place of Henry Swenson. The total number of votes cast were 34, of which Supervisor Swenson received 25, Stinson 2, Kitowski 2, Omernick 2, Cook 2, and Nebel 1.

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Kaczmarek that since Supervisor Swenson received the majority of votes, the informal ballot be declared formal and Swenson elected to the first member of the highway committee. Motion carried.

The board proceeded to first informal ballot for the second member of the highway committee, to replace Paul Kitowski. The total number of ballots cast were 34 of which Supervisor Kitowski received 19, Cook 6, Stinson 3, Beck 2, Morgan 1, Frizzell 1, Omernick 1, and 1 blank.

Moved by Supervisor Swenson and seconded by Supervisor Pascavis that since Supervisor Kitowski received the majority of votes, the informal ballot be declared formal and Supervisor Kitowski elected second member of the highway committee. Motion carried.

The board proceeded to the first informal ballot for the third member of the highway committee to replace Henry Stinson. The total number of votes cast were 34 of which Supervisor Stinson received 25, Hintz 1, Cook 5, and Nebel 3.

Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Cook that since Supervisor Stinson received the majority of votes, the informal ballot be declared formal and Supervisor Stinson elected to the third member of the highway committee. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Kaczmarek and seconded by Supervisor Marshall that the board adjourn until 2:00 o'clock. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, November 10, 1950, 2:00 p. m.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman.

Clerk called the roll. All members present except Supervisors Schulist and Mager, absent.

Hugo Carpenter, traveling librarian, gave his report on the traveling library as follows:

Portage County Free Traveling Library  
Court House, Stevens Point, Wis.  
November 10, 1950.

Mr. Chairman and Members of the County Board:

I wish to present the following report from the Portage county traveling library for the year of 1950.

Appropriation for 1950 .....	\$900.00
Librarian's salary .....	600.00
Book, repairs, etc. ....	300.00
Expenditures for librarian's salary .....	500.00 (two months left in 1950)
Expenditures for book, repairs, etc. ....	123.18
Unexpended salary appropriation ...	100.00
Unexpended library appropriation ..	176.82

I have two orders pending at the present, and plan to complete

all ordering early in December. I have found that better bargains may be gotten towards the year's end, as publishing companies in clearing their stocks give greater discounts, and many of the recent book's prices are cut in half in these clearing sales, thus, our library can take the greatest advantage possible of its budget.

I have been using the same system of distribution of books as did our former librarian, and I, too, have found that county trucks were not available for transporting the books to the different library centers and public schools, as was mentioned by our former librarian, Mr. Formella. I have been using my own automobile with the county paying the cost of the gasoline.

To date I have 24 rural centers (a gain of 6 centers over last year's report) and 19 schools using our books. (Last year this number was about 15.)

If there are any questions or criticisms I will be glad to hear them now.

HUGO CARPENTER  
Portage County Librarian

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Krogwold that the report be placed on file. Motion carried.

Supervisor Schulist and Supervisor Mager entered the room. Resolution No. 30 was read by the clerk as follows:

November 10, 1950

#### RESOLUTION, NO. 30

During World war two there were one hundred twenty six men from Portage county who lost their lives while serving in the armed forces of the United States and to this date, nowhere within Portage county has any suitable memorial been erected listing their names.

Now therefore, be it resolved: That Portage county have cast in bronze a suitable plaque containing the names of each person from the county who lost his life in the armed forces during World war two and such plaque to be placed in the Portage county court house.

Therefore, we respectfully request that the finance committee enter in the budget for the year 1951, the sum of \$1,100.00 to cover the cost of such memorial.

ARTHUR HINTZ  
H. L. KURTZWEIL  
HORACE C. ATKINS  
RALPH A. COOK  
J. M. MARSHALL  
HENRY W. STINSON  
FRANK BECK

Moved by Supervisor Kaczmarek and seconded by Supervisor Morgan that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Waterman and seconded by Supervisor Kurtzweil that the resolution be amended, to include World war one veterans on the plaque. Motion carried.

Roll was taken on the original motion as amended. Motion carried unanimously, there being 34 ayes as follows: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Pollwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney.

Resolution No. 31 was read by the clerk and referred to the salary committee as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 31**

Whereas, the deputy county clerk has been employed by Portage county for the past year and a half at a salary of \$150 per month, without any increase in salary at any time, and,

Whereas, the assistant clerk is now receiving the sum of \$135.00 per month without any recent increase.

Now, therefore, be it hereby resolved that the deputy county clerk and the assistant to the clerk be and they are each hereby allowed an increase of \$25.00 per month, effective January 1st, 1951.

VILAS WATERMAN  
WILLIAM FRIZZELL  
EMIL KOSTUCH  
HENRY SCHULIST  
ANTON PALEK

A communication was read by the clerk, from the agricultural committee, and referred to the salary committee as follows:

Stevens Point, Wis.  
October 23, 1950

Mr. Vilas Waterman, Chairman  
Portage County Salary Committee  
Dear Mr. Waterman:

At a meeting of the Portage county agriculture committee held October 23, 1950, the following salary increases were recommended for the consideration of your committee:

M. P. Pinkerton .....	\$200
Vera Hubb .....	200

Sincerely yours,  
CARL ROSHOLT, Chairman  
RUSSELL KROGWOLD  
JOSEPH WOJCIK, JR.  
ROWENA L. ALLEN, Sec.

Mr. C. E. Neese, from the social security administration, appeared before the board. Discussion on the new amendment to the social security law followed.

The chair made the following appointment on the tax roll committee: Supervisors Hintz, Schulist, and Morgan.

Moved by Supervisor Waterman and seconded by Supervisor Kostuch that the appointment be approved. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Kostuch that the board adjourn until 10:00 o'clock Monday morning. Motion carried.

ANNE T. STROJNY  
County Clerk

**FIFTH DAY**

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, November 13, 1950, 10 a. m.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman.

Clerk called the roll. All members present except Supervisors Hintz, Palek, Morgan, and Kinney, absent.

Reading of the minutes dispensed with.

Senator Oscar W. Neale appeared before the board on behalf of the ambulance question. Discussion followed.

Supervisor Morgan entered the room.

Vera Hub, home demonstration agent, gave her annual report on the progress of the 4-H clubs, clothing and dairy projects. She also stated that today marks the 26th year of official demonstration work in Portage county.

Supervisor Palek, Kinney and Hintz entered the room.

Moved by Supervisor Swenson and seconded by Supervisor Kostuch that the report of the home demonstration agent be adopted. Motion carried.

A communication from the Consolidated Water Power and Paper company of Wisconsin Rapids was read by the clerk as follows:

November, 10, 1950

Honorable Carl Rosholt  
Chairman Portage County Board  
Rosholt, Wisconsin

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith is a resolution concerning water pollution in the Wisconsin river. I have discussed this problem with some of your board members so that there will be some men present at your meeting November 14, who will be able to enlarge on the explanation. The time is very short and I do not have time to visit with and explain this problem to every member of your county board.

Perhaps it would be well for you if possible to discuss this with your district attorney to be sure that the resolution is in order and if you wish to make any changes or additions, please feel free to do so.

I sincerely hope that your board will find it possible to have a representative at the hearing at Wausau.

Very truly yours,  
Consolidated Water Power & Paper Co.  
HAROLD LOOCK  
Engineering Department

Resolution No. 32 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 32**

Whereas, it has come to the attention of this board that the committee on water pollution of the state of Wisconsin has called, for December 5, 1950, at Wausau, a hearing on pollution in the Wisconsin river; and,

Whereas, the contribution of the pulp and paper mills to this pollution is expected to be the principal subject of this hearing; and,

Whereas, revenues derived from the pulp and paper mills in the form of wages and the purchase of pulpwood are an important part of the total income of many citizens of this county and any curtailment or discouragement of this industry would seriously harm their well being; and,

Whereas, this board is aware of the efforts being made by the paper industry to reduce river pollution and if given reasonable and sufficient time to perfect disposal facilities that paper mill pollution of the river will end in the foreseeable future;

Therefore be it resolved, that the chairman of this board appoint a member to represent this county at the hearing aforesaid and testify to the county's interest in the continuing prosperity of the pulp and paper mills of the Wisconsin river valley, and that the interests of the people of this county require that due consideration be accorded to the social and economic consequences which might result from too radical and rapid efforts to improve the Wisconsin river as a habitat for fish.

CARL ROSHOLT  
Chairman, Portage Co. Board

Attest:

ANNE T. STROJNY  
County Clerk

Mr. Harold F. Looch, of the engineering department of Consolidated Water Power and Paper company, Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin, appeared before the board relative to water pollution in the Wisconsin river. He stated that a period of time is necessary for the manufacture of a chemical product which will help in the disposal of the sulphite. It was brought out that it could possibly be used as a stabilizer for highways. Detailed discussion followed.

Moved by Supervisor Waterman and seconded by Supervisor Cook that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Nebel that the highway committee and commissioner contact authorities in question and see if there is some way they can work out a solution in the use of this sulphite for road stabilization. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Kostuch and seconded by Supervisor Pascavis that the board adjourn until 2:00 o'clock. Motion carried!

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, November 13, 1950, 2:00 p. m.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman. Clerk called the roll. All members present.

Miss Rowena Allen, county superintendent of schools, gave her annual report, which in part is as follows:

Stevens Point, Wis.  
November 1950

To the Portage County Board of Supervisors:

Charles A. Beard, the eminent historian, once wrote that the traditional way of improving American life has always involved "proposal, appeal, discussion, and resolution, followed by action directed against the crisis in hand." Throughout our land in forums, clubs, and discussion groups, there is a continuous review of the problems of American schools.

Education has moved forward. Education philosophy and practices have never been static. It is necessary that education keep abreast of the times. Because education is so doing, we are hearing a great deal about relatively new programs. Among these programs you will hear such as these mentioned: The school lunch, audio-visual aids, physical education, health and safety, mental health, art and music, driver training, direct reorganization, and new school buildings.

The whole child comes to school, and the whole child must be educated. In order to do the job, America must have good schools.

Most of us would agree that every child should have:

The opportunity to attend school regularly and on a full time schedule. Short terms, half-day schedules, and lack of essential facilities deprive many children of necessary schooling.

A school program adapted to his interests and needs. Many schools still offer only the bare essentials and do nothing for superior children or those with handicaps.

Skillful teachers and the attention of other specialists in child growth and development. Yet America still employs 90,000 temporary and emergency teachers.

Instruction that takes place in modern, safe buildings where teachers are not overburdened with large classes or heavy schedules and where necessary equipment and supplies are provided.

The equivalent of not less than a high school education. More than half of all children who enter elementary school are never graduated from high school.

Teachers in Portage county, and lay groups throughout the

county are co-operating with the staff in the county superintendent's office to improve educational opportunities for all our boys and girls.

### SCHOOL POPULATION

School populations in Portage county in general are showing a decrease. We can point to several reasons.

Our parochial school enrollments have greatly increased. For some time our parochial schools did not take children in the primary grades. This will account in part for the great decrease from first grade enrollments to eighth grade enrollments. These schools do take primary children now.

Our farm population has declined. The census report showed that we were not growing but had lost residents in most of our townships.

Portage county has five schools that transport children to the State Teachers college. These children of course are not credited to our county enrollment total. Another school transports to Rudolph. Two rural communities have become a part of the Plainfield districts. This also lessens our total.

Moving from one area to another just before the second World war took many of our children. People in our county sought jobs in industry and so moved to those areas. The decrease was very noticeable at that time.

### PROGRESS

There has been a general trend for consolidation over the years. It has been slow to be sure, but progress has been made.

Portage county has four township districts. There is some overlapping into other townships, due to joint districts, but they are considered as township districts nevertheless.

Portage county has three integrated districts. These districts have a high school, grade schools, and rural schools in their districts. They meet specifications set forth by law and receive aids accordingly.

Although the progress in redistricting has been practically at a standstill, in Portage county, the school committee still has the power of reorganization.

The old Brookside district in Belmont was detached from the Sunny View district and attached to the Almond integrated district by town board action in July.

Much remains to be done in Portage county before our schools are on a good working basis. Many of our districts are too small in area, valuation is too low, and school attendance too small for the district to afford a good school and to provide the educational opportunities necessary.

Three incorporated villages and six townships do not have any area in a high school district. The remaining 11 townships have only part of the township area in a high school district.

The burden of tuition and transportation for high school pupils is felt by the area outside the high school districts.

### EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM NOTES

#### Attendance

School attendance has greatly improved. The work this fall has not been nearly as difficult as it was a year ago. We have had many cases where temporary absence was granted when the harvest rush was on.

Judge Van Wagenen is to be complimented for his fine cooperation in matters relating to school attendance.

### **Film Strip Use**

Many schools have used our film strip projectors and film strip. Some schools have projectors, but borrow our film strip. We need to build up our library of film strip and our budget included a small sum for purchase of several more films.

### **Teacher In-Service Training Program**

A three day teachers institute was held in August before schools opened. Plans for the year were discussed, special project work was outlined, and many teacher guides and instruction helps were given.

Five bulletins containing general information, curriculum units, suggestions for teaching, and news of interest about our schools and the progress being made, are sent to teachers during the year.

This year, every teacher will have a planned and scheduled visiting day.

Four group meetings for teachers will be held during the year. At these meetings, Miss Gordon, will discuss ways of improving our teaching efficiency, and work with our teachers on problems that face us. One project now underway is a new report card for Portage county.

Most of our teachers either attended the Central Wisconsin Education convention at Wausau, or the Wisconsin Education association state meeting at Milwaukee. These meetings give help and inspiration to all teachers.

### **Projects for Rural Boys and Girls**

During the last school year, our boys and girls had the benefit of the following:

1. A field trip to observe conservation practices, under the direction of Mr. Pinkerton, county agent, and Mr. Zeeh, soil conservation service.
2. Movies on food and health at 14 centers in the county, under the direction of Miss Hub, home demonstration agent.
3. Movies on conservation, held at 14 centers, under the direction of Mr. Haas, soil conservation supervisor.
4. Visit to the telephone company in Stevens Point.
5. Radio broadcasting experience.
6. Forestry day program, and festivities at Boston school forest.

### **Plans for the 1950-51 School Year**

1. A trip taken in September, for the 7th and 8th grade boys to the experiment stations at Hancock and Marshfield. Mr. Pinkerton, Mr. Haas, Dr. Przedpelski, and members of the agriculture committee accompanied the boys.

A trip taken in September for the girls, visiting bakery, wholesale house, dairy, and a furniture factory in Stevens Point, movies on social hygiene were shown to them at the library club rooms. Miss Gordon, Mrs. Gilfry, and Miss Hub, conducted these tours and the day's program.

2. Trip to the town hall meeting with town officials for the purpose of better understanding our local government, to be held in March, followed by a visit to the polls at time of the spring election.

3. Another series of movies.

### **Speech and Hearing Programs**

Last year we held a speech clinic at Stevens Point. Mrs. Gretchen Phair, supervisor of speech, department of public instruction, spent time with 57 county boys and girls who had speech difficulties. Many troubles could be eliminated by proper teaching and help. Some cases needed medical help or were for hearing tests.

Mrs. Gilfry co-operated in this project, and much of the medical corrections were made because of her efforts.

This year, probably in March, a hearing program will be held throughout the county. Mr. Marks, supervisor of hearing, state department and Mrs. Gilfry will co-operate with us in this project. We are asking help in giving the screening tests and we are certain, both men and women of the county, will co-operate as eagerly and efficiently as they have always done when we needed help.

**Hot Lunch**

Almond, Amherst, and Bancroft village schools, Nelsonville graded, and Madley rural school have hot lunch programs. The Plover district furnishes milk to all schools in the district. Federal surplus commodities and aid are given these programs.

We need a hot lunch program in every school. In many instances improvement in health, attitudes, and behavior, as well as improved school work, have resulted from the hot lunch program. Hunger shows up in many ways other than just a growling in one's stomach.

**PORTAGE COUNTY SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

**Members**

Harry Pomeroy, chairman .....	Amherst village
William Hansen, vice-chairman .....	Whiting village
Arnold Albert .....	Eau Pleine township
Arthur Hintz .....	Buena Vista township
LaMarr Moss .....	Whiting village
Earl Olsen .....	Alban township

**POWERS & DUTIES**

1. Reorganization of school districts.
2. Make a master plan of redistricting by July 1951.
3. Approve all bus routes.
4. Approve transportation costs over state and county aids.
5. Approve tuition costs over state rate.

**MEETINGS**

The Portage county school committee held 6 meetings since January 1, 1950. One of these meetings was with the Waushara county school committee, and one was a public hearing at Children's Choice school, Wood county.

**ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

1. Gave approval to all high school bus routes with changes in one route covered by the P. J. Jacobs High school, and a disapproval of a request made by Tri County High school.
2. Approved all transportations costs over state and county aids, and allowed up to \$74 per pupil over these aids.
3. Allowed tuition costs above ceiling rate to all county high schools. Voted to allow the same rate for high school outside Portage county as the local school committee allowed.
4. Approved all elementary bus routes.

Respectfully submitted,  
**ROWENA L. ALLEN**  
 County Superintendent

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Poliwo-da that the superintendent continue to make annual written reports such as at this session. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Kostuch and seconded by Supervisor Krogwold that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

M. P. Pinkerton, county agricultural agent, give his annual report, before the board stressing the progress made in soil con-

ervation work. He also gave a detailed report on the 4-H club work, exhibits and prizes won by the various members. Colored pictures were shown in connection with this talk.

Moved by Supervisor Swenson and seconded by Supervisor Kostuch that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Waterman that Mr. Lester Peterson be re-elected to the park board at this time. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that Dr. A. G. Dunn be re-elected county eye, ear, nose, and throat doctor and that Dr. Fred A. Marrs be re-elected county physician for next year. Motion carried.

The ambulance recommendation was re-read by the clerk as follows:

Stevens Point, Wis.

November 8, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board:

We your radio and ambulance committee after having studied the ambulance service and costs of such service to Portage county for the past years of such service.

And after reviving and studying the service rendered injured in other counties of Wisconsin.

We, your county committee of the county board on ambulance service of emergency cases only

Do hereby recommend that the county board of Portage county grant the radio and ambulance committee the power to buy equipment and maintain a vehicle for emergency ambulance service only for use in Portage county.

For the first year the amount of \$4,000.00 be placed in the tax-roll for purchase, equipping, and operating an ambulance for Portage county for the ensuing year.

VILAS WATERMAN  
ARLEIGH HETZEL  
HENRY SCHULIST

After some discussion it was moved by Supervisor Waterman and seconded by Supervisor Wojcik that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 26 ayes, and 8 naves. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Rosholt, Omernick, Clark, and Marshall. The following members voted naye: Supervisors Atkins, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Nebel, Jurgella, and Kinney.

Moved by Supervisor Cook and seconded by Supervisor Atkins that the board adjourn until 10:00 o'clock tomorrow. Motion carried.

ANNE T. STROJNY  
County Clerk

## SIXTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, November 14, 1950, 10:00 a. m.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman.

Clerk called the roll.

All members present except Supervisors Hintz, Schulist, and Kinney, absent.

Moved by Supervisor Omernick and seconded by Supervisor Kurtzweil that we dispense with the reading of yesterday's minutes. Motion carried.

Supervisor Schulist entered the room.

Resolution No. 33 was read by the clerk, as follows:

November 14, 1950:

**RESOLUTION NO. 33**

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:  
Gentlemen:

I hereby submit a schedule of tax certificates for cancellation for the reason stated herein:

**Town of Hull**

To cancel certificate No. 324, sale of 1947. Erroneous description. Certificate \$2.97, interest \$1.10, total .....	\$ 4.07
To cancel certificate No. 320, sale of 1947. Incomplete description. Certificate \$3.56, interest \$1.47, total .....	5.03
To cancel certificate No. 389, sale of 1948. Erroneous description. Certificate \$4.13, interest \$1.09, total .....	5.22
To cancel certificate No. 519, sale of 1949. Erroneous description. Certificate \$4.12, interest \$.70, total .....	4.82
To cancel certificate No. 575, sale of 1950. Double assessment. Certificate \$23.86 .....	23.86
To cancel certificate No. 591, sale of 1950. County owned land. Certificate \$43.40 .....	43.40
To cancel and charge to the town of Hull:	

**Town of Stockton**

To cancel certificate No. 643, sale of 1947. Incomplete description. Certificate \$1.23, interest \$.37, total .....	1.60
To cancel certificate No. 750, sale of 1948. Incomplete description. Certificate \$1.83, interest \$.54, total .....	2.37
To cancel and charge to town of Stockton.	

**Village of Amherst**

To cancel certificate No. 169, sale of 1950. Double assessment. Certificate \$3.56 .....	3.56
To cancel and charge to the village of Amherst.	

**Village of Almond**

To cancel certificate No. 141, sale of 1950. County owned land. Certificate \$2.56 .....	2.56
To cancel and charge to the village of Almond.	

**Village of Park Ridge**

To cancel certificate No. 757, sale of 1950. County owned land. Certificate \$4.00 .....	4.00
To cancel and charge to village of Park Ridge.	

Total amount of certificates ..... \$ 95.22

CHARLES A. ANDERSON  
Treasurer of Portage County

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Beck that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 32 ayes, and 2 absent. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, and Marshall. Supervisors Hintz and Kinney were absent.

Resolution No. 34 was read by the clerk as follows, and referred to the salary committee.

**RESOLUTION NO. 34**

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the Portage County Board of Supervisors:

Whereas, on May 1, 1950, Erma Golla was duly appointed and qualified as register in probate for Portage county, Wisconsin, and,

Whereas at the time of said appointment the budget of the county court provided only \$140 per month of unobligated salary for her compensation, and,

Whereas, Erma Golla is a qualified phonographic reporter with twenty years experience as a legal secretary and capable of earning in excess of \$175 per month, and,

Whereas, she is now duly qualified and functioning as the register in probate of the county court for Portage county,

Be it hereby resolved that the salary of Erma Golla, register in probate for the county court of Portage county, Wisconsin, be and the same is hereby increased to \$175 per month effective January 1, 1951.

HENRY W. STINSON  
HENRY SCHULIST  
ARTHUR HINTZ

Supervisor Hintz entered the room.

Resolution No. 35 was read by the clerk as follows:

Amherst, Wisconsin  
November 10, 1950

**RESOLUTION NO. 35**

Honorable Chairman and Members of the Portage County Board of Supervisors:

Honored Sirs:

The "Portage County Fair association" has been re-established. This association was organized as a non-profit organization. Stock has been sold. At present there are 97 members. These members are located in Amherst, Amherst Junction, Nelsonville, Almond, Stevens Point, and the towns of Amherst, New Hope, and Lanark. In the last two years \$6,000, has been spent on improvements, such as two barns, baseball diamond, race track, bleachers, wiring, etc.

The building program for 1951 is as follows: Exhibit building, fencing race track, fencing fair grounds, resurfacing race track with clay, band and refreshment stands, and more bleachers.

Be it resolved that the honorable members of the Portage county board of supervisors appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to assist the Portage County Fair association in its building program for 1951.

VILAS WATERMAN  
C. E. NEBEL  
RALPH A. COOK  
THOMAS E. MORGAN  
HENRY W. STINSON  
THOMAS S. KACZMAREK  
WILLIAM FRIZZELL  
RAY CLARK  
FRANK MAGER  
HENRY SWENSON

Respectfully yours,  
THOMAS GUYANT  
EMIL KOSTUCH  
J. M. MARSHALL  
GEORGE E. VAUGHAN  
J. N. JAKUSZ  
FRANK BECK  
PAUL B. KITOWSKI  
ARTHUR HINTZ  
ARLEIGH HETZEL  
JOHN RATH

Moved by Supervisor Kostuch and seconded by Supervisor Marshall that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 33 ayes, and 1 absent. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis.

Krogwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, and Marshall. Supervisor Kinney was absent.

Judge Van Wagenen appeared before the board on behalf of Resolution No. 34.

Resolution No. 36 was read by the clerk as follows, and referred to the salary committee.

**RESOLUTION NO. 36**

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

Be it resolved that the Portage county salary committee be authorized to establish a salary schedule for office personnel in the court house.

RUSSELL KROGWOLD  
JOSEPH WOJCIK, JR.  
VILAS WATERMAN  
WILLIAM FRIZZELL  
EMIL KOSTUCH  
HENRY SWENSON

ARTHUR HINTZ  
ANTON PALEK  
MARTIN POLIWODA  
DAVID SIMONIS  
PETER KAWLESKI  
HENRY SCHULIST

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Waterman that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Resolution No. 37 was read by the clerk as follows, and referred to the salary committee.

**RESOLUTION NO. 37**

It is hereby resolved that the salary of the highway commissioner be raised to \$3,500.00 per year.

Signed:

ANTON PALEK  
JOHN RATH  
JOSEPH WOJCIK, JR.  
H. L. KURTZWEIL  
THOMAS E. GUYANT  
MARTIN POLIWODA  
BARNEY OMERNICK  
VILAS WATERMAN  
H. C. ATKINS

HENRY SWENSON  
HENRY W. STINSON  
RUSSELL KROGWOLD  
THOMAS E. MORGAN  
EMIL KOSTUCH  
PAUL B. KITOWSKI  
WILLIAM FRIZZELL  
ARLEIGH HETZEL  
THOMAS S. KACZMAREK

Supervisor Kinney entered the room.

Resolution No. 38 was read by the clerk as follows, and referred to the salary committee.

**RESOLUTION NO. 38**

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the Portage County Board of Supervisors:

Whereas, the duties of the tax roll department has increased considerably, with Mr. Mozuch assuming and discharging sole responsibility of his department in a very efficient and satisfactory manner, and,

Whereas, the present cost of living has increased substantially with official statistics showing no decrease in the prevailing cost of living conditions, and

Whereas, the present salary of Mr. Mozuch is not commensurate with his duties and with the present cost of living conditions,

Now, therefore, be it resolved that Mr. Mozuch be granted a \$25.00 per month increase in salary, effective January 1, 1951.

Respectfully submitted,  
PAUL B. KITOWSKI  
VINCENT JURGELLA  
J. N. JAKUSZ

Judiciary committee reported an adjustment on the claim of Clara Bochardt. The claim was previously allowed at \$156 and now at \$195 and payment of the latter figure recommended.

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Poliwoda that the report be accepted, as corrected. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 34 ayes. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krog-wold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kos-tuch, Kitowski Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall, and Kinney.

A report from the veterans service commission was read by the clerk as follows:

November 10, 1950

To Honorable Chairman and Members of the Portage County Board:  
Your soldiers and sailors service commission do hereby submit a report of their activities during the period January 1, 1950 to November 10, 1950.

Appropriation .....	\$1,000.00
Expenditures for Relief .....	
Medical Payments and .....	
Direct Relief .....	\$682.40
Other Expenditures .....	
Bond .....	\$6.25
Postage .....	\$3.00      9.25
Commissioners Meeting .....	\$ 45.72
Total Expenditures .....	\$ 737.37
Balance on Hand .....	\$ 262.63

Respectfully submitted  
GEORGE SOMERS  
Portage County Veterans Service Commission  
GEORGE SOMERS, Chairman.

Moved by Supervisor Kaczmarek and seconded by Supervisor Marshall that the report be accepted. Motion carried.  
Clerk read the following bid:

November 13, 1950

Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board, Portage County, Wisconsin:  
Gentlemen:

We herewith respectfully submit the following bid:

The Journal Printing company of Stevens Point and the Amherst Advocate of Amherst for publishing the official proceedings of the county board, as required by law, in the Stevens Point Daily Journal at the rate legally provided by the statutes, furnishing extra supplements for distribution in the Amherst Advocate at the rate of \$5.00 per hundred sheets; with a charge of \$7.00 a hundred copies for such distribution.

The county directory of officers and the statistical report to be printed by the Journal Printing company at basis cost plus 10 per cent; the circuit court calendar to be printed by the Journal Printing company at the rate of \$2.50 per page; 200 copies of the county board proceedings to be printed in book form for \$198.00.

This is the same bid as last year.

Respectfully submitted,  
Journal Printing Company  
WELDON LEAHY

Moved by Supervisor Kostuch and seconded by Supervisor Pascavis that the bid be accepted. Motion carried.

The following invitation was read by the clerk as follows:  
November 13, 1950

To the Honorable Members of the Portage County Board:  
Gentlemen:

You are cordially invited to attend a dinner at the American Legion Memorial auditorium on Wednesday, November 15, 1950, at 12:00 noon.

R. B. LEWIS  
PERRY WORDEN  
VERNON SOULE

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Cook that we accept the invitation. Motion carried.

A list of general claims was read by the clerk and referred to the general claims committee.

A list of damages due to dogs was read by the clerk and referred to the judiciary committee.

Report of the building and ground committee was read by the chairman of the committee, H. L. Kurtzweil.

Moved by Supervisor Kostuch and seconded by Supervisor Morgan that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Marshall and seconded by Supervisor Kostuch that the board adjourn until 2:00 o'clock. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, November 14, 1950, 2:00 p. m.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman. Clerk called the roll.

All members present except Supervisors Schulist, Kinney, absent; and Supervisor Waterman, Omernick, and Jakusz, excused.

Ruth Gilfry, county nurse, gave her annual report on communicable diseases and the immunization program during the past year. She also reported on the diphtheria and polio cases in the county. A copy of her report is on file in the county clerk's office. Discussion followed.

Supervisor Schulist entered the room.

Moved by Supervisor Kostuch and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

A report of the judiciary committee was read by the clerk as follows:

November 14, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen:

We, your judiciary committee, to whom was referred schedule of claims for damages done by dogs, beg to report the following:

	Claimed	Allowed
1. Mrs. Charles Tepp, 20 rabbits killed .....	\$ 50.00	\$ 20.60
2. Larry Omernick, 1 large breeding rabbit killed .....	4.00	1.03
3. Stanley Wanta, 12 chickens, 3 ducks killed ....	19.50	15.00
4. Frank Iwanski, 27 domestic rabbits killed .....	94.50	32.40
5. Richard Iwanski, 17 ducks killed .....	14.45	11.56
Amount claimed .....	\$182.45	
Amount allowed .....	80.59	
Total amount disallowed .....	\$101.86	

We, your judiciary committee, have carefully examined the bills presented to us and have made corrections where necessary. We recommend that the amounts as allowed by this committee be allowed and that county orders be drawn for same.

ANTON PALEK  
 THOMAS GUYANT  
 FRANK BECK  
 PETER KAWLESKI

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Pascavis that the report be accepted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 30 ayes, 1 absent, and 3 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella, Marshall. Supervisor Kinney was absent and Supervisors Waterman, Omernick, and Jakusz excused.

Supervisor Kurtzweil reported on the health committee. It had one meeting with the county nurse and Mrs. Gilfry is doing a fine job.

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Frizzell that the board adjourn until 10:00 o'clock Wednesday morning. Motion carried.

ANNE T. STROJNY  
 County Clerk

## SEVENTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, November 15, 1950, 10:00 a. m.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman.

Clerk called the roll.

All members present except Supervisors Poliwoda, Kitowski, and Atkins, absent.

Moved by Supervisor Kurtzweil and seconded by Supervisor Cook that we dispense with the reading of the minutes of the previous day. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Kurtzweil and seconded by Supervisor Wojcik that the board be dissolved into a committee of the whole to consider the budget. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Vaughan and seconded by Supervisor Cook that the chairman and the clerk act as officials at the meeting. Motion carried.

Supervisors Atkins, Poliwoda, and Kitowski entered the room.

The board proceeded to a hearing on the budget as the auditor read item after item and discussion followed. Representatives of the taxpayers alliance and other citizens of the city of Stevens Point were present.

Alex Wallace stated that "this is the first time I have no criticism to make; except that we did a fine job."

Moved by Supervisor Swenson and seconded by Supervisor Krogwold that the board adjourn until 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, November 15, 1950, 2:00 p. m.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman.

Clerk called the roll.

All members present except Supervisors Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Beck, Waterman, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, and Kinney, absent. Supervisor Marshall was excused.

Honorable Mayor A. L. Jacoboski, appeared before the board in regards to the appropriations for the county highways. He was of the belief that we should ask for more money from the state of

Wisconsin, for our highways. Discussion followed:

Supervisors Stinson, Beck, Frizzell, and Atkins entered the room.

It was moved by Supervisor Nebel and seconded by Supervisor Pascavis that the highway committee prepare a resolution asking for more state aid for roads and streets per mile and that a copy of the resolution be forwarded to Senator Neale and Assemblyman Kostuch. Motion carried.

Mr. Pinkerton, county agent, showed some pictures on cancer for the county nurse who was unable to be present at the time.

Moved by Supervisor Vaughan and seconded by Supervisor Kostuch that we reconvene as a county board. Motion carried.

Mr. Rollin R. Mabie, made a detailed report on the 1949 accounts, a copy of which is on file in the county clerk's office.

Supervisor Kurtzweil and Atkins excused.

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Palek that the auditor's report be accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Swenson and seconded by Supervisor Kostuch that the board adjourn until 10:00 o'clock tomorrow morning. Motion carried.

ANNE T. STROJNY  
County Clerk

## EIGHTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, November 16, 1950, 10 a. m.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman.

Clerk called the roll.

All members present except Supervisor Marshall, excused.

Moved by Supervisor Kostuch and seconded by Supervisor Wojcik that we dispense with the reading of yesterday's minutes. Motion carried.

A report of the equalization committee was read by the clerk as follows:

September 18, 1950

The equalization committee met with Mr. Harold Dailey, supervisor of assessments from Wausau, on September 28th, 1950, at 10:00 a. m.

Members present were: Barney F. Omernick, H. L. Kurtzweil, John Rath, Arleigh Hetzel, Joseph Wojcik, Jr., and Russell Krogwold.

Also present were Ray Hager, Ben Redfield, William Foote and Henry Glenzer of the village of Whiting and Michael Liss of the city of Stevens Point.

Real and personal property valuations were discussed and ratios to total were presented by the supervisor.

We, the committee of equalization, recommend to the Portage county board that the statistical summary presented by the supervisor of assessments, and attached hereto and a detail of which is contained in the printed statistical report on file in the county clerk's office, be used to distribute the taxes in Portage county.

Respectfully submitted,

Equalization Committee:

RUSSELL KROGWOLD, Chairman

HENRY L. KURTZWEIL, Secretary

BARNEY F. OMERNICK Member

JOHN RATH, Member

ARLEIGH HETZEL, Member  
JOSEPH WOJCIK, JR., Member

**1950 PORTAGE COUNTY**  
**TOTAL REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY**  
**AND 1950 RATIOS TO TOTAL**

District	1950 Real Est. Value	1950 Per Prop. Value	1950 Total Value	1950 Ratios To Total
Alban town .....	\$ 923,400	\$ 173,830	\$ 1,097,230	1.857
Almond .....	1,021,700	149,830	1,171,530	1.983
Amherst .....	1,448,800	272,580	1,721,380	2.914
Belmont .....	718,500	146,840	865,340	1.465
Buena Vista .....	1,155,100	299,540	1,454,640	2.462
Carson .....	1,778,200	498,190	2,276,390	3.853
Dewey .....	544,000	132,865	676,865	1.146
Eau Pleine .....	1,479,400	401,255	1,880,655	3.184
Grant .....	686,800	178,155	864,955	1.464
Hull .....	1,677,900	162,880	1,840,780	3.116
Lanark .....	905,800	171,950	1,077,750	1.824
Linwood .....	721,900	150,505	872,405	1.477
New Hope .....	957,800	239,035	1,196,835	2.026
Pine Grove .....	629,600	215,925	845,525	1.431
Plover .....	1,587,700	236,050	1,823,750	3.087
Sharon .....	1,414,000	302,415	1,716,415	2.906
Stockton .....	1,695,400	461,230	2,156,630	3.651
<b>Town totals .....</b>	<b>\$19,346,000</b>	<b>\$4,193,075</b>	<b>\$23,539,075</b>	<b>39.846</b>
Almond village .....	469,500	119,180	588,680	.997
Amherst .....	849,900	163,400	1,013,300	1.715
Amherst Junction .....	175,500	61,210	236,710	.401
Junction City .....	435,600	108,730	544,330	.921
Nelsonville .....	213,400	60,845	274,245	.464
Park Ridge .....	617,600	24,400	642,000	1.087
Rosholt .....	556,200	155,100	711,300	1.204
Whiting .....	4,886,800	644,765	5,531,565	9.364
<b>Village totals .....</b>	<b>\$ 8,204,500</b>	<b>\$1,337,630</b>	<b>\$ 9,542,130</b>	<b>16.153</b>
Stevens Point city .....	21,657,900	4,335,875	25,993,775	44.001
<b>County totals .....</b>	<b>\$49,208,400</b>	<b>\$9,866,580</b>	<b>\$59,074,980</b>	<b>100.000</b>

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Pascavis that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

As the clerk called the roll, there being 33 ayes, and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella and Kinney. Supervisor Marshall was excused.

Harold Dailey, supervisor of assessments, appeared before the board and a discussion on the county valuations followed.

Resolution No. 39 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 39**

Whereas, the John Strange Pulp and Paper company have made application to the Wisconsin Public Service commission for abandonment of the dam and water rights pertaining thereto owned

and maintained by them which dam is located on the Plover river in the village of Whiting, Portage county, Wisconsin, and

Whereas, it is desirable for Portage county to acquire and maintain said dam and water rights for recreational and conservation purposes, and

Whereas, it is necessary to expend money from time to time to maintain said dam,

Now, therefore, be it resolved that the conservation committee of the Portage county board of supervisors be and are hereby authorized to negotiate with the John Strange Pulp and Paper company of Menasha, Wisconsin in order to obtain the dam and water rights at the pulp mill located in the village of Whiting, Portage county, Wisconsin formerly operated by said company and to accept title to said dam and water rights in the name of Portage county in the event the John Strange Pulp and Paper company will convey and transfer title to Portage county, providing that acquisition of said dam and water rights can be made at no cost to Portage county,

Be it further resolved that the conservation committee of the Portage county board of supervisors be granted an appropriation of the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars for the year 1951 to use for the purposes for which said committee is set up.

Dated November 16, 1950.

BARNEY F. OMERNICK  
J. N. JAKUSZ  
VILAS WATERMAN

Moved by Supervisor Waterman and seconded by Supervisor Jakusz that the resolution be adopted, and a copy of the same forwarded to the John Strange Paper company, J. H. Lewandowski, Menasha, and Doctor Edward Schneeberger, Madison. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 33 ayes and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwooda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella and Kinney. Supervisor Marshall was excused.

A report of the salary committee was read by the clerk as follows:

November 16, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the Portage County Board of Supervisors:  
Gentlemen:

We, your salary committee, to whom was referred the matter of a salary schedule for various county employes, beg to report that we have studied the work required to be done in each of the following departments and recommend the adoption of the following schedule which we believe is an adequate scale in comparison with the number of years of employment and the amount of work performed:

#### **TAX ROLL DEPARTMENT**

As long as this department is operated by one employe, the salary will be:

1st year	—	\$175.00
2 years	—	200.00
3 years	—	225.00
4 years	—	235.00

5 years	—	260.00
6 years	—	275.00
10 years	—	285.00

**COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS\***

	First Secretary	Second Secretary
1st year	— \$135.00	\$115.00
2 years	— 145.00	125.00
3 years	— 150.00	130.00
4 years	— 165.00	140.00
5 years	— 175.00	145.00
6 years	— 185.00	150.00
10 years	— 200.00	160.00

**COUNTY AGENT'S OFFICE\***

	First Secretary	Second Secretary	1951 Salaries for:	
			Home Agent	County Agent
1st year	— \$135.00	\$115.00		
2 years	— 145.00	125.00	\$1,200.00	\$2,600.00
3 years	— 165.00	130.00		
4 years	— 175.00	140.00		
5 years	— 185.00	150.00		
10 years	— 200.00	160.00		
20 years	— 210.00	170.00		
25 years	— 225.00	180.00		

\* The schedule for the superintendent's office and the county agent's office for the second clerk is the same with the understanding that said clerk is to help out in both of these offices.

**COUNTY COURT****REGISTER IN PROBATE:**

		Court Reporter
1st year	— \$175.00 plus fees	\$175.00
2nd year	— 185.00 " "	185.00
3rd year	— 190.00 " "	190.00
4th year	— 200.00 " "	200.00
5th year	— 210.00 " "	210.00
10th year	— 225.00 " "	225.00

**COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICE**

	Deputy
1st year	— \$150.00
2nd year	— 165.00
3rd year	— 175.00
4th year	— 180.00
5th year	— 190.00
10 years	— 200.00

**COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE**

	Deputy	1st Clerk
1st year	— \$175.00	\$135.00
2nd year	— 185.00	145.00
3rd year	— 195.00	155.00
4th year	— 200.00	160.00
5th year	— 210.00	165.00
10 years	— 220.00	175.00

**CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT OFFICE**

	Clerk Hire
1st year	— \$1,000.00 per year
2nd year	— 1,100.00 " "
3rd year	— 1,200.00 " "
4th year	— 1,250.00 " "
5th year	— 1,300.00 " "

1951 salary for the present highway commissioner: \$3,500.00

The per diem of the county canvass board is hereby established at \$7.00 per day and 6c per mile, to take effect as of the November, 1950, general election.

This salary schedule, except the canvass per diem, is to take effect January 1st, 1951.

Respectfully submitted  
 THOMAS GUYANT  
 FRANK MAGER  
 VILAS WATERMAN  
 Salary Committee

Moved by Supervisor Waterman and seconded by Supervisor Pascavis that the report be accepted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 33 ayes, and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Waterman, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella and Kinney. Supervisor Marshall was excused.

The dance hall committee report was made by Barney F. Omernick, stating that Portage county has 22 licensed halls out of the 29 in the county. Seven halls have been denied because of needed repairs, as well as compliance with state regulations. He also reported some difficulty in obtaining good dance inspectors.

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Jakusz that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Cook that the board adjourn until 1:30 p. m. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wisconsin, November 16, 1950, 1:30 p. m.

Meeting called to order by Honorable Carl Rosholt, chairman. Clerk called the roll.

All members present except Supervisors Waterman, Schulist and Kinney, absent, and Marshall, excused.

Moved by Supervisor Kurtzweil and seconded by Supervisor Cook that we dispense with the reading of the morning's minutes. Motion carried.

Supervisor Schulist entered the room.

Resolution No. 40 was read by the clerk as follows:

November 16, 1950

#### RESOLUTION NO. 40

Whereas, all other counties in the state of Wisconsin provide for housing quarters and maintenance of offices for most government agencies including the production and marketing administration, formerly the AAA, and,

Whereas, Portage county, has provided housing for this agency for 1950 and,

Whereas, this agency serves all farmers, 2,500 or more participating in production and marketing activities, such as, soil building practices, soil sampling, handles potato surpluses and provides all information necessary to farmers to take advantage of support prices on corn and potatoes and other commodities.

We, your members of your agricultural committee recommend that the cost of the rental and maintenance of the new quarters for this agency located at 414½ Main street, in Stevens Point, Wisconsin, be borne by Portage county, and,

Whereas, the sum of \$1,500.00 is necessary for such purpose;

Be it hereby resolved, that the sum of \$1,500.00 be and is hereby placed in 1951 budget.

JOSEPH WOJCIK, JR.  
RUSSELL KROGWOLD

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that the resolution be adopted.

Moved by Supervisor Swenson and seconded by Supervisor Pascavis that the resolution be amended to read \$1,380.00. Motion carried.

Supervisor Morgan left the room.

Roll was taken on the resolution as amended. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 30 ayes, 3 absent, and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Pascavis, Krogwold, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel and Jurgella. Supervisors Morgan, Waterman and Kinney were absent and Supervisor Marshall, excused.

Resolution No. 41 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 41**

November 14, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman of the County Board:

Pursuant to the request of the county board requesting the building and grounds committee to provide for a suitable fire proof vault in the basement of the court house annex, we respectfully request that the sum of \$2,000 be placed in the budget for the year of 1951 to cover the cost of such installation, or safes as wanted by Mr. R. B. Lewis.

H. L. KURTZWEIL, Chairman  
J. N. JAKUSZ  
NAT KINNEY

After a brief discussion, it was moved by Supervisor Kurtzweil and seconded by Supervisor Jakusz to amend the resolution to read \$1,000. Motion carried.

Supervisor Morgan entered the room.

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Schulist to adopt the resolution as amended. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 31 ayes, 2 absent, and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel and Jurgella. Supervisors Waterman and Kinney were absent and Supervisor Marshall, excused.

Supervisor Kinney entered the room.

Resolution No. 42 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 42**

November 16, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the Portage County Board of Supervisors:

Gentlemen:

Whereas, it appears that by the records of the county there are certain amounts due the county from various units thereof chargeable to municipalities as monies expended for relief purposes, and

Whereas, all such units will be contacted and opportunity given

for the payment of such sums before the time of certifying the tax rolls.

Now, therefore, be it resolved that the county clerk, be, and she is hereby authorized, to enter in the tax roll of said units the several amounts still remaining due and not paid at the time of certifying the tax rolls of such units.

VINCENT JURGELLA  
THOMAS E. MORGAN  
HENRY SWENSON

Moved by Supervisor Nebel and seconded by Supervisor Morgan that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 32 ayes, 1 absent, and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella and Kinney. Supervisor Waterman was absent, and Supervisor Marshall, excused.

Resolution No. 43 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 43**

November 16, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the Portage County Board of Supervisors:  
Gentlemen:

Whereas, it is shown that by the records of the county there are certain amounts due the county from various units thereof chargeable to municipalities as monies expended for pension purposes, as follows:

Town of Alban	\$ 243.85
Almond	323.45
Amherst	1,515.62
Belmont	892.09
Buena Vista	1,317.50
Carson	1,981.89
Dewey	158.68
Eau Pleine	1,673.59
Grant	190.74
Hull	1,403.62
Lanark	1,093.05
Linwood	765.86
New Hope	303.13
Pine Grove	181.80
Plover	1,173.76
Sharon	1,365.88
Stockton	1,900.30
Village of Almond	125.92
Amherst	215.34
Amherst Junction	108.89
Junction City	116.47
Nelsonville	61.11
Park Ridge	515.34
Rosholt	145.37
Whiting	2,688.11
City of Stevens Point	5,535.91

\$25,997.27

Now, therefore, be it resolved, that the county clerk be; and she is hereby authorized to enter into the tax roll of said units the several amounts remaining due at the time of certifying tax rolls of such units.

VINCENT JURGELLA  
THOMAS E. MORGAN  
HENRY SWENSON

Moved by Supervisor Schulist and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 32 ayes, 1 absent, and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella and Kinney. Supervisor Waterman was absent, and Supervisor Marshall, excused.

Resolution No. 44 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 44**

November 16, 1950

Be it hereby resolved by the Portage county board of supervisors that a public address system be installed in the court room of the county court house to be used during court days as well as the county board session at an expense of one hundred ninety-three dollars (\$193.00).

Be it further resolved that the sum of \$193.00 be appropriated and added to the court house fund to take care of the purchase of such public address system.

BARNEY F. OMERNICK  
GEORGE E. VAUGHAN  
RALPH A. COOK  
RAY CLARK  
HENRY W. STINSON  
THOMAS KACZMAREK  
H. L. KURTZWEIL

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Nebel that the resolution be tabled until such time that we can get a demonstration. Motion carried.

Resolution No. 25 was reread by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 25**

November 8, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the Portage County Board of Supervisors:

Gentlemen:

A room at the Stevens Point State Teachers college has been designated as a sub-depository of the Wisconsin State Historical society.

The staff of the State Teachers college has collected a number of old records from Portage county, these records must be sorted and cataloged, as this entails a lot of work and time, the staff has requested some financial aid in this matter.

Now therefore be it resolved that the sum of \$250.00 be appropriated for labor in setting up this library.

H. C. ATKINS  
PAUL B. KITOWSKI  
RALPH A. COOK

Moved by Supervisor Kostuch and seconded by Supervisor

Jakusz that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 32 ayes, 1 absent, and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella and Kinney. Supervisor Waterman was absent, and Supervisor Marshall, excused.

The report of the judiciary committee was read by the clerk as follows:

November 15, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen:

We, your judiciary committee, to whom was referred the schedule of claims below, beg to report that we have checked same and have allowed or disallowed them as follows:

We recommend that the amounts as allowed by this committee be allowed and that county orders be drawn for same:

	Claimed	Allowed
1. Emil E. Shannon, 1 two-year-old turkey and 6 four-month old turkeys killed .....	\$ 11.00	\$ 7.20
2. Mrs. Theodore Turzinski, 20 White Rocks killed .....	20.00	16.00
3. Frank Wiora, Jr., 1 pig killed .....	15.00	8.80
Amount claimed .....	\$46.00	
Amount allowed .....	32.00	
Amount disallowed .....	14.00	

ANTON PALEK  
THOMAS GUYANT  
FRANK BECK  
PETER KAWLESKI

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Schulist that the report be accepted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 32 ayes, 1 absent, and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella and Kinney. Supervisor Waterman was absent, and Supervisor Marshall was excused.

The report of the claims committee was read by the clerk as follows:

November 16, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:

Gentlemen:

We, your committee on general claims, met in annual meeting and checked over the claims and have allowed or disallowed them as follows:

	Claimed	Allowed
1. Ray and Virginia Dombrowski, witness fees ....	\$ 8.32	\$ 8.32
2. W. L. Jones, clerk fees .....	18.55	18.55
3. Henry L. Kurtzweil, 7 days committee work ....	49.84	49.84
4. Nat Kinney, 19 days committee work .....	136.48	136.48
5. John Jakusz, 4 days committee work .....	28.48	28.48

6. L. A. Moss, 4 days committee work .....	28.00	28.00
7. Wm. C. Hansen, 3 days committee work .....	21.00	21.00
8. Earl Olsen, 4 days committee work .....	37.60	37.60
9. Arnold Albert, 4 days committee work .....	36.22	36.22
10. Barney Omernick, 17 days committee work ....	144.26	144.26
11. Horace C. Atkins, 12 days committee work ....	93.30	93.30
12. Ray Clark, 1 day committee work .....	7.12	7.12
13. Joseph Wojcik, Jr., 11 days committee work ....	80.96	80.96
14. George E. Vaughan, 4 days committee work ....	28.48	28.48
15. John Rath, 4 days committee work .....	40.00	40.00
16. Russell Krogwold, 11 days committee work ....	104.72	104.72
17. Peter Kawleski, 1 day committee work .....	7.96	7.96
18. Frank Beck, 1 day committee work .....	8.68	8.68
19. Thomas Guyant, 1 day committee work .....	9.40	9.40
20. Anton Palek, 1 day committee work .....	9.88	9.88
21. Arleigh Hetzel, 6 days committee work .....	56.40	56.40
22. Frank Mager, 2 days committee work .....	17.60	17.60
23. Vilas Waterman, 5 days committee work .....	47.00	47.00
24. Arthur Hintz, 1 day committee work .....	9.46	9.46
25. William Frizzell, 1 day committee work .....	8.80	8.80

\$1,038.51    \$1,038.51

Total amount claimed .....\$1,038.51

Total amount allowed ..... 1,038.51

We, your committee on claims, have carefully examined the bills presented to us and have made corrections wherever necessary. We recommend that the amounts as allowed by the committee be allowed and that county orders be drawn for same.

VILAS WATERMAN  
 GEORGE E. VAUGHAN  
 J. N. JAKUSZ  
 HENRY SCHULIST  
 MARTIN POLIWODA  
 WILLIAM FRIZZELL  
 ARLEIGH HETZEL  
 Claims Committee

**Schedule of Witness Fees in Justice Court Before  
 W. E. Atwell, Justice of the Peace**

August 30, 1950	Claimed	Allowed
<b>State vs. John Lelsa:</b>		
Edwin Tryba, R. 2, Rosholt, 1 day, 38 miles .....	\$ 3.90	\$ 3.90
<b>September 13, 1950</b>		
<b>State vs. Gregory Olsen:</b>		
Peter Golden, Rosholt, 1 day, 40 miles .....	4.00	4.00
Joe Gruna, Rosholt, 1 day, 40 miles .....	4.00	4.00
Alvin Mathison, 1 day, 40 miles .....	4.00	4.00
Adolph Zaborowski, 1 day, 40 miles .....	4.00	4.00
	\$ 19.90	\$ 19.90
Total claimed .....	\$19.90	
Total allowed .....	19.90	

VILAS WATERMAN  
 GEORGE E. VAUGHAN  
 J. N. JAKUSZ  
 MARTIN POLIWODA  
 WILLIAM FRIZZELL  
 ARLEIGH HETZEL  
 HENRY SCHULIST  
 Claims Committee

Moved by Supervisor Kostuch and seconded by Supervisor Morgan that the report be accepted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 32 ayes, 1 absent, and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella and Kinney. Supervisor Waterman was absent, and Supervisor Marshall, excused.

Barney Omernick made the following report on the forest survey:

"The forest survey proposition has been thrown in our hands. The resolution is here but we did not sign it. Contacted several board members as well as Mr. Schmeekle, of the park board and in our minds it seems that the thing is pretty new and refer it back for future record."

The report of the road and bridge committee was read by the clerk as follows:

#### ROAD & BRIDGE COMMITTEE REPORT

Petition No. 2	Town of Plover	Allowed	\$ 283.88
Petition No. 3	Town of Linwood	Allowed	130.00
Petition No. 4	Town of Carson	Road held open	
Petition No. 5	Town of Lanark	Bridge allowed	1,659.55
Petition No. 6	Town of Plover	Bridge allowed	342.87
Petition No. 7	Town of Carson	Bridge allowed	464.00
Petition No. 11-1947	Town of Carson	Held open	
Petition No. 2-1948		Allowed when tns. provide right of way of 4 roads.	

Petition No. 14-1948 Road to Lake Thomas

Held open

Petition No. 15-1948 Road to Lake Adams

Be allowed and board raise \$200 to purchase right of way and \$200 for construction of right of way. Total appropriation, \$400.00.

FRANK MAGER  
JOHN PASCAVIS  
HENRY W. STINSON  
HENRY SWENSON  
PAUL B. KITOWSKI

Moved by Supervisor Nebel and seconded by Supervisor Kurtzweil to table the report as far as the \$400 is concerned. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski to adopt the report as amended. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 32 ayes, 1 absent, and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella and Kinney. Supervisor Waterman was absent, and Supervisor Marshall, excused.

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Kostuch that Earl Olsen be re-elected as a member of the school committee for a period of three years. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Hintz and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that the chair cast a unanimous ballot for first member of the school committee. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Omernick and seconded by Supervisor Atkins that L. A. Moss be re-elected as member of the school committee for a period of three years and that the chair cast a unanimous ballot. Motion carried.

The board proceeded to adopt the budget.

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Hintz that the sum of \$300 be added to the supervising teachers account. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 23 ayes, 1 naye, and 1 absent. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Krogwold, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, and Omernick. Supervisor Waterman was absent and Supervisor Pascavis voted naye.

The budget as amended reads as follows:

<b>COUNTY PROPERTY TAX FOR 1951 BUDGET (ADOPTED)</b>	
County tax for other than highways .....	\$315,364.81
County tax for highways .....	212,743.51
Total county property tax .....	\$528,108.32

#### **ANALYSIS OF COUNTY PROPERTY TAX FOR 1951 BUDGET**

<b>State Special Charges Upon County:</b>	
Insane in outside institutions .....	\$ 30,255.37
Wisconsin colony and training schools .....	6,032.40
Industrial school for boys .....	1,390.00
Industrial school for girls .....	191.43
Tuberculosis sanatoria (state) .....	39,624.68
School for dependent children .....	1,300.00
State General hospital .....	11,967.93
State Orthopedic hospital .....	5,121.00
County school tax .....	42,200.00

#### **OTHER COUNTY TAXES:**

County superintendent of schools .....	10,300.00
Soldiers relief .....	1,500.00
Bridges under Section 81.38 .....	2,843.51
Social security - Sections 49.18, 49.19, 49.37 .....	33,500.00
All other county taxes .....	341,882.00

Total county property tax .....

\$528,108.32

#### **EXPENDITURES FOR OPERATION & MAINTENANCE**

<b>Account Name</b>	<b>1951</b>
<b>General Government:</b>	<b>Expenditures</b>
County board .....	\$ 11,000.00
County clerk .....	7,840.00
County treasurer .....	6,560.00
Assessment of taxes .....	2,200.00
District attorney .....	3,500.00
Divorce counsel .....	1,000.00
County court .....	14,840.00
Justice court .....	3,750.00
Circuit court .....	18,000.00
Coroner .....	1,000.00
Court house .....	14,187.00
Elections .....	1,500.00

Special accounting & auditing .....	1,000.00
Property & liability insurance .....	2,000.00
State deposit fund .....	100.00
Tax roll department .....	3,740.00
<b>Protection of Persons &amp; Property:</b>	
Sheriff .....	13,000.00
Register of deeds .....	900.00
Bounties .....	500.00
Dance supervision .....	2,800.00
Radio system .....	2,000.00
<b>Health &amp; Sanitation:</b>	
County tuberculosis sanatorium .....	37,917.79
Vital statistics .....	900.00
Patients in state & other county sanatoria .....	7,438.68
Public health nurse .....	4,800.00
Diphtheria & small pox .....	600.00
Gaitre tablets .....	300.00
X-rays .....	1,000.00
<b>Education:</b>	
County superintendent of schools .....	10,300.00
Supervising teacher .....	4,200.00
County agricultural agent .....	7,895.00
Home demonstration agent .....	1,700.00
Traveling library .....	800.00
Aid to common schools .....	42,200.00
County school committee .....	500.00
<b>Charities &amp; Corrections:</b>	
Welfare department administration .....	16,000.00
Outdoor poor relief .....	2,000.00
Mother's pension .....	30,000.00
Care of soldiers grave .....	900.00
Blind pension .....	3,500.00
Disabled aid .....	8,000.00
Soldiers' relief .....	1,500.00
Veterans service .....	8,750.00
Insane in outside institutions .....	24,523.58
Jail & sheriff's residence .....	2,500.00
Industrial school for boys .....	1,390.00
Industrial school for girls .....	191.43
Wisconsin colony and training schools .....	6,032.40
Schools for dependent children .....	1,300.00
Wisconsin General hospital .....	11,967.93
Wisconsin Orthopedic hospital .....	5,121.00
Other hospitalization .....	12,000.00
<b>Unclassified:</b>	
Historical society .....	250.00
Fairs .....	750.00
County parks .....	3,900.00
Tax deed expense .....	250.00
Production & marketing administration .....	1,380.00
Rest room .....	400.00
Sundry unclassified .....	300.00
Humane officer .....	100.00
Ambulance .....	4,000.00
Conservation .....	500.00
<b>Total operation and maintenance .....</b>	<b>\$379,474.81</b>

## REVENUES

### (Other Than County Property Tax & Highways)

Taxes:	1951 Revenues
Income tax for county .....	\$ 32,000.00
Tax fees & penalties .....	7,000.00
Inheritance tax for county .....	500.00
Utility tax from state .....	24,000.00
Forest crop tax from districts .....	10.00
<b>Fees &amp; Cost:</b>	
County clerk .....	300.00
County court .....	100.00
Justice court .....	1,000.00
Circuit court .....	600.00
Sheriffs fees .....	50.00
<b>Licenses &amp; Permits:</b>	
Dance licenses & permits .....	3,000.00
<b>Fines, Forfeits &amp; Penalties:</b>	
Penal fines for county .....	650.00
<b>Gifts &amp; Grants:</b>	
State aid for supervising teacher .....	3,900.00
State aid for county nurse .....	1,000.00
<b>Total revenues (other than county property tax) .....</b>	<b>\$ 74,110.00</b>

### SUMMARY

Operating & maintenance .....	\$379,474.81
Plus: Contingent fund .....	10,000.00
	\$389,474.81
Less: Receipts .....	74,110.00
	\$315,364.81
<b>County tax for other than highways .....</b>	
	<b>\$315,364.81</b>
<b>Operation &amp; Maintenance (Highways):</b>	
Highway administration .....	\$10,900.00
Maintenance C.T.H.S., oiling, snow removal & construction .....	185,000.00
Traffic officers .....	14,000.00
<b>Outlay:</b>	
County aid bridges - Section 81.38 .....	2,843.51
<b>Total expenses .....</b>	<b>\$212,743.51</b>

Moved by Supervisor Kurtzweil and seconded by Supervisor Kitowski that the budget as corrected be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 31 ayes, 1 absent, 1 present, and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzel, Alkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Nebel, Jurgella and Kinney. Supervisor Waterman was absent, Supervisor Clark, present, and Supervisor Marshall, excused.

The chair appointed Supervisor C. E. Nebel to represent the county board at the Wausau meeting on the dam situation.

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Swenson that the appointment be accepted. Motion carried.

Announcement read from the tax roll department stating tax rolls for the various towns were ready for distribution.

Several remarks were made by the chairman, as well as mem-

bers, relative to the fine co-operation and pleasant way this session was conducted.

The following communication was read by the clerk as follows:

**BUREAU OF COLLECTION AND DEPORTATION  
STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE  
STATE CAPITOL, MADISON.**

November 8, 1950

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find information concerning your county's share of the state charges in the several state and county institutions for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1950, and the bills supporting these charges.

We are also pleased to report to you a continued increase in the collections from patients and relatives, the total amounting to over a million dollars (\$1,247,239.58). Your county's share amounted to \$3,636.02. Attached to the several bills is an itemization of each collection. If there is any question, please feel free to write us.

We appreciate and thank you for the fine co-operation you, the county judge, and other county officials and employes have given in making these recoveries, and trust you may convey this message to them and to the county board of supervisors.

Very truly yours,  
FRANK P. FOSGATE  
Chief Counsel

Moved by Supervisor Kitowski and seconded by Supervisor Schulist that the communication be placed on file. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Kostuch and seconded by Supervisor Wojcik that we retain Mr. Rollin R. Mable as county auditor for the coming year. Motion carried.

Clerk read the report of the mileage and per diem committee as follows:

November 16, 1950

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin:  
Gentlemen:

We, your committee on mileage and per diem, would respectfully report and recommend the adoption of the same and that the chairman and county clerk be instructed to draw an order on the county treasurer for the amounts.

	Days	Per Diem	Mileage	Amount
David Simonis .....	8	7	36	\$ 73.28
Arleigh Hetzel .....	8	7	40	75.20
Henry Swenson .....	8	7	46	78.08
Henry Stinson .....	8	7	50	80.00
Arthur Hintz .....	8	7	41	75.68
Martin Poliwoda .....	8	7	16	63.68
Peter Kawleski .....	8	7	16	63.68
Frank Beck .....	8	7	28	69.44
Anton Palek .....	8	7	48	79.04
Joseph Wojcik, Jr. ....	8	7	6	58.88
Thomas Morgan .....	8	7	44	77.12
John Pascavis .....	8	7	15	63.20
Russell Krogwold .....	8	7	42	76.16
Vilas Waterman .....	8	7	40	75.20
Thomas Kaczmarek .....	8	7	8	59.84
Henry Schulist .....	8	7	30	70.40
Frank Mager .....	8	7	30	70.40

John Rath .....	8	7	50	80.00
Thomas Guyant .....	8	7	40	75.20
Emil Kostuch .....	8	7	36	73.28
Paul Kitowski .....	8	7	26	68.48
William Frizzell .....	8	7	30	70.40
Horace Atkins .....	8	7	4	57.92
Carl Rosholt .....	8	7	34	72.32
Barney Omernick .....	8	7	4	57.92
H. L. Kurtzweil .....	8	7	2	56.96
Ralph Cook .....	8	7	2	56.96
George E. Vaughan .....	8	7	2	56.96
John Jakusz .....	8	7	2	56.96
Ray Clark .....	8	7	2	56.96
C. E. Nebel .....	8	7	2	56.96
Vincent Jurgella .....	8	7	2	56.96
J. M. Marshall .....	7	7	2	49.84
Nat Kinney .....	8	7	2	56.96

RALPH, A. COOK  
 DAVID SIMONIS  
 PETER KAWLESKI  
 JOHN PASCAVIS

Mileage & Per Diem Committee

Moved by Supervisor Kurtzweil and seconded by Supervisor Jurgella that the report be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 32 ayes, 1 absent, and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell; Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella and Kinney. Supervisor Waterman was absent and Supervisor Marshall, excused.

Supervisor Henry Schulist reported on the Christian Rural Overseas Program for the year before. He stated that the program for this year is oats.

Resolution No. 45 was read by the clerk as follows:

**RESOLUTION NO. 45**

November 16, 1950

Be it hereby resolved by the county board of supervisors of Portage county, Wisconsin, now in annual session assembled that the resolutions, petitions and motions adopted and carried at this meeting and all appropriations made and claims allowed at this meeting be and they are hereby ratified and confirmed in all respects by this board.

PAUL B. KITOWSKI

Moved by Supervisor Krogwold and seconded by Supervisor Stinson that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried as the clerk called the roll, there being 32 ayes, 1 absent, and 1 excused. The following members voted aye: Supervisors Simonis, Hetzel, Swenson, Stinson, Hintz, Poliwoda, Kawleski, Beck, Palek, Wojcik, Morgan, Pascavis, Krogwold, Kaczmarek, Schulist, Mager, Rath, Guyant, Kostuch, Kitowski, Frizzell, Atkins, Rosholt, Omernick, Kurtzweil, Cook, Vaughan, Jakusz, Clark, Nebel, Jurgella and Kinney. Supervisor Waterman was absent and Supervisor Marshall, excused.

Moved by Supervisor Kurtzweil and seconded by Supervisor Cook that the board adjourn to the second Tuesday of January,

being the 9th day of January, 1951. Motion carried.

ANNE T. STROJNY  
County Clerk

STATE OF WISCONSIN)  
(SS.  
COUNTY OF PORTAGE)

I, Anne T. Strojny, county clerk of said county, and Janet Wied, deputy, do hereby certify that the above is true and correct record of the proceedings of this meeting of the county board of supervisors of Portage county, Wisconsin, which was read by the county clerk in the presence of the members of the county board of supervisors and by them approved.

ANNE T. STROJNY  
County Clerk

Attest:

JANET WIED  
Deputy Clerk

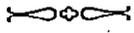
## RULES OF THE BOARD

### Rules Adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Portage County at the November Session, 1931

- Rule 1. The hour for daily meeting of this board shall be 9 o'clock a. m. unless otherwise ordered.
- Rule 2. The chairman shall take the chair at the time to which the board stands adjourned, and the board shall then be called to order, and the roll of members called.
- Rule 3. Upon the appearance of a quorum, the journal of the preceding day shall be read by the clerk, and any mistakes therein may be corrected by the board; provided that upon the last day of the session the journal for that day shall be read by the clerk, and before the final adjournment corrected by the board.
- Rule 4. The chair shall preserve order, and shall decide questions of order, subject to an appeal of the board.
- Rule 5. The chairman shall vote on all questions taken by yeas and naves, except on appeal from his own decisions.
- Rule 6. Every member, previous to his speaking, shall rise and address himself to the chair.
- Rule 7. When two or more members rise at once, the chair shall designate the member who is first to speak. But in all cases, the members who shall first rise and address the chair, shall speak first.
- Rule 8. No motion shall be debated or put unless the same be seconded. It shall be stated by the chairman before debate; and any such motion shall be reduced to writing if any member desires it.
- Rule 9. Every written resolution or motion shall have prefixed thereto the name of the person introducing it. And when ordered by a committee the names of said committee shall be endorsed thereon.
- Rule 10. A vote on any question shall be taken by the yeas and naves when called for by any member of the board.
- Rule 11. No rule of the board shall be suspended, altered or amended without the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present.
- Rule 12. On the meeting of the board after the reading and the correcting of the journal of the preceding day, the order of business shall be as follows: 1st. Reception of petitions, memorials, etc. 2d. Resolutions may be offered and considered. 3d. Reports of committees and consideration thereof. 4th. Consideration of miscellaneous business on the table.
- Rule 13. No account or claim against the county shall be audited unless it be made out in items, and duly verified, and be filed with the clerk of the board in the manner prescribed by law, except as provided by Chapter 153, General Laws of 1868, unless by consent of two-thirds of the members present.
- Rule 14. As amended November, 1898: All resolutions appropriating money shall be voted upon by yeas and naves, and shall not be acted upon until the next day after presentation, without the consent of the majority of the members elected.
- Rule 15. It shall be the duty of the chairman of all committees to report work completed, or progress of work, upon the call of committees according to Rule 12.

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