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Township of Bates November 6. to A.D. 1900.

The following are the minutes of the proceeding at the General Election held in the Township of Bates on the 6. to day of November A.D. 1900. in school houses no. 1 Said Township that being the same place in which the last General Election of said Township was held pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided.

November 6. to. 1900. 7. A.M. The board of Inspectors of Election was then duly organized with. Charley Olson as Chairman. Israel Carlson. Clerk. Edward Sjogvist. Victor Benson as the other Inspectors and Carl J. Gustafson as second. clerk. The inspectors on motion appointed Emil Soderqvist Gatekeeper the constitutional oath of office were then administered to the inspectors. Clerks. and Gatekeeper which oaths are in writing and are in the poll <sup>book</sup> provided for this day and on file in the Clerks office. The ballot box kept by the Township Clerk was then examined by the Chairman and inspectors of Election and the contents removed therefrom and was then locked by the Chairman and the key thereof delivered to Edward Sjogvist one of inspectors designated by motion of the board of inspectors. The Chairman then announced that the polls were now duly open for the election of the officers as provided by statute for this day which said announcement was simultaneously proclaimed by Emil Soderqvist Gatekeeper the ballots were then duly opened marked and prepared for balloting and voting commenced by ballot 11 a.m. The board of inspectors duly resolved that at twelve o'clock noon the board would adjourn for one hour which was then duly proclaimed by Emil Soderqvist Gatekeeper. 11.30. A.M. Emil Soderqvist the Gatekeeper proclaimed that at 12. o'clock noon. The board of inspectors would adjourn for one hour 12. o'clock noon the board of inspectors adjourned for one hour pursuant to the resolution which was proclaimed by Emil Soderqvist.



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Gatekeeper. The clerks then compared poll list and corrected mistakes under the direction of the board of inspectors until their poll lists compared the ballot box was then opened and the poll lists placed therein and box closed and carefully sealed pursuant to the statute. 1 o'clock P.M. the polls was again opened for the further balloting for officers which was duly proclaimed by Ermit Soderqvist Gatekeeper 4.5. P.M. the Gatekeeper proclaimed that at 5. P.M. the polls would close. 4.30. P.M. the Gatekeeper proclaimed that in 30. minutes or at 5. P.M. the polls would close 4.45. P.M. the Gatekeeper proclaimed that in 15 minutes or at 5. P.M. the polls would close 5 P.M. The chairman stated that the polls were now closed and the polls were closed the votes were then publicly canvassed according to the statute in such case made and provided after the tickets or ballots had been counted the result thereof and the numbers of votes received by each candidate or person on the ticket was then publicly declared by one of the inspectors and a duplicate statement of said result showing the whole number of votes cast for each office the names of persons for which such votes were cast and the number each received were prepared forthwith and duly filed according to law. The clerks then drew up the following statement. A Statement of votes given in the Township of Baten County of Iron. and State of Michigan for each office the names of the persons for whom such votes were given and the numbers so given to each person at the General Election held in the said township on Tuesday the 6<sup>th</sup> day of November. A. D. 1900. The whole number of votes given for the office of Governor was Fifty nine (59) and the were given for the following persons, viz: Aaron J. Bliss Fiftyfour (54) William C. Mayberry Five (5) The whole number of votes given for



office of Lieutenant Governor was Sixty nine (69) and the were given for the following persons viz: Orrin W Robinson Sixty four (64) Jonathan Ramsdell five (5). The whole number of votes given for the office of Secretary of state was Sixty nine (69) and the were given for the following persons viz: Fred M Warner Sixty four (64) John W Earning five (5) The whole number of votes given for the office of State Treasurer was Sixty nine (69) and they were given for the following persons viz: Daniel Mc Coy. Sixty three (63) Charles D. Lumsden Six (6) The whole number of votes given for the office of Auditor General. was. Sixty nine (69) and they were given for the following persons viz: Perry F Powers. Sixty four (64) Hiram B. Hudson. Five (5). The whole number of votes given for said office of Commissioner of the state land office was. Sixty nine (69) and they were given for the following persons viz: Edwin A. Wicks Sixty four (64) George S. Winans Five (5) The whole number of votes given for said office of Attorney General. was Sixty nine and they were given for the following persons viz: Horace M. Owen Sixty four (64) James O. Flora. Five (5) The whole number of votes given for said office of Superintendent of public instruction was Sixty nine (69) and they were given for the following persons viz: Delos Fall Sixty four (64) Stephen H. Longden Five (5) The whole number of votes given for said office of Member of the state board of Education. was Sixty nine (69) and they were given for the following persons viz: James H. Thompson. Sixty four (64) James Mc. Emlee. five (5) The whole number of votes given for said office of Representative in the Congress of the United States for this twelfth congressional district was Sixty nine (69) Charles D. Sheldon Sixty three (63) Edward F. Legendre. Six (6) The whole number of votes given for said office of Senator in the



in the State Legislature for this Thirty first senatorial district, was Sixty eight (68.) and they were given for the following persons viz: Gad Smith Sixty one (61) William Mc Ginty Seven (7). The whole number of votes given for the said office of representative in state Legislature for this Thirty first Representative district was Sixty eight (68) Sherman T Hedy Sixty (60) Thomas Touhey Eight (8) The whole number of votes given for the Electors of President and Vice President of the United States was Sixty eight (68). and they were given for the following persons viz: Perry Hanna Sixty one (61) Lyman S Wilcox Sixty three (63) Cheryl J Collins Sixty three (63) Joseph T Bennett Sixty three (63) Hiram M Allen Sixty three (63) Charles J. Messore Sixty three (63) John A S Verdier Sixty three (63) Daniel Lotcher Sixty three (63) John S. Thompson Sixty three (63) Thomas A Horvay Sixty three (63) Edward Buckley Sixty three (63) Michael Brown Sixty three (63) James Mac Naughton Sixty three (63) ~~Phillip B. Wächel~~ The whole number of votes Phillip B Wächel Six (6) Lovinz Hubinger Five (5) Alause A Thunder Five (5) Arren N. Purce. Five (5) Abraham T Metcalf Five (5) Thomas A Walker Five (5) Henry Hulet Five (5) H Alstead Crawford Five (5) William Baker Five (5) Henry S Parkhill Five (5) George S. Stanley Five (5) George J Robinson Five (5) William T Nesbitt. Five (5) Michael Fane Donald Five (5)

The whole number of votes given for said office of Sheriff was Seventy four (74) and they were given for the following persons viz: Thomas Horvay Thirteen (13) Herman Holmes. Sixty one (61)

The whole number of votes given for said office of County Clerk. was Sixty seven (67) and they were given for the following persons viz: John Wall. Sixty seven (67) The whole number of votes given for said office of Register of deeds. was Sixty five (65.)



and they were given for the following persons viz:  
 Fred. D. Morrison Sixty (60) James J. Goffney Five (5)  
 the whole number of votes given for said office of  
 County Treasurer, was Sixty three (63) and they were  
 given for the following persons viz: Michael H. Moriarty  
 Sixty three (63) the whole number of votes given  
 for said office of Prosecuting Attorney was  
 Seventy (70) Isaac W. Byers, Twenty six (26)  
 Charles H. Wolcott, Forty four (44)

The whole number of votes given for said  
 office of Judge of Probate, was Seventy (70)  
 and they were given for the following persons  
 viz: Albert L. Flewelling, Forty four (44)  
 John B. Abbott, Sixteen (16)

The whole number of votes given for said office  
 of Coroner, was Sixty eight (68) and they  
 were given for the following persons viz:  
 Paul W. Minckler, Fifty four (54)

Erick Erickson, Fourteen (14) William W. =  
 Davison, Sixty two (62) Casper Aberly four (4)

The whole number of votes given for said  
 office of County Surveyor was Sixty two (62)  
 Seymour Eggleston, Sixty two (62)

The whole number of vote given for and against  
 the proposed amendments to the constitution  
 relative to The Totalion of Corporations  
 was Seventy three (73) of which number  
 Seventy two votes were given for said amendment  
 and one (1) vote were given against said  
 amendments

Dated this 6th day of November A.D. 1900.

We the Inspectors of Election do hereby certify  
 that the above statement is in <sup>all</sup> respect correct  
 and true. Made and subscribed this 6th day  
 November A.D. 1900.

Charly Olson, Israel Carlson

Edward Sjogvist Peter Buisson } Inspectors  
 of  
 Election