

## Proceedings of Town Board.

Sept. 10<sup>th</sup>. 1897.

Pursuant to call by the Supervisor Adolf Forsberg  
A Meeting of the Township board of the Town-  
ship of Bates was held at the Office of the Town-  
ship Clerk on Friday Sept 10<sup>th</sup> A.D. 1897  
the Meeting was called to order by the Chairman  
the Clerk called the roll and the following  
members were present

Adolf Forsberg Supervisor

Peter A. Carlson Justice of the Peace

Ole Anderson " " "

Chas. A. Otto Township Clerk

The minutes of the last meeting were read  
and on motion duly made and carried were  
approved as read

the board then went into a Committee of the  
whole to examine the various bills brought  
before them for consideration and on motions  
made by Chas Otto seconded by Peter Carlson  
and duly carried the following bills were  
allowed and the Clerk and Chairman were  
instructed to draw orders on the different  
funds in payment of said bills

## Highway Bills

|          |     |         |                  |                                |         |
|----------|-----|---------|------------------|--------------------------------|---------|
| Order no | 873 | Bill of | Peter Sjogvist   | labor on Hemlock road          | \$ 8.75 |
| " "      | 874 | " "     | Olef Anderson    | " " Helgemo road               | 1.75    |
| " "      | 875 | " "     | " "              | " "                            | 1.75    |
| " "      | 876 | " "     | August Erickson  | " " Stambaugh road             | 5.25    |
| " "      | 877 | " "     | Peter Polson     | " " Michaels road              | 6.00    |
| " "      | 878 | " "     | Adolf Forsberg   | " " Surveying                  | 1.37    |
| " "      | 879 | " "     | Chas Otto        | services as clerk of committee | 5.00    |
| " "      | 880 | " "     | John Benson      | labor on Olson road            | 13.00   |
| " "      | 881 | " "     | Emil Carlson     | " " Hemlock road               | 7.00    |
| " "      | 882 | " "     | Albert Johnson   | " " " "                        | 11.90   |
| " "      | 883 | " "     | Emil Evans       | " " " "                        | 5.00    |
| " "      | 884 | " "     | Victor Forsberg  | " " Forsbergs road             | 19.00   |
| " "      | 885 | " "     | Olef Helgemo jr. | " " Hemlock road               | 7.00    |
| " "      | 886 | " "     | Olef Helgemo sr. | " " Michaels road              | 15.00   |



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|           |                       |                                |         |
|-----------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---------|
| Order 887 | Bill of John Helgenro | labor on Hemlock road          | \$ 7.00 |
| " 888     | " " Ed Ryberg         | " " " "                        | " 11.75 |
| " 889     | " " Chas Forsberg     | " " Bergstrom "                | " 7.25  |
| " 890     | " " " "               | " " " "                        | " 7.25  |
| " 891     | " " Lovinas Hall      | " " Halls road                 | " 16.65 |
| " 892     | " " Albert Peterson   | " " Bergstrom "                | " 12.00 |
| " 893     | " " Frank Erickson    | " " " "                        | " 15.25 |
| " 894     | " " Thomas Lyle       | " " Humlock "                  | " 12.00 |
| " 895     | " " John Hanson       | " " Forsbergs "                | " 10.80 |
| " 896     | " " John Soderqvist   | " " S. S. L. "                 | " 1.75  |
| " 897     | " " John Johnson      | " " Forsbergs "                | " 10.80 |
| " 898     | " " George Gendzville | " " Humlock "                  | " 16.00 |
| " 899     | " " John Brockway     | " " Brockway "                 | " 5.25  |
| " 900     | " " Benjamin Brockway | " " " "                        | " 5.25  |
| " 901     | " " Andrew Hanson     | Courser services               | " 11.25 |
| " 902     | " " "                 | " " " "                        | " 19.25 |
| " 903     | " " Adolph Gustafson  | Commissioner sero-             | " 2.50  |
| " 904     | " " "                 | " " " "                        | " 10.00 |
| " 905     | " " "                 | " " " "                        | " 10.00 |
| " 906     | " " "                 | " " " "                        | " 7.00  |
| " 907     | " " "                 | " " " "                        | " 5.00  |
| " 908     | " " "                 | " " " "                        | " 5.00  |
| " 909     | " " "                 | " " " "                        | " 4.50  |
| " 910     | " " Fred Berg         | labor on Bergstrom road        | " 2.20  |
| " 282     | Contingent fund       | Olaf Anderson Justice services | " 2.00  |
| " 283     | " " Peter A. Carlson  | " " office rent                | " 5.00  |
| " 284     | " " Chas A. Otto      | clock services                 | " 16.00 |
| " 285     | " " " " "             | " " " "                        | " 6.00  |
| " 286     | " " Adolf Forsberg    | Supervisor services            | " 7.40  |
| " 287     | " " " " "             | " " " "                        | " 7.60  |
| " 288     | " " Fay G Clark       | Surveying                      | " 5.00  |

Nothing more coming before the board we on motion duly made and carried adjourned. Chas. A. Otto. Township Clerk

Adolf Forsberg  
Olaf Anderson  
Peter A. Carlson

Township board of Bates Township.



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### Statement to the Supervisor.

To the Supervisor of the township of Bates  
I do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct copy of all statements on file and of record in my office of moneys proposed to be raised therein by taxation for all purposes and that the aggregate amount thereof is as follows:

A Statement setting forth, That at the annual Township Meeting held on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of April A.D. 1897 in the Township of Bates a motion was made by Adolf Forsberg seconded by August Krans to raise by Taxation on the Taxable property of the Township of Bates the sum of (\$1000<sup>00</sup>) One Thousand Dollars to defray the expenses of the Contingent fund for the next ensuing year which motion was duly carried by all the Electors present. It was further moved by Adolf Forsberg seconded by Olaf Andersons to raise by taxation on the taxable property of the Township 50 cts upon each one hundred dollars of Valuation according to the Assessment roll of the last preceding year which motion was duly carried by all the Electors present; It was further moved by John Alt seconded by Carl. J. Gustafson to raise by Taxation on the taxable property of the Township the sum of (\$500<sup>00</sup>) Five hundred Dollars to defray the expenses of the Poor fund the next ensuing year which motion was also duly carried by all the Electors present. It was further moved by August Krans supported by Adam Miller to raise by taxation on the Taxable property of the Township the sum of (\$2000<sup>00</sup>) Two Thousand Dollars to defray the expenses of the school fund according to the Estimated Statement made by the board of Education of the Township of Bates which motion was also duly carried by all the Electors present.



It was further moved by Chas. A. Otto supported by August Trans to raise two mills on each one dollar valuation on the Taxable property of the Township for the purpose of building a school house in District no 5 in said Township as recommended by the board of Education of the Township of Bates which motion was duly carried by all the Electors present

To the Supervisor of the Township of Bates  
 The following is a true and correct statement or list of Highway Orders presented to me about Sept 10<sup>th</sup> A. D. 1897. and a request made that a tax be levied for the payment of the same under the provisions of section 1448 and 1449 of Howells Annotated Statute

| Order no |       |                           | Amount | \$ |       |
|----------|-------|---------------------------|--------|----|-------|
| 735      | dated | Oct 1 <sup>th</sup> 1896  |        |    | 8.75  |
| " "      | "     | Oct 1 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | "      | "  | 7.00  |
| 640      | "     | Aug 31 1896               | "      | "  | 9.00  |
| 747      | "     | Oct 1 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | "      | "  | 15.00 |
| 751      | "     | Oct 1 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | "      | "  | 0.50  |
| 754      | "     | Oct 1 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | "      | "  | 4.00  |
| 681      | "     | Oct 1 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | "      | "  | 3.94  |
| 914      | "     | Oct 1 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | "      | "  | 8.84  |
| 684      | "     | Oct 1 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | "      | "  | 8.75  |
| 618      | "     | Aug 7 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | "      | "  | 10.50 |
| 616      | "     | Aug 7 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | "      | "  | 7.00  |
| 757      | "     | Oct 1 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | "      | "  | 3.05  |
| 703      | "     | Oct 1 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | "      | "  | 5.00  |
| 730      | "     | Oct 1 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | "      | "  | 3.50  |
| 756      | "     | Oct 1 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | "      | "  | 3.05  |
| 680      | "     | Oct 1 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | "      | "  | 3.94  |
| 758      | "     | Oct 1 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | "      | "  | 8.00  |
| 590      | "     | May 16 <sup>th</sup> 1896 | "      | "  | 1.60  |
| 575      | "     | Jan 11 <sup>th</sup> 1896 | "      | "  | 1.75  |
| 634      | "     | Aug 7 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | "      | "  | 1.95  |
| 626      | "     | Aug 7 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | "      | "  | 10.00 |



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## Statement of Taxes to Supervisor

| Order no | Dated                       | Amount | \$    |
|----------|-----------------------------|--------|-------|
| 28       | August 7 <sup>th</sup> 1896 | 5.00   | 5.00  |
| 426      | March 26 <sup>th</sup> 1895 | 1.75   | 1.75  |
| 610      | Aug 7 <sup>th</sup> 1896    | 1.75   | 1.75  |
| 613      | Aug 7 <sup>th</sup> 1896    | 3.50   | 3.50  |
| 595      | June 25 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | 14.00  | 14.00 |
| 761      | Oct 1 <sup>th</sup> 1896    | 13.33  | 13.33 |
| 627      | Aug 7 <sup>th</sup> 1896    | 10.00  | 10.00 |
| 466      | Aug 9 <sup>th</sup> 1896    | 4.85   | 4.85  |
| 593      | June 25 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | 1.75   | 1.75  |
| 760      | Oct 1 <sup>th</sup> 1896    | 7.00   | 7.00  |
| 598      | June 25 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | 10.00  | 10.00 |
| 615      | June 25 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | 5.00   | 5.00  |
| 601      | June 25 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | 8.25   | 8.25  |
| 605      | June 25 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | 10.50  | 10.50 |
| 669      | Aug 31 <sup>th</sup> 1896   | 1.50   | 1.50  |
| 638      | Aug 7 <sup>th</sup> 1896    | 28.50  | 28.50 |
| 674      | Aug 31 <sup>th</sup> 1896   | 12.50  | 12.50 |
| 668      | Aug 31 <sup>th</sup> 1896   | 10.00  | 10.00 |
| 633      | Aug 7 <sup>th</sup> 1896    | 17.50  | 17.50 |
| 645      | Aug 31 <sup>th</sup> 1896   | 1.75   | 1.75  |
| 606      | June 25 <sup>th</sup> 1896  | 1.50   | 1.50  |
| 643      | Aug 31 <sup>th</sup> 1896   | 3.50   | 3.50  |
| 651      | Aug 31 <sup>th</sup> 1896   | 5.25   | 5.25  |
| 83       | July 14 <sup>th</sup> 1895  | 7.00   | 7.00  |
| 719      | Oct 1 <sup>th</sup> 1896    | 5.25   | 5.25  |

All the foregoing Orders were accompanied by a Statement from the Township Treasurer that the said Orders had been presented to him on Feb 1<sup>th</sup> a.d. 1897 and that payment was refused for lack of funds

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 3<sup>d</sup> day of Oct a.d. 1897

Chas. A. Otto

Township Clerk of  
Bates Township