

Township of Bates Feby 10<sup>th</sup>, 1900.

Pursuant to call by Charley Olson, Supervisor a meeting of the Townboard of the township of Bates, was held at the office of the township clerk in said township on Saturday the 10<sup>th</sup> day of Feby, A. D. 1900.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman. The Roll was called and the following members were present:

Charley Olson Supervisor  
 Adolf Forsberg Township Clerk  
 John Soderqvist Justice of the peace  
 Edward Sjogqvist " " " "

The minutes of last meeting was read and approved as read.

The following resolution was offered by Adolf Forsberg and its adoption was moved by Soderqvist seconded by Sjogqvist.

Whereas the bounty Treasurer of Iron County have charged the township of Bates about \$900.00 Nine hundred dollars for the keeping and maintenance of Mrs John Alt and Paul Fawson, 2 inmates of the insane asylum at Newberry Mich.

And Whereas it appears that Mr John Alt. (the husband of said Mrs John Alt) is the owner of five forty's of land in Bates township and is in circumstances that enables him to provide for and to maintain his wife in the said insane asylum. And Whereas it further appears that the aforesaid Paul Fawson was not a township charge of Bates township at the time he was taken to the insane asylum. Therefore be it hereby Resolved that the Supervisor be and is hereby

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instructed and authorized to engage an attorney and commence proceedings against the County of Iron for the sum so charged to the township of Bates for the keeping and maintenance of the aforesaid Paul Dawson in the insane asylum, and also to commence proceedings against Mr John Alt for the sum so paid by the township of Bates for the keeping of his wife in the insane asylum. The roll was called on the above resolution, Charles Olson yes John Soderqvist yes Edward Sjogvist yes Adolf Forsberg yes. the votes being for the adoption of the resolution. The board then went into committee of the whole for the purpose of auditing and allowing the following bills brought before them for consideration, and it was moved by Soderqvist seconded by Sjogvist that the following bills be allowed, and the chairman and clerk be instructed to issue orders for the same upon the proper funds of Bates township which motion prevailed by all the members of the board. and the chairman and clerk proceeded to draw orders as follows:

Separating Fund.

order	date	description	\$	c
532	58	Edward Sjogvist Office Rent (6 months)	10	00
533	58	" " atty to meetg and mileage	2	50
534	59	John Soderqvist " " " " Office rent	17	50
535	60	Frank Erickson Service and expense as Treas	60	00
536	61	Adolf Forsberg clerk Service and office Rent	30	00
537	62	Charles Olson Service as Supervisor	40	00
538	62	" " " " " "	33	00
539	63	Ivan Co Reporter Printing	9	10
Total			202	10

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Poor fund			\$	c
540	64	A W Smith Drygoods to the poor	13	00
541	65	Nelson & Fisher Groceries .. " "	31	00
542	66	" " " " " " " "	18	00
543	67	W H Windsor Coffin for Mrs. Rydberg	20	00
<b>Total</b>			<b>82</b>	<b>00</b>

Highway fund			\$	c
215	103	Isak Henrikson labor on Olson Road	5	00
216	104	August Hoans Repairing Road Machine	1	00
217	105	And Erickson helping survey	1	75
218	106	Conit Soderqvist labor on Bergt Est Road	1	75
219	107	Olaf Trybom Service as Commiss	23	00
220	108	Eric Anderson highway labor	32	00
221	109	Hane Bros Repairing Tools	2	00
<b>Total</b>			<b>66</b>	<b>95</b>

Nothing more coming before the board  
 therefore an motion duly made and  
 carried the board adjourned. indefinitely  
 Adolf Forsberg  
 Township Clerk