

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS  
OF THE  
ANNUAL MEETING  
OF THE  
BOARD of SUPERVISORS  
OF  
PORTAGE COUNTY, WIS.  
1918

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 12, 1918, 10 o'clock, a. m.

Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman.

At the roll call of members by the clerk it was found that a number of the members were absent, and upon motion of Supervisor Aldrich which was carried the meeting was adjourned until 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 12, 1918, 1:30 o'clock, p. m.

Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman.

Clerk called the roll and the following members answered present:

Alban, Carl Betker; Almond, Chas. Martin; Almond Village, Wm. Brunker; Amherst, Bert Shanklin; Amherst Village, Richard Wilson; Amherst Junction Village, Geo. Starks; Belmont, F. B. Dent; Buena Vista, John Berry; Carson, Walter Campbell; Dewey, Joe Cyckosh; Eau Pleine, George Wolfe; Grant, Chas. Steinke; Hull, Jos. Laszewski; Junction City Village, Geo. Stertz, Sr.; Lanark, Wm. Loftis; Linwood, Edmond Frost; New Hope, Ben Halverson; Nelsonville Village, G. S. Diver; Pine Grove, George Ameigh; Plover, D. H. Parks; Plover Village, F. E. Halladay; Rosholt Village, C. J. Gilbert; Sharon, John F. Glodowski; Stockton, F. A. Lukasavitz; Stevens Point City—First ward, G. L. Park; Second ward, G. K. Mansur; Third ward, V. P. Atwell; Fourth ward, Paul Lukaszewicz; Fifth ward, M. J. Merch; Sixth ward, G. D. Aldrich.

The chairman announced the first order of business was the election of a chairman.

Moved by Supervisor Aldrich that the present chairman, G. L. Park, be reelected chairman for the ensuing year. Motion was put by the clerk and carried unanimously.

Mr. Park thanked the board in the unanimous choice of himself as chairman of the board for the third term and hoped the meetings would be harmonious, business transacted in a business-like way and all work together for the common good.

Moved by Supervisor Wolfe that George Starks be elected vice chairman for the ensuing year. Motion carried unanimously.

Moved by Supervisor Campbell that Miss Ruth McCallum be elected assistant clerk for the session of this board at three dollars per day and that she be retained to help complete the records. Motion carried.

Application for the position of janitor from Dell King and John Kjer were read by the clerk.

Moved by Supervisor Dent that the matter be laid over until next Thursday afternoon. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following resolution:

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 12, 1918.

To the Hon. Chairman and Members of the County Board of Portage County:—

Be It Resolved by the County Board of Portage County, Wisconsin, that Dr. C. Von Neupert, Sr., be elected as County Jail Physician for the ensuing year.

Carl Betker, Supervisor of the Town of Alban.

Moved by Supervisor Berry that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Laszewski that the board do now adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN. County Clerk.

#### SECOND DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 13, 1918, 9 o'clock a. m.

Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman.

Clerk called the roll, all members present.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.

The chairman announced the standing committees of the Board of Supervisors' annual session 1918, as follows:

Equalization—John A. Berry, V. P. Atwell, G. K. Mansur, Paul Laszewicz, Bert Shanklin, George Wolfe, Sr., Carl Betker, Charles Steinke, Jos. Laszewski, William Brunker.

Claims—F. B. Dent, F. A. Lukasavitz, Charles Martin, George Stertz, Sr., George Ameigh, George S. Diver, F. E. Halladay, Jos. Cyckosh, John F. Glodowski.

Illegal Assessments—D. H. Parks, Ben Halverson, George Starks, Walter Campbell, G. K. Mansur.

County Poor—C. J. Gilbert, Edmond Frost, Richard Wilson, William Liftis, G. D. Aldrich, William Brunker.

County Printing—Edmond Frost, Richard Wilson, M. J. Mersch, F. A. Lukasavitz, Wm. Liftis, John F. Glodowski.

Town Organization—Bert Shanklin, John F. Glodowski, George S. Diver, F. E. Halladay, Charles Martin, Carl Betker.

Sheriff and Constable Fees, George Starks, D. H. Parks, G. D. Aldrich, C. J. Gilbert, M. J. Mersch.

Settlement with County Officers—C. J. Gilbert, Richard Wilson, William Liftis, Edmond Frost, Ben Halverson.

Settlement with County Board of Education—Charles Martin, F. B. Dent, F. E. Halladay, John A. Berry, Walter Campbell, Joseph Cyckosh.

Roads and Bridges—Joseph Laszewski, George Stertz, Sr., George Ameigh, George Wolfe, Sr., Charles Steinke.

County Buildings and Grounds—G. D. Aldrich, G. K. Mansur, D. H. Parks.

Judiciary—V. P. Atwell, John A. Berry, Paul Laszewicz, George Wolfe, Sr.

State Aid Road and Bridges—Ben Halverson, F. B. Dent, William Brunker, Walter Campbell, F. A. Lukasavitz, George Ameigh.

Ways and Means—Charles Steinke, Joseph Cyckosh, Bert Shanklin, M. J. Mersch, Carl Betker, Paul Laszewicz.

Per Diem and Mileage—George Stertz, Sr., George S. Diver, V. P. Atwell, George Starks, Joseph Laszewski.

Moved by Supervisor Halverson that the board do now adjourn until 1:30 o'clock p. m. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 13, 1918, 1:30 o'clock, p. m.

Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman.

Clerk called the roll, all members present.

Clerk read the report of F. H. Timm, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Portage County which was referred to the Committee on Settlement with County Officers.

Moved by Supervisor Betker that the board adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN. County Clerk.

#### THIRD DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 14, 1918, 9 o'clock a. m.

Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman.

Clerk called the roll, all members present.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.

Clerk read the report of State Superintendent Cary in regard to the amount of school money to be raised, which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Clerk read the report of the Soldiers Relief Commission, which was referred to the Committee on Settlement with County Officers.

Clerk read schedule of claims, general file bills from 1 to 18 inclusive, which was referred to the Committee on Claims.

Moved by Supervisor Betker that the board visit the County Farm this afternoon. Motion lost by 11 ayes and 17 nays. The following voted aye: Supervisors Betker, Campbell, Cyckosh, Wolfe, Steinke, Stertz, Frost, Gilbert, Glodowski, Atwell, Mersch. Nays: Supervisors, Martin, Brunker, Shanklin, Wilson, Starks, Dent, Laszewski, Loftis, Halverson, Diver, Ameigh, Parks, Halladay, Park, Mansur, Lukasavitz, Aldrich.

Moved by Supervisor Starks that the board visit the County Farm Saturday.

Moved in amendment by Supervisor Ameigh that the board visit the County Farm Monday. Motion to amend was carried. The original motion as amended was then carried.

Moved by Supervisor Brunker that the rules governing the 1917 board govern the proceedings of the board for 1918. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Shanklin the board adjourn until 1 o'clock a. m. Moved in amendment by Supervisor Atwell that the board adjourn until 1:30 o'clock p. m. Motion to amend was carried. The original motion as amended was then carried.

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 14, 1918, 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman.

Clerk called the roll, all members present.

Clerk read the report of J. R. Pfiffner, district attorney, which was referred to the Committee on Settlement with County Officers.

Moved by Supervisor Aldrich that Dell King be elected by acclamation

for the position of janitor of the court house for the ensuing year. Motion carried.

Clerk read a letter from the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis Association which was laid over until a further date.

Clerk read the report of the Committee on Common Schools.

Moved by Supervisor Frost that the report be accepted and placed on file. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Berry that Martin Heffron be elected to take the place of Mrs. C. E. Shortell whose term expires on the Committee on Common Schools. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Stertz the board adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk.

#### FOURTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 15, 1918, 9 o'clock a. m.

Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman.

Clerk called the roll, all members present.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.

Clerk read the report of County Agricultural Agent J. M. Coyner.

Moved by Supervisor Parks that the report be accepted and placed on file. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Parks that the chair appoint a committee of three including the chairman to place and approve of the County Officer's bonds and settle with outgoing county officers. Motion carried.

The chair appointed as such committee to act with the chairman, Supervisors Parks and Frost.

Moved by Supervisor Mansur that the board adjourn until 1:30 o'clock p. m. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 15, 1918, 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman.

Clerk called the roll, all members present.

Clerk read the report of the Committee on Settlement with County Officers as follows: To the Honorable Chairman and members of the County Board of Portage County, Wisconsin. Gentlemen:—We, your committee on Settlement with County Officers to whom was referred the report of the Soldier's Relief Commission report that we have compared said orders and have cancelled the stubs and find it correct and recommend its adoption. Dated Nov. 14, 1918. C. J. Gilbert, Richard Wilson, Wm. Loftis, Edmond Frost, Ben Halverson.

The following is the report of the Soldiers' Relief Commission:

Stevens Point, Wis., Oct. 29, 1918. To the Honorable County Board of Portage County, Wisconsin, the Soldiers' Relief Commission beg leave to make their annual report for the year ending Oct. 31, 1918. We have aided the following persons during the year as follows:

Mrs. Wm. Skilling, Bancroft .....	\$10.00
Mrs. B. R. Hutchinson, Bancroft .....	10.00
Mrs. H. H. Moore, Plover .....	10.00
Mrs. Helen Dakins, Plover .....	10.00
J. Strong, city .....	70.00
Mrs. Van Camp, city .....	10.00
Mrs. Linn, city .....	10.00
Mrs. Mary Adams, city .....	90.00
A. Eagleburger, city .....	10.00
Mrs. Coates, city .....	5.00

Mrs. Chapman, city .....	10.00
Mrs. Fitzmons, city .....	20.00
A. Cline, city .....	20.00
Mrs. Martha Smith, city .....	40.00
Mrs. Anton Bigus, Custer .....	90.00
Mrs. B. R. Hughes, city .....	5.00
J. P. Smith, city .....	15.00

Total .....

\$435.00

#### RECAPITULATION

Cash on hand, Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$ 728.00
Received from Co. Treasurer, April 1, 1918 .....	1,000.00

Total receipts .....

\$1,728.00

#### DISBURSEMENTS

Paid out for Soldiers' Relief .....	\$435.00
Transferred to General Fund, April 1, 1918 .....	493.00

Total disbursements .....

\$928.00

Balance on hand, Nov. 1, 1918 .....	\$800.00
Respectfully submitted: H. H. Hoffman, chairman; S. Whittaker, secretary; G. H. Altenburg, treasurer; Soldiers' Relief Commission.	

Moved by Supervisor Betker that the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the report of the Committee on Settlement with County Officers as follows: To the Honorable Chairman and members of the County Board of Portage County, Wis.:

We, your committee on settlement with county officers respectfully report as follows: That we have compared the annexed report of T. H. Timm, clerk of the circuit court, and find it correct in all statements and items and recommend that it be adopted as a settlement with such officer for the year ending Oct. 31st, 1918.

Dated Nov. 14, 1918, C. J. Gilbert, Richard Wilson, Wm. Loftis, Edmond Frost, Ben Halverson.

To the Honorable County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wis. Gentlemen:—I herewith submit my annual report for the fiscal year ending October 31, 1918, to-wit:

Issued officers and court certificates .....	\$1,202.00
Issued Jurors' Certificates .....	1,726.50
Issued witness certificates .....	86.56

Total amount certificates drawn .....

\$3,015.07

State Tax paid County Treasurer on Civil Actions:

Jan. 2, 1918, for quarter ending Dec. 31, 1917 .....	\$ 34.00
April 1, 1918, for quarter ending March 31, 1918 .....	35.00
July 1, 1918, for quarter ending June 30, 1918 .....	28.00
Oct. 1, 1918, for quarter ending Sept. 30, 1918 .....	24.00
Total amount state tax paid .....	\$121.00

#### FINES AND COSTS PAID COUNTY TREASURER

Jan. 5, 1918, State of Wisconsin, vs. Felix Drefka, false measures. Costs	\$25.00.
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March 1, 1918, State of Wisconsin vs. Ray Crawford, bastardy. Costs	\$22.20.
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June 17, 1918, State of Wisconsin vs. Peter Kedrowski, operating on	
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automobile contrary to law. Fine \$10.00; costs, \$24.00; total \$34.00.

Total fines and costs paid, \$81.29.

All of which is respectfully submitted, F. H. Timm, Clerk of Circuit Court, Portage County, Wis. Dated at Stevens Point, Wis., this 2nd day of November, 1918.

Moved by Supervisor Laszewski, the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following resignation from J. M. Coyner, Portage Co., Agricultural Agent: Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 14, 1918. To the County Agricultural Committee of Portage County. Honorable G. L. Park, chairman. Dear Sir:—I hereby tender my resignation as Agricultural Agent for Portage County, to take effect Saturday, Nov. 30th. Very respectfully, J. M. Coyner, Portage County Agricultural Agent.

Moved by Supervisor Ameigh that the resignation be accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Bruncker that the board adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk.

#### FIFTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 16, 1918, 9 o'clock a. m.

Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman.

Clerk called the roll, all members present.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.

Clerk read the following resolution:

Be It Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors in regular session that all claims against Portage county for the year 1918 must be introduced not later than Nov. 21, 1918. None to be acted upon after that date unless by suspension of the rules.

Dated Nov. 1., 1918. F. B. Dent, supervisor of Belmont.

Moved by Supervisor Campbell that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Laszewski that the board adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. Monday at the County Farm. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk

#### SIXTH DAY

Amherst Junction, Wis., Nov. 18, 1918, 10 o'clock a. m.

Board met at the County Farm.

Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman.

All members present except Supervisors Betker, Gilbert, Campbell, Cykosh, Ameigh, F. Lukasavitz.

The board proceeded to inspect the buildings, stock and gravel pit at the County Farm.

After the noon day meal it was moved by Supervisor Laszewski the board adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow, at the Court House. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk

#### SEVENTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 19, 1918, 9 o'clock a. m.

Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman.

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

Minutes of the previous days' session read and approved.

Clerk read the report of the Committee on Settlement with County Officers, as follows:

To the Honorable Chairman and members of the County Board of Portage County, Wisconsin. Gentlemen:—We, your committee on Settlement with County Officers to whom was referred the report of the district attorney respectfully report as follows: We have examined the said report and find it correct in all the details. Dated Nov. 14, 1918, C. J. Gilbert, Richard Wilson, Wm. Loftis, Edmond Frost, Ben Halverson.

The following is the report:

To the honorable, the county board for Portage county, Wisconsin:

I, J. R. Piffner, district attorney in and for Portage County, Wisconsin, hereby certify, that during the past year, from November 8th, 1917, to the 8th day of November, 1918, I have received as costs in the case of The State of Wisconsin vs. Dempsey, nine dollars and twenty-six cents (\$9.26), which costs I have paid to the officers entitled to the same, viz., to the sheriff, five dollars and forty-five cents (\$5.45), and to the justice of the peace, three dollars and eighty-one cents (\$3.81). I further certify that I have received no other money for fines, recognizances, forfeitures, penalties and costs.

I further report, that the entire expense to the county, outside of my salary, of conducting the affairs of this office, is shown in the county treasurer's office by district attorney's orders there on file, and that, with the exception of the past month, for which I have issued no orders, the entire year's expense is covered by said orders.

further report, that the case of The State of Wisconsin ex rel. Portage County Drainage District vs. Newby and others, has been decided against the county by the circuit court, but, on advice of the attorney general of this state, and acting on my own judgment, I have decided to appeal said case to the supreme court of Wisconsin when the record is perfected in the court below. Dated November 8th, 1918.

Respectfully submitted, J. R. Piffner, District Attorney for Portage County, Wisconsin.

State of Wisconsin, Portage county—SS.

J. R. Piffner, being first duly sworn, upon oath, says, that he is district attorney for Portage county, Wisconsin, and that he has signed the above and foregoing report and knows the contents thereof, and the same is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of November, 1918.

A. E. Bourn, County Clerk, Portage County, Wis.

J. R. Piffner.

Moved by Supervisor Laszewski that the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following resolution:

Whereas, J. M. Coyner, County Agricultural Agent, in and for Portage County, Wisconsin, has tendered his resignation of said office,

Therefore, Be It Resolved, by the County Board of Supervisors, that said office remain vacant for the remainder of the unexpired term of Mr. Coyner,

That It be Further Resolved, that it be put to the vote of the people at the next spring election whether or not the office of county agricultural agent be filled.

George Wolfe, Sr., supervisor of Eau Pleine.

Moved by Supervisor Berry that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report of the County Farm Committee:

To the Honorable Chairman and members of the County Board. Gentle-

men:—We, your committee on County Poor Farm would respectfully report as follows:

Cash on hand by agent Nov. 1st, 1917 .....	\$ 329.26	
Cash on hand in county treasury, Poor Farm Fund, Nov. 1, 1917 and received by agent during 1918 .....	372.68	
Overdrawn Poor Farm Fund .....	6.00	
Received from County Treasurer, money earned for keeping of inmates for year ending Oct. 31, 1917 .....	\$ 2,096.82	\$2,814.76
Received from sales of farm products for year ending Oct. 31st, 1918:—		
Received for milk and cream sold .....	\$ 1,495.03	
Received for stock sold .....	2,049.53	
Received for potatoes sold .....	1,323.05	
Received for oats sold .....	541.85	
Received for hay sold .....	120.60	
Received for rent for cottage lots Lake Emily .....	50.00	
Received for Fair premiums 1917 .....	55.90	
Received for board, Dave Rogers .....	98.50	
Received for board, gravel pit men .....	245.00	
Received for old gas engines .....	50.00	
Received for old wash machine .....	5.00	
Received for old plows .....	60.00	
Received for old horse .....	25.00	
Received for old gunny sacks .....	35.11	
Received for old buckets .....	8.25	
Received for 3 bushel soy beans .....	15.00	
Received for plowing .....	115.00	
Received for Silo filling .....	163.25	
Received for grading & dragging road Amherst Jct. Vil. .....	25.00	
Received for work on road town Amherst .....	32.00	
Received for work in gravel pit .....	15.00	
Received for miscellaneous .....	36.05	
Received from Wroblewski .....	20.00	6,584.12

Total money received for year ending Oct. 31, 1918..... \$9,388.88

#### DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING OCT. 31, 1918

Paid for groceries and supplies .....	\$ 1,741.99
Paid for labor .....	2,017.02
Paid for feed and grinding .....	1,183.48
Paid for clothing for inmates .....	89.15
Paid for doctor and medicine .....	61.10
Paid for alien enemy photographs .....	15.00
Paid for funeral expenses .....	160.00
Paid for coal .....	490.73
Paid for meats .....	486.51
Paid for live stock .....	455.81
Paid for kerosine, gasoline and machine oils .....	323.14
Paid for hardware .....	202.42
Paid for repairs and extras for implements .....	191.62
Paid for seeds .....	164.91
Paid for electric lights .....	148.35
Paid for rent, two horse motor .....	75.90
Paid for James individual water buckets .....	99.09
Paid for threshing and hulling .....	89.90
Paid for electric washing machine .....	138.00
Paid for blacksmithing .....	62.95

Paid for lumber .....	35.71
Paid for telephone rent and exchange .....	24.35
Paid for cow testing association .....	25.55
Paid for repairs on pump .....	16.37
Paid for fee for exhibit at Fairs .....	12.55
Paid for smoothing harrow .....	20.00
Paid for freight on tractor .....	31.81
Paid for tractor plow and 12 shares .....	253.80
Paid for binder twine .....	37.50
Paid for belt .....	37.50
Paid for grubbing .....	25.00
Paid for miscellaneous .....	11.25

Total disbursements .....	\$ 8,728.46
Total receipts from all sources for year ending Oct. 31, 1918 .....	\$9,388.88
Total disbursements for year ending Oct. 31, 1918.....	8,728.46

Cash on hand by agent Nov. 1st, 1918 .....

\$660.42

#### LIVE STOCK ON HAND NOV. 1ST, 1918

1 pure bred bull Holstein .....	300.00
4 pure bred cows, Holstein .....	800.00
11 grade cows, Holstein .....	1,200.00
4 pure bred 1½ year heifers .....	600.00
3 grade 1½ year heifers .....	150.00
2 grade 1 year heifers .....	200.00
2 grade 6 months heifer calves .....	100.00
1 pure bred heifer calf .....	100.00
1 pure bred bull calf .....	50.00
1 grade heifer .....	20.00
15 hogs .....	800.00
0 pigs .....	90.00
5 horses .....	500.00
60 chickens .....	40.00

\$4,950.00

#### SUPPLIES AND FARM PRODUCTS ON HAND NOV. 1ST, 1918.

150 tons ensilage .....	900.00
40 tons hay .....	1,000.00
3 tons Alfalfa .....	100.00
2½ tons oil meal .....	140.00
1700 bushels oats .....	1,105.00
209 bushels wheat .....	418.00
20 bushels rye .....	30.00
1200 bushels potatoes .....	1,000.00
Beans .....	25.00
300 pounds arsenate of zink .....	65.00
Groceries, supplies and preserves .....	219.00

\$5,002.00

#### CREDIT TO FARM FOR NEW MACHINERY, ETC.

To one Titan 10-20 Tractor .....	\$ 1,245.00
To one freight on tractor .....	31.81
To one tractor plow .....	240.00
To one electric washing machine .....	138.00

To James individual water buckets .....	99.09	
To grubbing 1 acre land .....	25.00	1,778.90
		\$11,730.90

## RECAPITULATION

Credit to cash on hand and received during year.....	9,388.88	
Credit to money due from Soo Line for stock killed....	200.00	
Credit to money due from Portage County Fair Asso. 50 percent of 1918 premium .....	30.00	
Credit to money due from Road Commission for drag- ging and grading road town of Amherst .....	35.00	
Credit to money due for keeping inmates 1918 County charges .....	906.25	
Credit to money due for keeping inmates other than county charges .....	2,417.00	
Credit to inventory of crops, stocks, supplies on hand and new machinery, etc. ....	11,730.90	24,708.03
Debit to money on hand in agent's hands, Nov. 1, 1917	329.26	
Debit to money on hand in County Treasury Poor Farm Fund, Nov. 1, 1917 .....	372.68	
Debit to money received of County Treas. during year	2,096.82	
Debit to live stock, crops and supplies on hand Nov. 1, 1917 .....	9,526.97	
Overdraft Poor Farm Fund .....	6.00	
Debit to disbursements by county agent .....	8,728.46	
Agent and matron salary .....	900.00	
Debit to money due International Harvester Co. for one Titan 10-20 tractor .....	1,245.00	23,205.19

Credit due County Farm for year ending Oct. 31, 1918 \$1,502.84

We recommend that the county clerk be authorized to include in the tax levy the amount due from the city of Stevens Point and the different towns as herein specified.

And we would further report that we have met each month, audited the bills, planned with the agent the farming and improvements to be done and found the house and inmates neatly kept, we recommend the re-election of the present agent and matron.

In order to work the farm properly we found we needed another team of horses or a tractor. After seeing the Titan 10-20 demonstrated we purchased one at a price of \$1,245.00 F. O. B. Milwaukee and we recommend that an appropriation of \$1,245.00 be made to pay for same.

We will further report that we had between 3 and 4 acres new land broke and planted to potatoes. This fall we had another acre grubbed ready to break in the spring.

Dated Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 15, 1918. Respectfully submitted,  
Jos. Laszewski, Wm. Loftis, G. D. Aldrich, committee.

Moved by Supervisor Betker the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the annual report of the County Clerk which was referred to the Committee on Settlement with County Officers.

Clerk read schedule of claims, general file bills from 19 to 23 inclusive, which was referred to the Committee on Claims.

Clerk read schedule of Sheriff's bills of which 75 percent had been paid from 1 to 40 inclusive. Also sheriff's and constable's bills from 1 to 8 inclusive which were referred to the committee on Sheriff's and Constable's fees.

Mrs. D. J. Leahy addressed the board in regard to a visiting nurse for the rural and graded schools of Portage county.

Moved by Supervisor Dent that the matter be taken up Friday afternoon. Motion carried.  
M. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 19, 1918, 1:30 o'clock, p. m.

Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman.

Clerk called the roll, all members present.

Clerk read the annual report of County Treasurer Earl Newby which was referred to the Committee on Settlement with County Officers.

Moved by Supervisor Stertz that the board adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk.

## EIGHTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 20, 1918, 9 o'clock a. m.

Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman.

Clerk called the roll, all members present.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.

Mr. T. H. Hanna addressed the board in regard to the drives for the War Chest.

Moved by Supervisor Halverson that the County Board be in favor of the one drive plan. Motion carried.

Mr. Ira Danks addressed the board on the Children's Home Society of Wisconsin.

Moved by Supervisor Dent that the sum of four hundred dollars be appropriated to the Children's Home Society of Wisconsin and the matter taken up tomorrow afternoon. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Mansur the board adjourn until 1:30 o'clock p. m. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 20, 1918, 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Meeting called to order by Hon. G. L. Park, chairman.

Clerk called the roll, all members present.

Clerk read the following resolution:

Be It Resolved by the county board of Portage county that the county clerk be authorized to notify the banks of Portage county that bids will be received up to Monday noon, Nov. 25, as county depository for county money. Edmond Frost, Supervisor of Linwood.

Moved by Supervisor Mansur the resolution be adopted. Motion carried. Clerk read the following resolution:

Be It Resolved by the county board of Portage County that the county clerk be authorized to notify the printers to have in the bids for county printing by Monday, Nov. 25th, 1918, at 12 o'clock, noon. Edmond Frost, Supervisor of Linwood.

Moved by Supervisor Parks that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report:

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

Gentlemen:—We, your committee to whom was referred the annual report of A. E. Bourn, County Clerk, would respectfully report that we have compared the same with his books, vouchers and receipts and found it correct, have counted the cash which balances his accounts and recommend the adoption of his report.

Dated this 20th day of November, A. D., 1918. C. J. Gilbert, Wm. Lof-

tis, Ben Halverson, Richard Wilson, Edmond Frost, Committee on Settlement with County Officers.

Following is the report of the County Clerk:

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin: Gentlemen:—I herewith submit to your honorable body my report covering receipts and expenditures of the redemptions and fees received at the office of the county clerk, from Nov. 1, 1917 to October 31, 1918.

Nov. 1, 1917 total balance of redemption money in my hands..... \$ 1,657.00  
 Received in redemptions to November 1, 1918..... 18,720.52

Total amount redemption money on hand and received during year \$20,377.52  
 Paid on redemptions as per vouchers submitted ..... 18,655.22

Balance of redemption money on hand Nov. 1, 1918 ..... \$1,722.30  
 Received for redemption fees to Nov. 1, 1918..... \$ 87.72  
 Received for tax deed fees to Nov. 1, 1918 ..... 21.43

Paid to treasurer to balance ..... \$ 109.15  
 Received for 198 marriage licenses ..... \$ 99.00  
 Received for registering 2 physician certificates ..... 1.00

Paid to Treasurer to balance ..... \$100.00

All of which is respectfully submitted.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk.

I also submit the following itemized statement of disbursements from the purchase fund for the fiscal year beginning Nov. 1, 1917 and ending October 31, 1918:

Dec. 20, 1917, paid revenue county deed.....	\$ 1.00
Feb. 1, 1918, paid postage for Nov. Dec. and Jan.....	58.00
March 20, paid delivering Senatorial Primary Election supplies....	16.80
Mar. 22, paid Robert Maine, canvassing primary election.....	1.00
Mar. 22, paid John A. Murat, canvassing primary election.....	1.00
Apr. 2, paid Moll-Glennon Co., supplies.....	.55
Apr. 3, paid delivering Judicial and Senatorial ballots.....	17.10
Apr. 3, paid Robert Maine, canvassing judicial election.....	1.00
Apr. 3, paid George Hebard, canvassing judicial election.....	1.00
May 1, paid postage, Feb. Mar. and April.....	62.00
May 13, paid G. F. Andrea Co., supplies.....	.38
June 15, paid French Campbell Co., supplies.....	1.00
August 1, paid postage, May, June and July.....	89.00
Sept. 1, paid transportation paupers as per resolution Co. Board....	20.43
Sept. 3, paid delivering Primary Election ballots.....	18.20
Sept. 6, paid John A. Murat, canvassing primary election.....	5.00
Sept. 6, paid G. L. Park, canvassing primary election.....	5.00
Oct. 31, paid freight and express bills per vouchers.....	27.25
Oct. 31, paid telephone as per vouchers.....	104.85
Oct. 31, paid postoffice box rent.....	6.00
Oct. 31, paid Normington Bros. Laundry for court house as per vouchers.....	8.54
Oct. 31, paid Western Union Telegraph Co. messages.....	2.95
Oct. 31, paid Reading & Neuman Ice.....	20.75
Oct. 31, paid registering mail as per vouchers.....	6.50
Oct. 31, paid postage for Aug. Sept. and Oct.....	72.00

Oct. 31, paid bills as per chapter 16 laws 1917 as per vouchers..... 138.94

Total ..... \$686.20

The following amounts have been drawn on the purchase fund during the year:

Dec. 17, 1917, Order No. 16558, H. Neidecken Co., supplies.....	\$ 54.13
Dec. 17, 1917, Order No. 16557, Woelz Bros. supplies.....	116.26
Dec. 19, 1917, Order No. 16563, H. C. Miller Co. supplies.....	583.88
Dec. 19, 1917, Order No. 16564, H. D. McCulloch Co. supplies.....	41.36
Mar. 27, 1918, Order No. 16768 Transo Envelope Co., supplies.....	11.00
April 8, 1918, Order No. 16802, Marco Ross Co., supplies.....	15.00
June 3, 1918, Order No. 17049, Woelz Bros. supplies.....	63.75
June 4, 1918, Order No. 17101, Hutter Bros. for Dist. Attorney....	32.25
June 17, 1918, Order No. 17139, H. Neidecken Co. supplies.....	20.49
June 19, 1918, Order No. 17151, Burroughs Adding Machine Co. supplies.....	12.40
July 9, 1918, Order No. 17326 Burroughs Adding Machine Co. supplies.....	4.00
July 22, 1918, Order No. 17404, Remington typewriter Co., supplies.....	3.06
Sept. 14, 1918, Order No. 17713, A. E. Bourn.....	300.00
Oct. 10, 1918, Order No. 17819, Remington typewriter Co. supplies.....	19.45
Oct. 17, '18, Order No. 17845, Elliot Fisher Co. repairs, book machine.....	8.34

Total ..... \$1,253.87

WISCONSIN VALLEY LIGHT AND GAS CO.

	Courthouse	Jail
Nov. 17, 1917, Order No. 16244.....	\$21.30	\$20.18
Dec. 17, 1917, Order No. 16617.....	33.43	20.18
Jan. 18, 1918, Order No. 16659.....	33.70	19.35
Feb. 18, 1918, Order No. 16712.....	21.90	19.65
March 18, 1918, Order No. 16794.....	17.20	17.23
April 18, 1918, Order No. 16888.....	10.46	12.93
May 18, 1918, Order No. 17060.....	11.66	13.71
June 18, 1918, Order No. 17277.....	10.56	14.70
July 1918, Order No. 17522.....	10.86	14.25
August 1918, Order No. 17663.....	9.96	15.64
Sept. 1918, Order No. 17808.....	13.96	16.11
Oct. 1918, Order No. 17958.....	16.16	14.18

Total ..... \$210.75 \$198.11

STEVENS POINT WATER CO.

	Courthouse	Jail
Jan. 18, Order No. 16633.....	\$22.50	\$24.20
April 13, Order No. 16811.....	22.50	24.20
July 9, Order No. 17329.....	22.50	11.03
Oct. 4, Order No. 17810.....	22.50	10.05

Total ..... \$90.00 \$69.48

On hand November 1, 1917 ..... \$ 191.04  
 Total orders drawn ..... 1,854.21

Total ..... 2,045.25  
 Total paid out ..... 2,240.41

Amount due A. E. Bourn, October 31, 1918..... \$195.16  
 Moved by Supervisor Laszewski that the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the report of the county farm agent which was accepted and placed on file.

Clerk read the following application:

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board. Gentlemen:—We hereby make application for reelection as agent and matron of County Poor Farm. Respectfully, H. J. Kankrud and wife.

Amherst Junction, Wisconsin, Nov. 19, 1918.

Moved by Supervisor Wolfe that the application be accepted and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Kankrud be elected as agent and matron of the County Farm for the ensuing year. Motion carried.

Clerk read an application from Dr. G. E. Dusenbury for position of County Farm Physician.

Moved by Supervisor Halverson that the application be laid over until Friday afternoon. Motion carried.

Clerk read the state tax appropriation levy, which was referred to the committee on ways and means.

Mr. Urbahns, Supt. of the Soo Line Ry. addressed the board in regard to the railway company buying a piece of land at the county farm.

Moved by Supervisor Dent that the matter be taken up next Tuesday afternoon. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Dent that the board proceed to elect a poor farm committee by ballot. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Shanklin that the chair appoint three tellers. Motion carried.

The chair appointed Supervisors Wolfe, Campbell and Gilbert as tellers. Board proceeded to informal ballot for first member of the County Farm Committee. Whole number of votes cast was 27 of which Wm. Loftis received 13, Paul Lukasavitz 6, Jos. Laszewski 3, F. B. Dent 2, Joe Cyckosh 2, C. J. Gilbert 1, Chas. Martin 1.

Board proceeded to first formal ballot for first member of the County Farm Committee. Whole number of votes cast was 30 of which Wm. Loftis received 19, Joseph Laszewski 4, Paul Lukasavitz 4, F. B. Dent 2, Jos. Cyckosh 1.

The chairman announced that as Supervisor Loftis had received a majority of the votes cast he be declared elected first member of the county farm committee.

Board proceeded to informal ballot for second member of the County Farm Committee. Whole number of votes cast was 30 of which Jos. Laszewski received 14, Bert Shanklin 6, Richard Wilson 2, Paul Lukasavitz 3, Carl Betker 1, V. P. Atwell 1, G. K. Mansur 1, Ben Halverson 1, F. B. Dent 1.

Board proceeded to first formal ballot for second member of the County Farm Committee. Whole number of votes cast was 29, of which Jos. Laszewski received 20, Bert Shanklin 7, Dennis Parks 1, Paul Lukasavitz 1.

The chairman announced that as Supervisor Laszewski had received a majority of the votes cast he be declared elected third member of the County Farm Committee.

Board proceeded to informal ballot for third member of the County Farm Committee. Whole number of votes cast was 29 of which Bert Shanklin received 14, Paul Lukasavitz 4, G. D. Aldrich 2, G. K. Mansur 4, V. P. Atwell 1, Richard Wilson 1, Jos. Cyckosh 1, Ben Halverson 1, Geo. Wolfe 1.

Board proceeded to first formal ballot for third member of the County Farm Committee. Whole number of votes cast was 30 of which Bert Shanklin received 19, G. D. Aldrich 2, G. K. Mansur 4, Jos. Cyckosh 1, Paul Lukasavitz 4.

The chairman announced that as Supervisor Shanklin had received a

majority of the votes cast he be declared elected third member of the County Farm Committee.

Moved by Supervisor Loftis that the board adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk.

### NINTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 21, 1918, 9 o'clock a. m.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Hon. G. L. Park.

Clerk called the roll, all members present.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.

Clerk read a petition from the chairman of the town of Belmont for \$282.36, one-half of the cost of a bridge, which was referred to the Committee on State Aid Roads and Bridges.

Clerk read a petition from the village of Amherst Junction for state aid for a road, which was referred to the committee on state aid roads and bridges.

Clerk read the following resolution:

Gentlemen and Chairman of the County Board. Be It Resolved, that no bill against the county will be allowed unless itemized day and date and sworn to.

F. B. Dent, Supervisor Belmont.

Moved by Supervisor Wolfe that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read several communications from the Wisconsin Highway Commission which were referred to the Committee on State Aid Roads and Bridges.

Moved by Supervisor Betker the board adjourn until 1:30 o'clock p. m. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 21, 1918. 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Hon. G. L. Park.

Clerk called the roll, all members present.

Clerk read the following report of the Committee on Sheriff's and Constable's fees.

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Portage County. Gentlemen:—We, your committee on Sheriff's and Constable's fees respectfully report as follows:

Schedule of Sheriff's bills of which 75 percent had been paid:

No.	Amt.	70 Pct. Pd.	Bal. Due
1. John Kubisiak	\$32.40	\$24.30	\$8.10
2. John Kubisiak	32.40	24.30	8.10
3. John Kubisiak	43.50	32.61	10.89
4. John Kubisiak	32.40	24.30	8.10
5. John Kubisiak	32.40	24.30	8.10
6. John Kubisiak	32.40	24.30	8.10
7. John Kubisiak	42.89	32.17	10.72
8. John Kubisiak	40.50	30.38	10.12
9. John Kubisiak	45.34	34.00	11.34
10. John Kubisiak	32.40	24.30	8.10
11. John Kubisiak	11.50	8.63	2.87
12. John Kubisiak	32.40	24.30	8.10
13. John Kubisiak	32.40	24.30	8.10
14. John Kubisiak	18.00	13.50	4.50
15. John Kubisiak	48.00	36.00	12.00
16. John Kubisiak	28.35	21.25	7.10

17. John Kubisiak	28.35	21.25	7.10
18. John Kubisiak	78.00	58.50	19.50
19. John Kubisiak	33.63	25.23	8.40
20. John Kubisiak	37.75	28.30	9.45
21. John Kubisiak	28.35	21.25	7.10
22. John Kubisiak	35.09	26.31	8.78
23. John Kubisiak	32.25	24.18	8.07
24. John Kubisiak	96.00	72.00	24.00
25. John Kubisiak	36.60	27.45	9.15
26. John Kubisiak	117.00	87.75	29.25
27. John Kubisiak	28.35	21.25	7.10
28. John Kubisiak	68.50	51.36	17.14
29. John Kubisiak	38.35	28.75	9.60
30. John Kubisiak	52.00	39.00	13.00
31. John Kubisiak	28.35	21.25	7.10
32. John Kubisiak	28.35	21.27	7.08
33. John Kubisiak	20.35	15.25	5.10
34. John Kubisiak	20.35	15.25	5.10
35. John Kubisiak	33.63	25.23	8.40
36. John Kubisiak	35.65	26.73	8.92
37. John Kubisiak	112.00	84.00	28.00
38. John Kubisiak	20.35	15.25	5.10
39. John Kubisiak	20.35	15.25	5.10
40. John Kubisiak	67.50	50.63	16.87
Total	\$1,634.39	1,225.63	\$408.76

—SCHEDULE OF SHERIFF'S AND CONSTABLE'S CLAIMS

1. J. F. Kubisiak	\$ 19.00	\$ 19.00
2. Frank Kubisiak	150.00	150.00
3. J. F. Kubisiak	59.00	59.00
4. J. F. Kubisiak	394.35	394.35
5. J. F. Kubisiak	728.30	728.30
6. J. F. Kubisiak	657.75	657.75
7. J. F. Kubisiak	614.45	614.45
8. John Hofsoos	17.20	17.20
Total	\$2,640.05	\$2,640.05

Geo. Starks, D. H. Parks, C. J. Gilbert, M. J. Mersch, G. D. Aldrich, committee.

Moved by Supervisor Betker the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Mr. F. F. Mengel of the Wisconsin Highway Commission addressed the board in regard to state and federal aid roads.

Moved by Supervisor Frost that the motion to appropriate \$400 to the Wisconsin Children's Home Society of Wisconsin be adopted. Motion lost.

Moved by Supervisor Wolfe that the sum of \$200 be appropriated to the Wisconsin Children's Home Society. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Wolfe that the chairman appoint a committee of one to ascertain the number of the board who went to the County Farm and reimburse them for their mileage. Motion carried.

The chair appointed as such committee Supervisor Wolfe.

Moved by Supervisor Betker that the board adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN. County Clerk.

TENTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 22, 1918, 9 o'clock a. m.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Hon. G. L. Park.

Clerk called the roll, all members present.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.

Clerk read the report of the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings which was referred to the Committee on Settlement with County Officers.

Clerk read schedule of claims, general file bills which was referred to the Committee on Claims.

The chairman extended an invitation to all the supervisors and their towns and villages to attend the services next Sunday for the dedication of the Portage County Service Flag.

Moved by Supervisor Dent that the board adjourn until 1:30 o'clock p. m. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 22, 1918, 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Hon. G. L. Park.

Clerk called the roll, all members present.

Clerk read the following resolution:

Whereas, the salary of the district attorney for Portage County, Wisconsin, has remained the same for approximately the last sixteen or eighteen years and, whereas, during said time the expenses of conducting a law office, including stenographer's salaries, and all other expenses has increased at least fifty percent,

And, Whereas, the district attorney is the only county officer who does not have his office, including heat, light, telephone and all other office expenses furnished by the county and the only officer with the exception of the register of deed, whose clerk and stenographer salary is not paid by the County, and,

Whereas, the stenographer employed by the district attorney is engaged partly in performing services for Portage county, and

Whereas, section 750A. of the Wisconsin Statutes provides for the appointment of a clerk or stenographer in the district attorney's office, to be paid wholly or in part by the county on consent of a majority of the members of the county board;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, by the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin, that the district attorney of Portage county, from and after the passage of this resolution and commencing on the 1st day of December, 1918, may and is hereby instructed and permitted to appoint a stenographer at a salary of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) per month, to be paid out of the treasury of Portage County, at the same time the salaries of other officers and employees of said county are paid by the county treasurer. Dated Nov. 22, 1918.

Introduced by C. F. Martin.

Moved by Supervisor Martin that the resolution be laid over until next Tuesday afternoon. Motion carried.

Clerk read statement on the burial of indigent soldiers which was referred to the Committee on Settlement with County Officers.

Clerk read the report of the County Council of Defense which was referred to the Committee on Settlement with County Officers.

Moved by Supervisor Halvorsen that Dr. G. E. Dusenbury be elected county farm physician for the ensuing year. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Brunker that the matter laid over in regard to engaging a visiting nurse for Portage county be taken up next Tuesday afternoon. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Mansur that the chairman appoint a committee of three to investigate the need of a typewriter and adding machine for the county offices and report to this board. Motion carried.

The chair appointed as such committee Supervisors Atwell, Dent and Starks.

Moved by Supervisor Laszewski the board proceed to elect a county state road and bridge committee.

Moved in amendment by Supervisor Dent that the election take place after the report of the present committee is read. Motion to amend carried.

The original motion as amended was then carried.

Moved by Supervisor Wolfe that the board adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN. County Clerk.

ELEVENTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 23, 1918, 9 o'clock a. m.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Hon. G. L. Park.

Clerk called the roll, all members present.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.

Clerk read the following resolution, from the Ways and Means Committee;

Be It Resolved, That the following sums named in connection with the towns and incorporated villages and the city of Stevens Point, in said county of Portage, be placed in the tax roll thereof for school purposes and collected as other taxes are collected;

Alban .....	\$ 1,421.30
Almond .....	887.55
Amherst .....	1,326.75
Belmont .....	994.30
Buena Vista .....	1,470.10
Carson .....	2,296.65
Dewey .....	1,131.55
Eau Pleine .....	1,393.85
Grant .....	966.85
Hull .....	1,860.50
Lanark .....	863.15
Linwood .....	963.80
New Hope .....	1,067.50
Pine Grove .....	881.45
Plover .....	1,436.55
Sharon .....	3,220.80
Stockton .....	2,754.15
Amherst Junction Village .....	277.55
Junction City Village .....	268.40
Nelsonville Village .....	216.55
Plover Village .....	244.00
Rosholt Village .....	475.80
Almond Village .....	481.90
Amherst Village .....	494.10
Stevens Point City .....	9,564.80
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	\$36,959.90

Signed by Supervisors Chas. Steinke, Jos. Cyckosz, Bert Shanklin, M. J. Mersch, Carl Betker, Paul Lukasavitz, Committee on Ways and Means.

Moved by Supervisor Betker that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report of the committee on Settlement with County Officers:

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

Gentlemen:—Your committee on Settlement with County Officers to whom was referred the annexed report of the Committee on County Grounds and Buildings would respectfully report as follows:

That we have compared the bills with the stubs and find the report correct and recommend the adoption of the same.

Dated Nov. 23rd, 1918.

C. J. Gilbert, Richard Wilson, Wm. Loftis, Ben Halverson, Edmond Frost, committee on Settlement with County Officers.

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Portage County. Gentlemen:—Your committee on public grounds and buildings most respectfully report the expenditures of the appropriations for incidentals, repairs, etc., made by your honorable body for that purpose:

Appropriation made in 1917 .....	\$600.00
Balance on hand in 1917 .....	8.57

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Expended from Nov. 1, 1917 to Oct. 31, 1918 .....	\$608.57
Appropriation overdrawn .....	\$615.35
	6.78

The expenditures shown by the accompanying bills paid and hereto attached and scheduled:

1. Nov. 2, 1917, Lena Frank, repairs at jail .....	\$ 5.00
2. Nov. 3, 1917, F. M. Playman, repairs at courthouse .....	13.90
3. Nov. 5, 1917, Fred Shaurette, drayage .....	1.00
4. Nov. 8, 1917, Henry Meyers, hauling ashes .....	2.25
5. Dec. 1, 1917, G. D. Aldrich, hauling ashes .....	4.00
6. Jan. 8, 1918, Ray Bourn, labor, courthouse and yard .....	2.50
7. Jan. 12, 1918, Wm. Martin, labor on windows .....	1.55
8. Jan. 14, 1918, Copps Co., sweeping compound .....	2.75
9. Jan. 18, 1918, Holcombs Mfg. Co., brooms and brushes .....	8.43
10. Jan. 29, 1918, Chas Helm, tulip bulbs, courthouse yard .....	2.50
11. Jan. 7, 1918, B. V. Martin, porch front, Co. Supt. office .....	30.00
12. Jan. 18, 1918, Stevens Point Water Co., Disc. at jail .....	1.25
13. Feb. 1, 1918, N. Strong, drayage .....	.75
14. Feb. 15, 1918, Shaurette Transfer Co., drayage .....	1.00
15. Feb. 16, 1918, F. H. Else, hauling ashes .....	5.00
16. Feb. 16, 1918, Gazette, desk .....	15.00
17. Feb. 18, 1918, Chief of Police, one-half int. finger print outfit .....	17.50
18. Feb. 23, 1918, Bells Electric Shop, rewiring, etc. ....	74.93
19. Mar. 9, 1918, Krembs Hdw. Co., supplies Co. House .....	53.83
20. Mar. 9, 1918, Nebel Engineering Co., supplies & labor Co. House .....	15.19
21. Mar. 11, 1918, W. E. Macklin, tulips, Co. House yard .....	3.75
22. Mar. 22, 1918, Reading & Newman, freight .....	3.35
23. Mar. 26, 1918, G. D. Aldrich, hauling ashes .....	8.00
24. May 3, 1918, Mrs. Esther Freda, cleaning Co. House .....	2.50
25. May 3, 1918, Mrs. M. Fredrick, cleaning Co. House .....	2.50
26. May 3, 1918, Mrs. Josephine Jurgella, cleaning Co. House .....	2.50
27. May 3, 1918, Mrs. Agnes Friday, cleaning Co. House .....	2.50
28. May 4, 1918, Mrs. Anna Kabot, cleaning Co. House .....	6.25
29. May 4, 1918, Alvina Barwick, cleaning Co. House .....	7.50
30. May 16, 1918, G. D. Aldrich, hauling ashes .....	3.00
31. May 27, 1918, F. A. Shaurette, drayage .....	35
32. June 11, 1918, John Kjer, janitor work .....	2.50

33. June 13, 1918, G. D. Aldrich, hauling ashes .....	4.00
34. June 18, 1918, Eau Claire Book & Stationery Co., one flag.....	9.00
35. June 21, 1918, B. V. Martin, repair jail & jail barn .....	45.78
36. June 25, 1918, Chas. Helm, plants, Co. House yard .....	4.00
37. July 2, 1918, Earl K. Price, electric supplies .....	.35
38. July 9, 1918, Gross & Jacobs, supplies .....	3.65
39. July 18, 1918, Ray Bourn, labor, courthouse yard .....	3.00
40. July 29, 1918, Krembs Hdw. Co., paint, courthouse roof .....	157.80
41. Aug. 6, 1918, Victor S. Prais, supplies .....	.95
42. Aug. 14, 1918, Bells Electric Shop, supplies .....	.40
43. Sept. 3, 1918, Homer Gotchy, cleaning chimneys .....	10.00
44. Sept. 5, 1918, Geo. F. Hebard, repairs on clock .....	1.50
45. Oct. 5, 1918, W. E. Macklin, plants, Co. House yard .....	13.80
46. Oct. 22, 1918, V. S. Prais, paint .....	5.75
47. Oct. 2, 1918, Mary Fredricks, cleaning court house .....	3.00
48. Oct. 22, 1918, Frances Herak, cleaning court house .....	5.25
49. Oct. 22, 1918, Mrs. B. Wanta, cleaning court house .....	3.00
50. Oct. 22, 1918, Mrs. Gertrude Scdmore, cleaning court house.....	18.75
51. Oct. 31, 1918, Mrs. H. Barker, cleaning court house.....	12.50
52. Oct. 31, 1918, Bells Electric Shop, lights .....	2.50
53. Oct. 31, 1918, Langenberg Brick & Mfg. Co., plasterer for Co. House	1.00
54. Oct. 31, 1918, Agnes Buchlaff, labor, cleaning Co. House.....	5.25

\$614.35

J. B. Carpenter, G. D. Aldrich, D. H. Parks, Committee on Grounds and Buildings.

Moved by Supervisor Starks that the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report:

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Portage County. Gentlemen:—We, your committee on Settlement with County Officers to whom was referred the annexed report of the County Clerk on the burial of indigent soldiers and soldiers' widows would respectfully report as follows:

That we have compared the said statement with the order stubs and find the same correct. Dated Nov. 23, 1918. C. J. Gilbert, Richard Wilson, Ben Halverson, Wm. Loftis, Edmond Frost, Committee on Settlement with County Officers.

The following amount have been paid for the burial of indigent soldiers and soldiers' widows for the year as per Section 1529g Statute of Wisconsin for 1911.

Dec. 12, 1917, Willis D. Worden .....	\$ 50.00
Dec. 18, 1917, Eliza Van Camp .....	50.00
Feb. 13, 1918, Frances E. Chapman .....	50.00
Mar. 12, 1918, Didama Colby .....	50.00
May 15, 1918, Joseph Strong .....	50.00
Sept. 3, 1918, Michael Clark .....	50.00

Total .....

\$300.00

Moved by Supervisor Stertz that the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report:

To the Honorable Chairman & Members of the Co. Board of Supervisors of Portage County—Gentlemen: Your committee on settlement with County Officers to whom was referred the annexed report of the County Council of Defense, would respectfully report as follows: That we have compared the statement of bills paid with the County Order stubs and find the same cor-

rect in all details. Dated November 23, 1918, C. J. Gilbert, Richard Wilson, Wm. Loftis, Ben Halverson, Edmond Frost, Committee on Settlement With County Officers.

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Portage County.—The Portage County Council of Defense in recognition of the fund created by your Honorable Body at the last session of the Board desires to thank you for the creation of such a fund, which enabled the Council to carry on the work in the last year, which has helped to put Portage County over the top, and today we are listed as one of the most patriotic counties in the state. Everyone connected with the labor during the many trials brought on by the cruel war has done so faithfully, and loyally. All demands made by the National and State Councils of Defense has been met and the organization has done it quietly and nobly. The work done by the food and fuel administration has had its effect. All the committees and the officials have worked in harmony. Hundreds of dollars have been saved to the farmers on the seed proposition. The labor problem has been well handled. The Council working in connection with the department of Justice has kept down any disloyalty. The war construction committee has worked to help the government in the conserving of material and man power. The members of the Town and Village Councils have always been on the job ready and willing to do their bit. The newspapers of whom one representative of each paper published in the county is a member of the Council, have given wide publicity to all the activities. The merchants, farmers, manufacturers and bankers of which each is represented in the Council have done noble work along with the physicians who have also sacrificed their valuable time and worked so faithfully with the Local Exemption Board, also to the whole people of the County who have stood with the Council, and last but not least it is with pride we present herewith the report of the noble work done by the women, who at great personal sacrifice gave their time and talents to the work and labored at the task so earnestly, devotedly and wholeheartedly.

The report of the Woman's Committee of the Portage County Council of Defense covers the period from the appointment of this committee to the present time.

We have ten active departments:—Liberty Loan and Saving Stamps, Conservation, Women of Industry, Fatherless Children of France, Home and Foreign Relief, Health and Recreation, Child Welfare, Nursing, Information and Speakers Bureau. These departments have carried on all of the work assigned to them by the State Council of Defense. Twenty-three branches and auxiliaries to the Portage County Chapter A. R. C., have been organized. The chairman of each Red Cross organization if a woman is a member of the Woman's Committee and directs all council of defense activities in her community.

The Food Pledge Card campaign was carried on thruout the county and approximately 2,000 cards signed by housewives.

Liberty Loan department solicited \$85,000.00 towards Second Liberty Loan; \$100,900.00 Third Liberty Loan, helped materially in Fourth Liberty Loan and have been actively engaged in sale of Thrift Stamps.

Conservation Department has sent out at least 8,000 pamphlets on conservation of different foods. A six weeks' course in conservation of flour, meats, sugar and fats was given at the Stevens Point Normal School under the direction of Miss Bessie Allen, supervisor of Home Economics. War food exhibits have been held. Lectures on war gardens given. Vegetable canning and drying demonstrations were given in different parts of the county.

Women of Industry Department has assisted Exemption Board making cut questionnaires working 934 hours.

Fatherless Children of France Department has secured the adoption of 21 French orphans and are working to secure 50 in Portage County.

Home and Foreign Relief Department shipped six large boxes of quilts and clothing to northern Wisconsin to fire sufferers, and make a shipment every month to state headquarters.

Health and Recreation Department has made a complete health survey of the county by villages and townships. This effort is practically an inventory of the existing agencies in each community which can be utilized in public health work.

Child Welfare department supervised the weighing and measuring of over 3,500 children under six years of age. The parents of those children falling below the standard, were notified and urged to necessary steps towards correction.

Nursing department held student nurses campaign when 23 student nurses were secured.

Information department has attended to all necessary publicity in all city and county papers.

Speakers Bureau has given valuable assistance in sending out speakers during the different campaigns.

\$471.16 was sent by this committee for Y. W. C. A. work.

\$324.64 was solicited for Anti-tuberculosis work.

The chairman has attended two conferences at Madison and has written 271 letters. Respectfully submitted, Mrs. D. J. Leahy, Chairman Woman's Committee.

The following is the financial statement of the County Council of Defense for the year:

Appropriation by the County Board .....	\$1,000.00
Total orders drawn on the fund .....	255.24

Balance in the fund Nov. 1918..... \$744.76

The following orders have been drawn on the fund:

Jan. 7, 1918, Adj.-Gen. Holway, assessment for soldiers fund.....	\$ 10.00
Feb. 13, 1918, W. F. Owen, expenses delegate to State Council of Defense, Madison .....	15.00
Feb. 19, 1918, Guy J. Ehart, expense on lecture on Conservation of Food .....	7.50
Feb. 19, 1918, Mrs. D. J. Leahy, expenses to State Council of Defense .....	23.85
Mar. 8, 1918, Gazette, printing .....	24.00
Mar. 27, H. D. McCulloch Co., supplies for Food Administration.....	.96
May 3, Gazette, printing bread-making receipts for Food Administration.....	12.00
May 3, Mrs. D. J. Leahy, expense to Madison .....	11.42
May 23, Worzalla Bros., printing circulars for Food Administration .....	30.00
June 26, 1918, Fannie Lepman, one month stenographer, War Savings Committee .....	45.00
Aug. 13, 1918, Fannie Lepman, one month stenographer, War Savings Committee .....	45.00
Sept. 11, W. M. Scribner, expense to Milwaukee, potato convention... ..	13.32
Sept. 17, Mrs. D. J. Leahy, postage .....	11.53
Sept. 24, J. H. Honson, telephone bills for J. R. Pfiffner .....	1.60
Oct. 25, Mrs. D. J. Leahy, expenses on express on boxes sent to fire	

sufferers.....	4.06
	<u>\$255.24</u>

Dated this 1st day of November, A. D. 1918. Portage County Council of Defense. G. L. Park, chairman; A. E. Bourn, Secretary.

Moved by Supervisor Stertz the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Wolfe that the chairman appoint a member of the board in whose favor an order for \$22.50 be drawn to reimburse the members of the county board for their mileage to the County Farm. Motion carried. The chairman appointed as such person Supervisor Ameigh.

Moved by Supervisor Starks the board adjourn until 10 o'clock a. m. Monday. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN. County Clerk.

TWELFTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., November 25, 1918, 1 o'clock a. m.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Hon. G. L. Park.

Clerk called the roll, all members present except Supervisors Dent, Steinke, Cyckosh, Laszewski and F. Lukasavitz, excused.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.

Clerk read the report of the Committee on Settlement with County Officers as follows:

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Portage County, Wisconsin. Gentlemen:—We, your committee on Settlement with County Officers, to whom was referred the annexed report of Earl Newby, county treasurer, would respectfully report that we have compared the same with the books, vouchers and other records in his office and in the office of the County Clerk and Clerk of the Circuit Court, and find it correct to every detail. We have counted the cash on hand and find it in amount to the total within report.

We submit herewith the cancelled county orders for destruction and also 50 interest coupons for \$2,250.00, coupons to be punched and filed in the office also cancelled bonds for \$10,000.00.

Respectfully submitted this 23rd day of November, 1918. C. J. Gilbert, Richard Wilson, Wm. Loftis, Ben Halverson, Edmond Frost, Committee on Settlement with County Officers.

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Portage County, Wisconsin. Gentlemen:—I, the undersigned treasurer of said county, hereby respectfully submit the annual report of receipts and disbursements of said office for the fiscal year beginning November 1st, 1917, and ending October 31st, 1918. Earl Newby, County Treasurer.

Total tax levied by County Board .....	\$153,790.52
Received from towns, city and villages .....	137,694.45
Returned Delinquent .....	16,096.07

\$153,790.52 \$153,790.52

STATE TAX ACCOUNT

State Tax Levy .....	\$ 65,234.51
Paid interest on Cert. of Ind. ....	1,295.90
Paid free high schools .....	1,579.57
Paid graded schools .....	1,805.28
Paid general purposes .....	.90
Paid state university .....	12,210.70
Paid Normal Schools .....	5,426.99
Paid Common schools.....	20,988.07

Paid Charitable and Penal Institutions .....	15,246.47
Paid school district loans .....	6,070.63
Paid Re-assessment of Town of Dewey .....	610.00

\$65,234.51    \$65,234.51

GENERAL FUND RECEIPTS

To balance on hand Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$ 9,507.72
Received interest on deposits .....	831.52
Received from R. D. Whale for lease on gravel pit .....	500.00
Rec'd from F. H. Timm, clerk of circuit court, cost in state cases .....	71.29
Received from John Haka, City Treas., payment on Fair grounds .....	1,000.00
Rec'd from John Haka, City Treas., Int. on Bal. of Fair grounds .....	200.00
Received amount transferred from Fine Fund, 2 percent .....	16.31
Received amount transferred from Soldiers' Relief Fund .....	493.00
Received amount transferred from Income Tax fund .....	7,265.78
Received cash to apply on County Tax .....	72,459.94
Received amount transferred from Del. Tax Fee Fund .....	499.77
Received amount transferred from Del. Tax fund .....	5,493.19
Received amount transferred from Cert. Fund (1918) .....	8,436.42
To acct. for Cert's. Red. (1915) Sale .....	192.44
To Acct. for Cert's. Red. (1916) Sale .....	539.75
To Acct. for Cert's. Red. (1917) Sale .....	1,189.45
To Acct. Int. on Tax Cert's. Red. ....	200.72
To Acct. transferred from Portage Co. Drainage Fund .....	526.95
To Acct. transferred Dancy Orainage Fund .....	259.23
Rec'd from State Treasurer Acct. on Supervising Teacher's Aid .....	2,233.58
To Cash from A. E. Bourn, Clerk, for 1 Co. map sold .....	3.00
To cash from G. D. Aldrich for old iron sold .....	5.75
To cash from J. M. Coyner, balance from potato show .....	50
Received from Federal Maintenance Fund .....	237.50
Received amount transferred from Del. Income Tax Fund .....	8.02
Received amount transferred from Legacy Tax fund .....	1,040.10
To cash from A. E. Bourn, county clerk, for 198 marriage licences .....	99.00
To cash from A. E. Bourn, county clerk for recording 2 phy. cert. ....	1.00
To cash from A. E. Bourn, county clerk, for Tax Deed Fees .....	21.43
To cash from A. E. Bourn, county clerk, for Redemption fees .....	87.72
To cash from Abstract fees .....	16.02
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$113,435.10</b>

GENERAL FUND DISBURSEMENTS

Paid town, village and city Treasurers for making Del. returns ..	47.83
Paid expense posting tax sale notices .....	2.50
Paid ten bonds .....	10,000.00
Paid 50 coupons .....	2,250.00
Paid Assessors per diem .....	116.56
Paid exchange .....	10.00
Paid P. O. Dept. for postage stamps .....	22.50
Paid magistrate orders .....	5.92
Paid telephone bills .....	180.70
Paid Vital Statistics .....	713.95
Paid City Treasurer, error in making Del. returns .....	4.06
By amount transferred to Soldier's Relief Fund .....	1,000.00
By amount transferred to Supt. of Schools fund .....	2,945.00
By amount transferred to Poor Farm fund .....	2,096.82
By amount transf. to Co. Council of Defense Fund .....	1,000.00

By amount transferred to various road funds .....	15,878.47
By amount transferred to Alban Bridge Fund .....	700.00
By amount transferred to Emergency Road fund .....	5,732.14
By amount transferred to Maintenance Road fund .....	3,000.00
By amount transferred to District Attorney fund .....	500.00
By amount paid county orders .....	37,449.50
By amount paid Court Certificates .....	3,015.07
By amount transferred to Dewey Federal Road fund .....	6,000.00

\$92,671.02

STATE SCHOOL FUND

To cash from State Treasurer .....	\$ 36,959.90
By amount transferred to City School Library Fund .....	313.60
By amount transferred to Township Library Fund .....	898.20
By cash paid town, city and village treasurers .....	35,748.10

\$36,959.90    \$36,959.90

SOLDIER'S RELIEF FUND

To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$ 728.00
April 1, 1918, transferred from general fund .....	1,000.00
April 1, 1918, transferred to general fund .....	493.00
By orders paid .....	435.00
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....	800.00

\$1,728.00    \$1,728.00

FINE FUND

To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$ 805.65
To fines from Nov. 1, 1917 to Nov. 1, 1918 .....	416.68
Paid state treasurer Jan. 2, 1918 .....	799.34
By amount transferred to General Fund, 2 pct. ....	16.31
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....	406.68

\$1,222.33    \$1,222.33

SUIT TAX FUND

To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$ 97.00
To cash from Clerk of Circuit Court .....	121.00
Paid State Treasurer Jan. 2, 1918 .....	131.00
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....	87.00

\$218.00    \$218.00

COUNTY SUPT. OF SCHOOLS FUND

To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$ 672.86
To cash from towns & villages treasurers .....	2,945.00
By orders paid .....	2,215.80
To balance in fund Nov. 1st, 1918 .....	1,402.06

\$3,617.86    \$3,617.87

TEACHER'S RETIREMENT FUND

To cash from town and village treasurers .....	975.94
Paid State Treasurer .....	975.94

\$975.94    \$975.94

LEGACY TAX FUND

To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$ 159.79
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To amount collected on Inheritance tax .. . . . .	14,128.68	
Paid State Treasurer .. . . . .		12,683.97
Paid Public Administrator .. . . . .		161.54
By amount transferred to General Fund 7½ percent .. . . . .		1,040.10
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1918 .. . . . .		402.86

## INCOME TAX FUND

To cash from town, village and city treasurers .. . . . .	10,895.67	
Paid State Treasurer .. . . . .		3,631.87
By amount transferred to General Fund .. . . . .		7,263.78

\$14,288.47    \$14,288.47

\$10,895.67    \$10,895.67

## DELINQUENT INCOME TAX FUND

To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .. . . . .	\$40.09	
To amount collected in 1918 .. . . . .	7.81	
Paid treasurer of Sharon .. . . . .		2.80
Paid city treasurer .. . . . .		25.26
Paid state treasurer .. . . . .		4.01
Amount transferred to General fund .. . . . .		8.02
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1918 .. . . . .		7.81

\$47.90    \$47.90

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY FUND

To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .. . . . .	\$ 4.54	
To amount transferred from general fund .. . . . .	500.00	
By orders paid .. . . . .		167.28
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1918 .. . . . .		337.26

\$504.54    \$504.54

## CITY SCHOOL LIBRARY FUND

To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .. . . . .	\$258.97	
By amount transferred from State School Fund .. . . . .	313.60	
Paid orders .. . . . .		499.96
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1918 .. . . . .		72.61

\$572.57    \$572.57

## TOWNSHIP LIBRARY FUND

To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .. . . . .	\$ 851.76	
By amount transferred from State school fund .. . . . .	901.80	
Paid orders .. . . . .		896.24
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1918 .. . . . .		857.32

\$1,753.56    \$1,753.56

## POOR FARM FUND

To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .. . . . .	\$ 372.68	
Transferred from General fund paid by towns, and villages .. . . . .	2,096.82	
Paid orders .. . . . .	6.00	
By amount overdrawn .. . . . .		2,475.50

\$2,475.50    \$2,475.50

## TEACHERS COUNTY INST. FUND

To balance in fund Nov. 1st, 1917 .. . . . .	126.21	
To cash from State Treasurer .. . . . .	125.90	

Paid Orders .. . . . .		83.20
To balance in fund Nov. 1st, 1918 .. . . . .		168.91

\$252.11    \$252.11

## COUNTY COUNCIL OF DEFENSE FUND

Amount transferred from General Fund .. . . . .	\$1,000.00	
Paid orders .. . . . .		255.24
To balance in fund Nov. 1st, 1918 .. . . . .		744.76

\$1,000.00    \$1,000.00

## ALMOND ROAD FUND

To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .. . . . .	\$ 650.43	
To cash from Town Treasurer .. . . . .	1,000.00	
To amount transferred from General fund .. . . . .	1,000.00	
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1918 .. . . . .		2,650.43

\$2,650.43    \$2,650.43

## AMHERST ROAD FUND

To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .. . . . .	\$ 17.25	
To cash from Town Treasurer .. . . . .	800.00	
To amount transferred from General Fund .. . . . .	800.00	
Paid orders .. . . . .		1,893.90
To amount overdrawn .. . . . .		276.65

\$1,893.90    \$1,893.90

## ALBAN ROAD FUND

To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .. . . . .	\$ 96.02	
To cash from Town Treasurer .. . . . .	1,250.00	
To amount transferred from General Fund .. . . . .	1,250.00	
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1918 .. . . . .		2,596.02

\$2,596.02    \$2,596.02

## BELMONT ROAD FUND

To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .. . . . .	\$2,733.29	
To cash from Town Treasurer .. . . . .	1,000.00	
To amount transferred from General Fund .. . . . .	1,000.00	
Paid orders .. . . . .		354.40
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1918 .. . . . .		4,378.89

\$4,732.29    \$4,732.29

## BUENA VISTA ROAD FUND

To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .. . . . .	\$1,340.32	
To amount transferred from Trunk Line No. 3 .. . . . .	2,355.96	
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1918 .. . . . .		3,696.28

\$3,696.28    \$3,696.28

## GRANT ROAD FUND

To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .. . . . .	\$ 27.95	
To cash from Town Treasurer .. . . . .	500.00	
To amount transferred from General Fund .. . . . .	500.00	
To amount in fund Nov. 1, 1918 .. . . . .		1,027.95

\$1,027.95    \$1,027.95

## HULL ROAD FUND

To cash from Town Treasurer .. . . . .	\$ 500.00	
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To amount transferred from General Fund .....	500.00	
To amount transferred from Trunk Line No. 1.....	22.36	
To amount transferred from Trunk Line No. 2.....	2,248.66	
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		3,271.02
	<u>\$3,271.02</u>	<u>\$3,271.02</u>
<b>LANARK ROAD FUND</b>		
To balance in Fund Nov. 1st, 1917 .....	\$ 374.81	
To cash from Town Treasurer .....	600.00	
To amount transferred from General Fund .....	600.00	
Paid orders .....		359.18
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		1,215.63
	<u>\$1,574.81</u>	<u>\$1,574.81</u>
<b>BUFNA VISTA BRIDGE FUND</b>		
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$9.82	
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		9.82
	<u>\$9.82</u>	<u>\$9.82</u>
<b>DEWEY BRIDGE FUND</b>		
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$84.30	
To balance Nov. 1, 1918 .....		84.30
	<u>\$84.30</u>	<u>\$84.30</u>
<b>EAU PLEINE ROAD FUND</b>		
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$1,796.61	
To cash from Town Treasurer .....	288.82	
To amount transferred from General Fund .....	288.82	
To balance in fund Nov. 1st, 1918 .....		2,374.25
	<u>\$2,374.25</u>	<u>\$2,374.25</u>
<b>LINWOOD ROAD FUND</b>		
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$ 17.61	
To cash from Town Treasurer .....	1,000.00	
To amount transferred from General Fund .....	1,000.00	
To balance in Fund Nov. 1st, 1918 .....		2,017.61
	<u>\$2,017.61</u>	<u>\$2,017.61</u>
<b>NEW HOPE ROAD FUND</b>		
To cash from town treasurer .....	\$ 500.00	
To amount transferred from General Fund .....	500.00	
To amount transferred from Trunk Line No. 6.....	2,318.33	
Paid orders .....		1,584.90
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		1,733.43
	<u>\$3,318.33</u>	<u>\$3,318.33</u>
<b>PINE GROVE ROAD FUND</b>		
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$ 27.28	
To cash from Town Treasurer .....	500.00	
To amount transferred from General Fund .....	500.00	
To amount transferred from Trunk Line No. 8.....	2,723.74	
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		3,751.02
	<u>\$3,751.02</u>	<u>\$3,751.02</u>

<b>SHARON ROAD FUND</b>		
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$ 31.50	
To cash from Town Treasurer .....	1,000.00	
To amount transferred from General Fund .....	1,000.00	
To amount transferred from Trunk Line No. 5.....	10.48	
Paid orders .....		1,382.59
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		659.39
	<u>\$2,041.98</u>	<u>\$2,041.98</u>
<b>STOCKTON ROAD FUND</b>		
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$ 19.54	
To cash from Town Treasurer .....	1,000.00	
To amount transferred from General Fund .....	1,000.00	
To amount transferred from Trunk Line No. 1 .....	312.98	
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		2,332.52
	<u>\$2,332.52</u>	<u>\$2,332.52</u>
<b>CARSON ROAD FUND</b>		
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$ 123.80	
To cash from Town Treasurer .....	600.00	
To amount transferred from General Fund .....	600.00	
To amount transferred from Trunk Line No. 1.....	47.79	
Paid orders .....		247.78
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		1,123.81
	<u>\$1,371.59</u>	<u>\$1,371.59</u>
<b>AMHERST VILLAGE ROAD FUND</b>		
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$38.49	
To cash from Town Treasurer .....	25.45	
To amount transferred from General Fund .....	25.45	
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		83.39
	<u>\$83.39</u>	<u>\$83.39</u>
<b>ALMOND VILLAGE ROAD FUND</b>		
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$4.50	
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		4.50
	<u>\$4.50</u>	<u>\$4.50</u>
<b>ROSHOLT VILLAGE ROAD FUND</b>		
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917.....	\$36.92	
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		36.92
	<u>\$36.92</u>	<u>\$36.92</u>
<b>CARSON BRIDGE FUND</b>		
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$129.87	
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		129.87
	<u>\$129.87</u>	<u>\$129.87</u>
<b>BUENA VISTA &amp; PINE GROVE JOINT BRIDGE FUND</b>		
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$150.34	
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		150.34
	<u>\$150.34</u>	<u>\$150.34</u>

<b>ALBAN BRIDGE FUND</b>			
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$700.00		
To amount transferred from General Fund .....	700.00		
Paid orders .....		1,340.00	
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		60.00	
	<u>\$1,400.00</u>	<u>\$1,400.00</u>	
<b>EMERGENCY FUND</b>			
By amount overdrawn Nov. 1, 1917 .....			\$2,732.14
To amount transferred from General Fund .....	3,000.00		
To amount transferred from General Fund .....	2,732.14		
Paid Orders .....		5,200.72	
To cash from T. E. Cauley for old iron .....	2.00		
To cash rebate on freight .....	10.70		
To cash from Federal Maintenance Fund .....	525.00		
By amount overdrawn .....	663.02		
	<u>\$7,932.86</u>	<u>\$7,932.86</u>	
<b>MAINTENANCE FUND</b>			
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$6,772.20		
To cash from State Treasurer Auto Appr. ....	5,159.86		
Transferred from General Fund .....	3,000.00		
To cash from A. E. Bourn for use of County Truck	7.00		
Paid orders .....		5,292.18	
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		9,646.88	
	<u>\$14,939.06</u>	<u>\$14,939.06</u>	
<b>FEDERAL MAINTENANCE FUND</b>			
To cash from State Treasurer .....	\$8,336.24		
Paid orders .....		12,359.70	
By amount overdrawn .....	4,023.46		
	<u>\$12,359.70</u>	<u>\$12,359.70</u>	
<b>FEDERAL ROAD FUND DEWEY NO. 10</b>			
To cash from treasurer of Dewey .....	2,000.00		
Transferred from General Fund .....	6,000.00		
Paid orders .....		8,000.00	
	<u>\$8,000.00</u>	<u>\$8,000.00</u>	
<b>SPECIAL EMERGENCY FUND FOR FEDERAL ROADS IN BUENA VISTA NO. 10 &amp; PLOVER NO. 66</b>			
To amount transferred from General Fund .....	\$1,714.20		
Paid orders .....		195.00	
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		1,519.20	
	<u>\$1,714.20</u>	<u>\$1,714.20</u>	
<b>SPECIAL FEDERAL ROAD FUND FOR PLOVER NO. 66</b>			
Transferred from Trunk Line No. 4 .....	\$ 913.80		
Transferred from General Fund .....	1,080.00		
To cash from Treasurer of Plover .....	720.00		
Paid orders .....		689.00	

To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		2,024.80	
	<u>\$2,713.80</u>	<u>\$2,713.80</u>	
<b>SPECIAL FEDERAL ROAD FUND FOR BUENA VISTA NO. 10</b>			
Transferred from Trunk Line No. 2 .....	\$1,641.93		
Transferred from General Fund .....	1,080.00		
To cash from Treasurer of Buena Vista .....	720.00		
Paid Orders .....		2,251.92	
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		1,190.01	
	<u>\$3,441.93</u>	<u>\$3,441.93</u>	
<b>PORTAGE COUNTY DRAINAGE FUND</b>			
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$2,480.83		
To amount of Delinquent Taxes collected before sale	1,758.05		
To amount collected from sale (1918) .....	2,090.90		
To amount collected Certf's. Redeemed sale (1917)	2,968.22		
To amount collected Certf's. Redeemed Sale (1916)	270.37		
To amount collected Certf's. Redeemed Sale (1915)	626.04		
To amount collected interest on Certf's Redeemed..	488.90		
Paid W. Gaulke, treasurer .....		6,933.33	
By amount transferred to General Fund .....		526.95	
To balance in fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		3,223.03	
	<u>\$10,683.31</u>	<u>\$10,683.31</u>	
<b>DANCY DRAINAGE FUND</b>			
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$ 280.43		
To amount of Delinquent Taxes collected before sale	202.07		
To amount collected from sale (1918) .....	17.28		
To amount coll. from Certf's. Redeemed Sale (1917)	3,280.18		
To amount collected Certf's. Redeemed Sale (1916)	88.25		
Almond Road Fund .....	2,650.43		
Paid T. H. Hanna, treasurer .....		3,642.26	
By amount transferred to General Fund .....		259.23	
To balance in Fund Nov. 1, 1918 .....		142.62	
	<u>\$4,044.11</u>	<u>\$4,044.11</u>	
Total balance in all funds Nov. 1, 1917 .....	\$35,564.09		
Total receipts of all funds to Nov. 1, 1918 .....	259,902.45		
Total disbursements for fiscal year ending Oct. 31, 1918 .....		223,219.39	
Total balance of all funds Nov. 1, 1918 .....		72,247.15	
	<u>\$295,466.54</u>	<u>\$295,466.54</u>	
<b>THE BALANCE ON HAND IS CREDITED TO DIFFERENT FUNDS AS FOLLOWS:</b>			
General Fund .....	\$ 20,764.08		Overdrawn
Soldiers' Relief Fund .....	800.00		
Fine Fund .....	406.68		
Suit tax fund .....	87.00		
County Superintendent of Schools Fund .....	1,402.06		
Legacy Tax Fund .....	402.86		
Delinquent Income Tax Fund .....	7.81		

District Attorney Fund .....	337.26	
City School Library Fund .....	72.61	
Township Library Fund .....	857.32	
Teachers' County Inst. Fund .....	168.91	
Poor Farm Fund .....		6.00
To amount collected interest on Cert's. Redeemed	175.90	
County Council of Defense Fund .....	744.76	
Amherst Road Fund .....		276.65
Alban Road Fund .....	2,596.02	
Belmont Road Fund .....	4,378.89	
Buena Vista Road Fund .....	3,696.28	
Grant Road Fund .....	1,027.95	
Hull Road Fund .....	3,271.02	
Lanark Road Fund .....	1,215.63	
Buena Vista Bridge Fund .....	9.82	
Dewey Bridge Fund .....	84.30	
Eau Pleine Road Fund .....	2,374.25	
Linwood Road Fund .....	2,017.61	
New Hope Road Fund .....	1,733.43	
Pine Grove Road Fund .....	3,751.02	
Sharon Road Fund .....	659.39	
Stockton Road Fund .....	2,332.52	
Carson Road Fund .....	1,123.81	
Amherst Junction Village .....	83.39	
Almond Village Road Fund .....	4.50	
Rosholt Village Road Fund .....	36.92	
Carson Bridge Fund .....	129.87	
Buena Vista & Pine Grove Bridge Fund .....	150.34	
Alban Bridge Fund .....	60.00	
Emergency Fund .....		632.02
Maintenance Fund .....	9,646.88	
Federal Maintenance Fund .....		4,023.46
Special Emergency Fund for Federal Roads in		
in Buena Vista, No. 10, and Plover No. 66 .....	1,519.20	
Special Federal Road Fund for Plover No. 66 .....	2,020.80	
Special Federal Road Fund for Buena Vista No. 10	1,190.01	
Portage County Drainage District Fund .....	3,223.03	
Dancy Drainage District Fund .....	142.62	
	\$77,185.28	\$4,938.13
Overdrawn .....	\$4,938.13	
Cash on hand and in Bank .....	\$72,247.15	

State of Wisconsin, County of Portage—SS.

I Earl Newby, County Treasurer of said County, do solemnly swear that the annexed reports are true as to each and all items as shown on the books of said office.

EARL NEWBY, County Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of November, 1918.

F. H. TIMM, Clerk of Circuit Court.

Moved by Supervisor Wolfe that the report be adopted, the bonds be cancelled, coupons punched and orders destroyed. Motion carried.

The \$10,000.00 cancelled bonds and \$2,250 coupons were punched in the presence of the county board.

The Chairman of the Committee on Settlement with County Officers reported that the orders had been destroyed in the presence of the committee.

Moved by Supervisor Stertz the board adjourn until 1:30 o'clock p. m. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 25, 1918, 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Hon. G. L. Park.

Clerk called the roll, all members present except Supervisors Parks and Steinke, excused.

Clerk read the report of County Superintendent of Schools Marion Banach, which was referred to the Committee on Settlement with County Board of Education.

Clerk read the report of the Portage County Traveling Library Board.

Moved by Supervisor Frost that the report be accepted and under the rules it was laid over until tomorrow.

Clerk read the following report on amounts of real and personal property to be charged back to the various towns and city of Stevens Point which was referred to the ways and means committee.

Following is the report:

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Portage County, Wis.

The following amounts of personal property are to be charged back to the various towns and city of Stevens Point:

City of Stevens Point .....	\$548.01
Dewey .....	13.30
Eau Pleine .....	11.09
Sharon .....	35.33

\$607.73

And the following Real Estate is to be charged back:

Buena Vista, one lot in se $\frac{1}{4}$  of se $\frac{1}{4}$ , section 22, township 22, range 8 E. Amount \$359;  $\frac{1}{2}$  A, as described on Assessment Roll.

Town of Hull, Section 29, township 24, Range 8 E. \$1.55.

$\frac{1}{4}$ A as described on Assessment Roll, Town of Hull, Sec. 29, Township 24, range 8 E, 77c.

1A as described on assessment roll, Town of Hull, Sec. 29, Township 24, R. 8 E, \$3.10.

$\frac{1}{4}$ A as described on Assessment Roll, Town of Hull, Sec. 29, Township 24, R. 8 E, 78c.

Sharon, Part of nw $\frac{1}{4}$  of se $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 9, Township 24, R. 9 E, \$8.05.

Sharon, part of se $\frac{1}{4}$  of se $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 9, Township 24, R. 9 E, \$1.68.

EARL NEWBY, County Treasurer.

Clerk read schedule of poor claims which was referred to the Committee on County Poor.

Clerk read the following bid for depository of the County Funds from the Citizens National Bank.

Mr. A. E. Bourn, County Clerk, City. Dear Sir:—This bank wishes to bid on the funds of Portage County for the ensuing year. We will pay 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  percent on daily balance for all funds on deposit over \$5,000.00.

Yours very truly, C. S. ORTHMAN, Cashier.

Moved by Supervisor Frost that the bid be accepted and the Citizens National Bank be declared the depository for the county funds. Motion carried.

Clerk read bids for County Printing from the Stevens Point Journal, Gazette and Rolnik which were referred to the committee on county printing.

Clerk read two bills, general file claims.

Moved by Supervisor Stertz that the rules be suspended and the bills be referred to the Committee on Claims. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Wolfe that the board visit the jail tomorrow af-

ternoon after the session of the board. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Halverson the board adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN. County Clerk.

### THIRTEENTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 26, 1918, 9 O'clock a. m.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Hon. G. L. Park.

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

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.

Clerk read the report of T. E. Cauley County Highway Commissioner as follows:

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

Gentlemen: In presenting my seventh annual report to your Honorable body, I have not very much to say about the 1918 work, although we did considerable work in maintenance; we oiled and sanded nearly all the Macadamized roads in Portage County, and we done some construction work in the Town's of Amherst, New Hope, Sharon and Buena Vista. We have also graded 23 miles of road with a power grader.

I supervised the expenditure of \$13,000.00, Federal Maintenance;

Also Supervised the expenditure of \$5,992.98, County Maintenance;

Also Supervised the expenditure of \$8,708.99, Construction Work.

Help was very scarce and wages high, and it was almost impossible to secure labor at any price. The outlook for 1919 road work looks very much better, and there should be a good many miles of road built in Portage County during this year.

Thanking all members of the County Board for all courtesy shown me and the help they have given me in the performance of my duties.

Respectfully submitted, T. E. Cauley, County Highway Commissioner of Portage County, Wisconsin.

### TOWN OF ALBAN

Rosholt, Nelsonville Road:—

County appropriation .....	\$ 1,250.00	
Town Appropriation .....	1,250.00	
State appropriation .....	204.59	
Balance in Fund 1917 .....	92.81	
Transferred from Stevens Point, Sharon Road .....	3.21	
<b>Total appropriation in 1918 .....</b>	<b>\$ 2,800.61</b>	
Balance in fund 1918 .....		\$2,800.61

### TOWN OF ALMOND

Almond, Waupaca Road:—

County appropriation .....	\$ 1,000.00	
Town appropriation .....	1,000.00	
State appropriation .....	297.86	
Transferred from Almond Lake Road .....	3.01	
Transferred from Portage, Stevens Point Road .....	151.94	
Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1917 .....	505.38	
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$ 2,958.19</b>	
Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1918 .....		\$2,958.19

### TOWN OF NEW HOPE

New Hope, Rosholt Road—

Alotted by County .....	\$ 2,247.50	
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State money .....	752.50	
Balance on hand in 1917 .....	70.83	
<b>Balance on hand in 1918 .....</b>	<b>\$ 3,070.83</b>	<b>\$3,070.83</b>

### TOWN OF AMHERST ROAD

Amherst, Iola Road—

Town appropriation .....	\$ 800.00	
County appropriation .....	800.00	
State appropriation .....	315.94	
Transferred from Amherst, Amherst Jct. Fund .....	27.25	
<b>Orders drawn in 1918 .....</b>	<b>\$ 1,943.19</b>	
<b>Balance in fund Nov. 1st 1918 .....</b>	<b>\$ 49.29</b>	<b>\$49.29</b>

### TOWN OF NEW HOPE

Amherst Jct., Rosholt Road—

County appropriation .....	\$ 500.00	
Town appropriation .....	500.00	
State appropriation .....	230.06	
<b>Orders drawn in 1918 .....</b>	<b>\$ 1,230.56</b>	
<b>Balance in fund Nov. 1st 1918 .....</b>	<b>\$ 354.34</b>	<b>\$354.34</b>

### TOWN OF SHARON

Stevens Point, Rosholt Road—

County appropriation .....	\$ 1,000.00	
Town appropriation .....	1,000.00	
State appropriation .....	290.00	
Balance in 1917 Fund .....	41.98	
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$ 2,331.98</b>	
<b>Orders drawn in 1918 .....</b>	<b>\$ 1,406.59</b>	
<b>Balance in fund Nov. 1st 1918 .....</b>	<b>\$ 925.39</b>	<b>\$925.39</b>

### TOWN OF BELMONT

Almond, Amherst Road—

Balance in fund 1917 .....	\$ 1,250.00	
Balance in fund 1918 .....		\$1,250.00

### TOWN OF BELMONT

Almond, Heffron Road—

Balance in fund 1917 .....	\$ 531.27	
Orders drawn 1918 .....	144.75	
<b>Balance in fund 1918 .....</b>	<b>\$ 386.52</b>	<b>\$386.52</b>

### PORTAGE COUNTY FEDERAL MAINTENANCE FUND

Emergency Fund .....	\$ 2,857.00	
Orders drawn .....	220.00	
<b>Balance in fund 1918 .....</b>	<b>\$ 2,637.00</b>	<b>\$2,637.00</b>

## TOWN OF DEWEY

Federal Road No. 10—		
County appropriation .....	\$ 6,000.00	
Town appropriation .....	\$ 2,000.00	
State appropriation .....	\$16,000.00	
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Total appropriation 1918 .....	\$24,000.00	
Balance in fund 1918 .....		\$24,000.00

## TOWN OF STOCKTON

Stevens Point, Waupaca Road—		
County appropriation .....	\$ 1,000.00	
Town appropriation .....	1,000.00	
State appropriation .....	456.18	
Balance in fund 1917 .....	298.48	
Transferred from Stockton, Arnott, Ellis Raod .....	19.54	
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Total appropriation 1918 .....	\$ 2,774.20	
Balances in fund 1918 .....		\$2,774.20

## EMERGENCY FUND

Over drawn Nov. 1st 1917—		
Cash, T. E. Cauley, rebate .....	\$ 10.70	
Cash, T. E. Cauley, old iron .....	2.00	
7 Patrol out-fits @ \$75.00 per, pd. by state .....	525.00	
Transferred from General fund .....	3,000.00	
Over-drawn .....	2,732.18	
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Total money in fund .....	6,269.88	
Orders drawn .....	5,200.72	
Over draft .....	2,732.18	
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Total Orders drawn .....	7,932.90	
Total money in fund .....	6,269.84	
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Over-drawn .....	\$ 663.06	\$663.06

## MAINTENANCE FUND

Balance in fund Nov. 1st 1917 .....	\$ 6,772.20	
State Treasurer Auto License .....	5,159.86	
Cash from A. E. Bourn County Truck rental .....	7.00	
Transferred from General fund .....	3,000.00	
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Total money .....	14,939.06	
Orders draws .....	5,292.18	
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Balance in fund .....	\$ 9,646.88	\$9,646.88

## TOWN OF CARSON

Stevens Point, Junction City Road—		
County appropriation .....	\$ 600.00	
Town appropriation .....	600.00	
State appropriation .....	318.70	
Balance in fund 1917 .....	34.09	

Transferred from Junction, Rudolph Road .....	4.30	
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Orders drawn .....	1,557.09	
	170.75	
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Balance in fund 1918 .....	\$ 1,386.34	\$1,386.34

## TOWN OF HULL

Stevens Point, Waupaca Road—		
County appropriation .....	\$ 500.00	
Town appropriation .....	500.00	
State appropriation .....	192.72	
Transferred from Stevens Point, Wausau fund by Co. Board .....	2,250.00	
State money due .....	750.00	
Balance in fund 1917 .....	23.36	
Transferred from Stevens Point, Wausau Road .....	1.16	
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Balance in fund Nov. 1st 1918 .....	\$ 4,217.24	\$4,217.24

## TOWN OF EAU PLEINE

Miladore, Junction Road—		
County appropriation .....	\$ 288.82	
Town appropriation .....	288.82	
State appropriation .....	288.82	
Balance in 1917 fund .....	2,795.09	
Transferred from Dancy, Junction Road .....	1.60	
Transferred from Haw Creek Road .....	4.45	
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Balance in fund 1918 .....	\$ 3,667.60	\$3,667.60

## TOWN OF GRANT

County appropriation .....	\$ 500.00	
Town appropriation .....	500.00	
Total in fund Nov. 1st 1918 .....	\$ 1,243.95	\$1,243.95

## TOWN OF LINWOOD

Stevens Point, Rudolph Road—		
County appropriation .....	\$ 1,000.00	
Town appropriation .....	1,000.00	
Transferred from Bancroft, Portage Road .....	25.78	
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State appropriation .....	122.21	
Transferred from Rocky Run Road .....	17.61	
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Balance in fund Nov. 1st 1918 .....	\$ 2,139.82	\$2,139.82
State appropriation 1917 .....	129.20	
County & State appropriation 1917 .....	2,280.00	
Balance in fund 1917 .....	21.88	
Balance in fund Nov. 1st 1918 .....	\$ 4,645.73	\$4,645.73

## TOWN OF PLOVER

Plover, Grand Rapids Road—		
Town appropriation 1917 .....	\$ 720.00	

Balance in Fund Nov. 1st 1917 .....	913.80	
County appropriation 1917 .....	500.00	
Town appropriation .....	500.00	
Bancroft, Plainfield Road—		

TOWN OF PINE GROVE

Balance in Fund 1917 .....	1,990.75	
County appropriation 1916 .....	\$ 1,123.74	
State appropriation .....	376.26	
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Total Appropriation 1917 .....	3,913.80	
State appropriation .....	222.47	
Orders drawn .....	1,186.70	
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Balance in fund Nov. 15th 1918 .....	\$ 2,727.10	\$2,727.10
(We are still working on this road)		

TOWN OF BUENA VISTA

Stevens Point, Waupaca Road—		
Balance in Fund 1917 .....	\$ 5,132.77	
Transferred from Arnott, Almond Road .....	13.30	
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Balance in fund Nov. 1st 1918 .....	\$ 5,146.07	\$5,146.07

VILLAGE OF AMHERST JUNCTION

County appropriation .....	\$ 25.45	
Village appropriation .....	25.45	
State appropriation .....	25.45	
Balance in fund 1917 .....	38.49	
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Balance in fund 1918 .....	\$ 114.84	\$114.84

ROSHOLT VILLAGE

Grand Avenue—		
Balance in fund 1917 .....	\$ 36.92	
Balance in fund 1918 .....		\$36.92

TOWN OF BUENA VISTA

Almond, Portage Road—		
Town appropriation .....	\$ 720.00	
State & County appropriation .....	\$ 2,280.00	
Balance in fund 1917 .....	1,641.93	
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Total appropriation 1918 .....	4,641.93	
Orders drawn 1918 .....	2,335.96	
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Balance in fund Nov. 1st 1918 .....	\$ 2,305.97	\$2,305.97

TOWN OF LANARK

Lanark Road—		
County appropriation .....	\$ 600.00	
Town appropriation .....	600.00	
State appropriation .....	246.65	
Balance in fund 1917 .....	374.81	
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Total appropriation 1918 .....	1,821.46	

Orders Drawn .....	370.83	
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Balance in fund 1918 .....	\$ 1,450.63	\$1,450.63

TOWN OF BELMONT

Belmont, Waupaca Road—		
County appropriation 1917 .....	\$ 1,000.00	
Town appropriation 1917 .....	1,000.00	
State appropriation .....	201.45	
Balance in fund 1917 .....	734.87	
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Balance in fund 1918 .....	\$ 2,936.32	\$2,936.32
Summary of Fund available for Road construction Nov. 1st 1918.		
Federal Road money .....	\$24,000.00	
State aid road money .....	46,777.97	
Federal Emergency .....	2,637.00	
County Maintenance .....	9,646.88	
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	\$83,061.85	

I wish to state that the County Treasurer's Books and my books will not balance in some of the road funds, for the reason, that I carry the State money that has not been paid in and the Treasurer does not give the different roads credit for this money until he receives the money from the State.

T. E. Cauley, Road Commissioner.

We, the State Road and Bridge Committee have met from time to time and have inspected the roads and bridges and have checked the Highway Commissioner's Report several times and find them correct.

Ben Haiveason, Wm. Brunker, John A. Berry, State Road and Bridge Committee.

Moved by Supervisor Betke the report be adopted. Motion Carried.

Moved by Supervisor Laszewski that the board adjourn until 1:30 o'clock p. m. Motion Carried.

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 26, 1918, 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Hon. G. L. Park.

Clerk called the roll, all members present except Supervisor Steinke.

Moved by Supervisor Campbell that the board do not sell the land off the County Farm as shown on the blue print to the Soo Line Railway Co. Motion Carried.

The matter of selling some of the land in a different location was discussed.

Moved by Supervisor Dent that the chair appoint a Committee of three to confer with the Soo Line officials in regard to the selling of other land at the County Farm, and report to this board Friday afternoon. Motion Carried.

The Chairman appointed as such committee Supervisors Dent, Shanklin and Atwell.

Moved by Supervisor Dent that the board proceed to vote on the County hiring a visiting nurse for the rural and graded schools. Motion lost by 20 nays and 9 ayes. The following voted aye, Supervisors Martin, Brunker, Wilson, Dent, Stertz, Gilbert, Park, Atwell, Aldrect. Nays, Supervisors Betker, Shanklin, Starks, Berry, Campbell, Cyckosh, Wolfe, Laszewski, Loftis, Frost, Halverson, Diver, Ameigh, Parks, Halladay, Glodowski, F. Lukasavitz, Mansur, P. Lukasavitz, Mersch.

Moved by Supervisor Laszewski that the resolution of the District Attorney for twenty-five dollars for a stenographer be adopted. Ayes and Nays called for. Motion carried by 19 ayes and 10 nays. The following

voted aye, Supervisors Martin, Shanklin, Berry, Cvckosh, Wolfe, Laszewski, Stertz, Loftis, Frost, Halverson, Gilbert, Glodowski, F. Lukasavitz, Park, Mansur, Atwell, P. Lukasavitz, Mersch, Aldrich. Nays, Supervisors Betker, Brunker, Wilson, Starks, Dent, Campbell, Diver, Ameigh, Parks, Halladay.

The motion to adopt the Portage County Traveling Library Board report was then taken up.

Moved in amendment by Supervisor Campbell that the report be adopted but the appropriation be \$100. Amendment Carried. The original motion as amended was then carried, all Supervisors voting aye.

The following is the report of the Portage County Traveling Library Board.

The fifteenth Annual Report of the Portage Co. Traveling Library Board.

To the Honorable Chairman & Members of The Board of Supervisors of Portage Co., Wis. Gentlemen:—The Statement of funds received and expended for the year ending Oct. 31, 1918, is as follows:

#### RECEIPTS

June 12, 1918, received from County Treasurer, appropriation voted by Supervisors, Nov. 28, 1917, (Laws of Wisconsin, Sec. 697-15)	\$100.00
June 26, 1918, received from County Treasurer from the General Fund (Laws of Wisconsin, Sec. 697-13)	75.00
Balance Oct. 31, 1917	38.34
(Note: Book order not being filled changes balance as reported	

1917)

Total receipts .....\$213.34

#### DISBURSEMENTS

Freight and express on 37 chests books	\$ 23.18
Nine books rebound	4.86
Librarians Salary	50.00
Janitor	5.00
Sundries	1.40
22 books	18.98
Total disbursements	\$103.42
Total balance October 31, 1918	\$109.94

(See receipted bills and vouchers enclosed.)

60 books are on order but bill has not been received. These will cost about \$80 leaving a balance of \$29.90 with which to pay bills until the new appropriation is available which is usually about April.

Martha G. Week, Secretary & Treasurer.

#### REPORT OF PORTAGE COUNTY TRAVELING LIBRARY 1917-1918

No. of Libraries	31
No. of libraries discarded (2) (No's. 15 & 9)	2
No. of libraries added (2) (Replacement of No. 15 & 9)	2
No. of volumes at beginning of year, English	1,463
No. of foreign, (Norse 155) (Polish 131) (German 26) Foreign	312
No. of volumes added, 82 English	82
No. of Foreign 0	0
No. of volumes lost and discarded (N. 3) (P. 7) (English 51)	61
No. of volumes at end of year—English	1,494
No. of volumes at end of year—Foreign	302
Total No. of volumes	1,796
Active Stations	22
Circulation	2,250

Iambria Wert, Librarian, October, 1918.

Letters from the various stations indicate that the books are much enjoyed particularly in winter. A chest has been placed at the County Poor Farm where it is greatly appreciated. Some of the more recent war books have been added to the boxes together with other late books chosen from those most popular in our public library. The committee feels that the small sum of money annually appropriated by the county for this progressive and educating cause is very well spent.

Fifteen counties in our State have the County Traveling Library System. (See page 4, Eleventh Report of Wisconsin Free Library Commission.) The result being the inhabitants of these counties are getting better service than those without these books.

Graeful for the past appropriations the Members of the Traveling Boards respectfully petition the Board of Supervisors fo two hundred (\$200) dollars, to continue the work next year.

(Signed): President, Mrs. G. E. McDill; Vice President, Mrs. R. A. Cook; Martha G. Week, Secretary and Treasurer.

Mrs. R. A. Cook's term expires .....1918

Mrs. A. P. Een, Amherst; Mrs. F. J. Campbell, Almond .....1919

Mrs. G. E. McDill; Miss M. Week .....1920

Please reappoint Mrs. R. A. Cook for three years.

Moved by Supervisor Martin the salary of the Highway Commissioner be raised to \$1,800 a year. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Laszewski that the board proceed to elect a highway commissioner for Portage county. Motion carried.

The chairman appointed Supervisors Starks and Berry as tellers.

Board proceeded to informal ballot for highway commissioner of Portage county. Whole number of votes cast was 29, of which T. E. Cauley received 24, Jos. Laszewski 1, Geo. Wolfe 1, W. Campbell 1, F. Halladay 1, B. Halvorsen 1.

Moved by Supervisor Halverson that the informal ballot be declared formal and T. E. Cauley be declared elected highway commissioner of Portage county. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Laszewski that the board adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk.

#### FOURTEENTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 27, 1918, 9 o'clock a. m.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Hon. G. L. Park.

Clerk called the roll, all members present except Supervisors Laszewski and Parks, excused.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.

Clerk read the report of the committee on state aid roads and bridges.

Moved by Supervisor Betker the report be adopted, which under the rules was laid over until tomorrow.

Moved by supervisor Wilson that the salary of the deputy clerk be raised \$10 a month. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Berry the board adjourn until 1:30 o'clock p. m. Motion Carried.

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 27, 1918, 1:30 o'clock p.m.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Hon. G. L. Park.

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

Clerk read a petition from the chairman of the town of Linwood asking

for an appropriation of \$250.00, one-half the cost of a bridge, which was referred to the road and bridge committee

Moved by Supervisor Frost that the resolution in regard to voting at the next spring election whether or not the office of the agriculture agent be filled be rescinded. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following resolutions:

WHEREAS: the office of County Agricultural Agent for Portage County Wisconsin, is now vacant, due to the resignation of the incumbent of said office, and,

WHEREAS: the committee provided by statute may fill said vacancy, and WHEREAS: it is doubtful whether or not the majority of the voters and tax payers of Portage County are in favor of an agricultural agent, now Therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED: by the board that the committee provided by statute to fill the vacancy in said office, be instructed by this board not to fill said vacancy, until after the regular meeting of this board for the year 1919, and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: that the chairman and supervisors elected at the various annual town and village meetings to be held on the first Tuesday in April 1919, secure at said town and village meetings, the opinions of their constituents, so that they may vote at the 1919 meeting of this board, on this question, in accordance with the desires of a majority of the electors and tax payers in their respective towns and villages.

Dated Nov. 27th 1918. Introduced by John A. Berry, Supt. of Buena Vista.

Moved by Supervisor Betker that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following resolutions:

WHEREAS: the resolution to hire a visiting nurse for Portage County was brought up at this board meeting, and defeated, and,

WHEREAS: all of the members of this board are desirous of acting according to the wishes of their constituents, and wish to vote in accordance with the desires of a majority of the people in their various districts, now Therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED: by the County Board of Portage County that the question of hiring a visiting nurse for Portage County, at the regular meeting of the County board to be held in 1919, be brought up at the annual town and village meetings to be held in April 1919, at which meetings the town chairman and supervisors elected at said meetings shall ascertain the sentiment of the voters of their towns and villages on this question, so that they can vote with intelligence and in accordance with the desires of their constituents, at their next County board meeting.

Dated Nov. 27, 1918. Introduced by Carl Betker, Supervisor of Alban.

Moved by Supervisor Campbell that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the report of the Committee on County Poor as follows:

To the Honorable Chairman and members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage Co., Wis. Gentlemen:—We, your committet on County Poor to whom was referred the several claims, beg to report as follows:

1. Village of Plover, John Randal, county charge.....	\$209.65	\$209.65
2. St. Michael's Hospital, care of Dennis Ryan, county charge.....		
	Amt. Asked	Amt. Allowed
	23.00	23.00
3. Dr. C. Von Neupert, Jr., treatment of Dennis Ryan, county charge.....	30.00	30.00
4. H. D. Boston, burial of Mrs. May Morrissey, county charge.....		

charge .....	55.00	55.00
5. H. D. Boston, burial of Henry Kelly, county charge...	55.00	55.00
6. Dr. A. E. MacMillan, treatment and post mortem, Anton Malnowski, county charge .....	42.00	27.00
7. Town of Stockton for aid furnished Mrs. Anton Kausa, county charge .....	15.00	15.00
Town of Stockton, burial of Ludwik Glomb, county charge	37.00	37.00
8. City of Stevens Point:		
Martha Szezesny, county charge.....	111.50	111.50
Kate Stroyesko, charged back to Wood County....	113.00	113.00
Mary Zinda, county charge .....	28.00	28.00
Jeneska Russell, county charge .....	31.21	31.21
Helen Stroik, charge to Marathon Co.....	35.00	35.00
Mary Devins, charge to town of Dewey.....	13.35	13.35
Mrs. Mary Morrissey, county charge .....	5.00	5.00
9. Town of New Hope, Aleck Sayers, county charge.....	39.85	39.85

Dated this 27th day of November, 1918.

C. J. Gilbert, Wm. Brunker, Edmond Frost, Wm. Loftis, G. D. Aldrich, Richard Wilson, Committee.

Moved by Supervisor Starks the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Halverson that the equalized value be read in the report of the Committee on Equalization. Motion carried.

Following is the report of the Committee on Equalization:

**APPENDIX II**

Moved by Supervisor Ameigh that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Laszewski that the board proceed to elect a county state road and bridge committee. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Betker that the Committee be elected by formal ballot. Motion lost.

The chairman appointed Supervisors Wolfe, Campbell and F. Lukasavitz as tellers.

Board proceeded to an informal ballot for first member of the county state road and bridge committee. Whole number of votes cast was 29 of which Hen Halverson received 16, John A. Berry 7, Walter Campbell 2, F. B. Dent 1, Wm. Brunker 1, George Wolfe 1.

Moved by Supervisor Starks that the informal ballot be declared formal and Supervisor Halverson be declared elected first member of the county state road and bridge committee. Motion carried.

Board proceeded to informal ballot for second member of the county state road and bridge committee. Whole number of votes cast was 29, of which John A. Berry received 9, F. B. Dent 7, Wm. Brunker 7, Walter Campbell 4, Geo. Wolfe 2.

Board proceeded to first formal ballot for second member of the county state road and bridge committee. Whole number of votes cast was 28 of which John A. Berry received 9, F. B. Dent 9, Wm. Brunker 4, Walter Campbell 4, George Wolfe 2.

Board proceeded to second formal ballot for second member of the county state road and bridge committee. Whole number of votes cast was 29 of which John A. Berry received 13, F. B. Dent 11, Wm. Brunker 2, W. Campbell 3.

Board proceeded to third formal ballot for second member of the county state road and bridge committee. Whole number of votes cast was 29 of

which John A. Berry received 14, F. B. Dent 12, Wm. Bruncker 2, W. Campbell 1.

Board proceeded to fourth formal ballot for second member of the county state road and bridge committee. Whole number of votes cast was 29 of which F. B. Dent received 15, John A. Berry 12, G. Wolfe 1, W. Campbell 1.

The chairman announced that as Supervisor Dent had received a majority of the votes cast he be declared elected second member of the county state road and bridge committee.

Board proceeded to informal ballot for third member of the county state road and bridge committee. Whole number of votes cast was 28 of which Walter Campbell received 18, John A. Berry 3, Wm. Bruncker 3, G. Wolfe 4.

Moved by Supervisor Ameigh that the informal ballot be declared formal and Supervisor Campbell be declared third member of the county state road and bridge committee. Motion carried.

Dr. Norton, Humane Officer of Portage County addressed the board in regard to the Humane Society of Portage County and asked that the board appropriate \$400 to carry on the work next year.

Moved by Supervisor Ameigh that the sum of \$500 be appropriated to the Portage County Humane Society for the ensuing year, which under the rules was laid over until tomorrow.

Moved by Supervisor Stertz that the board adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow. Motion Carried.

A. E. BOURN. County Clerk.

#### FIFTEENTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 28, 1918, 9 o'clock a. m.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Hon. G. L. Park.

Clerk called the roll, all members present except Supervisors, Berry, Laszewski, Parks, and Halladay excused.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.

Clerk read a resolution from the state aid road and bridge Committee to appropriate \$5,000 to buy machinery which under the rules was laid over until tomorrow.

Clerk read a resolution from the state aid road and bridge committee to appropriate \$1,500 to buy a steam loader to be used on the roads which under the rules was laid over until tomorrow.

Clerk read the following report of the committee on settlement with County Board of Education.

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

GENTLEMEN:—We, your committee to whom was referred the report of Marian Bannach county superintendent of schools, which is hereto annexed, would recommend the adoption of her report. We would further recommend that there be placed in the tax levy of this year, to be raised on property outside the city of Stevens Point, Wis. the following sums.

Salary	\$1,000.00
Telephone	35.00
Traveling Expenses	300.00
Supplies and Printing	400.00
Postage	300.00
Commencement Exercises	20.00
Board of Examiners	50.00
Expense of Supt. to State Convention	25.00

Office Help	540.00
John O'Keefe, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58 1.58
In re Mary Cychosz, Delinquent.	
Repairs	7,008.02
For County Superintendent making report to State Supt.	75.00
One Typewriter Chair	8.50
Committee on Common Schools	100.00

Total \$2,853.50

Dated November 28, 1918. C. F. Martin, Frank Halladay, John Berry,

F. B. Dent, Walter Campbell, Jos. Cyckosz, Committee.

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

Gentlemen:—In connection with the report of Marian Bannach, county superintendent of schools, under resolution of the county board, session 1916, all supplies for the office be purchased by the county clerk as purchasing agent and that all bills be rendered to him, monthly, would respectfully report as follows. The following amounts were paid on order drawn on the county treasurer, on superintendent of schools' fund, as per the vouchers herewith, submitted.

Gazette	\$ 9.25
Telephone bills	20.38
Postage	264.31
Stevens Point Journal, printing	10.00
Frances Bannach, dictionary	9.00
Gazette	19.50
Western Union Telegraph Co.	8.10
Baker Paper Co.	1.46
Remington Typewriter Co., supplies	7.50
Wovetz Co., supplies	28.86
A. B. Dick & Co., supplies	15.30
Lau Claire Stationery & Book Co.	39.92
Gazette, printing	8.75
Stevens Point Journal, printing	12.88
Stevens Point Journal, printing	14.45

Total \$469.63

The following amounts have been drawn as per vouchers for appropriations made at the 1917 session:

H. D. Boston, 1 roll top desk	\$ 40.00
Commencement exercises	18.44
L. A. Gordon, expenses to Co. convention	10.70
L. A. Gordon, making report to State Supt.	75.00
Marian Bannach, making report to State Superintendent	75.00
Board of diploma examiners	20.00

Total \$239.14

The following bills of Lancelot A. Gordon, county superintendent of schools, of which, seventy-five percent has been paid are herewith, submitted.

	Amount	Paid	Balance
1. Lancelot A. Gordon	\$ 19.42	\$ 14.57	\$ 4.85
2. Lancelot A. Gordon	25.23	18.92	6.31
3. Lancelot A. Gordon	52.70	39.52	13.17
4. Lancelot A. Gordon	20.41	15.31	5.10
5. Lancelot A. Gordon	27.52	20.64	6.88

6. Lancelot A. Gordon .....	10.00	7.50	2.50
7. Lancelot A. Gordon .....	28.25	21.19	7.06
8. Lancelot A. Gordon .....	60.60	45.45	15.15
9. Lancelot A. Gordon .....	18.04	13.53	4.51

Total .....	\$262.17	\$196.63	\$65.54
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The following bills of Marian Bannach, County Superintendent of Schools, of which seventy-five percent is paid.

	Amount	Paid	Balance
1. Marian Bannach .....	\$21.89	\$16.42	\$ 5.47
2. Marian Bannach .....	45.95	34.44	11.51
3. Marian Bannach .....	12.02	9.02	3.00

Totals .....	\$79.86	\$59.88	\$19.98
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Dated November 28, 1918.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk

To The Honorable County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wis.,  
GENTLEMEN:—The following is the report concerning the schools of Portage County:—

There are 152 teachers in the county teaching 125 schools. Four year high schools are maintained in the villages of Almond, Amherst and Bancroft. Graded schools of the first class are located in Junction City and Rosholt and graded schools of the second class are at Amherst Junction, Nelsonville and Custer. This leaves a total of one hundred and seventeen one-room schools that were maintained during the past school year in this county, outside of the city of Stevens Point.

Since assuming the office of county superintendent in July thirty one schools have been improved in various ways. Many more will continue to be improved this winter. The people in Dist. No. Jt 7, Buena Vista are to be congratulated on their splendid new school building. The school board is composed of Melvin Waters, clerk, Alex Konkol, director and John Polly, treasurer. All deserve much credit for the splendid effort made in perfecting this beautiful school.

The Committee on Common schools composed of Mr. Lyman Precourt, chairman, Mrs. C. E. Shortell, secretary and Mr. John Marchel appointed Miss Core Doxrude and Miss Pauline Thompson as supervising teachers. During September Miss Core Doxrude made 27 visits and Miss Pauline Thompson 25. Due to the unfortunate situation the influenza epidemic has caused all the schools closed. If this condition could have been avoided all the schools in the county would have at least one visit by the last of November as originally planned. However it is hoped that this work may be accomplished before Christmas.

The present war has brought about many conditions which afford opportunities to make school work more vital, and it is our duty as school people to utilize these opportunities in every possible way. During the past year the school did much in the way of organizing War Saving Societies and making Red Cross contributions. In order that still more effective work may be done a school society is organized in every school which had an opportunity to do so. Others will organize at the first opportunity when schools will re-open. This society will be managed by the children under the guidance of the teacher. This one society will be the instrument thru which the children will carry on the various phases of war work such as Red Cross, Thrift Stamps, and taking part in programs for the benefit of war activities.

These societies are not to exist merely during the time of the war, but

are to continue as a permanent feature of the school work. After the children have become trained in the management of their little societies the regular work of the school will unquestionably become more efficient. It will effect the work they do in practically every branch they study.

Not only will organization of these societies be an important feature in the work of the school but it will also have a strong influence upon the future citizenship of the state.

Some people may say that this plan will work in some communities but not in others. Let me say that the schools in which it will be most difficult to organize this work are in the communities that need this help the most. In some schools the work may be difficult because of small attendance but even in such instances it is certainly possible to do something.

The Reading Circle Work will be introduced in every school. Every teacher as well as every eighth grade pupil expecting to graduate in the spring must earn a Reading Circle diploma some time this year.

County Commencement exercises were held Saturday, June 28 at the Normal school and 198 eight grade graduates received their diplomas. The number of graduates increases each year which emphasizes the fact that parents, teachers and others are more interested in education and money and time spent in improving schools and hiring good teachers is well invested.

A strenuous campaign is being conducted throughout the county in placing a daily paper in every school. Prospects are very encouraging for a perfect success.

From July 26 to the present time 2,389 pieces of mail have been received and 4,425 pieces of mail have been sent.

During this same period of time 1,230 visitors have been received.

In conclusion, permit me to say that the school spirit in general is splendid. Many of the school boards are anxious to get the best teachers, the best books and all necessary equipment for the school.

I hope that in the future, as in the past, we may ever keep the thought that good schools can be brought about only by the united and harmonious cooperation of pupils, parents, teachers and county superintendents.

This I sincerely hope will be done and I assure you that our schools will continue to make progress as in the past.

Thanking your honorable members of the Board of Supervisors for your cooperation thus far, and trusting that that spirit may be long enjoyed in the interest of the schools of Portage County, I am

Yours Very Cordially

Marion Bonnach, County Supt. of Schools

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENT RECEIPTS

Money on hand June 30, 1917 .....	\$ 41,273.34
State school apportionment .....	\$ 26,067.89
Taxes levied by county supervisors .....	25,333.70
District taxes .....	42,983.82
Special State aid .....	3,310.97
Tuition received .....	3,561.09
Rent or sale of text books .....	195.61
Interest on school funds .....	1.50
Money Borrowed .....	10,137.58
Sale of bonds .....	
Sale of school property .....	385.40

Other receipts.....	519.18
Total receipts.....	\$153,779.08
Total payments.....	\$114,162.26
Money on hand June 30, 1918.....	\$ 39,616.82
Amount of bill unpaid.....	\$ 990.76
Amount of bonded indebtedness.....	\$ 29,112.97

DISBURSEMENTS

Services of district clerk, treasurer and director.....	\$ 2,833.14
Salaries of men teachers.....	7,849.84
Salaries of women teachers.....	59,443.47
Text books.....	1,600.05
Stationery and supplies used in instruction.....	2,472.53
Janitor service and supplies.....	4,531.42
Fuel and light.....	9,139.26
Insurance.....	816.07
Transportation of children.....	1,939.26
Tuition to other districts.....	262.11
Teachers' pension fund.....	594.76
Lands and buildings.....	1,148.23
Equipment.....	2,071.67
Loans, payment of.....	9,208.47
Interest on loans and school orders.....	682.62
Other payments.....	2,561.60

Total payments.....	\$114,162.26
Balance in hands of treasurers, June 30, 1918.....	\$39,616.82
No. of volumes in school libraries.....	28,312
Children incapacitated for school work.....	8
Deaf mutes.....	5
Crippled.....	3

CLASSIFICATION OF TEACHERS' WAGES

No. receiving	Male	Female
\$45 and less than \$50.....	1	71
\$50 and less than \$55.....	1	30
\$55 and less than \$60.....	3	19
\$60 and less than \$65.....		6
\$65 and less than \$70.....	2	1
\$70 and less than \$75.....		1
\$75 and less than \$80.....		
\$80 and less than \$85.....		
\$85 and less than \$90.....		
\$90 and less than \$95.....	1	
\$95 and less than \$100.....		2
\$100 and less than \$110.....	1	4
\$110 and less than \$120.....	1	1
\$120 or over.....	1	1
Number of high schools.....		2
Number of graded schools, first class.....		3
Number of graded schools, second class.....		4
Number of schools with one department.....		116
Number of graduates.....		198
Number of districts furnishing free textbooks.....		72
Amount of money paid over by teachers to pension fund.....		\$594.75
No. children between 7 & 14 living outside 2 mile limit.....		50

Average salary of male teachers in rural schools....	\$538.00
Average salary of female teachers in rural schools..	\$393.99
Average salary of male teachers in graded schools....	\$822.317
Average salary of female teachers in graded schools	\$676.21
No. of school districts in county.....	125

EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS

No. of school buildings in the county.....	125
No. of teachers in the county.....	152
No. of children of school age.....	8880
No. of children enrolled in public schools between 7 and 13 inclusive.....	4028
No. children present every day school was in session.....	65
No. of children who attended 120 days or more.....	1542
No. of children between 7 and 13, with valid excuses attending less than 120 days.....	781

ENROLLMENT

No. of schools with enrollment of 5 children or less.....	0
No. of schools with an enrollment of 6 to 10 children.....	0
No. of schools with an enrollment of 11 to 15 children.....	9
No. of schools with an enrollment of 16 to 20 children.....	14
No. of schools with an enrollment of 21 to 25 children.....	21
No. of schools with an enrollment of 26 to 30 children.....	20
No. of schools with an enrollment of 31 to 35 children.....	16
No. of schools with an enrollment of 36 to 40 children.....	13
No. of schools with an enrollment of 41 to 45 children.....	3
No. of schools with an enrollment of 46 to 50 children.....	8
No. of schools with an enrollment of 51 to 55 children.....	5
No. of schools with an enrollment of 55 to 59 children.....	6
No. of schools with an enrollment of 60 or over.....	1
Whole number of days attendance.....	452,391
Average daily attendance.....	2,984

Moved by Supervisor Frost that the report be adopted. Motion carried.  
Clerk read the report of the Committee on Claims as follows:

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage county. Gentlemen:—We, your committee to whom was referred the schedule of general claims against Portage County, Wis., from 1 to 46 inclusive, respectfully report as follows:

Bill No.	Amt. Asked	Amt. All'd
1. To Charles Martin, County Agriculture Comm. meeting, 2 days.....	\$ 8.00	\$ 8.00
2. To F. H. Timm, postage & fees.....	48.69	48.69
3. To Good Shepherd Industrial School.....	270.57	270.57
4. H. H. Hoffman, services Soldier's Commission.....	19.20	19.20
5. Dr. G. E. Dusenberry, autopsy on body of Thos. Fryar..	25.00	20.40
6. S. W. Whittaker, service Soldier's Commission.....	17.76	17.76
7. G. W. Altenburg, service Soldier's Commission.....	12.00	12.00
8. John C. Marchell, services Common School's Commission	34.70	34.70
9. L. A. Precourt, services Common School's Commission	38.40	38.40
10. Mrs. C. C. Shortell, services Common School's Com.	32.20	32.20
11. Joseph Shottell, repair, care and attention to Book typewriter.....	9.00	9.00
12. Dr. C. von Neupert, Jr., services.....	40.50	40.50
13. Dr. C. von Neupert, Jr., services.....	25.00	23.20
14. H. D. Boston, coroner, death investigation of Ed. F. Corrigan and Mary Cesewski.....	16.50	16.50
15. J. B. Carpenter, services on grounds and buildings' Committee.....	85.00	85.00

John Suchoski, witness, 6 miles, 1 day	1.24	1.24
John Rogaszewski, witness, 6 miles, 1 day	1.24	1.24
James Dugan, witness, 6 miles, 1 day	1.24	1.24
June 7, 1918, State vs. Teofil Hınca.		
Elizabeth Hınca, witness, 35 miles, 1 day	2.40	2.40
Susan Hınca, witness, 35 miles, 1 day	2.40	2.40
Anna Hınca, witness, 35 miles, 1 day	2.40	2.40
John Hınca, witness, 25 miles, 1 day	2.40	2.40
June 27, 1918, State vs. Joe Bikowski.		
Gustie Greek, witness, 18 miles, 1 day	1.72	1.72
Aug. 5, 1918, State vs. Peter Sdogierski.		
Martha Kiedrowski, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Sept. 19, 1918, State vs. Martha Peplinski.		
Henrietta Peplinski, witness, 16 miles, 1 day	1.64	1.64
Emma Peplinski, witness, 16 miles, 1 day	1.64	1.64
CASES AND WITNESSES IN JUDGE MURAT'S COURT.		
In re Martin Repinski, insane.		
John B. Woyak, witness, 24 miles, 1 day	1.96	1.96
In re William B. Williamson, insane.		
Louis Lorbiecki, witness, 32 miles, 1 day	2.28	2.28
Elmer Williamson, witness, 36 miles, 1 day	2.44	2.44
M. P. Kjer, witness, 32 miles, 1 day	2.28	2.28
Otis Olson, witness, 36 miles, 1 day	2.44	2.44
In re Leo Gossiorowski, Delinquent.		
Frank Falcawica, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
John O'Keefe, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
In re Mary Cychosz, Delinquent	1.82	1.82
Rozalia Cychosz, witness, 8 miles, 1 day	1.82	1.82
In re Frank Tessmer, insane.		
Mrs. Frank Tessmer, witness, 26 miles, 1 day	2.04	2.04
Martin Lietz, witness, 26 miles, 1 day	2.04	2.04
Anna Tessmer, witness, 26 miles, 1 day	2.04	2.04
Joseph Tessmer, witness, 26 miles, 1 day	2.04	2.04
Leon Malck, witness, 26 miles, 1 day	2.04	2.04
Joseph Wellencyk, witness, 26 miles, 1 day	2.04	2.04
Frank Kranski, witness, 26 miles, 1 day	2.04	2.04
Alex Cichanski, witness, 26 miles, 1 day	2.04	2.04
In re John Wolski, insane.		
Frank Cychosz, witness, 24 miles, 1 day	1.96	1.96
John Marchell, witness, 14 miles, 1 day	1.56	1.56
August Yach, witness, 18 miles, 1 day	1.72	1.72
In re Ambrose Gossiorowski, Delinquent.		
Frank Falczewicz, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
Mary Gossiorowski, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
John O'Keefe, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.58	1.58
In re Mary Bonowski, insane.		
Joseph Laszewski, witness, 16 miles, 1 day	1.64	1.64
Joseph Benoyski, witness, 16 miles, 1 day	1.64	1.64
Martin Gotz, witness, 16 miles, 1 day	1.64	1.64
In re Barney & August Drewa, crippled children.		
Joseph Cychosz, witness, 24 miles, 1 day	2.46	2.46
State vs. Barney Maslowski.		
Victoria Maslowski, witness, 12 miles, 1 day	1.48	1.48
State vs. Mike Drewa.		
John Haka, Interpreter, 6 miles, 3 days	3.24	3.24
Thomas Szulfer, witness, 26 miles, 2 day	2.04 Pd by Cert.	

16. To claim of estate of Clarence O'Keefe, for death of Clarence O'Keefe by reason of alleged insufficiency and want of repair of highway in Portage Co. Wisconsin, on road known as Stevens Point, Junction City road.... \$5,000.00	Disallowed	
17. To Michael O'Keefe, Sr., damages on automobile going off highway known as the Stevens Point, Junction City road, damages alleged to be caused by the insufficiency and want of repair of the highway.....	400.00	Disallowed
18. John Hammes, Justice of the Peace fees.....	6.00	6.00
State vs. Mike Szalewski.		
James Hanson, juror, 2 miles, 1 day.....	1.08	1.08
Nerdahl Olson, juror, 2 miles, 1 day.....	1.08	1.08
N. P. Darsen, juror, 2 miles, 1 day.....	1.08	1.08
Ed. Wigen, juror, 2 miles, 1 day.....	1.08	1.08
Ray Halverson, juror, 2 miles, 1 day.....	1.08	1.08
Nels Hottvedt, juror, 2 miles, 1 day.....	1.08	1.08
Julius Kostuck, interpreter, 1 day.....	1.08	1.08
19. John A. Murat, County Judge's fees.....	964.89	965.96
20. G. D. Aldrich, work on Grounds & Buildings Com....	20.00	20.00
21. H. D. Boston, coroner, fees, inquest on body of Thomas Fryar, deceased.....	17.60	17.60
22. G. L. Park, 13 days time and labor as Co. Chairman....	39.00	39.00
23. D. H. Parks, work on Ground and Buildings Com....	2000	2000
24. Wm. Brunker, work on Road and Bridge Committee....	145.42	145.42
25. Joe Laszewski, work on Poor Farm Committee.....	82.68	73.68
26. Kuhl Bros., clothing for insane persons.....	171.30	171.30
27. G. D. Aldrich, work on Poor Farm Committee.....	62.16	62.16
28. T. E. Cauley, expenses in Dec., Jan. & Feb.....	5.08	5.08
29. T. E. Cauley, expenses in June and July.....	3.90	3.90
30. T. E. Cauley, expenses in October.....	1.33	1.33
31. Vetter Mfg. Co., materials for court house.....	7.49	7.49
32. William Loftis, work on Poor Farm Committee.....	63.18	63.18
33. Vetter Mfg. Co., materials for courthouse.....	6.25	6.25
34. Alex Krembs Drug Co., articles for county.....	9.40	9.40
35. H. D. Boston, table for county.....	5.00	5.00
36. Geo. H. Hebard, Reg. of Deeds, recording of Vital statistics.....	145.10	145.10
37. W Kingsbury, merchandise.....	24.60	24.60
38. Krembs Hdw. Co.....	22.80	22.80
39. Vetter Mfg. Co. materials for courthouse.....	1.32	1.32
40. John Berry, work on Road Committee.....	91.84	91.84
41. Ben Halverson, work on Road Committee.....	128.78	128.78
42. T. E. Cauley, expenses, Aug. Sept. & Oct.....	3.54	3.54
43. J. B. Sullivan, plumbing work for county.....	23.17	23.17
44. Dr. D. S. Rice, Post Mortem on Clarence O'Keefe.....	25.00	20.00
45. G. L. Park, Justice of the Peace fees.....	151.27	151.27
Mar. 18, 1918, State vs. Chas. Berndt.		
Lena Berndt, witness, 2 miles, 1 day.....	1.08	1.08
Mar. 20, 1918, State vs. Andrew Stroik.		
George L. Rogers, witness, 2 miles, 1 day.....	1.08	1.08
Helen Stroik, witness, 2 miles, 1 day.....	1.08	1.08
May 17, 1918, State vs. August Stoltz.		
John Adams, witness, 6 miles, 1 day.....	1.24	1.24
Wm. Stevenson, witness, 6 miles, 1 day.....	1.24	1.24
M. J. Mollen, witness, 6 miles, 1 day.....	1.24	1.24
Frank Mosey, witness, 6 miles, 1 day.....	1.24	1.24

August Szulfer, witness, 26 miles, 1 day	2.04	Pd. by Cert.
Stephen Danzik, witness, 24 miles, 1 day	1.96	1.96
Frank Kubisiak, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
I. Bunnin, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Julius Lake, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Anton Miszewski, witness, 26 miles, 1 day	2.04	2.04
John Drewa, witness, 24 miles, 1 day	1.96	1.96
State vs. John Summers.		
Frank Kubisiak, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
State vs. Edward Myers.		
James Coulthurst, witness, 18 miles, 1 day	1.72	1.72
Elizabeth Coulthurst, witness, 18 miles, 1 day	1.72	1.72
Alex Sauter, witness, 18 miles, 1 day	1.72	1.72
State vs. Steve Sloma.		
Paul Biesik, witness, 24 miles, 1 day	1.96	1.96
State vs. Leo Daudowski.		
Paul Biesik, witness, 24 miles, 1 day	1.96	1.96
Jack Bentley, witness, 32 miles, 1 day	2.28	2.28
Chas. Hoppa, witness, 50 miles, 1 day	3.00	3.00
A. W. Campbell, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
O. C. Torbenson, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
State vs. Henry Ziebert, et al.		
Ora Waterman, witness, 34 miles, 1 day	2.36	2.36
James Manley, witness, 34 miles, 1 day	2.36	2.36
Jack Worden, witness, 34 miles, 1 day	2.36	2.36
Frank Chase, witness, 34 miles, 1 day	2.36	2.36
John Love, witness, 34 miles, 1 day	2.36	2.36
Hoddie Stelle, witness, 34 miles, 1 day	2.36	2.36
Joseph Adams, witness, 34 miles, 1 day	2.36	2.36
State vs. Charles Arrance.		
Katie Drapes witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Frances Drapes, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Edith Yorton, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
State vs. Charles Arrance.		
Dr. E. H. Rogers, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Dr. A. E. MacMillan, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
J. S. Hofsoos witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
F. A. Norton, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Russell Gregory, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Mamie Rheinhardt, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Frances Drapes, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Katie Drapes, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
State vs. Joseph Koltz, et al.		
C. M. Lipman, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
State vs. Erick Jacobson.		
Jess Worden, witness, 42 miles, 1 day	2.68	2.68
State vs. Joseph Shippy.		
Grace McCreedy, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
State vs. G. W. Fancher.		
Otto H. Prochnow, witness, 50 miles, 1 day	3.00	3.00
R. K. McDonald, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Ed. Larsen, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
State vs. John Slodarski.		
John S. Hofsoos, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Steve Mosey, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
State vs. John Shimek.		

Katherine Shimek, witness, 6 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Frank C. Kubisiak, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
John J. Soik, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
State vs. Peter Dredrowski.		
T. J. Coan, witness, 4 miles, 2 days	2.16	2.16
J. S. Hofsoos, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Mike Donnemeyer, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.03	1.08
Henry Moeschler, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Frank Kubisiak, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
State vs. Glen Newby, et al.		
James C. Justesen, witness, 100 miles, 2 days	6.00	6.00
J. V. Kelsey, witness, 2 miles, 2 days	2.16	2.16
Frank Kubisiak, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
State vs. Joseph Drapes, et al.		
C. S. Boyington, witness, 4 miles, 2 days	2.16	2.16
State vs. Ed. O'Keefe.		
J. J. Makuski, witness, 21 miles, 1 day	1.80	1.80
State vs. N. W. Hoskins.		
T. M. Otrich, witness, 24 miles, 1 day	1.96	1.96
Alex Shulfer, witness, 24 miles, 1 day	1.96	1.96
L. A. Kiser, witness, 24 miles, 1 day	1.96	1.96
Delbert Wilcox, witness, 24 miles, 1 day	1.96	1.96
Fred Wilcox, witness, 28 miles, 1 day	2.12	2.12
Leslie Kramer, witness, 32 miles, 1 day	2.28	2.28
R. Everett, witness, 26 miles, 1 day	2.08	2.08
Jurors and witnesses in re Inquest on the death of Thomas Frayar, at Amherst, Wis., Oct. 18, 24 & Nov. 14, 1918.		
J. O. Foxen, juror, 6 miles, 3 days	3.60	3.60
Geo. W. Fleming, juror, 12 miles, 3 days	4.20	4.20
J. L. Moberg, juror, 6 miles, 3 days	3.60	3.60
R. L. Peterson, juror, 6 miles, 3 days	3.60	3.60
Wm. Weller, juror, 6 miles, 3 days	3.60	3.60
Dr. G. E. Dusenbury, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Dr. F. E. Webster, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Grace Cooney, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Emily Brandt, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Dennis Glisczinski, witness, 6 miles, 1 day	1.24	1.24
Nels Dooka, witness, 6 miles, 1 day	1.24	1.24
J. A. Miller, witness, 6 miles, 1 day	1.24	1.24
August Kostuch, witness, 6 miles, 1 day	1.24	1.24
C. H. Rickman, witness, 6 miles, 1 day	1.24	1.24
Frank Kubisiak, witness, 1 day	1.00	1.00
John Nelson, witness, 2 miles, 1 day	1.08	1.08
Ed. Kubisiak, witness, 6 miles, 1 day	1.24	1.24
James P. Dineen, witness, 6 miles, 1 day	1.24	1.24
Chas. H. Rumpf, witness, 150 miles, 1 day	7.00	7.00
Examination of Insane.		
Dr. M. G. Rood, 6½ days, 14 miles	27.40	27.40
Dr. F. A. Walters, 4 days, 8 miles	16.80	16.80
Dr. E. H. Rogers, 9½ days, 20 miles	40.00	40.00
Dr. Geo. D. Whiteside, 1 day, 2 miles	4.20	4.20
Dr. Fred A. Marrs, 8½ days, 18 miles	35.80	35.80
Dr. Carl Neupert, Jr., 9 days, 18 miles	37.80	37.80
Dr. A. E. MacMillan, 5 days, 10 miles	21.00	21.00
Dr. D. S. Rice, 7 days, 14 miles	29.40	29.40

Dr. J. D. Lindores, 2 days, 4 miles.....	8.40	8.40
Dr. C. von Neupert, Sr., 1 day, 2 miles.....	4.20	4.20
Dr. G. L. Reis, 1 day, 26 miles.....	6.60	6.60
Dr. A. D. Andrews, 1 day, 2 miles.....	4.20	4.20
Dr. E. P. Crosby, 2 days, 40 miles.....	12.00	12.00
Dr. F. A. Southwick, 5 days, 10 miles.....	21.00	21.00
Dr. W. W. Gregory, 5 days, 10 miles.....	21.00	21.00
46. Dr. F. E. Webster, Post-mortem on Thos. Fryar.....	10.0	10.00
Total asked.....	\$8,865.12	
Total allowed.....		\$3,389.81
Total disallowed.....		\$5,418.01

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We have carefully examined the bills presented to us, and have made corrections where necessary.

F. B. Dent, Geo. Ameigh, Geo. Stertz, F. A. Lukasavitz, Geo. S. Diver, C. F. Martin, Jos. Cykosz, J. F. Glodowski, F. E. Halladay, Committee.

Moved by Supervisor Betker that the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Atwell that the chairman, clerk and district attorney be empowered and instructed to have the contract of the Waupaca Sand and Gravel Company annulled and cancelled and if necessary to begin proceedings by suit at law to have said contract set aside. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Stertz that the board adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk.

#### SIXTEENTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 29, 1918, 9 o'clock a. m.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Hon. G. L. Park.

Clerk called the roll, all members present except Supervisors Martin, Laszewski, Parks, Halladay and Mansur excused.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.

Clerk read the following resolution:

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board.

Be It Resolved, that the County Board on behalf of the people of Portage County extend a vote of thanks to the County Council of Defense for their work and that the sum of \$244.76 be left in the fund to provide for any work they consider necessary and the balance of \$500 be transferred to the Portage County Branch of the Red Cross.

F. B. Dent, Supervisor of Beumont.

Moved by Supervisor Halverson that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried. Clerk read the following resolutions:

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

Be It Resolved, that the appropriation of \$1,245.00 made to the County Farm for the payment of the tractor purchased by the committee be made available at once, so as to stop the interest of seven percent on the note. The treasurer be instructed to transfer from the general fund the said amount to the county farm fund until the appropriation becomes available.

Wm. Loftis, Supervisor of Lanark.

Moved by Supervisor Dent that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Atwell that the resolutions in regard to appropriating money for road machinery be laid over until the state aid road and bridge committee's report is acted upon. Motion carried.

Clerk read the report of the committee appointed to confer with the Soo

officials in regard to the sale of land at the County Farm.

Moved by Supervisor Halverson that the report be laid over until this afternoon. Motion carried.

Clerk read the report of the Committee on County Printing as follows:

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

Gentlemen:—We, your committee on County Printing to whom was referred the several bids for printing do report as follows. That the proceedings of the County Board for the year 1919 be published in the Stevens Point Journal and Gazette at the rate of 75 cents per folio, they to furnish 150 copies in pamphlet form free of charge and that said papers print as many extra supplements of the proceedings of the County Board as the total of the Almond Press and Amherst Advocate subscription list is in Portage county if so ordered by the county clerk at the price of \$2.00 per hundred sheets and that the Almond Press and Amherst Advocate be allowed five dollars per hundred for circulating the proceedings to their bona fide subscribers in Portage county.

That the Rolnik publish the proceedings of the County Board in the Polish language for the sum of \$150.

That all job printing be done by the Stevens Point Journal and Gazette as per their bids.

That all county printing for the office of the county superintendent of schools be included in the county printing and the same shall be ordered by the purchasing agent.

That no bill for county printing shall be considered unless ordered by the purchasing agent. All of which is respectfully submitted. Edmond Frost, Wm. Loftis, M. J. Mersch, Richard Wilson, J. F. Glodowski, F. A. Lukasavitz, Committee on County Printing.

Moved by Supervisor Lukasavitz the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Ameigh that the report of the state aid road and bridge committee be adopted. Moved in amendment by Supervisor Atwell that the report be adopted but all parts referring to raising money for federal aid for the Plover Road running east be struck out of the report. Moved in amendment to the amendment that the report be laid over until this afternoon. Amendment to the amendment carried and the report was laid over until this afternoon.

Clerk read reports of the justice of peace which were referred to the Committee on Settlement with County Officers.

Clerk read schedule of Claims on Illegal Taxes which was referred to the Committee on Illegal Assessments.

Clerk read report of the county clerk on printing and election expenses which was referred to the Committee on Settlement with County Officers.

Clerk presented outlawed county orders for cancellation.

Moved by Supervisor Halverson that the reading of the same be dispensed with and the same be referred to the Committee on Settlement with County Officers. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Halverson that the board adjourn until 1:30 o'clock p. m. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 29, 1918, 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Hon. G. L. Park.

Clerk called the roll, all members present except Supervisors Martin, Laszewski, Parks, Halladay and Mansur excused.

Clerk read the following resolution:

Resolved, by the County Board for Portage County, Wisconsin, at its regular 1918 session, that the county highway commissioner and the road

and bridge committee acting together, be and they hereby are authorized to hire for the season of 1919, four patrolmen, to be used upon the prospective state highways of Portage County, for the purpose of keeping said highways in as good conditions as possible during said season.

Be It Further Resolved, that said commissioner and committee are to use their judgment in the amount to be paid said men so hired, and that the expense of said work is to be paid out of the road maintenance fund of this county.

Dated November 29th, 1918.

Introduced by Carl Betker, Supervisor of Alban.

Moved by Supervisor Berry that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report:

To the Honorable Chairman and members of the County Board.

Gentlemen:—We, your committee appointed to investigate whether the county clerk's office needed an adding machine and the clerk of the court's office required a typewriter, would recommend that the sum of \$450 be levied and the purchasing agent buy the required machines.

F. B. Dent, George Starks, V. P. Atwell, committee.

Moved by Supervisor Dent that the rules be suspended and the report be adopted. Motion carried, all voting aye.

Clerk read the report of the Committee on Settlement with County Officers as follows: To honorable chairman members of the county:

Gentlemen:—We, your committee to whom was referred the justice of the peace reports, hereby report that we have examined the reports from the city, towns and villages that have been filed and find that fines have been paid to the county as reported. Dated Nov. 29, 1918. C. J. Gilbert, Edmond Frost, Ben Halverson, Wm. Loftis, Richard Wilson, Committee.

Moved by Supervisor Wolfe that the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report of the Committee on Settlement with County Officers as follows:

To the Honorable Chairman and members of the County Board of Supervisors of the Portage County, Wisconsin. Gentlemen:—Your committee to whom was referred the county clerk's report of outlawed county orders would respectfully report as follows: That we have cancelled the stubs of such orders and destroyed the orders. Dated Nov. 29, 1918.

C. J. Gilbert, Richard Wilson, Wm. Loftis, Ben Halverson, Edmond Frost.

To the Honorable Chairman and members of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin. Gentlemen:—In compliance with chapter 36, section 688, revised statutes of Wisconsin, the following county orders uncalled for by the payee are presented for cancellation.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk

LIST OF OUTLAWED COUNTY ORDERS

Date	No.	Name of payee	Amount
		Order	
Dec. 10, 1912,	3556,	E. M. Copps	\$1.12
"	3595,	T. M. Cook	.83
"	3620,	E. Frank	.83
Dec. 11, 1913,	5432,	Mrs. Anton Lee	2.44
"	5436,	Adolph Lee	2.44
"	5371,	S. S. Leith	2.04
"	5443,	Jas. Worzalla, Sr.	1.64
Dec. 10, 1914,	7570,	A. R. Week	1.08
"	7617,	J. W. Shepard	2.16
"	7676,	A. E. Jensen	2.28

"	"	7700, A. E. Jensen	2.28
Dec. 8, 1915,	10896,	Wm. DeWorth	1.08
"	"	10845 Ed. Hoffman	2.44
"	"	10897, Frank Przekurat	1.08
"	"	10899, Mary Blaskiewicz	1.32
"	"	10900, Mary Armatowski	1.08
"	"	10901, Annie Suchaw	1.08
"	"	Minnie Kostka	1.08
"	"	10908, Felix Telzloff	1.08
"	"	10916, Agnes Jakultowski	2.20
"	"	10917, Aug. Stoltz	2.04
"	"	10923, Mary Gaskey	1.58
"	"	10929, Frances White	1.00
"	"	10932, Mary Jakizewski	1.08
"	"	10934, Mary Peterick	1.08
"	"	10940, Josephine Gollow	1.08
"	"	10941, Susie Brown	1.08
"	"	10959, Emil Liptow	1.08
"	"	10989, Lawrence Thielen	1.10
"	"	10980, Cecelya Garsomski	1.08
"	"	10998, Frank Brill	1.08
"	"	10999, Geo. Bartkowiak	1.08
"	"	11001, Theodora Bartkowiak	1.08
"	"	11104, John Karner	1.08
"	"	11106, Ethel Spence	1.08
"	"	11010, A. N. Sprafka	1.08
"	"	11014, Mary Buza	1.58
"	"	11015, John Buza	1.58
"	"	11022, Beryl Kinkol	1.08
"	"	11024, Allen Lepper	1.08
"	"	11043, E. A. McCredy	1.08
"	"	11049, George Betro	1.96
"	"	11053, P. W. Engle	1.58
"	"	11056, Mrs. John Golvin	2.60
"	"	11060, Frank Boyonowski	1.58
"	"	11062, Charles Slack	1.50
"	"	11076, Minnie Rasmussen	2.60
"	"	11078, Ed. Johnson	2.44
"	"	11083, Fred Braybeck	1.80
"	"	11096, Albert Kummiski	2.04
"	"	11099, K. Tobicz	2.04
"	"	11115, J. W. Shepard	1.08
"	"	11117, Leo Gruba	1.08
"	"	11125, Carrie Doane	1.08
"	"	11136, Elmer Adams	1.88
"	"	11139, Joe Driner	1.72
"	"	11159, Emma Larson	1.80
"	"	11162, Ed. Mancheski	1.08
"	"	11184, A. Tomaszewski	2.12

Moved by Supervisor Starks that the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the report of the Committee on Settlement with County Officers as follows:

To the Honorable Chairman and members of the County Board of supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin. Gentlemen:—We, your committee to whom was referred the county clerk's report on county printing, respect-

fully report as follows, that we have compared same with the records in his office and find same correct, all of which is respectfully submitted. Dated Nov. 29, 1918. C. J. Gilbert, Ben Halverson, Edmond Frost, Richard Wilson, Wm. Loftis, Committee.

#### COUNTY CLERK'S STATEMENT OF PRINTING AND ELECTION OUT-LAY

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

The following is the county clerk's statement of printing and election outlay:

	Election	Printing
Nov. 2, 1917, Gazette, printing for District Attorney....	\$	11.50
Dec. 12, 1917, Journal, printing .....		38.80
Dec. 8, 1917, Gazette, printing .....		80.00
Jan. 3, 1918, Gazette, printing .....		45.25
Mar. 6, 1918, Gazette, printing .....		11.75
Mar. 23, 1918, Amherst Advocate, circulating proceedings		22.50
Apr. 8, 1918, Almond Press, election notices.....	37.25	
April, 8, 1918, Almond Press, circulating board proceedings		25.00
Apr. 10, 1918, Journal, election notices .....		86.40
Apr. 10, 1918, Journal, ballots and election notices.....	394.81	84.25
Apr. 13, 1918, Gazette, printing ballots .....	330.24	
May 3, 1918, Gazette, election notices .....	102.40	
May 3, 1918, Gazette, printing .....		35.50
May 3, 1918, Gazette, printing .....		12.00
May 20, 1918, Almond Press, election notices .....	65.15	
May 23, 1918, Worzalla Publishing Co., binding book....		4.50
May 31, 1918, Worzalla Publishing Co., election notices..	101.20	
June 4, 1918, Gazette, printing .....		34.50
June 13, 1918, Journal, printing board proceedings.....		303.05
June 13, 1918, Journal, publishing Delinquent tax list....		284.50
June 13, 1918, Journal, printing .....		12.13
July 12, 1918, Journal, printing and election .....	6.90	70.25
Aug. 26, 1918, Rohuk, publishing Co. Board proceedings..		150.00
	\$1,124.35	\$1,226.48

Moved by Supervisor Betker the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report:

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

Gentlemen:—We, your committee to whom was referred the petition on county bridges recommend on Petition No. 1, Town of Belmont, that the sum of \$282.36 be appropriated by the county for one half the cost of said bridge, and on

Petition No. 2, Town of Linwood, that the sum of \$250 be allowed upon said petition for one-half cost of bridge. Respectfully submitted. Ben Halverson, F. B. Dent, Walter Campbell, Geo. Ameigh, F. A. Lukasavitz, Wm. Brunker, Committee.

Moved by Supervisor Halverson the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following report of the County Road and Bridge Committee: To the County Clerk, Stevens Point, W's. Dear Sir:—We met and let the contract for the Stenson Bridge in the town of Alban, for which the county made an appropriation of \$700.00, the contract price of \$1,340.00 to the Northern Concrete Company of Rosholt, the same has been finished in a good workmanlike manner, and you are authorized to draw an order

to pay the county's share of said bridge being one half or \$670.00; also to draw an order for the amount due from the town of Alban for a like amount the said town of Alban having deposited the \$700.00 for their appropriation, and that the sum of \$30.00 be returned to the town of Alban.

Dated this 13th day of August A. D. 1918. Ben Halverson, John A. Berry, Wm. Brunker, County Road and Bridge Committee.

Moved by Supervisor Stertz the report be adopted. Motion carried.

The following report was read by the clerk:

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

Gentlemen:—We, the State Aid Road and Bridge Committee, would recommend that what is known as Trunk Line No. 1, from Stevens Point thru Junction City to County Line be discontinued and that the state tax amounting to \$318.70 be transferred to the road known as Grand Rapids and Milladore Road and the balance in Carson Trunk Line fund be returned to the town of Carson. The rock on hand to be used on the Federal Road in the town of Carson. Respectfully submitted. Ben Halverson, F. B. Dent, Walter Campbell, George Ameigh, Wm. Brunker, F. A. Lukasavitz, Committee.

Moved by Supervisor Betker the report be adopted. Motion carried.

The report in regard to the sale of land at the County Farm to the Soo Line was then taken up.

Moved by Supervisor Atwell that the board take a recess of ten minutes in order to confer with the Soo officials. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Dent that the report of the committee in regard to the sale of land at the County Farm to the Soo Line, be referred to the committee of the whole board. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Halverson that the subject be taken up this evening. Motion carried.

The motion which was laid over to appropriate the sum of \$500 to the Portage County Humane Society was then taken up. Motion carried by 20 ayes and 4 nays. The following voted aye: Supervisors Betker, Brunker, Wilson, Starks, Dent, Campbell, Wolfe, Steinke, Stertz, Loftis, Halverson, Diver, Ameigh, Gilbert, Glodowski, F. Lukasavitz, Park, Atwell, Mersch, Aldrich, Nays, Supervisors Berry, Cyckosh, Frost, P. Lukasavitz.

Moved by Supervisor Atwell that the motion to appropriate \$500 be reconsidered. Motion carried by 13 ayes and 11 nays. The following voted aye: Supervisors Wilson, Berry, Campbell, Wolfe, Steinke, Loftis, Frost, Halverson, F. Lukasavitz, Atwell, P. Lukasavitz Mersch, Aldrich, Nays, Supervisors Brunker, Shanklin, Starks, Dent, Cyckosh, Stertz, Diver, Ameigh Gilbert, Glodowski and Park.

Moved by Supervisor Atwell that the sum of \$400 be appropriated to the Portage County Humane Society. Motion carried, all voting aye.

The motion to amend the original motion to adopt the report of the state aid road and bridge committee which had been laid over was taken up.

Motion to amend was lost by 18 nays and 7 ayes. The following voted aye: Supervisors Betker, Berry, Steinke, Glodowski, Atwell, Mersch, Aldrich. Nays: Supervisors Brunker, Shanklin, Wilson, Starks, Dent, Campbell, Cyckosh, Wolfe, Stertz, Loftis, Frost, Halverson, Diver, Ameigh, Gilbert, F. Lukasavitz, Park, P. Lukasavitz.

Motion to adopt the report was then carried.

Following is the report of the state aid road and bridge committee.  
PROVIDING FOR FEDERAL, STATE, AND COUNTY AID CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE IN THE CALENDER YEAR 1919

The County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, regularly assembled does hereby ordain and resolve, that

Sec. 1. (A) Whereas the State Highway Commission has notified the County Clerk that the sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000.00) of which this county must provide one-third will be expended in 1919 or as soon as possible thereafter, under the provisions of Chap. 175, Laws of 1917, for Federal and State Aid Road Construction, on a project beginning at intersection of Trunk Lines No. 18 & 10, and extending along State Trunk Highway Number 18 in a easterly direction as far as the money available will construct this determination is hereby approved and the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) is hereby appropriated to pay the County's share of the cost of said construction; and

Sec. 1. (B) Whereas the State Highway Commission has notified the County Clerk that the sum of Thirty Six Thousand Dollars (\$36,000.00) of which this county must provide one third will be expended in 1919 or as soon as possible thereafter under the provisions of Chap. 175, Laws of 1917, for Federal and State Aid Road construction on a project beginning North County Line and extending along State Trunk Highway Number 10 in a southerly direction as far as the money available will construct this determination is hereby approved and the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000.00) is hereby appropriated to pay the County's share of the cost of said construction the sum of \$8,000.00 was appropriated in 1917; and

WHEREAS the Federal Statute requires that any deficits occurring on Federal Aid projects must be paid by the State or its subdivisions and Chapter 175, Laws of 1917, contains no provision for payment by the State, the board does assume such deficit and hereby authorizes any deficit which may occur to be paid by the County Treasurer on order from the County State Road and Bridge Committee from the emergency fund hereinafter provided.

Sec. 2. WHEREAS the State Highway Commission has notified the County Clerk that the sum of Six Thousand Seven Hundred Forty Six Dollars and Sixty Four Cents (\$6,746.64) has been allotted to this County under sections 1317m-1 to 1317m-15 inclusive, of the Statutes, (the State Aid Law); and

WHEREAS Chapter 556, Laws of 1917, requires that 50 per cent of the foregoing sum amounting to Three Thousand Three Hundred Seventy Three Dollars and Thirty Two Cents, (\$3,373.32), together with at least one and one-half times this amount of county funds must be expended on the State Trunk Highway System lying within the county;

There is hereby appropriated, under the provisions of Sections 1317m-1 to 1317m-15 inclusive, the sum of Five Thousand Six Hundred Twenty Six Dollars and Sixty Eight Cents (\$5,626.68), to meet the first 50 per cent of the State Aid allotment to be placed on the State Trunk Highway System, thus making available for this purpose the sum of Nine Thousand Dollars (\$9,000.00), to be expended as follows:

The sum of Nine Thousand Dollars (\$9,000.00), for the improvement by Grading and Surfacing Jct. City-Stt. Pt. Road of the State Trunk Highway System, beginning at branch road south Rocky Run Station and extending Southerly as far as the money available will construct.

And the County Board does hereby determine that the following municipalities will be benefited by the federal aid and state aid construction on the State Trunk Highway System herinbefore provided for and planned for 1919 under the provisions of Chapter 175 and 556, Laws of 1917;

The Towns of Amherst, Buena Vista, Carson, Dewey, Eau Pleine, Plover, Stockton, Almond.

The Villages of Amherst, Junction City, Nelsonville, Plover, Rosholt.

The City of Stevens Point.

Sec. 3. WHEREAS the foregoing determinations show that the following

municipalities are not benefited by any improvement on the State Trunk Highway System herinbefore determined upon for the year 1919:

The towns of Alban, Belmont, Grant, Lanark, Linwood, New Hope, Pine Grove, Sharon. The villages of Almond and Amherst Junction.

Therefore, in accordance with Chapter 556 of the Laws of 1917 the second 50 per cent portion of the State Aid allotted, amounting to Three Thousand Three Hundred Seventy Three Dollars and Thirty Two Cents (\$3,373.32) herinbefore unallotted, is apportioned among the said unbenefited municipalities in porportion to their assessed valuation as last equalized by the County Board, and County appropriations are made for each municipality, and taxes are levied against each municipality in accordance with the followign schedule

Municipality	Valuation	State Aid Appor'd	County Aid Appor'd	Tax Against Munic.
Alban Town	\$10,481	\$368.12	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
Belmont Town	10,372	367.30	600.00	600.00
Grant Town	11,453	413.23	413.23	413.23
Lanark Town	12,647	461.18	600.00	600.00
Linwood Town	6,291	227.63	1,000.00	1,000.00
New Hope Town	11,869	442.28	700.00	700.00
Pine Grove	9,396	328.84	500.00	500.00
Sharon	14,930	552.64	1,500.00	1,500.00
Almond Village	4,934	166.17	400.00	400.00
Amherst Junction Village	1,309	45.73	500.00	500.00

Sec. 3 (B)—Whereas the following towns have applied for county aid, their petitions are hereby granted and the respective amounts appropriated.

	County tax	Tax against Town or village
Almond	\$500.00	\$500.00
Amherst	800.00	800.00
Junction City Village	800.00	800.00
Amherst	400.00	400.00
Plover	1,000.00	1,000.00
Carson	700.00	700.00
	\$4,200.00	\$4,200.00

(NOTE:—These taxes against unbenefited municipalities must be levied and must at least equal the State Aid allotted, but must not exceed the County Aid allotted. The county may give more county aid than the state aid than the state aid available and may assess against the units of government an amount equal to the county aid or to the state aid or any sum between the two.)

And the improvements to be made under the foregoing schedule are hereby located in the County System of Prospective State Highways and their character and location determined by the County Road and Bridge Committee. Sec. 4. The said County Board does hereby appropriate the following sums to be provided by a general county tax levy for the purposes set forth.

1. For the County's share of the cost of Federal Aid improvements provided for in Section 1 of this resolution, the sum of Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$7,500.00).

2. For the County's share of the cost of state aid improvements on the State Trunk Highway System provided for in Section 2 of this resolution the sum of Three Thousand Four Hundred Sixty-Six Dollars and Sixty Eight cent (\$3,466.68.)

3. For the County's share of the cost of improvements in municipalities not benefited by State Trunk Highway improvements as set forth in Section 3 (B) and Petitions for Co. aid of this resolution the sum of Eleven Thousand and Eight Hundred Twenty Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$11,820.50).

The County Treasurer is hereby directed to pay for the maintenance of the State Trunk Highway System from any funds in the county treasury that are not required for the purpose for which appropriated prior to August 1, 1919, and reimburse such funds from the sums received under Section 20.04-d when same are received from the State Treasury.

6. For emergency road and bridge fund Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000)

And the County Board does hereby direct that taxes be levied against the several municipalities hereinafter named for the purposes set forth:

1. As special benefits through Federal Aid improvement as provided by Section 1314-6:

The Village of Plover, the sum of \$122.50.

The Town of Plover, the sum of \$2000.00.

The Town of Stockton, the sum of \$2,877.50.

The Town of Hull, the sum of \$1,000.00.

The Town of Dewey, the sum of \$500.00.

2. As special benefit through State Trunk Highway System improvement under Chap. 556, Laws of 1917, (the first 50 per cent of State Aid):

The Town of Carson, the sum of \$2,160.00.

3. As the municipality's share of cost of improvement on County System of Prospective State Highways (last 50 per cent to units)

Schedule of claims for Illegal Tax:—

No. 1 To Cancel Certificate No. 149, sale of 1912, town Treasurer's receipt No. 189 shows tax paid. Cancel and charge back to the town of Grant. Interest and Charges \$10.77.

No. 2. To Cancel Certificate No. 72, sale of 1912, state land. Cancel and charge back to town of Dewey. Interest and charges \$10.50.

No. 3. To Cancel Certificate No. 237, sale of 1912. County Treasurer's stub receipt No. 619 dated April 27, 1912 shows tax paid, Cancel. Interest and charges \$18.45.

No. 4. To Cancel Certificate No. 224, sale of 1913. Imperfect description Disallowed.

No. 5. To Cancel Certificate No. 2919, sale of 1913. Treasurer's stub receipt No. 89 1911 shows tax paid. Cancel and charge back to the town of Pine Grove. Interest and Charges \$26.42.

No. 6. To Cancel Certificate No. 402, sale of 1913. Imperfect description. Cancel and charge back to the city of Stevens Point. Interest and charges \$1.49.

No. 7. To Cancel Certificate No. 488, sale of 1914. Imperfect description. Cancel and charge back to the city of Stevens Point. Interest and charges \$1.46.

No. 8. To Cancel Certificate No. 455, sale of 1914. Stub receipts No. 664 shows tax paid. Cancel and charge back to city of Stevens Point. Interest and charges \$23.36.

No. 9. To Cancel Certificate No. 231, sale of 1914. Town Treasurer's receipts No. 252, shows tax paid. Cancel and charge back to Town of Grant. Interest and Charges \$10.88.

No. 10. To Cancel Certificate No. 469, sale of 1914. Double assessment.

Cancel and charge back to city of Stevens Point. Interest and charges \$50.82

No. 11. To Cancel Certificates No. 361 and 362, sale of 1915, part Rail Road Land. Cancel and charge back to the town of Hull. Interest and charges. Cert. No. 361, amount \$19.40, Cert. No. 362, amount \$16.35.

No. 12. To cancel Certificates No. 411 and 412, sale of 1916. Part Railroad land. Cancel and charge back to town of Hull. Interest and charges Cert. No. 411, amount \$19.21, Cert. 412, amount \$16.17.

No. 13. To Cancel Certificate No. 438 and 439, sale of 1917. Part railroad land. Cancel and charge back to town of Hull. Interest and charges, Cert. No. 438 amount \$14.65, Cert. No. 439 amount \$12.23.

No. 14. To Cancel Certificate No. 516, sale of 1918. Part railroad land. Cancel and charge back to town of Hull. Interest and charges \$16.38.

No. 15. To Cancel Certificate No. 451. Sale of 1916. Land sold, sale of 1915, allowed and charge back to town of Linwood. Interest and charges \$9.70.

No. 16. To Cancel Certificate No. 732, sale of 1916. Imperfect description. Cancel and charge back to city of Stevens Point. Interest and charges \$1.26.

No. 17. To Cancel Certificate No. 621, sale of 1915. Imperfect description. Cancel and charge back to city of Stevens Point. Interest and charges \$1.32.

No. 18. To Cancel Certificates No. 711 and 711½, sale of 1916. Double assessment. Redeemed. Cancel and charge back to city of Stevens Point. Cert. No. 711 amount, \$2.23. Cert. No. 711½ amount \$2.01.

No. 19. To Cancel Certificate No. 861, sale of 1918. Imperfect description. Cancel and charge back to the city of Stevens Point. Interest and charges \$1.10.

No. 20. To cancel Certificate No. 167, sale of 1911 and tax deed on same issued Oct. 23, 1914. Town Treasurer's receipt No. 140 shows tax paid. Allow and charge back to town of Grant with all fees. Interest and charges \$10.96.

Moved by Supervisor Lukasavitz the report be adopted. Motion carried. Clerk read the following which has been laid over.

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

We recommend the purchase of a road tractor, two road graders, and we recommend that the county board levy the sum of five thousand dollars to cover the cost of the same. Ben Halverson, F. B. Dent, Geo. Ameigh, Walter Campbell, F. A. Lukasavitz, Committee.

Moved by Supervisor Bruner the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Stertz that the County Board do not sell any land of the County Farm to the Soo Line Ry. Co. Aye and Nays called for. Motion carried all voting aye.

Moved by Supervisor Starks that the board adjourn until 8:30 o'clock a. m. tomorrow. Motion Carried.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk

#### SEVENTEENTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 30, 1918, 8:30 o'clock a. m.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Hon. G. L. Park.

Clerk called the roll, all members present except Supervisors Martin, Parks, Mansur and Atwell excused.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.

Clerk read the following resolution;

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

Be It Ordained by the Board of Supervisors of Portage County Wisconsin that A. E. Bourn, County Clerk of said county be and is hereby appointed as purchasing agent for said county for the ensuing year and that the sum of \$2500 is hereby appropriated and placed at his disposal to draw upon as purchasing fund, and that all books, stationery and supplies necessary to be purchased for the ensuing year be purchased by said agent, and also for paying for electric light, gas and water for the Court house and jail and that the chairman and county clerk are authorized to draw orders on the county treasurer in payment therefor, said agent to report his expenditures of said fund at the next annual meeting of the county board.

Dated this 29th day of November, 1918.

Ben Halverson, Supervisor of New Hope.

Moved by Supervisor Betker that the rules be suspended and the resolution be adopted. Motion Carried.

Clerk read the following resolution

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

RESOLVED, that the chairman and county clerk of Portage County be and they are hereby authorized and required to purchase necessary fuel for the Court House and jail for the ensuing year, either coal or wood, or part wood and part coal which in their judgement will be the most economical for the county, the fuel purchase to be made at such a time of the year as best to serve the interest of the county, and that the sum \$1200 be and hereby is appropriated for the payment of fuel so purchased and the chairman and clerk of this county board are hereby authorized to draw orders on the county treasurer in payment of said fuel after delivery.

Dated this 29th day of November 1918.

Wm. Brunker, Supervisor of Almond Village

Moved by Supervisor Dent that the rules be suspended and the resolution adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following resolution:

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

BE IT RESOLVED, that the sum of \$600 be appropriated and set aside for the use of the committee on grounds and buildings for the ensuing year, and the Chairman and County clerk of this board be and are hereby authorized to issue order on the county treasurer in payment of such bills for repairs and incidentals ordered by said committee made and presented against said County and verified and O. K'd by said committee or chairman.

Dated Nov. 29, 1918.

Bert Shanklin, Supervisor Amherst.

Moved by Supervisor Dent that the rules be suspended and \$600 be placed in the blank space and the resolution adopted. Motion Carried.

Clerk read the following resolution.

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin, that the chairman and Clerk of this board be and they are hereby empowered to have the County Treasurer transfer any funds not to be used before the County Tax becomes available in March 1919 to the general fund of said County, until that time, then to be retransferred. Also that the said chairman and clerk negotiate any loans that may be needed to carry the general fund payments over until the county tax becomes available in March 1919, at the best terms for the interest of the county.

George Ameigh, Supervisor of Pine Grove.

Moved by Supervisor Halverson that the resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the report of the Committee on Ped Diem and Mileage as follows:

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

GENTLEMEN:—We, your committee on Per Diem and Mileage would respectfully report as follows, and would 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 same.

George Stertz, George Starks, George Diver, V. P. Atwell, Committee on Pe Diem and Mileage.

Carl Betker, 17½ days, 40 miles	\$72.40
Chas Martin, 17½ days, 44 miles	72.64
Wm. Brunker, 17½ days, 50 miles	73.00
Bert Shanklin, 17½ days, 36 miles	72.16
Richard Wilson, 17½ days, 32 miles	71.92
George Starks, 17½ days, 28 miles	71.68
F. B. Dent, 17½ days, 50 miles	73.00
John A. Berry, 17½ days, 28 miles	71.68
Walter Campbell, 17½ days, 16 miles	70.96
Joe Cyckosh, 17½ days, 16 miles	70.96
Geo. Wolfe, Sr., 17½ days, 34 miles	72.04
Chas Steinke, 17½ days, 31 miles	71.86
Jos. Laszewski, 17½ days, 8 miles	70.48
Ben Halverson, 17½ days, 40 miles	72.40
George Stertz, Sr., 17½ days, 26 miles	71.56
Wm. Loftis, 17½ days, 44 miles	72.64
Edmond Frost, 17½ days, 18 miles	71.08
George S. Diver, 17 1-2 days, 32 miles	71.08
Geore Ameigh, 17½ days, 40 miles	72.40
D. H. Parks, 17½ days, 22 miles	71.32
F. E. Halladay, 17½ days, 12 miles	70.72
C. J. Gilbert, 17½ days, 40 miles	72.40
John F. Gladowski, 17½ days, 32 miles	71.92
F. A. Lukasavitz, 17½ days, 16 miles	70.96
G. L. Park, 17½ days,	70.00
G. K. Mansur, 17½ days,	70.00
V. P. Atwell, 17½ days,	70.00
Paul Lukasavitz, 17½ days	70.00
M. J. Mersch, 17½ days	70.00
G. D. Aldrich, 17½ days,	70.00
Total	\$2,144.10

Moved by Supervisor Halverson that the report be adopted. Motion Carried.

Moved by Supervisor Halverson that the board take a recess of ten minutes. Motion Carried.

Clerk read the following resolutions:

To the Hon. Chairman and Members of the County Board of Portage Co.: WHEREAS, Section 2464n of the Statutes, has created a board of County Judges to attend the annual meetings thereof, and has provided for the payment of the travel and hotel expenses in so attending, provided the County Boards of his County authorized such expenditure.

THEREFORE, be it Resolved by the County Board of Portage County that the County Judge of Portage County be and hereby is authorized to attend the meetings of the Board of County Judges at the expense of Portage County, such as provided by said Section 2464n, aforesaid

Walter Campbell, Supeprvisor of Carson.

Moved by Supervisor Stertz that the resolution be adopted Motion carried. Clerk read the following report of the Committee on ways and means.

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

GENTLEMEN:—We, your committee on ways and means would respectfully report as follows:—

State Tax .....	\$ 43,723.74
State tax special charges .....	15,286.21
County tax, .0024 .....	77,233.08
County superintendent of schools (outside city) .....	2,853.50
County school tax .....	36,959.90

\$176,056.43

School District Loans	Principal	Interest
5 Alban .....	\$ 106.41	
Joint District 5, Alban and Rosholt .....	781.72	
Joint District 2, Almond and Village Almond .....	663.87	
3 Amherst .....	114.00	
6 Amherst .....	168.00	
3 Belmont .....	221.00	
Joint District 2 and 6 Carson .....	108.03	
10 Carson .....	20.70	
9 Carson .....	51.75	
Joint District 8 Carson and Eau Pleine .....	80.26	
11 Carson .....	85.34	
Joint District 3, Carson and Eau Pleine .....	165.33	
12 Carson .....	277.72	
Joint District 2, Carson, Eau Pleine and Junction City .....	810.67	
6 Eau Pleine .....	152.00	
Joint District 5, Eau Pleine, Milladore, Wood Co. ....	192.81	
Joint District 2, Eau Pleine, Carson, Milladore, Sherry, Wood Co. ....	99.43	
5 New Hope .....	114.00	
6 Pine Grove .....	677.58	
8 Pine Grove .....	117.50	
11 Stockton .....	428.80	
Joint District 2, Stockton and Amherst .....	182.40	
8 Stockton .....	124.00	

Total .....	\$5,761.32
State Trunk lines .....	\$ 7,500.00
County share State Aid Improvement Sec. 2 of the Road Resolution .....	3,466.68
Amount to meet town appropriations .....	11,820.50
Emergency Road and Bridge Fund .....	3,000.00
For purchase of machinery .....	5,000.00
For County Bridge appropriations .....	532.36

31,319.54

AMOUNTS LEVIED FOR HIGHWAY PURPOSES AGAINST MUNICIPALITIES

Alban .....	\$ 1,000.00
Almond .....	500.00

Belmont .....	600.00
Grant .....	413.23
Lanark .....	600.00
Linwood .....	1,000.00
New Hope .....	700.00
Pine Grove .....	500.00
Sharon .....	1,500.00
Junction City Village .....	800.00
Almond Village .....	400.00
Amherst Junction Village .....	500.00
Amherst town .....	800.00
Amherst Village .....	400.00
Carson .....	2,860.00
Plover town .....	3,000.00
Plover Village .....	122.50
Stockton .....	2,877.50
Hull .....	1,000.00
Dewey .....	500.00

\$20,073.23

The following are also funds for which the County Tax is levied:

County Poor .....	\$ 1,000.00
Claims .....	3,389.81
Children's Home Finding Society .....	200.00
Humane Society .....	400.00
Fuel .....	1,200.00
Purchasing agent .....	2,500.00
Grounds and Buildings .....	600.00
Sheriff and Constables Fees .....	4,500.00
Bonds and Interest .....	11,350.00
Salaries .....	11,500.00
Court Expenses .....	4,000.00
Per Diem County Board .....	2,144.00
Soldiers' Relief .....	1,000.00
Rolnik .....	150.00
Printing and Elections .....	2,000.00
Traveling Library .....	175.00
Tractor for County Farm .....	1,245.00
Adding Machine and Typewriter .....	460.00

Total .....

\$47,813.81

Chas. Steinke, Jos. Cychosz, Bert Shanklin, M. J. Mersch, Paul Lukasavitz, Carl Betker, Committee on Ways and Means.

Moved by Supervisor Ameigh that the rules be suspended and the report be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read the following resolution:

Be It Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors in session November, 1918, annual meeting: That all claims allowed, petitions, resolutions and appropriations made of money on the county treasurer at this meeting be and the same are hereby ratified and confirmed by this board.

F. B. Dent, Supervisor of Belmont.

Moved by Supervisor Halverson that the resolution be adopted. Roll of members called. Motion carried unanimously.

Moved by Supervisor Halverson that a rising vote of thanks be extended the chairman, clerk and assistant clerk for their kind and thoughtful assistance in the work of this board. Motion carried unanimously.

The chairman thanked the members of the board for their courteous treatment and their ever willingness to cooperate for the best interests of the county. The board were to be congratulated on the fact that during the last year the county was going thru the worst war in the world's history at a great expense still the county taxes would be several thousand dollars less than last year.

Clerk read the minutes of this day's proceedings and they were approved as read.

Moved by Supervisor Betker the board adjourn sine die. Motion carried.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk.

State of Wisconsin, County of Portage, ss.,

I, A. E. Bourn, County Clerk of said County aforesaid, and Ruth McCallum, duly sworn as Assistant Clerk, by the members of the County Board of said county, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct record of the proceedings of each meeting of the County Board of Supervisors of Portage County, Wisconsin from day to day in annual session for the year 1918 read by the County clerk in the presence of the members of said County Board of Supervisors and by them approved.

*A. E. Bourn*

Attest: Ruth McCallum, Assistant Clerk

County Clerk.

REPORT—POOR FARM INMATES AND COST.  
LIST OF INMATES AND CHARGE FOR KEEPING.

Charges.	Names	W'ks	Board at \$3.50 per week	Clothing	Dr. & Medicine	Allen my Photos	Fun'l Exp.	Total Charge	Total Cost of Keeping County Charges. \$200.25
County	Fred Stubb	52	\$182.00	\$ 3.50	\$18.50	\$1.50	\$40.00	\$185.50	Total Due the County
County	Nick Klemen	30-4	107.00	1.25	14.25	1.50	40.00	188.00	From the City of Stevens
County	Joe Voraski	52	182.00	4.00	19.25	1.50	40.00	188.00	Point and the different
County	Joe Wroblewski	28	91.00	1.00	3.50	1.50	40.00	159.00	Towns and Villages for
County	Andrew Ludrowski	40-3	141.00	3.00	5.50	1.50	40.00	159.00	keeping of their charges:
County	Abner Day	4	14.00	5.75	1.75	1.50	11.00	18.00	Amberst T. \$180.50
Amberst T.	Frank Meager	51	178.50	5.00	2.50	1.50	186.50	186.50	Buena Vista. 184.50
Buena Vista	Mike Wagner	52	182.00	3.00	1.25	1.50	186.75	186.75	Cartson. 186.75
Cartson	Frank Hoffmann	24-1	82.00	11.80	5.75	1.50	186.05	186.05	Dawey. 240.55
Lewey	Joseph Mosey	15-4	54.00	.....	1.75	1.50	84.50	84.50	Eau Plaine. 184.50
Eau Plaine	Susan Seavers	3-3	13.00	.....	.....	1.50	33.00	33.00	New Hope. 184.00
New Hope	Mrs. Nigbur	3-3	13.00	.....	.....	1.50	33.00	33.00	Pine Grove. 184.00
Pine Grove	Ernest Koblmueller	4*	182.00	9.50	.....	1.50	170.90	170.90	Plover. 182.00
Plover	H. Norton	4*	182.00	1.50	1.50	1.50	185.50	185.50	Stockton. 182.00
Stockton	Mary Biggs	52	182.00	.....	.....	1.50	183.50	183.50	Alban. 11.00
Alban	Aurusta Vallendier	3-1	11.00	.....	.....	1.50	11.00	11.00	
Stevens Point	John Sauter	46	161.00	4.00	1.50	.....	166.50	166.50	
Stevens Point	Eugene Johnson	52	182.00	3.00	1.50	.....	186.50	186.50	
Stevens Point	Mike Emorvich	24-1	84.50	3.25	6.25	1.50	92.50	92.50	
Stevens Point	R. E. Caldwell	52	182.00	21.55	1.00	1.50	206.05	206.05	City Stevens Point \$33.70
Stevens Point	Henry Beck	52	182.00	.....	.....	1.50	183.50	183.50	Total due Co. .... \$2,417.00
Totals..		\$50-4	\$2998.00	\$80.15	\$21.70	\$15.00	\$160.00	\$3323.25	

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## RULES OF THE BOARD

- Rules adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Portage County at the November Session, 1918
- Rule 1. The hour for daily meeting of this board shall be at 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 nays, except on appeal for his own decisions.
  - Rule 6. Every member, previous to his speaking, shall arise 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 member 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 nays 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 nays, 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 chairmen of all committees to report work completed, or progress of work, upon the call of committee according to Rule 12.

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EQUILIZATION, 1918 SESSION**

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 22, 1919.  
 To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the County Board of Portage County: Gentlemen—We, the Committee on Equalization, report that the following is a statement of the equalized value of all property, both personal and real, in Portage County, Wisconsin, for the year of 1918.—J. A. Berry, V. P. Atwell, G. K. Mansur, Paul Lukaszewicz, Bert Shanklin, Geo. Wolf, Sr., Carl Betker, Chas. Steinke, Jos. Laszewski, W. Brunker, Committee.

NAMES OF TOWNS, CITY AND VILLAGES	Horses Mules and Asses			Neat Cattle			Sheep			Swine			Wagons, Carriages and Sleighs			Merchants' Stock True Value	Manufacturers' Stock True Value	Leaf Tobacco True Value	Logs, Lumber, Lumber, Etc. True Value	Steam and Other Vessels True Value	Property and Franchises of Water and Light- ing Companies True Value	Bank Stock True Value	Automobiles			Other Motor Vehicles			All Other Personal Property Liable to Taxation.	Total Personal Property	Total Real Estate	Total Real and Personal Property
	Number	Aggregate True Value	Average Val. Per Head	Number	Aggregate True Value	Average Val. Per Head	Number	Aggregate True Value	Average Val. Per Head	Number	Aggregate True Value	Average Val. Per Head	Number	Aggregate True Value	Average Val. Each								Number	Aggregate True Value	Average Val. Each	Number	Aggregate True Value	Average Val. Each				
Town of Alban.....	460	\$43 650	\$ 97 00	1 533	\$55 138	\$36 00	39	\$ 234	\$6 00	365	\$5 402	14 80	435	\$ 6 438	\$14 80	\$ 2 100	\$.....	\$.....	\$2 535	\$.....	\$.....	69	\$22 149	\$321 00	3	\$ 180	\$60 00	\$ 1 625	\$ 139 451	\$ 889 390	\$1 028 841	
Town of Almond.....	659	65 086	98 75	1 204	44 668	37 10	57	342	6 00	350	5 600	16 00	675	9 056	15 75	1 670	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	99	32 868	\$32 00	.....	.....	.....	2 900	162 190	1 327 000	1 489 190	
Town of Amherst.....	755	74 670	98 90	2 393	97 134	40 60	189	1134	6 00	397	6 352	16 00	789	12 466	15 80	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 309	.....	98	33 320	340 00	.....	.....	9 000	239 385	1 419 620	1 659 005		
Town of Belmont.....	492	47 478	96 50	1 087	39 132	36 00	14	84	6 00	149	2 235	15 00	440	6 380	14 50	3 500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	79	26 455	335 00	3	650	216 66	550	126 464	899 954	1 026 418	
Town of Buena Vista...	891	81 196	98 90	1 964	74 632	38 00	640	3840	6 00	397	6 352	16 00	700	10 675	15 25	1 140	.....	.....	550	.....	.....	102	35 190	345 00	1	25	25	5 150	218 750	1 634 720	1 858 470	
Town of Carson.....	795	74 730	94 00	3 580	120 312	36 40	104	624	6 00	646	10013	15 00	600	9 000	15 00	1 000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	58	19 720	340 00	1	25	25	4 300	239 724	1 453 080	1 692 804	
Town of Dewey.....	323	28 809	83 00	2 899	28 768	32 00	36	216	6 00	266	3 724	14 00	334	4 175	12 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	5 700	285 00	.....	.....	2 500	71 892	523 828	395 720		
Town of Eau Pleine...	636	59 784	94 00	2 533	90 202	33 40	32	192	6 00	464	7 238	15 00	638	9 730	15 25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	45	14 850	330 00	.....	.....	4 310	186 396	1 340 700	1 597 096		
Town of Grant.....	500	44 500	89 00	1 475	48 675	33 00	223	1 328	6 00	241	3 615	15 00	400	5 600	14 00	5 500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32	10 560	\$30 00	2	90	45	1 770	121 558	1 033 304	1 154 862	
Town of Hull.....	374	31 042	83 00	886	28 130	31 75	33	198	6 00	186	2 604	14 00	256	5 162	14 50	500	4 300	.....	125	.....	.....	16	5 040	315 00	.....	.....	4 800	81 901	836 412	918 313		
Town of Lanark.....	626	61 348	98 00	1 421	53 003	37 30	370	2 230	6 00	284	4 544	16 00	540	8 235	15 25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	81	27 135	335 00	.....	.....	1 860	158 345	1 130 440	1 288 785		
Town of Linwood.....	347	28 107	81 00	1 223	41 582	34 00	115	690	6 00	202	2 828	14 00	270	3 375	12 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	5 000	250 00	.....	.....	.....	81 582	564 702	636 284		
Town of New Hope....	508	49 784	98 00	1 385	75 682	40 15	87	522	6 00	353	5 648	16 00	530	7 950	15 00	6 425	.....	.....	1 740	.....	.....	105	34 125	325 00	.....	.....	6 782	188 658	1 047 200	1 235 858		
Town of Pine Grove...	443	35 883	81 00	857	27 862	32 50	143	868	6 00	152	2 204	14 50	340	4 250	12 50	10 300	1 040	.....	5 000	.....	.....	51	17 085	335 00	.....	.....	1 125	333 696	2 243 280	2 626 976		
Town of Plover.....	663	62 985	95 00	1 244	43 851	35 25	174	1 044	6 00	323	4 845	15 00	645	8 311	15 25	150	244 300	.....	.....	.....	.....	88	30 360	345 00	.....	.....	2 400	134 414	1 359 840	1 544 254		
Town of Sharon.....	650	64 025	98 50	1 559	56 124	36 00	108	648	6 00	481	7 455	15 50	669	10 302	15 40	8 000	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 400	134 414	1 359 840	1 544 254		
Town of Stockton.....	799	74 021	98 90	2 122	78 044	37 25	82	492	6 00	378	6 048	16 00	901	13 965	15 50	23 325	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10 865	138	49 404	358 00	.....	.....	6 085	266 149	2 146 920	2 413 069	
Village of Almond.....	61	5 734	94 00	74	3 774	51 00	.....	.....	.....	13	208	16 00	56	952	17 00	94 633	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	72	24 120	335 00	1	75	75 00	11 710	159 232	305 410	464 642	
Village of Amherst.....	77	7 084	92 00	59	2 478	42 00	.....	.....	.....	10	160	16 00	86	1 462	17 00	63 445	2 480	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	13 400	335 00	1	80	80 00	10 900	135 215	343 470	478 685
Vil. of Amherst Junct...	29	2 697	93 00	61	2 870	47 05	.....	.....	.....	6	96	16 00	34	578	17 00	21 325	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	5 610	330 00	.....	.....	50	42 908	84 830	127 738	
Village of Junction City	26	2 444	94 00	95	3 990	42 00	.....	.....	.....	28	468	16 00	25	425	17 00	28 750	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	6 300	350 00	1	500	500 00	3 035	58 054	122 982	181 036
Village of Nelsonville...	31	2 875	92 74	103	5 562	54 00	.....	.....	.....	14	224	16 00	34	578	17 00	28 700	750	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	8 680	310 00	1	550	500 00	2 070	59 021	116 700	175 721
Village of Plover.....	22	1 760	80 00	18	756	42 00	5	30	600	5	80	16 00	29	436	15 00	7 635	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	2 030	290 00	8	440	55 00	2 114	15 280	63 025	78 305
Village of Rosholt.....	34	3 028	92 00	99	4 158	42 00	.....	.....	.....	22	352	16 00	49	833	17 00	73 400	1 400	.....	8 600	.....	.....	45	15 075	335 00	.....	.....	3 360	139 512	177 958	317 476		
City of Stevens Point...	335	31 825	95 00	382	16 808	44 00	.....	.....	.....	23	368	16 00	473	11 825	25 00	661 400	220 000	425	5 140	3 800	125 450	284 872	401	166 415	415 00	12	750	62 00	126 600	1 655 678	5 090 980	6 746 658
Total, City and Villages	615	\$ 57 447	\$ 98 41	891	40 396	\$45 34	5	30	\$6 00	121	\$1 956	15 39	786	17 088	\$14 90	\$979 288	\$224 630	425	\$13 740	\$3 800	\$134 761	\$387 475	628	241 630	\$384 78	24	\$2 895	99 79	\$159 839	2 264 900	6 305 356	\$ 8 570 255
Total for Towns.....	9 841	929 098	94 41	27 866	1002929	35 99	2 446	14676	6 00	5 634	36 707	16 00	9 062	135 070	21 74	63 510	249 940	.....	14 750	.....	5 309	22 087	1,153	385 081	333 99	11	1 010	91 82	63 157	2 973 324	20 636,970	23 610 194
Total for County....	10 406	\$ 986 545	\$ 94 35	28 756	1048 325	\$36 28	2 451	\$14706	\$6 00	5 755	38 663	15 41	9 848	1521158	\$15 45	\$1 042 798	\$474 570	\$425	\$28 490	\$3 800	\$140 070	\$409 562	1,781	\$626 711	\$351 89	35	\$3 405	\$97 88	\$222 996	\$5 233 224	\$26 942 225	\$32 180 449

**TABULAR STATEMENT**—Of the votes given for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, State Treasurer, Attorney General, State Senator, Representative in Congress, 8th District, Member of Assembly, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Sheriff, Coroner, Clerk of the Court, District Attorney, Register of Deeds and County Surveyor, at the general election held in the several towns, wards, villages and election districts in the county of Portage, on Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of November, A. D. 1918, being the fifth day of said month.

TOWNS, WARDS ETC.	Governor				Lieutenant Governor			Secretary of State			State Treasurer				Attorney General				State Sen.		Member of Cong'ss			Assembly		Co. Clerk		Co. Treas.		Sheriff		Coroner		Clk. Court		Dist. Atty.		Reg. Deeds		Surveyor				
	Moehlenpah	Dean	Philipp	Seldel	Hogan	Head	Dithmar	Vint	Hermann	Noyes	Hull	Danrow	Edgerer	Churchill	Johnson	Georgenson	Ryan	Blaine	Reynolds	Sigelka	Collins	Severson	J. W. Brown	F. E. Browne	Krzycki	Hefron	Week	Bourr	Scattering	Gunderson	Newby	Somers	Barager	Boyer	Boston	Delaney	Timm	Pfiffner	Smongeski	Shippy	Larson	Moore	Maxfield	
Alban.....	58	1	83	4	51	1	91	3	51	1	89	4	51	1	90	3	51	89	3	1	53	87	59	85	3	51	89	141	50	90	51	92	52	89	50	91	80	65	53	93	53	89		
Almond.....	35	3	70	2	20	2	85	1	18	2	85	1	19	2	83	1	19	82	1	3	20	33	21	85	1	26	77	91	20	89	19	87	17	88	20	86	64	47	15	91	17	90		
Almond Village.....	34	2	50		13	1	68		6	2	74		7	1	74		8	70		5	77	13	72		10	72	81	3	82	16	68	9	72	13	71	37	45	12	73	10	74			
Amherst.....	68	4	111	10	38	2	136	9	32	2	143	7	31	2	144	7	31	141	8	2	31	145	43	140	6	35	145	153	44	138	49	136	35	141	45	136	97	91	33	151	33	136		
Amherst Village.....	40	1	57	5	21	1	66	5	18	1	70	5	17	1	73	5	21	66	5	1	20	71	30	69	4	16	77	87	10	84	36	60	13	79	36	62	53	43	14	79	22	68		
Amherst Junc. Vil.....	22		13		20		14		18		17		20		15		19	17			21	12	28		8	21	14	21	17	17	19	16	17	18	20	14	28	6	14	20	18	17		
Belmont.....	75	2	46		56		57	1	45	1	70		44		58		41	72			41	74	58	67		59	60	86	38	84	61	60	42	74	52	67	72	51	48	71	40	75		
Buena Vista.....	80	2	86		68	1	98	1	66	2	102		65	1	100		66	98		1	77	92	76	95		70	95	108	60	112	75	96	64	99	86	79	104	67	57	99	65	99		
Carson.....	79		38	9	77		84	10	70		38	8	72		37	8	72	39	8		73	42	76	40	9	69	45	57	64	55	70	48	71	48	72	47	84	41	61	60	71	47		
Dewey.....	61		5		61		3		63		3		62		3		63	3			62	3	60	2	5	60	5	9	1	59	7	64	2	63	3	60	4	34	37	52	15	60	2	
Eau Claire.....	38	1	73	7	85		74	7	33		78	6	35		78	4	88	73	4	1	37	73	43	74	2	34	80	85	40	75	35	79	33	81	32	83	54	61	39	75	34	79		
Grant.....	17		55	14	18		52	14	16		53	14	16		53	14	16	54	14		16	59	17	58	8	24	50	63	11	66	27	52	19	55	15	67	42	39	15	62	19	58		
Hull.....	94		17		90		14		91		15		91		13		91	15			92	13	89	13	4	94	13	22	88	22	90	20	91	16	89	20	74	30	81	29	89	18		
Junction City Village.....	17		19		16		19	13	13		20	13	13		18		14	18			16	17	17	20		18	16	23	21	17	18	18	14	21	21	15	31	6	14	21	15	20		
Lanark.....	48	3	86	9	36		93	7	25		106	7	36		107	7	25	103		2	30	109	34	111	6	26	107	125	22	113	37	105	22	106	50	91	76	63	25	118	31	108		
Linwood.....	22	3	31	8	15	3	32	10	15	2	35	9	15	1	34	10	15	33	10	2	31	36	19	36	8	20	39	46	1	18	44	23	41	24	36	24	38	25	41	23	41	26	33	
New Hope.....	64	2	67	5	36	1	98	2	27	1	106	1	27		112	1	24	103	1		32	106	32	113		35	101	114	47	92	58	88	25	107	24	111	94	47	27	116	26	109		
Nelsonville Village.....	22		11		1		32		1		32		1		31		1	32			1	33	3	31		1	32	33	4	29	4	29	1	30	3	32	26	6	32	1	31			
Pine Grove.....	30	1	57	1	24	1	63	1	22		66	1	20		66	1	19	67	1		19	66	24	64		19	67	78	15	74	18	68	17	68	17	68	17	68	31	55	16	69	18	67
Plover.....	49	5	92	7	44	3	94	4	38	2	103	4	41	2	102	3	39	101	3	4	43	105	46	98	6	39	109	123	30	122	48	104	34	116	58	92	81	65	31	119	36	110		
Plover Village.....	20	1	20		14	1	26		13		27		13		27		13	27			14	25	16	26		10	31	35	11	29	11	30	8	32	16	23	23	16	9	31	11	28		
Rosholt Village.....	28		41	1	23		43	1	22		44	1	25		40	1	25	41	1		26	41	29	37	1	23	42	51	20	50	30	39	25	41	24	42	46	23	24	44	24	41		
Sharon.....	207		15	1	208		10	2	207		11	2	206		12	2	206	11	1		206	11	204	10	6	207	15	24	200	21	205	18	206	12	207	13	191	31	200	24	205	13		
Stockton.....	203	2	34	3	190	2	40	3	190		38	3	192	3	39	3	195	36	4	3	207	31	184	42	10	209	32	60	169	62	181	62	190	42	185	42	191	51	185	56	183	48		
City, First Ward.....	74	3	126	11	80	3	121	10	83	2	113	9	79	3	121	8	87	109	8	5	103	105	107	97	8	79	136	159	76	140	101	116	83	130	107	104	135	83	57	157	67	137		
" Second Ward.....	181	5	145	6	112	3	143	6	94	4	157	5	93	4	157	5	101	144	5	4	128	136	140	133	3	88	188	224	85	196	133	162	99	178	114	163	192	86	74	201	96	184		
" Third Ward.....	112	9	129	2	94	8	138	2	77	5	154	3	84	6	150	2	92	142	2	4	95	142	126	118	1	83	169	200	80	170	118	133	88	161	94	151	175	70	64	133	67	171		
" Fourth Ward.....	284	2	61	4	298	2	31	4	291	2	46	2	295	1	42	3	294	33	3	3	201	23	320	20	4	286	59	81	259	82	324	29	217	32	293	43	234	131	281	74	291	45		
" Fifth Ward.....	76	5	105	4	71	3	99	4	63	3	112	4	60	3	109	5	68	99	4	3	70	103	99	81	4	61	124	133	73	108	68	113	65	117	70	110	143	42	60	120	64	113		
" Sixth Ward.....	34	3	77	3	85	3	62	3	38	2	60	1	34	2	63	2	36	56	2	2	38	60	55	66	1	32	75	90	34	77	38	75	28	79	44	67	70	43	27	81	31	68		
Soldier Vote.....																										18	18	38	....	11	30	28	16	22	16	18	18	27	15	22	21	17	18	
Total.....	2122	60	1818	118	1863	42	1937	110	1746	85	1672	98	1647	31	2065	95	1788	1974	95	89	1792	1990	2067	1901	101	1818	2182	2651	3	1679	2377	2055	2063	1694	2188	1956	2050	2615	1503	1643	2425	1735	2196	

State of Wisconsin, County of Portage—ss.

We, Algie E. Bourn, County Clerk, and John A. Murat, a County Judge, and G. L. Park, a Justice of the Peace of said County, constituting the Board of County Canvassers of said County, do hereby certify that the foregoing and within tabular statement is correct and true as compiled from the original returns made to the County Clerk of said County and as compared therewith by us, and that from said returns it appears that at the General Election held in the several Towns, Wards, Villages and Election Districts of said County, on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of November, A. D. 1918, being the fifth day of said month, the number of votes given in said County for state offices, was as follows:

The whole number of votes given for Governor was forty-one hundred eighteen (4118), of which number Henry A. Moehlenpah received twenty-one hundred twenty-two (2122) votes; William C. Dean received sixty (60) votes; Emanuel L. Philipp received eighteen hundred eighteen (1818) votes; Emil Seidel received one hundred sixteen (116) votes; scattering two (2) votes.

The whole number of votes given for Lieutenant Governor was thirty-nine hundred fifty-two (3952) of which number John W. Hogan received eighteen hundred sixty-three (1863) votes; Clyde D. Mead received forty-two (42) votes; Edward E. Dithmar received nineteen hundred thirty-seven (1937) votes; James H. Vint received one hundred and ten (110) votes; scattering none.

The whole number of votes given for Secretary of State was thirty-nine hundred fifty-one (3951) of which number Geo. J. Hermann received seventeen hundred forty-six (1746) votes; Herbert J. Noyes received thirty-five (35) votes; Merlin Hull received twenty hundred seventy-two (2072) votes; Edward C. Damrow received ninety-eight (98) votes; scattering none.

The whole number of votes given for State Treasurer was thirty-nine hundred fifty-five (3955) of which number Frank A. Egerer received seventeen hundred sixty-four (1764) votes; Robert H. Churchill received thirty-one (31) votes; Henry Johnson received twenty hundred sixty-five (2065) votes; Martin Georgenson received ninety-five (95) votes; scattering none.

The whole number of votes given for Attorney General was thirty-eight hundred ninety-six (3896) of which number Thomas H. Ryan received seventeen hundred eighty-

eight (1788) votes; John J. Blaine received nineteen hundred seventy-four (1974) votes; Ben W. Reynolds received ninety-five (95) votes; Herbert S. Sigelko received thirty-nine (39) votes; scattering none.

The whole number of votes given for Representative in Congress for the Eighth Congressional District was four thousand sixty-nine (4069) of which number John W. Brown received two thousand sixty-seven (2067) votes; Edward E. Browne received nineteen hundred and one (1901) votes; Leo Krzycki received one hundred and one (101) votes; scattering none.

The whole number of votes given for State Senator for the 21st Senatorial District from the county of Portage was thirty-seven hundred eighty-two (3782) of which number William F. Collins received seventeen hundred ninety-two (1792) votes; Herman J. Severson received nineteen hundred ninety (1990) votes; scattering none.

The whole number of votes given for Member of Assembly for the Assembly District of Portage county was thirty-nine hundred and sixty-four (3964) of which number Martin Heffron received eighteen hundred (1800) votes; Harold J. Week received twenty-one hundred and sixty-four (2164) votes; scattering none. We do, therefore, hereby determine and

certify that Harold J. Week, having received the greatest number of votes is hereby declared elected to the office of Member of Assembly of the Portage county Assembly District of said County.

The whole number of votes given for the County Clerk was Twenty-six hundred fifty-four (2654), of which number A. E. Bourn received twenty-six hundred fifty-one (2651) votes; scattering three (3) votes.

The whole number of votes given for County Treasurer was four thousand fifty-six (4056), of which number George S. Gunderson received sixteen hundred seventy-nine (1679) votes; Earl Newby received twenty-three hundred seventy-seven (2377) votes; scattering none.

The whole number of votes given for Sheriff was forty-one hundred twenty-three (4123) of which number Jos. J. Somers received two thousand fifty-five (2055) votes; W. I. Barager received two thousand sixty-three (2063) votes; scattering five (5) votes.

The whole number of votes given for Coroner was thirty-eight hundred eighty-two (3882) of which number Adam Boyer received sixteen hundred ninety-four (1694) votes; Harry D. Boston received twenty-one hundred eighty-eight (2188) votes; scattering none.

The whole number of votes given for Clerk of the Circuit Court was Forty-hundred seven (4007) of which number William J. Delaney received nineteen hundred fifty-six (1956) votes; Frank H. Timm received twenty hundred fifty (2050) votes; scattering one (1) vote.

The whole number of votes given for District Attorney was forty-one hundred eighteen (4118) of which number J. R. Piffner received twenty-six hundred fifteen (2615) votes; A. L. Smongeski received fifteen hundred three (1503) votes; scattering none.

The whole number of votes given for Register of Deeds was Forty hundred sixty-eight (4068) of which number F. F. Shippiy received sixteen hundred forty-three (1643) votes; Ed. Larson received twenty-four hundred twenty-five (2425) votes; scattering none.

The whole number of votes given for Surveyor was thirty-nine hundred thirty-five (3935) of which number Walter F. Moore received seventeen hundred thirty-five (1735) votes; Julian F. Maxfield received twenty-one hundred ninety-six (2196) votes; scattering four (4) votes.

We do, therefore, hereby determine and certify that the following named persons, having received the greatest number of votes for the respective office for which each was a candidate, are hereby declared elected to said

offices, as follows, to wit:  
For County Clerk, Algie E. Bourn;  
for County Treasurer, Earl Newby;  
for Sheriff, William I. Barager;  
for Coroner, H. D. Boston;  
for Clerk of the Circuit Court, Frank H. Timm;  
for District Attorney, J. R. Piffner;  
for Register of Deeds, Ed. Larson;  
and for Surveyor, Julian F. Maxfield.

Witness our hands at the office of the County Board of Supervisors, of Stevens Point in said county, this 9th day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

A. E. BOURN, County Clerk,  
JOHN A. MURAT, County Judge,  
G. L. PARK, Justice of the Peace,  
Board of County Canvassers.  
State of Wisconsin, County of Portage—ss.  
I, A. E. Bourn, County Clerk of said county, do hereby certify that the foregoing has been compared by me with the original certified statement of the Board of County Canvassers on file in my office, and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of such original.  
In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the County Board of Supervisors of said county at Stevens Point, Wisconsin, this 9th day of November, A. D. 1918.

A. E. BOURN,  
County Clerk.