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be and will be continued open until 5 o'clock in the afternoon unless the board shall in their direction adjourn the polls at 12 o'clock noon for one hour
 Dated at Bates this 24.th day of March
 A. D. 1894.

Israel Carlsson Township Clerk

Minutes of Township Meeting of The Township of Bates
 April 2nd 1894.

The Regular annual Township Meeting was held at the School house in School dist no 1 in the Township of on Monday the Second day of April A D 1894.

As Carl J Gustafson Supervisor did not serve at the said meeting the inspectors and the electors there assembled then appointed, August Strans as Chairman of the Election Peter Sjogvist assistant Clerk, and Olof W Helgenue as a Vote Keeper of the said Election the Board then consisted of the following Persons, August Strans Chairman, Israel Carlsson Clerk, John Grawberg, John E Gronlund Inspector Peter Sjogvist assistant Clerk, Olof W Helgenue Vote Keeper, After the above named members of the Board having taken the Constitutional oath of office as prescribed by law the polls was opened and continued open until 5 o'clock in the afternoon with the exception from 12. to 1 o'clock at which time the Board adjourned for one hour after having first sealed the ballot boxes as Required by Law.

During the hour between one and twelve o'clock the Township Clerk Read the Financial Reports of the Township Standing and the Highway Commissioners annual Statement and the Chairman of the School Board Reads his annual Statement Regarding to Schools in the Township as the law Required the Following Money was proposed to be Raised by the electors present at the said Meeting for the Expenses of Contingent Highway and School fund of the

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Said Township.

A Motion was made by Charles A Otto Seconded by John Alt To Raise \$1000⁰⁰ one thousand Dollars For the expenses of Contingent fund for the present year, which said Motion prevailed by a majority vote of all the Electors present at the said Meeting.

Moved by Frank Erickson Supported by Charles Otto To Raise \$1800⁰⁰ one thousand eight hundred Dollars For the expenses of Highway Fund for the present year which said Motion prevailed by a majority vote of all the electors present at the said Meeting.

Moved by Atof Helgemo Supported by John Alt. To Raise \$1600⁰⁰ one thousand Six hundred Dollars For the expenses of the School fund For the present year which said Motion prevailed by a majority vote of all the Electors present at the said Meeting.

and at one o'clock the board was set and the Chairman made a proclamation and the polls was opened and was continued open until five o'clock in the afternoon at which time the polls was closed and the ballot Boxes was opened and the votes was counted in the manner as law provides, and the Result is to be found in the following Statement.

Moved by John E Granlund Supported by Peter Sjogquist that Israel Carlsson be appointed to appear at the Census Meeting of Crystal falls with the Report.

Nothing more coming before the board therefore on Motion by John E Granlund Supported by John Granberg Board adjourned.

Eyes August Straus, Israel Carlsson, Peter Sjogquist
John Granberg John E Granlund Nayer, None

Dated April 2nd A D 1894.

Israel Carlsson
Township Clerk.