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Registration Notice

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the board of Registrars of the Township of Bates will be held at the School House on district no one in said Township on Saturday the 31.st day of March A.D. 1894.

For the purpose of registering the names of all such persons as shall be possessed of the necessary qualification of Electors in said Township and who may apply for that purpose and that said Board of Registrars will be in session on the day and at the place aforesaid from 9 o'clock, in the forenoon until 5 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose aforesaid.

Dated this 24.th day of March 1894.

Olof Helgerud	} Inspector of Registrars
Frank Erickson	
deputy Clerk	
Leob J. Gustafson	

Election Notice

Notice is hereby given to the Electors of the Township of Bates in the County of Iron and State of Michigan that the next ensuing annual Election will be held on Monday the 2nd day of April at the School House in School district no 1 in said Township at which Election the following officers are to be chosen to wit;

One Supervisor, one Township Clerk, one Commissioner of Highway one Township Treasurer, one overseer of Highways, one justice of the peace for two years to fill vacancy and one for the term of four years one members on board of Review for the term of two years, and two Constables, there will also be elected one School inspector for the term of two years, and one Trustee for two year

The polls of said Election will be opened at 9 o'clock in the forenoon or as soon thereafter as may

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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 24th 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 Helgenwe 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 Helgenwe 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