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Report of Bracket Mills School Commissioner of
 Vanderburgh County

Bracket Mills

To Congressional Township no 6 R 10 West Dr.

			Interest	Principle
1843				
Nov 20	Received of E Prince on lot no 14		7 50	
Dec 20	do do Jacob Miller		5 00	
" "	do do Charles Kingle		4 00	
" 23	do do A. P. Hutchison		33 25	
" 26	do do Robert Barnes			322 34
" "	do do do do Loan refunded			300 00
" "	do do W. M. & J. P. Elliott		6 40	
" "	do do R. Barnes on Loan		24 00	
" "	do do do do on Lot no 12		20 50	
" "	do do do do on Lot no 15			337 78
" "	do do do do on Lot no 2			139 26
" "	do do do do on Lot no 15		21 49	
1844	do do do do on Lot no 2		9 15	
Jan 4	do do do do on Lot no 10		21 93	
" "	do do do do on Lot no 11		19 05	
" "	do do do do on do no 10			344 83
" "	do do do do on do no 11			299 80
" 15	Thom Geaney		14 00	
" 24	do J. Heinrich		8 00	
" "	do J. H. Phelps		6 48	
Feb 5	do J. Henson		12 80	
" 9	do E Prince on Lot no 14		14 00	
" 14	do W. M. & J. P. Elliott		12 00	
" "	do John S. Walker		14 00	
" 15	do J. B. Walker		4 00	
" "	To dividend on common school fund		60 82	
" 23	Received of John M. Newman			60 00
" "	" " " "		80	
			321 77	1824 02

1843

Bracket Mills To Congressional Township no 6 R 10 West Co

Oct 8 th	Paid Auditors Order			3 00
Dec 26	Loaned to W. M. & J. P. Elliott			80 00
1844 Jan 15 th	do do Thomas Geaney			200 00
do do 24	do do J. Heinrich			100 00
do do "	do do J. H. Phelps			81 00
do Feb 5 th	do do J. Henson			140 00
do do 14	do do W. M. & J. P. Elliott			750 00
do do 15	do do J. B. Walker			50 00
commission on				1824 25 at 3 per cent
Balance as for Contra				740 00

In Vacation March a. 5. 1844

Pracker Mills		To Common School Fund & Interest		Principle
1843				
Oct	2 nd	Received of Nathan Rowley for		483.00
do	10	do do A. Powell	12.00	100.00
do	19	do do M. Maxwell	8.00	
do	"	do do George Haag	10.00	
do	8	do do Conrad Schmidt	8.00	
NOV	17	do do Thomas Harrison	12.00	
do	20	do do John Jenkins	7.25	
do	21	do do R. J. Ballell	8.25	
do	25	do do N Rowley in script		205.00
do	"	do do Clerk's Receipt		96.13
Decr	16	do do J. B. Kirtlandrick	8.00	
do	23	do do W. Carpenter	8.00	
do	25	do do John Jenkins on 12 mo 20	10.86	
do	28	do do G. Haag	8.00	
do	29	do do W. H. Wheeler	8.00	
1844	Jan 4 th	do do J. A. Morgan	24.00	
"	" 10	do do E. Angle	13.76	
Febr	3	do do J. Parra	1.28	141.00
"	13	do do G. B. & Erskine	17.12	
"	14	do do S. Stanfield	2.09	
"	"	do do G. B. Walker	3.20	
"	19	do do James Moffet	7.18	49.82
			176.99	1074.95

Pracker Mills		To ^{Common} School Fund Cr		
1843	Oct 19 th	Issued to M. Maxwell		150.00
"	do "	do do Geo Haag		125.00
"	NOV 10	do do A. Powell		150.00
"	" 17	do do Thomas Harrison		150.00
"	" 25	Clerk's Order		96.13
Decr	28 th	Issued to G. Haag		100.00
"	29	do do M. H. Wheeler		100.00
1844	Feb 14	do do G. B. Walker		40.00
"	"	Paid Auditor's Order		8.00
		Commission on 190 ⁸² / ₁₀₀		8.72
		Amount of dividend	176.99	
				1074.85

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Bracket Mills

		To Congressional Township No 6 S. R. 11 West		Dr.	Principle
				Interest	
1843					
Nov	10 th	Received of John Heinrich		5.00	
do	22	do do Ho Klaus Mills on lot 4-5+9		20.79	
do	25	do do Joseph Struttwiler on lot 11		8.00	
do	"	do do Lewis Schmaltz do do 15		18.37	
do	"	do do George P. Deafenbaugh " 13		15.66	
1844	6	do do John Heinrich on lot no 10+16		13.30	
Jan	18	do do W. S. Grimes on Loan		4.07	
do	"	do do " do do do		5.68	
Feb	9	do do B. Tinsone do do		18.00	
		To dividend on Common School Fund		17.68	
				126.50	

Bracket Mills

		To Congressional Township nos 5 S. R. 11 West		Dr.	Principle
				Interest	
1843					
October	24	Received of Lasse Hansen on Loan		100.00	
do	"	do do do do do do		8.00	
Nov	12	do do Frederick Krauer		4.00	
do	28	do do Peter Gable on lot no 3		5.40	
1844	2	do do John Umbetz on do 7+8		15.57	
Jan		To dividend on Common School Fund		24.94	
				59.91	

Bracket Mills To Congressional Township, nos 5 S. R. 11 West Cr.

1843	Oct 24 th	Loan Lasse Hansen		100.00	
		Commission on \$100, at 3		3.00	
				3.00	100.00

Bracket Mills

		To Congressional Township no 7 S. R. 10 West		Dr.	Principle
				Interest	
1843					
Dec	23	Received of A. B. Carpenter do on lot 5+6		30.25	
do	do	do do do do do do do		28.38	
do	do	do do do do do do do 14		12.52	
do	do	do do do do do do Loan		8.00	
1844	6 th	do do John M. Blair on Loan		9.90	
Jan	10 th	do do C. Garret do do		40.08	
		Dividend Common School Fund		1.89	
"	24	Rec ^d of A. M. Johnson on lot 2		13.22	
				149.74	

Bracket Mills

		To Congressional Township No 5 S. R. 10 West Dr		Interest	Principle
1843					
	Decr 25 th		Received of George Heals	28,96	
	do 29	do	do Wm Heals on Lot No 16	15,46	
1844	Feb 17	do	do James Parks	2,76	
	do "	do	do do do do		4,00
			Dividend of Common School Fund	19,11	
				72,66	

Bracket Mills

To Congressional Township 5 S. R. 10 West Cr
Commission on \$44.00 at 3

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Bracket Mills

To Congressional Township No 7 S. R. 11 West Dr

		To Congressional Township No 7 S. R. 11 West Dr		Interest	Principle
1844					
	Jan 13		Received of John Dickas	22,40	
	do 15	do	do Jesse Holloway	12,00	
	do 23	do	do Henry Dater on Lot 2	12,60	
	do "	do	do do do on Lot 7	9,00	
	do "	do	do do do on Lot 10	9,00	
	do "	do	do do do on Lot -	7,20	
	"		Dividend on Common School Fund	13,19	
	do 12		Rec of H. Dumbaud on Lot 12		95,62
				85,39	95,12

Bracket Mills

To Congressional Township No 7 S. R. 11 West Cr

1844					
	Jan 6 th		Loaned George Meuney		95,00
			Commission on \$95.00 at 3	2,86	

Bracket Mills

To Congressional Township No 4 S. R. 10 West Dr

1844			To Dividend on Common School Fund	9,36	
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Bracket Mills

To Congressional Township 4 R. 11 West Dr

1844			To Dividend on Common School Fund	10,01	
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Bracket Mills

To Congressional Township No 8 S. R. 11 West Dr

1844			To Dividend on Common School Fund	1,82	
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Bracket Mills

To Congressional Township No 6 S. R. 9 West Dr

1844			To Dividend on Common School Fund	2,60	
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State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } Oct

I Bracket Mills School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County do hereby certify, that the within is a just and true copy of ~~the~~ books and all the proceedings on my Books in respect of the school funds of said County

Given under my hand and seal March the 12th 1864
Bracket Mills School Commissioner
of Vanderburgh County (Seal)

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 In Vacation March A. D. 1844

Schedule of Notes on hands of Seminary Fund *Wanderburgh County*

Names	When due	Amount
Trustees of Brick School House	10 Oct 1842	50.32
Geo B Wagnon & Co M Gyles	12 Nov 1843	44.25
Daniel Miller & Geo B Wagnon	18 Jan'y 1844	170.71
William Olmsted Junr & W Olmsted Junr	19 Feb'y 1844	44.43
Geo B Wagnon & Danl. Miller	23 Jan'y "	14.25
Benoni Hinson & Danl. Miller Stevens	13 Feb'y "	41.19
James H. Jones Surveying Pastur W. J. J. & J. J. Jones	1 March "	100.90
Thomas Elliott & Geo Dennistow	6 Decr "	29.42
N Rowley & Wm Trafton	19 Novr "	88.53 d
Wm Onyer & A. Loomis	21 Mar "	78.32 d
Chas Hingle & Jacob Guisler	11 Decr "	35.31
Geo B Wagnon & Danl. Miller	12 July "	176.55
N. C. Melvancy & Martin Miller	25 Mar "	30.00
W. D. Bourne & Wm M. Walker	26 do "	70.05 do
W Trafton & N Rowley	16 Aug "	55.22 do
ditto ditto	10 Sept "	355.69 do
ditto ditto	8 Decr "	113.72 do
William Hillyer	3 "	85.00
Wm M. Walker & Henry Peter	16 Jan'y 1845	50.00
N Rowley & Wm Trafton place of date & Party	19 Feb "	284.11 d
Wm Trafton & N Rowley	19 "	79.86 d
Thomas Elliott & Geo Dennistow	11 Jan'y "	29.42
J. D. & W. H. Chandler	1 Feb "	356.69 d
James Ross & Joseph Wheeler Jr	22 Jan'y "	38.84
Geo Ingle Pa. Ingle & R Browning	2 do "	234.98
Chas. R. G. Browning & Geo Ingle	2 do "	234.98
Wm Onyer & A Loomis	4 March 1843	12.66
Wm		2919.41
Wm Onyer's note as lost good for nothing		34.59
H & R M Camp in Judgment		33.95
Chapman's " " "		18.95
Total Notes & Judgments 5 th March 1844		\$ 3006.70
Trustee of the Seminary Fund of Wanderburgh County		
To the County of Wanderburgh D ^y		
1843 March 8 th To Notes & cash on hands as per a/c Rendevue		2957.78
1844 March 5 th Interest accumulated & Cash Received		184.74
1844-March 5 th By 3 per cent Commission on		\$ 3142.52
" 2368.17 received since last report		71.04
" By notes on hand as per schedule annexed		By the Indgt 3006.70
" By Cash on hands handed over to		141.78 3142.52
Evansville March 5 th 1844		\$ 3142.52

John Franklin J. G. D. V. Coy

On Vacation

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June Term A. D. 1844

At a Session of the Board of Commissioners for the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana began and held at the Court House in the Town of Evansville on the first Monday in June (it being the third day of said month) a. d. 1844. When present Willard Carpenter and Everton Kennerly Esq. D. D. Grimes Esq. comes in and takes his seat in the Board.

Now here it is ordered that G. W. Miller have permission to withdraw from the files a certain petition for the division of road district No 2 Perry Township, which said petition was presented at last Term of this Board
No 1 to \$1.50
Ordered that Henry Walker be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for 2 days services as supervisor and one day making returns.

Order that John Nightingale be excused from labour on the Highways, in the year a. d. 1844 in lieu of extra labours by him performed as supervisor for a. d. 1843 for road district No 1 Pigeon Township

order No 2 to \$5.00
Ordered that Elijah Waters be allowed five dollars for services rendered as overseer of the poor in Scott Township for a. d. 1843

No 3 to \$5.00
Ordered that Zerah Fairchild be allowed five dollars for services rendered as Overseer of the poor in Scott Township for a. d. 1843

No 4 to \$1.50
Ordered that Sherman Fairchild be allowed a credit for 2 days labour on the roads in Centro Township for a. d. 1844
No 5 to \$3.00
Ordered that Ephraim Pham be allowed ^{1 credit for} 4 days services on his labour on roads for a. d. 1844 for extra labour done by him as supervisor for a. d. 1843

No 6 to \$2.00
Ordered that John Mickas be allowed two dollars for services rendered as Overseer of the Poor for Knight Township for a. d. 1843

No 7 to \$2.25
Ordered that Thomas Martin be allowed a credit of 3 days work on roads in his road for a. d. 1844

No 8 to \$2.25
Ordered that Simon Williams Supervisor of roads in district No 1 Armstrong, Ind. be allowed a credit for 3 days work for the year 1844 on the roads in said district.

No 9 to \$3.75
Ordered that Wm James Supervisors of roads in district No 5 Knight Township for a. d. 1843 be allowed a credit of 5 day labour on roads in said district in 1844 for Extra Services

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to No 10 to \$3⁰⁰ Ordered that James Greenwood Supervisor for road district No 4 Scott Township for a.d. 1843 be allowed a credit on his road labour for a.d. 1844 of 4 days for extra services as such Supervisor

to No 11 to \$5⁰⁰ Ordered that Geo. A. Wall be allowed a credit of 4 days on work on roads in 1844 for services rendered as Supervisor of roads in district 7 Scott Township for a.d. 1843

to No 12 to \$5⁰⁰ Ordered that Thomas Congett be allowed on road labour for a.d. 1844 a credit of 4 days work for services as Supervisor in road district No 9 Scott Township for a.d. 1843

to No 13 to \$1⁰⁰ Ordered that John Hall be allowed One dollar for services rendered as Overseer of the poor in Haight Township conveying Jesse Lidenfield and family to poor house

to No 14 to \$1⁵⁰ Ordered that Thomas Deane be allowed a credit of 2 day in the labour to be performed on roads in a.d. 1844 for services as Supervisor of roads in district No 3 in Scott Township

Now here upon the petition of Leorydon Gerritt and others for the division of road district No 4 Haight Township. Order that said road district be divided as follows to wit: Commencing at the North west corner of Section No. 9 in Town 7 South, Range 10 West, running thence east to the North east corner of Section No 10 same Town & Range, thence South to the Ohio River, thence West along the meanders of said river to the South West corner of fractional Section 9 of 7 South, Range 10 West, thence north to the place of beginning, and that the territory within said limits be constituted & called Road district No 6 Haight Township, and that the Supervisor of said district be and he is hereby authorized & required to call out and work the lands within said district according to law.

Now here upon the petition of W. A. Sagg & others for the formation of a new road district in Pigeon Township, out of a part of road district No. One. Ordered that said road district be formed, as follows to wit: Commencing at the South east corner of fractional Section 30 Town 6 South, Range 10 West, running thence South, to the South West corner of fractional Section No 31 same Town & Range thence east along the Ohio River to the North east corner of fractional Section No 5 Town 7 South, Range 10 West, thence South to the Ohio River, thence North westerly along said river to the South West corner of fractional Sec No 30. (where said corner intersects the Ohio River.) thence east along said ^{Section} line to the place of beginning, and that the ^{Said} Supervisor of said

to No 15 to \$1⁰⁰ Ordered that John Hall be allowed One dollar for services rendered as Overseer of the poor in Haight Township conveying Jesse Lidenfield and family to poor house

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District be called, and constituted road district number 3 Pigeon Township, and that the Super. of said road district be authorized and required to call out and work the hands in said road district according to law

Dec 10th to p 2⁵⁰ Ordered that John M. Blair be allowed Two dollars, for acting as foreman at ~~an~~ an Inquest and for burying a dead man.

Dec 11th to p 14⁵⁰ Ordered that Martin Miller be allowed Four dollars and fifty cents for services as Overseer of the poor for Knight Township

Dec 17th to p 1⁵⁰ Ordered that Lewis Cudkins be allowed a credit of two days work on road labour for a. d. 1844. in road district No 7 Armstrong Township for services by him rendered as Supervisor for a. d. 1843.

Dec 18th to p 3⁵⁰ Ordered John Meall be allowed Two dollars and fifty cents for services as Overseer of the poor for Knight Township.

Dec 19th to p 1⁵⁰ Ordered that Joseph Dickson Jr. be allowed two day labour to be credited on ~~his~~ labour to be performed by him prior a. d. 1844

Dec 20th to p 1⁰⁰ Ordered that John A. Morgan be allowed a credit of four day labour on his road labour to be performed a. d. 1844 for services as supervisor for the year a. d. 1843

Dec 21st to p 110⁰⁰ Ordered that Gunt J. Jenkins be allowed Sixty Dollars for Ex Officio Services as Clerk of the Vandalia Circuit Court from the 26th of June a. d. 1843 to the 26th of June 1844

And now here the members of the Board, doing County Business for the County of Vandalia in the State of Indiana; the Auditor & Assessor being present, the Auditor produced to the Board the Abstract of property and polls listed and assessed by the assessor of said county for the year a. d. 1844. and returned to the County Auditor on the first day of June a. d. 1844. when the Assessor Board and Auditor proceeded to examine said Assessor's Abstract as a Board of Equalization, and to make alterations as to them may seem proper and to hear the complaints of any owners or owners of property contained in said list

Ordered that the Board adjourn till 8 o'clock tomorrow morning

J. H. Garrison

June Term A. D. 1844.

Tuesday morning 8 o'clock June 4th Board met pursuant to adjournment when present D. D. Grimes Willard Carpenter and Erreston Kemmerly, Assessor & Auditor, being present,

Now here comes Geo W. Barwell J. W. Stephens and James Solshury, Viewers heretofore appointed and make the following report viz,
To the Hon.

The Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County,

Gentlmen: We the undersigned Viewers, appointed by your Hon body at your March session 1844. To view our and locate on the nearest and best grounds, that part of the Mechanicsville and Vienna Road, that lies between Mechanicsville and the Rough Road. Beg leave to report,

That we did on the first day of May 1844 (after having been duly qualified before D. S. C. Terens a Justice of the peace in and for Centre Township Vanderburgh Co. and State of Indiana) repair to said rout, and after examination, did mark and lay out the same as follows to viz

Beginning on the Rough Road when the Vienna Road leaves the same, and running in an East direction to Henry Morgan's lane, thence with said lane in a direct line to where the present road leaves the north west corner of Pariah Short's fence, thence along said fence to the Northern end of said Pariah Short's lane, thence with said lane to its southern terminus, thence in a direct line, to intersect the line, dividing the South half of Section No 2 Town Six Range Eleven West, at or near a large forked Black Oak tree, that stands near the north west corner of the South East quarter of Section No Two Town Six Range Eleven West, thence East with said line to the South west corner of Hoarrey Blackman's land. thence in a South East direction with the present road, to the line dividing range Ten & Eleven West, thence South along said range line to the North west corner of Section No Seven Town Six Range Ten West, thence East to a white Oak tree that stands at the east end of an old bridge, near the east corner of Hoamptons South field thence in a South East direction to the present road thence with said Road to a post that stands at the East end, of the lane, dividing the land of Marshall Mc Murray, and Abram Lockhart, all of which is respectfully Submitted &c

Geo W. Barwell
J. W. Stephens
James Solshury

Road between Mechanicsville & Vienna

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Same Term A. D. 1844

Order for
to
Open Road

Now here it is Ordered that the Supervisors
through whose district the last aforementioned Road
passes, be ^{Authorized to} Opened immediately, the same, in accordance
with the Report of G. W. Paswell & others

J. P. Younger

No 115c \$1.87 Ordered that J. P. Younger be allowed
a credit of 2 1/2 days labor on the roads for the year 1844
for services rendered as returning Judge of an Election in Knight
Township & for delivering Certificates of election.

J. W. Woodwell

No 114b \$0.75 Ordered that Geo. W. Paswell be allowed
one day work on the roads in Centre Township for a. d.
1844 for services, as inspector at a Special Election in said
Township

No 11022 \$2.00 Ordered that Zerah Fairchild be allowed
two Dollars for serving as Judge & Clerk at Elections in
Centre Township, in April & Aug 1844

No 11023 \$1.00 Order that Geo. W. Paswell be allowed
one Dollar for services in viewing out road leading from
Mechanicsville to Viana & reporting to the Board at Pine Grove
a. d. 1844. Ordered that Joshua W. Stephens be

No 11024 \$1.00 allowed one dollar for services in viewing out
road leading from Mechanicsville to Viana

No 11025 \$1.00 Ordered that James Salisbury
be allowed one dollar for services as road viewer on
the road leading from Mechanicsville to Viana

No 11026 \$1.00 Ordered that G. W. Paswell be
allowed one Dollar for services as Commissioner to assess
damages in case of Gertrude Schister

No 11027 \$1.00 ~~\$1.50~~ \$0.75 Ordered that Zerah Fairchild be
allowed one days work on the roads in Centre
Township for 1844. for services rendered as Judge
at the April Election a. d. 1844

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Now here it is Ordered by this
Board, that the Supervisors of roads through whose
district it may pass, are Authorized & required, by
this Board, to open the State road leading from
Ecransville to Petersburg, from North Whulus farm
to Ecransville, according to the requirements of the law
in such case made & provided

No 114b \$1.50 Ordered that Geo. W. Paswell be
allowed 3 days work on roads in Centre Township for
a. d. 1844. = for services rendered as inspector of Elections
in April 1844

12
June Term a. d. 1844

A List of fines assessed at the March Term A. D. 1844
of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court To wit;

State of Indiana }
vs } Steaming } Fine \$1.00
Thomas French }

State of Indiana }
vs } Assault & Battery } Fine .01
Merran Chambers }

State of Indiana }
vs } Retailing Spirits } Fine \$7.50
Franklin Johnson }

State of Indiana }
vs } Petit Larceny } Fine .01
Thomas Ayres }

State of Indiana }
vs } Retailing Spirits } Fine \$5.00
Jacob Richard & }
Paul. Rosey }

State of Indiana }
vs } Contempt } Fine \$5.00
James Cook }

I have received since my last report the following
fines to wit;

State of Indiana } Fine assessed at
vs } Retailing Spirits } March Term 1843
John Ross } Fine \$5.00

State of Indiana } Fine 3.00
vs } Assault & Battery } assessed at March
David Arthur } Term 1843

State of Indiana } Fine 1.00
vs } Contempt } assessed at Sept
Benjamin Hugg } Term 1843

I do solemnly swear that the
foregoing report, contains a true list of the fines assessed at the March Term
a. d. 1844 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court, and also the fines by me received, since my last
report, to the best of my knowledge & belief
J. S. Jenkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Evansville the first day of June a. d. 1844

William H. Walker a. d. c.

June Term A. D. 1844

Ordered that a License issue to John M. Stockwell, to
 vend foreign Merchandise in Vanderburgh County, until the
 first Monday in June a. d. 1845 by his producing the
 Treasurer's Receipt for the sum of Five dollars

Ordered that a License issue to J. D. Smith
 to vend foreign Merchandise in Vanderburgh County
 until the first Monday in June a. d. 1845, by his
 producing the Treasurer's receipt for Five dollars

Dec 10th 1844 p. 1st Ordered that Mr Rogers be allowed two &
 one half days labour on publick Roads in district
 No 6 Armstrong Township for the year 1844, for
 services by him rendered as Supervisor for a. d. 1843

Dec 10th 1844 p. 2nd Ordered that Mr C. Saunders ^{be allowed} 3 day labour
 in his road district in Perry Township for a. d. 1844
 for services as Supervisor of roads in district No 1
 Perry Township for the year 1843

Dec 10th 1844 p. 1st Ordered that Robert Nightengale be allowed
 one dollar for digging grave for pauper

Judge of Election + Dec 10th 1844 p. 1st Ordered that Michael Mintzer be allowed
 two days work on the roads for the years a. d. 1844
 for services rendered by him as Supervisor for a. d. 1843
 of road district No 3 Armstrong Township

Dec 10th 1844 p. 6th Ordered that Mr Olinsted be Allowed
 Thirty Six dollars for services as Associate Judge of
 the Vanderburgh Circuit Court, up to the end of
 the March Term a. d. 1844

Dec 10th 1844 p. 10th Ordered that Mr Olinsted be allowed
 Two dollars, for services as Associate Judge of the
 Vanderburgh Circuit Court in case of State vs Hugh
 Patten

Dec 10th 1844 p. 11th Ordered that John Kelark be allowed
 one dollar for serving as Quage at an election held
 in Centre township.

Ordered that John Orgett be and
 he is hereby exempted from labour upon the
 publick Highways in Vanderburgh ^{County} in consequence
 of a bodily infirmity

Dec 10th 1844 p. 11th Ordered that Mr Ruston be allowed
 2 days labour on the roads in district No 5 Scott
 Township for a. d. 1844, for services rendered by him
 as Supervisor in said road district for a. d. 1843

Dec 10th 1844 p. 11th Ordered that J. J. Green be allowed
 4 days labour on roads in district No 4 Knight
 Township, for services as Supervisor for a. d. 1843

June Term A.D. 1844

Bo.

Ordered that John Keaff be allowed 1/2 days labour on roads in district No 1 Union Township for the year a.d. 1843 for extra services as supervisor of roads in said district for a.d. 1843

Appointment of Viewers Armstrong

Now here upon the ^{presently} reading and ~~petition~~ ^{other} and the board being satisfied that the requisitions of the law have been complied with in all things relating thereto, Ordered that John Krotts, Jacob Krou and John Peay, be and they are hereby appointed Viewers to lay out and mark a ^{on the nearest & best ground} ~~road~~ ^{highway}, commencing at John Baumers, in Armstrong Township, at a certain white oak tree marked A, running thence through Section 21, intersecting the Cynthiaanna Road, at a certain white oak tree marked E at a distance of about forty rods from said road and that they report at the next Term of this board.

Criminals

Bo. No 39 c \$10⁰⁰ Ordered that James J. Walker be allowed fifteen dollars and thirty one cents, in part ^{for} feeding ~~prisoners~~ ^{prisoners} & receiving & discharging same.

Same

Bo. No 40 c \$7⁵⁰ Ordered that James J. Walker be allowed seven dollars and seventy five cents in full for bills to Jan 3rd 1844 for feeding receiving & discharging criminals

Elections

Bo. No 41 c \$1²⁵ Ordered that James J. Walker be allowed one dollar and twenty five cents in part for making out poll books for the April Election a.d. 1844

Same

Bo. No 42 c \$1²⁵ Ordered that James J. Walker be allowed one dollar and twenty five cents in full for making poll books for the April Election a.d. 1844

Lockhart S. Jr.

Bo. No 43 c \$5⁰⁰ Ordered that James Lockhart Esq. be allowed five dollars, fee in case of Agent Susplis Burr vs. G. Fairchild & others

Hickendall

And now here it is Ordered that the County Auditor be authorized to hand over to John N. Hickendall Esq. the Bonds & Mortgages belonging to the several School Funds, and the obligations of the other trust funds (if necessary) for the purpose of examining the latter to enable him ^{said Hickendall} to make report in relation to the condition of said funds. At this Board at its present session

Equalization

Ordered that there be deducted from the A.E. of the A.R. of Dec 24 town 4 Range 11 ^{west} the sum of 10 dollars ^(settling as a board of Equalization) improvements which it appears to the satisfaction of the board, ^{was} ~~was~~ ^{improperly} assessed

June Term A. D. 1844.

Dr. 10
Per Now here it is ordered that Zephaniah Hunter be allowed Two dollars for making coffin for drowned man.

Dr. 10
At se ino Ter. Ordered that Adrian Youngs be allowed One hundred and twenty four dollars for assessing Revenue for a. d. 1844, and setting 2 days as a member of the Board of Equalization.

Dr. 10
Same Ordered that A. Young be allowed Thirteen dollars ^{Eighty five cents} in full for service as a member of the Board of Equalization at the June for assessing Revenue for State County & Road purposes, for a. d. 1844.

Dr. 10
Auditor Ordered that Wm. H. Walker Auditor be allowed Four dollars for 2 days service, as a member of the Board of Equalization, at June Term a. d. 1844.

Ordered that the Board adjourn till tomorrow at 8 o'clock

D. D. Gimmes

Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock. June the 5th A. D. 1844 Board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday David S. Grimm, Willard Carpenter & Everston Kennedy Esqrs.

Ad Ordered that a License issue to Decker & Kramer to vend foreign Merchandise in Vanderburgh County ^{first Monday in} till June a. d. 1845 by his procuring the Co. Treasurer Receipt for the sum of five dollars.

Ad Ordered that a License issue to John M. White to keep a Grocery & vend Spirituans ^{Liquors} in Vanderburgh County ^{Monday in} till June a. d. 1845 by his procuring the County Treasurer's Receipt for the sum of Twenty dollars.

Ad Ordered that Elias Stephens be allowed Twenty dollars for services as Overseer of the poor for a. d. 1843.

Dr. 10
Bridge
W. Carpenter Ordered that Willard Carpenter be allowed Two dollars & fifty cents for one day work with two yokes of Oxen waggons & hand, on pegeon Bridge in a. d. 1841.

Dr. 10
Co. Court House Ordered that Willard Carpenter be allowed Two dollars & seventy five cents for carpenter's bill for work on Court house & pad lock furnished wood house.

June Term a. d. 1844

Ad Ordered that ^{a licence issue to} Bernard crasse, for one year from the 1st Monday in June a. d. 1845 by his producing the Treasurers Receipt for the sum of Five, 1 to vend foreign Groceries in Vanderburgh County

Ad Ordered that a licence issue to Michael Pasler to keep a Tavern in Vanderburgh County till the first Monday June a. d. 1845 with a privilege to retail Spirituous Liquors, by his producing the Treasurers Receipt for a ~~sum~~ the sum of Fifteen dollars

Ad Ordered that Conrad Storer be allowed he allowed Two dollars for official services as associate Judge in case of *Banknote vs Heard*.

Ad Ordered that Jesse J. Lamb be allowed he allowed one Dollar ^{for} serving as clerk at an election in April last.

Ad Ordered that Jesse J. Lamb be allowed Twelve dollars and eighty eight cents in pay for putting roof on Pigeon Bridge at mouth of Pigeon creek

Ad Ordered that Jesse J. Lamb be allowed Twelve dollars in full for roofing bridge at mouth of Pigeon.

Ad Ordered that a licence issue to John Paine to vend foreign Merchandise in Vanderburgh till the first Monday in June a. d. 1845 by his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Ad Ordered that a licence issue Griffith & Corbit to vend foreign ^{Merchandise} in Vanderburgh untill the first Monday in June a. d. 1845 by their producing the Treasurers receipt for the sum of Five dollars.

Ad Ordered that a licence issue to Wm + Crawford Bell to vend foreign Merchandise in Vanderburgh County untill the first Monday in June a. d. 1845 by their producing the Treasurers Receipt for five dollars

Ad Ordered that ^{a licence issue to} Geo Vaniman to vend foreign Groceries in Vanderburgh County untill the first Monday in June a. d. 1845 by his producing the Treasurers receipt for the sum of Five dollars

Ad Ordered that John Heinrich a licence issue to John Heinrich to vend foreign merchandise in Vanderburgh County, untill June 1st 1845 by his producing the Treasurers receipt for five dollars

Ad Ordered that a licence issue to S. H. Pappadock to vend foreign merchandise in Vanderburgh County untill the first Monday in June a. d. 1845 by his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

- Ordered that John Burbank be allowed Thirteen Dollars for furnishing Plank & Scantling for wood shed
- Ordered that John Burbank be allowed Seventy nine dollars and sixty five cents for furnishing Roofing for Bridge at mouth of Pigeon
- Ordered that John Burbank & Co be allowed One dollar and fifty ^{cents} for paying postage on remonstrance to Legislature against petition to limit Board of Commissioners
- Ordered that John Burbank be allowed, three dollars and seventy five cents for burying Corpse found on the bank of river & burying Miss Snell
- Ordered that John Burbank be allowed Six dollars & forty cents for nails furnished for Bridge at mouth of Pigeon
- Ordered that John Burbank be allowed Twenty dollars in part for burying paupers & furnishing necessaries for same
- Ordered that John Burbank be allowed Eleven dollars & twenty five cents in full for furnishing necessary for paupers & burying the same

Now here, upon the petition of Geo. Mills & other citizens of Centro Township, for a certain cutting.

Ordered that John Crookine, Saml McLeuten & Kinlock McCombston be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners to view out & mark a ^{to} cut way from the residence of Matthew Lyman in Centro Township, to intersect the newly layed out road, ^{leading} from Saml McLeuten to the Orange County line. - on the nearest & best ground, and that they Report to this Board at its September session next

Ordered that a License issue to C. & W. Reely to vend foreign merchandize in Vanderburgh until June 1st 1845 by this procuring the Treasurers Receipt for the sum of Five dollars

Ordered that a License issue to A. Humberts & Co to vend foreign merchandize in Vanderburgh County, until ^{the 1st of} June - a d 1845 by this procuring the Treasurers Receipt for the sum of Five dollars

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Ordered that a Licence issue to Rehat & Grossa to vend foreign Merchandise in Vanderburgh County until June 1st 1845 by their producing the Treasurers Receipt for the sum of Five Dollars

Ordered that a Licence issue to Geo Messenger for six months from the first day of June a. d. 1844 by his producing the Treasurers Receipt for ~~two~~ two Dollars & fifty cents

Constables
Bond

Now here at this term comes Aaron Nelson Constable elected at the last April election ^{for Pigeon Township} and presents his Bond as such Constable, with John T. Wilson, Madison J. Dray & Joseph P. Elliott as his Sureties, and the Board Now here approve of said Bond

Ordered that a Licence be issued to Marcus Sherwood to keep a Tavern in Vanderburgh County until the first Monday in June a. d. 1845 by his producing the Treasurers Receipt for fifteen dollars, & filing his bond according to law

Ordered that Marcus Sherwood be allowed Twenty five dollars for services as Overseer of the poor in Pigeon Township

Now here come Mr Clark, Charles Knowles & Mr Thurston commissioners appointed at the March Session a. d. 1844 and make report in the words & figures as follows, Viz

Report of
Assessment of
Damages

We the undersigned having been appointed Commissioners, on the part of the County of Vanderburgh for the purpose of Examining and assessing damages done to the premises of Mark Wheeler in consequence of the State Road from Evansville to Petersburg passing through his premises. We here respectfully Report, that we the said Commissioners did on the 15th day of April Inst (1844) proceed to the plantation of said Mark Wheeler, and did there and there, after being duly qualified, proceed to assess the said damages, agreeably to Order issued by the Board of Commissioners of said County, and to us directed, which damages we have unanimously assessed at Sixty five Dollars \$65 all of which is respectfully Submitted

April 15th 1844

Mr Clark
Charles Knowles
W. Thurston

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Ordered that a License issue to Andrew Howbold
to keep a Tavern in Vanderburgh County with privilege
to retail Spirituous Liquors until the first Monday in
June a. d. 1845 by his producing the County Treasurers
Receipt for the sum of fifteen dollars & filing his bond according
to law

Ordered that a License issue to Henry Minger
to vend foreign Merchandize in Vanderburgh County
until the first Monday in June a. d. 1845 by his
producing the Treasurers Receipt for Five dollars

Ordered that a License issue to Ellis & Meres to vend
foreign Merchandize in Vanderburgh County until the
first Monday in June a. d. 1845 by his producing the Treasurers
Receipt for Five dollars.

Ordered that a License issue to Charles Hagler
to vend foreign Merchandize in Vanderburgh County until
the first Monday in June a. d. 1845 by his producing
the Treasurers Receipt for Five dollars

Ordered that a License issue to Ernest Ebsen
to keep Tavern in Vanderburgh County until the
first of September a. d. 1844 by his producing the
Treasurers Receipt for Three dollars and seventy five
cents, and filing his bond according to law

Ordered that a License issue to Francis Suck Sr
to vend foreign Merchandize in Vanderburgh County until
the first Monday in June a. d. 1845 by his producing
the Treasurers Receipt for the sum of Five dollars

Ordered that a License issue to William H. Stockwell
to vend foreign Merchandize in Vanderburgh County
until the first Monday in June a. d. 1845 by his producing
the Treasurers Receipt for the sum of ^{Seven} ~~Five~~ dollars & fifty cents

Ordered that a License issue to Thomas Warbrook
to vend foreign Merchandize in Vanderburgh County until
the first Monday in June a. d. 1845 by his producing
the Treasurers Receipt for the sum of Five dollars

Ordered that a License issue to John G. Hopkins
to vend foreign Merchandize in Vanderburgh County
until ~~the~~ first Monday in June a. d. 1845 by
his producing the Treasurers for the sum of ~~Five~~
^{Seven} dollars, & fifty cents

Order that a License issue to Robert Barnes
to vend foreign Merchandize in Vanderburgh County
by his ~~to~~ until the first Monday in June a. d. 1845
by his producing the Treasurers Receipt for the
sum of ^{Seven} ~~Five~~ dollars, ~~and~~ fifty cents

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Ordered that a license issue to J. M. Madhett to vend foreign merchandize in Vanderburgh county until the first monday in June a. d. 1845 by their producing the Treasurers receipt for the sum of Ten dollars

Ordered that a license issue to John Shanklin to vend foreign merchandize in Vanderburgh County until the first monday in June a. d. 1845. by his producing the Treasurers receipt for the sum of Five dollars

Ordered that a license issue to John Mitchell to vend foreign merchandize in Vanderburgh County until the first monday in June a. d. 1845 by his producing the Treasurers receipt for the sum of Five dollars

Ordered that a license issue to Carpenter Sadd to vend foreign merchandize in Vanderburgh County until the first monday in June a. d. 1845. by their producing the Treasurers receipt for the sum of Five dollars

Ordered that a license issue to Abner Maran to vend foreign merchandize in Vanderburgh County until the first monday in June a. d. 1845. by his producing the Treasurers receipt for the sum of Five dollars

Ordered that a license issue to Aaron B. Raleigh to vend foreign merchandize in Vanderburgh County by his producing the Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars. until the first monday in June a. d. 1845

Ordered that a license issue to Franklin Selmon to keep a Tavern in Vanderburgh County until the first monday in June a. d. 1845. by his producing the Treasurers receipt for the sum of Fifteen dollars and filing his bond according to law

Ordered that a license issue to Joseph Colwell to vend foreign merchandize in Vanderburgh County until the first monday in June a. d. 1845. by his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Five dollars

Ordered that a license issue to Bennett & Vick to vend foreign merchandize in Vanderburgh County until the first monday in June a. d. 1845 by their producing the Treasurers receipt for the sum of ~~Five~~ ^{Five} dollars & fifty cents

Ordered that a license issue to David McCall to vend foreign merchandize in Vanderburgh County until the first monday in June a. d. 1845. by his producing the Treasurers receipt for the sum of Five dollars

June Term A. D. 1844

Now then it is ordered by the Board that Centre Township shall be ^{it is hereby} divided in Road districts as follows to wit;

Road district
No 1 Centre

Road district No 1 Centre Township shall commence at a point on Locust creek where the west line of section No 13 in Town 6 Range 11 west intersects said creek on the north side, thence running with said creek in a easterly direction to Pigeon creek, thence with said pigeon creek to the east line of section No 8 Town 6 south Range 10 west, thence north, to the North East corner of section No 5 Town & Range aforesaid, thence west, to the North West corner, of section No 1 in Town 6 south Range 11 west thence South to the place of beginning. And it is further Order that the west half of section No 33, the whole of sections No 32 & 32 in Town 5 Range 10 west be added to Road from a part of road district No 1. and that the lands on sec 32 & 32 be subject to the same orders in regard to working ^{road} that they have heretofore been governed by.

district No
2

Ordered that Road district No 2 Centre Township, commence at the South East corner of the South West quarter of section No 28 Town 5 South Range 10 west, and running thence north, to the North East corner of the South West quarter of section No 21 Town & Range as aforesaid, thence west, to the North West corner of the North ^{East} quarter, of section No 19 same Town & Range, thence South through the middle of sec No 19 & 30 (same town & range, to the South West corner of the South ^{East} ~~West~~ qr of section No 30 same Town & range, thence East to the place of beginning.

District No 3
Centre

Ordered that Road district No 3 Centre Township shall be formed & bounded as follows to wit; commencing at the South East corner of section No 36 Town 5 Range 10 west, Running thence North, to the North East corner of the South East quarter of section No 24, Town 5 south Range 10 west thence west, to the North West corner of the South West quarter of section No 23 Town and Range last aforesaid thence north, to the North East corner of section No 22 same town & Range, thence west to the North West corner, of the North East qr of section No 21 same Town & Range, thence South, to the South West corner of the South East quarter of section No 33 same Town & Range, thence East to the place of beginning.

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District No. 4
Centre

Ordered that Road district No 4 Centre Township shall be formed and bounded as follows to wit; commencing at the south west corner of section No 36 Town 5 South, Range 11 West, running thence East to the South East corner of same section, thence North to the North East corner, of same section thence East to the South East corner of the South West quarter of section No 30 Town 5, Range 10 West, thence North, to the North East corner of the North West quarter of section No 19 Town 5 South, Range 10 West, thence West to the North West corner of section No 24 in Town 5 South Range 11 West, thence South to the place of beginning

District No. 5
Centre

Ordered that Road district No 5 Centre Township be formed & bounded as follows, to wit; commencing at the North East corner of section No 1 Town 6, Range 10 West, running thence West to the North West corner of section No 4 Town 6, Range 10 West, thence South to Pigeon Creek, thence along the meanders of said creek to the East line of section No 1 Town & Range aforesaid, thence to the place of beginning.

Now here, the Board fixes the following rates of Taxation, for the purposes of State Revenue, for the year 1844, as follows to wit; on all property made taxable by law at the rate of twenty cents on each one hundred dollars Valuation thereof, on each Male inhabitant, over the

age of twenty one, and under the age of fifty years, fifty cents, ^{of one cent for each one hundred dollars valuation thereof for the purpose of levying a domestic stipend on all the taxable property listed for taxation} and for the purposes of County Revenue for the year 1844, the rates of Taxation, are fixed by this Board as follows to wit; On all property made taxable by law at the rate of Fifty cents on each One hundred dollars Valuation thereof, and on each Male inhabitant, over the age of twenty one, and under the age of fifty years, one dollar & fifty cents. and for Road purposes the rates of Taxation are now here fixed, by said Board as follows, to wit; on all property subject by law to Road Tax, five cents, on each One hundred Dollars Valuation thereof, On the Ferry across the Ohio River opposite, the farm on said River belonging to the heirs of Joseph de Hollister dec'd Five dollars on, on the Ferry across the Ohio River opposite the Town of Henderson Ky. Fifteen dollars, - on each Pedlar of Clocks; twenty five dollars on each Traveling Caravan, Menagerie or other collection of animals, or Show of any figures, or Circus or Theatre. Twenty five dollars.

11th Tax
Here,
1844

June Term A. D. 1844

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at Eight O'clock

D. D. Eames

Thursday Morning at 8 o'clock Board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

11
C. Surrogate
exp

Now here the Board appoints Mr. Whittlesy County Surrogate for the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana to serve three years from and after the first Monday in June A. D. 1844 by his filing his bond according to law

12
C. Surrogate
exp

Ordered that Barney Roughton be allowed Fifty two dollars & twenty two cents in lieu of order of John W. Stinson & in part pay of a Judgment held by ~~Stinson~~ against Vanderburgh ^{County} on docket in hands of Mr. Regis Esqr

13
C. Surrogate
exp

Ordered that the Supervisor of roads for road district No 4 Pigeon Township ^{he is hereby authorized} be instructed to pay Thomas Gifford former Supervisor one dollar & sixty two cents out of the road funds that may come into his hands for the year 1844

14
C. Surrogate
exp

Ordered that a license issue to Joseph Wheeler to vend foreign merchandise in Vanderburgh County until the first Monday in June A. D. 1845 by his producing the Treasurers Receipt for the sum of Five dollars

15
C. Surrogate
exp

Ordered that Geo. W. Magraw be allowed Three dollars for services as Supervisor of the public Highways in Road District No 4 Perry Township

16
C. Surrogate
exp

Ordered that Henry Higginbottom be allowed four dollars and thirty seven cents for services as Supervisor of roads in district No 3 Armstrong Township

17
C. Surrogate
exp

Ordered that Thomas Gifford be allowed five dollars & thirty seven cents for services as Supervisor in road district No 4 Pigeon

18
C. Surrogate
exp

Ordered that Thomas a license issue to Thomas Gifford to keep a Tavern in Pigeon Township until the first Monday in June A. D. 1845 by his producing the Treasurers Receipt for the sum of ~~Twenty~~ dollars & pay bond

19
C. Surrogate
exp

Ordered that a license issue to Stephen Lebles ^{in Vanderburgh County} to keep a ~~legale~~ ^{legale} ~~house~~ ^{house} until the first Monday in June A. D. 1845 by his forwarding the Treasurers receipt for Fifteen dollars & filing his bond according to law

June Term A. D. 1844

Now here upon the petition of Thomas Elderfield & others for a division of road districts in Perry Township

Ordered that

road district No 1 be and it is hereby restricted to the following limits
 viz. commencing at the north west corner of section No 31
 Town 9 South Range 11 west running thence East to the ^{West} North East
 corner of the North West quarter of section No 34 same Town
 and Range, thence South to the ^{South East} South East corner, of the
 North East quarter of the North East quarter of the same section
 Town & Range, thence West to the ^{check that enters the bayou} South West corner of
 the North East quarter of the North East quarter of section
 No 32 Town & Range ~~of section~~, thence South to the bayou
 there South West with said bayou to the Ohio River, thence
 with said River to the South West corner of fractional
 section No 19 Town 9 South, Range 11 West, thence North
 to the place of beginning.

Ordered that Road district No 2 be altered

Road District Perry Township

and changed, and it be bounded as follows viz. commencing
 at the North West corner of section No 22 Town 6 South, Range 11
 West, running thence South to the South West ^{corner} quarter of section
 No 27 Town 6 South, Range 11 West, thence East, to the South East
 corner section No 27 same Town & Range, thence South to the
 South West corner of fractional section No 35 Town 6 South,
 Range 11 West, thence West to Magnons creek, thence South
 to the bayou, thence with the bayou, to the South West
 corner of the South East quarter of the North East ^{of section No 28} quarter,
 thence East to the Ohio River, thence North East with said River
 to the East line of section No 26 Town 6 South, Range 11 West, thence
 North, to the North East corner, of the South East quarter
 of section No 23 Town 6 South Range 11 West thence West to
 the centre of said section, thence North to the North
 East corner, of the North West quarter of same section Town
 and Range, thence ^{West} to the place of beginning.

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Dis. Perry Township

Ordered that Road district No 1 in Perry Township, be formed & bounded as follows Viz. commencing at the south west corner of fractional section No 19 in Town 7 South Range 11 west then running north, to the north west corner, of section No 31 Town 6 South Range 11 west, thence East to the North East corner of the north west quarter of section No 34 same Town & Range. Thence South to the South East corner of the ^{lot E. 1/4 of the} north west quarter, ^{Sec 34. 1/4 1/2 11} thence west to the south west corner, of the North East quarter of the North East quarter of section No 32 Town 6 South Range 11 west, thence South to the bayou, thence South west to the Ohio River thence along said river to ~~the~~ place of beginning

Dis. Perry Township

Ordered that Road district No 5 Perry Township be formed & bounded as follows to wit; Commencing at the North East corner of the North west quarter of section No 34 Town 6 South Range 11 west, running thence East to the Ohio River to the North East corner of Sec No 34 same Town & Range, thence South to the South East corner of same section, thence West to Magnons creek thence South with said creek to the bayou, thence with said bayou South west to the Ohio River, thence with said to the North west corner, of the North East quarter, of the South East quarter of section No 8 Town 7 South Range 11 west, thence North to the south west corner of the North East quarter of the North East quarter of Sec No 32 Town 6 South Range 11 west, thence East, to the South East corner of ~~the~~ of the North East quarter of the North West quarter of section No 34 Town 6 South Range 11 west thence to the place of beginning

Dis Perry

Ordered that Road district No 6 Perry Township commence at the South East corner of section No 28 Town 6 South Range 11 west, thence ^{running} North, to the North East corner of section No 21 Town 6 South Range 11 west, thence West to the North west corner of Sec No 19. Town 6 South Range 11 west, thence South, to the South west corner, of section No 30. Town 6 South Range 11 west, thence ^{East} to the place of beginning

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Dec 11 6 1/2 Ordered that Warner & Sitchell be allowed security five cents for conveying paupers from Lewis to the poor house.

Dec 11 6 1/2 Ordered that John S. Martello be allowed nine dollars and seventy five cents for services as ^{Supervisor} in road district No 2 Pigeon Township for a d 1843

Dec 11 6 1/2 Ordered Saut. J. Sunkins be allowed three dollars and fifty cents for blank books for Clerks Office

Dec 11 6 1/2 Ordered that Henry Peter be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for Petitioning Drawers in Auditors office & making roller for maps

See Ordered that a License issue to Peakecks & Sharpe to vend foreign merchandize in Vanderburgh County until the first monday in June a d 1845 by their producing the Treasurers receipt for the sum of Five dollars

See Ordered that a License issue to Alex Laughlin & Co to vend foreign in Vanderburgh County until the first monday in June a d 1845 by his producing the Treasurers receipt for the sum of Ten dollars

Original Road District No 8 Armstrong Ordered that Road district No 8 Armstrong be formed upon the petition Kennedy Mcginnish & others as follows to wit: beginning at the ^{South} West corner of Section No 19 Town 5 South Range 11 West in Armstrong Township, running thence East to the South East corner of same Section, thence South to the North East corner of Section No 31 same Town & Range, thence East to the North East corner of Section No 33 Town & Range aforesaid, thence South to the South East corner of Sec 33 same Town & Range last aforesaid thence West to the South West corner of Section No 31 Town and Range aforesaid, thence North to the place of beginning.

Dec 11 6 1/2 Ordered that Charles Boardman be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for three day services as Supervisor of Roads, in a d 1844 in Scott Township.

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Ordered that John N. Hinkdale be allowed three dollars for services rendered the County

Now here the Board appoints James G. Jones Esqr. County agent for the County of Vanderburgh to serve three years from and after the first of Jan a. p. 1844. by his filing his bond according to law

for viewers ^{to make} Now here come Barney Boynton & others ^{for} a change in the Petersburg State road, where it runs through the premises of Geo. S. Dekan, & upon reading & filing said petition, The Board now here, Orders that Wm. Russell, Seth Fairchild & Thomas Onyett, be and they are hereby appointed Viewers. To view out & mark, said state road as the nearest & best, ^{ground} & arrange so as to change said road, from the ground where it now runs, and that they report at the next Term of this Board

Ordered that Morris Bennett be allowed two dollars for services as Judge of elections in 1843 & 1844

Ordered that the Supervisor of road district no 2 Knight Township be allowed fifty dollars for the purpose of building a Bridge on the state road in said road district near the residence of John J. Terry, and that the Supervisor of said ^{district} ~~supervisor~~ be required to approp. expend said appropriation, ^{upon said bridge by letting the job to the lowest bidder} according to the requisitions of the law in such cases. (mand & provided)

Ordered that an appropriation ^{of fifty dollars} be made, out of the County Treasury to the Supervisor of Roads in road district No 4 Scott Township, for the purpose of building a bridge, across a creek near ~~the~~ ^{state} Whalers on the newly laid out road leading from Evansdale to Petersburg, and that said Supervisor let the job of building said bridge, to the lowest bidder for cash,

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Exempt from
Co. Tax

Now here it is Ordered by the Board that Lots No 1, 2, 5 & 6 in the Eastern Enlargement of the Town of Evansville, together with the improvements erected thereon, & occupied as a female Seminary, be and they are hereby exempted from Taxation, for County purposes for the Term of three years from, and after the passage of this order

Auditors & Secy

Expenses
allowances

Ordered that William H. Walker be Allowed Thirty dollars in full for Amofficio services as County Auditor for one year

Ordered that a License issue to Mr. Bates to keep a Tavern in Vanderburgh County with the privilege of retailing Spirituous Liquors, until the first Monday in June A. D. 1845 by his producing the Treasurers Receipt for the sum of Ten dollars, and filing his bond according to law

Ordered that a License issue to Thomas Smith to keep a Tavern in Vanderburgh County until the first Monday in June A. D. 1845 with the privilege of retailing Spirituous Liquors, by his producing the Treasurers Receipt for the sum of Ten dollars & filing his bond according to law

Now here comes Colm N. McKendall Esq. ^{who was} appointed at the last march Term of this board to examine into the condition of the County Seminary funds, and make report in relation to said funds in the words and figures as follows Viz

To the Hon, the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh (County) Gentlemen

In pursuance of an order made at your by your Board at its late March Term, after as thorough an investigation of the Seminary funds of Vanderburgh County, as the Books and papers belonging to said funds, would permit me to make, I beg leave to submit the following Report

McKendalls
Report

Seminary
Funds

That there was in the hands of the Trustee of said funds at the time of his settlement, with the Board, on the 7th ultimo notes to the amount of Two Thousand Nine hundred and fifty four dollars dollars, Receipts of Justices of the peace for notes placed in their hands for collection but not yet collected, to the amount of Fifty Two dollars & ²⁰/₁₀₀, all of which were at the date last aforesaid placed by the Trustee of said fund, in the hands of the County Auditor, and all

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which will more specifically appear by reference to a schedule filed herewith marked A, and made a part of this report, at the time of ^{the} said settlement, ~~the~~ said Trustee had ~~over~~ in his hands belonging to this fund, cash to the amount of sixty four dollars and $\frac{78}{100}$, which he then placed into the hands of the County Treasurer.

Recapitulation

Amount of funds out on loan	\$ 2,954.00
" in the hands of Justices for collection	524.90
Cash paid, in the hands of the County Treasurer	114.78
	\$ 3,071.48

Of this sum $1776 \frac{08}{100}$ is principal arising from fines, and forfeited recognizances, collected in this county, the balance of the said $3071 \frac{48}{100}$ to wit $1295 \frac{30}{100}$ is interest that has accumulated that has been in the hands of the Trustee, after paying his commission for receiving & loaning $174 \frac{23}{100}$.

By reference to the schedule it will be found that there is a claim on J. ^{James} ~~James~~ & Alfred O. Warrick for $34 \frac{59}{100}$, one on W. & R. Mc Gary for $33 \frac{25}{100}$ and one on Joseph Chopin and Jonathan D. Coons for $18 \frac{35}{100}$ making in all $86 \frac{29}{100}$, which may be set down as entirely lost the last of these loans was made by John Shanklin the late trustee of this fund, the other two claims grew up under the administration of some former trustee, but under whose, or whether from the want of care, on the part of the Trustee, I have not the means of ascertaining, the balance of the funds, to wit, $2920 \frac{41}{100}$ out on loan, from the best information, I have been able to collect may may be considered secured. But I would take the liberty, of ^{remarking} ~~remarking~~ that many of the individuals indebted to this fund are of that class, that it will take much care to collect, the several sums due, from them, which will at once show the necessity, of having further security, or that the several sums due from them be collected as soon as possible. It is perhaps not necessary to specify, the sums that are of this character the Auditor upon reference to his list of debts due this fund will ^{ascertain} ~~ascertain~~ those that need further security. From all that I can learn from the books & papers, ^{of this fund} so far as the supervision of the Trustee is concerned, has been managed, in accordance with the county Seminary laws, It is not to be wondered

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at, that some part of this fund may be considered ~~lost~~ ^{lost} entirely, but rather that more of it is not in the same ^{situation} ~~condition~~. The pressure of the times, has been such, that at the time a loan was contracted the individuals were good, but when the loan became due their circumstances had entirely changed, and as this fund has been loaned on personal security, entirely, it has been subject to all the changes of the times, and so little of the fund being lost is evidence of the care of the Trustees over the fund. By the 11th section of an act of the General assembly in relation to county Seminaries "approved July 17th 1838" it is enacted "that so soon as the Seminary fund, shall amount to the sum of four hundred dollars, in any county of this State, the qualified voters thereof may on any day of the general election in such county, and ~~thereafter~~ ^{and thereafter} thereafter elect three trustees of the Seminary of such county &c. and by the same section of said act it is "provided that in all cases where the voters of the county shall neglect or fail, to elect trustees of the county Seminaries, the board doing county business shall appoint such trustees, who shall be governed &c." "as though they had been elected". By the 16th section, of the same act it is provided that, said Trustees shall as soon as practicable, after being duly qualified "procure a suitable site or places to erect an edifice for a public Seminary in such county," by purchase or donation which, "action of the said board of trustees, shall by them be submitted to the board doing county business, in said county, at its first session thereafter, for approval &c"

By the 17th section "It is provided that whenever the Seminary fund, in any county, shall amount to four hundred dollars, after procuring a site as aforesaid, said board of Trustees, may contract for the erection of a suitable edifice upon such site & and be governed in making such contract by sections 17, 18, 19 of said act, of the General assembly. But ~~strongly~~ as it may seem, although the Seminary fund of Madison County, since in a. d. 1827 has been over the specified sum of \$400 the there has been no action whatever had under the provision of the aforesaid sections, of the said, act of the General Assembly, neither by the votes of the county, nor by the board doing county business. I call the attention of the Board, to these facts that they may now have such a view upon subjects as its importance, demands. This fund is now amply sufficient, to purchase a suitable site and erect an elegant & suitable building for a public Seminary, and the interest of rising generation truly demands that the fund should be devoted to its legitimate purpose rather than that should be loaned out, for sake of the interest — arising therefrom,

all of which is respectfully submitted

John A. McDowell

Eransville April 11th 1844

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List of Notes Deposited by John Shanklin Trustee of the Seminary fund with the Auditor of Vanderburgh County upon settlement, with the Board of Commissioners, Names of Payors Names of Payees Amt

Notes	Date	Payors	Payees	Amt
1 note	Nov 11 th	1842 G. B. Wagoner & Co. Cash	John Shanklin trustee of Seminary fund of Vanderburgh County	44.26
"	Jan 28 th	1843 D. Miller & G. B. Wagoner	do	170.71
"	July 29 th	1843 Mr. Claster & Mr. Claster	do	44.43
"	July 23 rd	1843 G. B. Wagoner & D. Miller	do	14.25
"	Feb 13 th	1843 Francis Stuman & Dan Stepha	do	41.19
"	March 1 st	1843 James H. Jones	do	100.90
"	Dec 6 th	1843 Tho. Elliott & Geo. Danvers	do	29.42
"	Nov 19 th	1843 Mr. Rowley & Mr. Trafton	do	88.53
"	Mar 21 st	1843 Mr. Orzyet & A. Lewis	do	102.66
"	" 4 th	1843 do	do	78.32
"	Dec 11 th	1843 Chas. Hingle & Jas. Bond	do	35.31
"	July 12 th	1843 D. Miller & G. B. Wagoner	do	176.55
"	Mar 25 th	1843 N. C. M. Clark & M. Clark	do	30.00
"	Jan 8 th	1843 Mr. Trafton & Mr. Rowley	do	123.72
"	Mar 26 th	1843 E. D. Brown & Mr. M. Walker	do	70.05
"	Sept 10 th	1843 Mr. Trafton & Mr. Rowley	do	355.69
"	Aug 16 th	1843 Mr. Trafton & Mr. Rowley	do	52.22
"	Oct 10 th	1841 Amos Clark & E. M. Heflinger	do	50.32
"	Jan 3 rd	1843 William Healyer	do	85.00
"	Jan 16 th	1844 Mr. M. Walker & Henry Peters	do	50.00
"	Feb 19 th	1844 Mr. Rowley & Mr. Trafton	do	248.11
"	" 19 th	1844 Mr. Trafton & Mr. Rowley	do	99.86
"	July 11 th	1844 Thomas Elliott & Geo. Danvers	do	29.42
"	" 22 nd	1844 James Jones & Joseph White	do	38.84
"	" 2 nd	1844 John Doyle & Richard Brown	do	234.98
"	" 2 nd	1844 Richard Brown & Richard Brown	do	234.98
"	Feb 1 st	1844 J. B. Brown & John Doyle	do	356.69
"	March 8 th	1824 P. H. Henshaw & Alfred C. Harrick	Daniel F. Goldsmith Trustee for the Seminary of Vanderburgh County	34.59

f. 2954.00

Receipt of Thomas S. Montgomery & Robert on behalf of the Seminary of Vanderburgh County
 C. W. Robinson trustee of the said Seminary fund March 7th 1848 33.75
 C. Warner S. P. - Receipt for 1 note on Joseph Chapman & Jonathan S. Jones } Payable 1839 18.95

3006.70

Recd. Cransville March 7th 1844 of John Shanklin trustee of the Seminary fund for Vanderburgh County, the notes and receipts set out in the foregoing list amounting in all to the sum of Three Thousand and Six dollars and ⁵⁰/₁₀₀

William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Assumed that the board adjourn till tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock
 J. D. Givner

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Three per cent
fund
Report

In reference to the management and condition of the Three per cent fund belonging to this county, I would beg leave to submit the following

Report

Of this fund as appears from Vouchers filed with the Auditor, the late Agent (A Rowley) has paid out on

1	Order by Board of Commissioners to M. Clerk & John B. Stinson	for	150, 00
2	Order do do do do	do "Zera. Harschild	50, 00
3	do do do do	do Benoni Stinson	21, 50
4	do do do do	do Andrew Erskine	20, 00
5	do do do do	do Benoni Stinson	6, 00
6	do do do do	do do do	20, 00
7	do do do do	do Andrew Erskine	50, 00
8	do do do do	do Mr P. Neely	48, 87
9	do do do do	do Nathan Rowley	50, 00
10	do do do do	do Willard Carpenter	50, 00
11	do do do do	do do do	42, 00
12	do do do do	do Alanson Warren & others	125, 00
		Total	132, 87

of said funds there has been appropriated by the Board of Commissioners, the following sums of money out of the Three per cent fund for various roads & Bridges purposes and the persons here named, and appointed Commissioners to draw for, and superintend the application of the same.

And to whom and upon whose order the agents claim to have paid out these several sums, and filed a copy of the order of appropriation as a voucher for having paid the same to wit:

No 13	Appropriated May Session 1838	William Mills	100, 00
" 14	do Nov do 1836	W. B. Parker & J. M. McDowell	150, 00
15	do Nov do 1836	Benoni Stinson	25, 00
		Total	275, 00

of these appropriations No 13 made at the May Session 1838 and W. Mills ^{appointed} ~~appropriated~~ Commissioner to draw the money, was afterwards to wit, at the Nov^r Session 1838 Recinded and William Mills ordered to pay the money (if drawn) back to the Three per cent agent. It appears from the endorsements on the copy of the Order No 13, that Mr Mills had drawn from the agent, one hundred dollars Oct 20th 1838. But I have been unable to ascertain from the papers on file or from the Records in the Auditors office whether Mr

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Friday morning on June 7th Board met pursuant to adjournment ~~wherefore~~
as yesterday

Ordered that Mr M. Walker be allowed
Fifty ~~one~~ dollars, for Guarding Soil & for summoning Jurors
for the Probate Court at May Term & for summoning for the
March Term of the D.C.C.

Ordered that Thomas Hecker be allowed
One dollar for viewing road in Centre Township

Ordered that Lawd. J. Jenkins be allowed
Thirty Dollars for the purpose of purchasing books of
Clerks & Records Office

Ordered that Lawd. J. Jenkins be allowed
Ten Dollars for the purpose of purchasing books for
the Clerks & Records Office

Ordered that Lawd. J. Jenkins be
allowed Ten dollars for the purpose of purchasing
books for the Clerks & Records Office

For Opening Road
in Armstrong

Now here it is Ordered that, the Supervisors through whose
districts it may pass, be, and they are hereby instructed
to Open a certain road in Armstrong ^{Township} (marked
out & located by Edward Rogers & others (viewers)
^{appointed} for that purpose, - and known as
the Schisler road, - to Open the same immediately
in accordance with view of said Ed. Rogers & others

Ordered that Mr M. Walker be allowed
Nineteen dollars and fifty cents in spot pay for
Guarding Soil.

Ordered that Mr M. Walker be allowed
Sixteen dollars & fifty cents in full for Guarding
Soil

J. B. B...
Enger...

copy

Ordered that Joseph L. Barnett Supervisor
of roads, in road district No 2 Hought Township, be
and he is hereby authorized to expend the road funds that
may come into his hands, (road tax out of the Township)
for the purpose of purchasing a scraper for the use of said
district.

Five
Ordered that a fine of Two dollars
and fifty cents, be entered up, against Barney Proyster
for contemptuous conduct in the presence of this Board,

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had repaid this sum to the agent of the Three percent fund. on what disposition he made of it.

There has been several other appropriations made by the board of Commissioners of sums of this fund for other Road purposes. And the agent of said fund has filed copies of the orders of appropriation with the endorsement of the Commissioner appointed to superintend the application of the said sums thus appropriated) on the back of said order of the receipt of the sums thus appropriated, as vouchers for his having paid out said sums, to wit:

No 16	appropriated	at Sept	Term 1836	12	Stinson	Commissr	for	300.00
" 17	do	"	do	do	1836	Alanson Warner	" for	200.00
" 18	do	"	do	do	1836	do	do	50.00
" 19	do	"	do	do	1837	do	do	150.00
								700.00

This last Order of appropriation to wit; No 19 made at the May Term 1839, has no receipt endorsed on it, by J. Fairchild of the receipts of money appropriated. The four last named copies of Orders of appropriation can hardly be considered legitimate vouchers for the agents having paid out the several sums in them named, as they do not authorize him to pay the money, or authorize the Commissioner the Commissioner named in the orders to draw on the 3 per cent agent for the sums.

I would therefore recommend, that the Board, if the sums have been properly paid out & expended, pass some order acknowledging the copies of the copies of orders to be sufficient vouchers for the agents paying out the several sums, so that the Comptroller books, when examined may legitimately show what has been done with the Comety funds.

By an order of the Board of Commissioners made at the May Session A. D. 1838. Nathan Rawley was authorized to contract for the construction of two piers under the bridge, across Pigeon on the State Road leading from Evansville, to Princeton, in the Order there is nothing said as to how much he should contract to pay for, piers, who should be the discharging agent, for the payment, or out of what funds the money should be paid. Nor can I find on the records, of the Auditors office, any other order in reference to the said piers of said bridge; Yet the agent of the Three per cent fund claims to have made a contract to pay

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for the building said piers, one thousand dollars, out of the three per cent fund, and in his last report to this Board, give himself credit for said sum, and filed with the Auditor Negley & Woodward's receipt and order to the amount of \$29³⁷/₁₀₀ as vouchers for the payment of the said James Negley & Woodward's, which said receipt and order, are set out in the account current with said Negley & Woodward's, in which he charges them, with the balance - of the one thousand dollars

If this contract for the payment of one thousand dollars for building said piers was with the scope of said agent's authority and if he was authorized to pay the same out of the three per cent fund. The Board will readily perceive that further action of the Board is unnecessary so that the books of the county may show that this transaction was correct and within the meaning of the order appropriating and appointing said agent to contract for said work.

As some report or order should show that the work was done to the satisfaction of the Board. As the books and papers ^{of the Auditor's office} now stand Mr Rowley is responsible for this one thousand dollars as agent of the three per cent fund.

The agent in his last report to this Board has given himself credit with two thousand and thirty eight dollars paid on James Pepp, J. B. Stinson and Edward Hopkins (County Commissioners) note payable at the Evansville Branch of the State Bank of Indiana

Also Claims Credit for 32 days services as Commissioner	\$64 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	76 46
	<u>\$140 00</u>

He also in his last report claims credit for \$2⁶⁵/₁₀₀ paid a Laughlin & Co also for \$35⁰⁰/₁₀₀ paid Olmstead & Robinson & files their receipts as vouchers. But for his payment of these two sums out of the three per cent fund I can find no authority

Recapitulation

No 1	Order by Board of Commissioners to A. Clark & J. B. Stinson for	150 00
" 2	do " do " do " Jera Fairchilds "	50 00
" 3	do " do " do " Renona Stinson "	21 50
" 4	do " do " do " Andrew Estlin "	20 00
" 5	do " do " do " Renona Stinson "	6 00
" 6	do " do " do " do do "	20 00
" 7	do " do " do " Andrew Estlin "	50 00
" 8	do " do " do " Mr P. Negley "	48 87
" 9	do " do " do " Nathan Rowley "	50 00
" 10	do " do " do " Willard Carpenter "	50 00
" 11	do " do " do " do do "	42 00
" 12	do " do " do " Alanson Warner & others "	125 00
" 13	Appropriated at May Term 1838 " William Wills "	100 00
" 14	do " do " do 1836 " W. B. Barker & J. M. McDowel "	150 00

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15	appropriated at Nov Term 1835 Benona Stinson	25	00
16	do do " Sept do 1836 Ben Stinson to do	3	00
17	do do " do 1836 Alanson Warner do	200	00
18	do do " Nov do 1836 do do do	50	00
19	do do " May do 1837 Gen Fairchilds do	150	00
Note of Commissions as aforesaid		238	00
32 days services as Commissions at \$2 per day		64	00
For Commissions		76	46
		1986	83
In which may be added order made at May session 1834 to N Broulger		17	00
		2003	83

Thus it will be seen that the agent has legitimately (if these orders of appropriation are legitimate vouchers) paid out and is entitled to a credit of the sum of \$2003.83

The late agent of this fund has received as per information from the Auditor of State from the Treasurer of the State of Indiana the sum of \$4158.76

From which deduct the amount of our legitimately expenses and for which the agent is entitled to a credit.

\$4158.76
\$2003.83
2154.93

Thus leaving the agent indebted to the County as agent of the three percent fund in the sum of two thousand one hundred and fifty ^{four} dollars and ninety-three cents

But if the agent be entitled to credit for the one thousand dollars expense on the fees of the bridge of course and also for the thirty seven dollars and ~~65~~ ⁰⁰ paid for the purchase of ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~blint~~ ^{blint} ~~and~~ ^{and} ~~Robus~~ ^{Robus} in all \$1037.00 this sum should be deducted from the balance in which said agent is indebted to the County, to wit, from \$2154.93

deduct said Credit of 1037.00
Balance \$1117.28

It will thus be seen that the agent still stands indebted to the County on account of said three percent fund in the sum of one thousand one hundred and seventeen dollars and twenty eight cents

But the Board will see from this statement of the facts that said agent is not entitled to this credit of \$1037.00 and that it can ^{only} be allowed from this fund by further action of this Board

I would again call the attention of your Body to the order rescinded at the Novm session 1838. If said Wm Wells had not paid out said sum of one thousand dollars before he received notice of said order of rescission in person or of the object for which it had been originally appropriated, he remains responsible to the County for the said sum of one thousand dollars so by him drawn from the three percent fund

All of which is respectfully submitted

Evansville May 21st 1844

John N. ⁴⁰ Walker
Agent

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3 or 4
wants

And now here comes Nathan Bowley and acknowledges to this Board that Mr. Wills repaid to him the said Bowley the one hundred dollars by the said Wills drawn from the said Nathan Bowley agent of the three per cent fund

Sum 2

And now here comes Nathan Bowley late agent of the three per cent fund and shows to this board by vouchers and otherwise that he has very properly and to the satisfaction of this board expended all the money of the three per cent fund received by him of the Treasurer of the State of Indiana except the sum of one hundred and twenty one dollars and seventy four cents. In which sum it is found that he now stands indebted to this county for the three per cent fund

And it is further ordered that upon said Bowley forthwith paying into the County Treasury the said sum of one hundred and twenty one dollars and seventy four cents it shall be considered as a final settlement with the said agent for all the money of the three per cent fund by him received of the Treasurer of the State of Indiana prior to the 7th day of March A. D. 1844

Order
of
the
Board

Now here comes Rufus Bond and contracts with this Board to repair the bridge on the Princeton Road across Pigeon Creek near Creyless Mill. and now here it is. Ordered that so soon as said bridge is repaired, and received by two of the Board of Commissioners the County Auditor is hereby authorized and instructed to issue to Rufus Bond the sum of Twenty Eight dollars. which is the sum for which, he, said Bond agrees to repair said Pigeon Bridge

Ordered that D. D. Horins be allowed Two Dollars for serving as a Judge at an April Election and for returning Poll Books

Ordered that W. Carpenter be allowed Four Hundred and Seven dollars & Eighty seven cents for keeping Ramps one quarter and Eight days up to the 9th day of March A. D. 1844

Ordered that John N. Kendall be allowed Eighty Five dollars for services rendered the County investigating the several Trust funds of said County

Ordered that Barney Poynton be allowed Three Dollars and fifty cents for Stationary for Treasurers Office

Ordered that Bracket Mills be allowed Three dollars for superintending the building the Stray Pen & drawing draft for same

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Dec. 6th 1844 \$9⁰⁰ Ordered that Rufus Prout be allowed nine dollars and seventy five cents for Repairs of Bow Bridge.

Dec. 10th 1844 \$2⁰⁰ Ordered that Joseph P. Elliott be allowed two dollars services rendered as overseer of the Poor, of Pigeon Township

And now when it is ordered that John Mitchell be Repairs of said Jail he is hereby appointed, agent to have the County Jail put in good repair, by closing up and sufficiently securing the north door of said Jail, and cutting a door through the partition, between the two upper rooms, and have a good substantial shutter, made to the same, secured by a sufficient lock, and that the other repairs to said Jail, ^{be in accordance with the} ~~be~~ ^{the improvements as one of the said Jail & that the} ~~be~~ ^{recommendation by the} report of the ^{said} Grand Jury be literally complied with, if the necessary timber can be had, and if that ~~cannot~~ ^{is not} be had, he is ^{at} liberty to have the veiling recommended by said Grand Jury done with the best seasoned, ~~timber~~ ^{material} that he can procure all of which repairs he is ordered and directed to have done immediately, and it is further ordered that when said Mitchell satisfies the Auditor that said repairs are done, the Auditor is authorized to issue an order to said Mitchell for the amount of the said work,

Ordered that a License issue to R. W. Gould to ~~keep~~ ^{keep} a Tavern in Vanderburgh County, until the first of October a. d. 1844 by his producing the Treasury Receipt for the sum of five dollars, ~~and~~ ^{and} filing his Bond according to law,

Ordered that a License issue to William Hought to vend foreign merchandise in Vanderburgh County until the first Monday in June a. d. 1845 by his producing the Treasurers Receipt for the sum of five dollars

Ordered that Harrington Keenan & Co to vend foreign merchandise in Vanderburgh County until the first Monday in June a. d. 1845 by his producing the Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Ordered that Christian Decker be and he is hereby appointed Pound Keeper, to keep and attend to the County Pound for the term of three years from and after the 1st Monday in June a. d. 1844

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June Term a. d. 1844

Now here at this time comes George Bates ^{with the 13 copies} and contracts, to keep the paupers of Vanderburgh ^{County} for the term of one year from and after the ^{1st} day of Aug of Ann a. d. 1844, for the sum of fourteen hundred dollars, payable in county orders quarterly, & that the said Geo. Bates agrees to pay the sum of two thousand and fifty dollars as rent of the Poor house with the grounds attached thereto.

Case 1088 c \$217.00 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed sixty two dollars and seventy cents for services as county Auditor upto the 1st of Aug a d 1844

Case 1089 c \$24.60 Ordered that William H. Walker Auditor be allowed two dollars and forty eight cents for services as county Auditor ending on the last day of Aug a. d. 1844

Case 1090 c \$10.00 Ordered that David D. Grimes Esq be allowed ten dollars for services as commissioner at the Ann Term a. d. 1844

Case 1091 c \$10.00 Ordered that Everton Kummerly be allowed ten dollars for Official services at the Ann Term of the Board of Commissioners a d 1844

Now here it is ordered that a Habeas Corpus issue against Barney Ruyton for the collection of a fine, of two dollars and fifty cents together with all costs, ^{which said fine was} assessed against him for a contempt, of upon the passage of the Motion to Wm H. Walker for Guarding Jail. Willard Carpenter voted in the negative

Now here upon ^{the} action of the Board upon in relation to letting the paupers & taking them to the Poor house, Everton Kummerly voted in the negative

Case 1092 c \$10.00 Ordered that Willard Carpenter Esq be allowed ten dollars for Official services as county commissioner at the Ann Term a. d. 1844

Ordered that the board of our justice court in course
D. Grimes
Willard Carpenter
Everton Kummerly

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Resolved No 95-60 of ¹⁸⁴³~~1844~~ Now here it is Ordered that Henry Andle be
allowed ~~\$100~~⁸⁸ dollars for sawing splitting & piling wood for county

Now Here it is Ordered by that Board that
the Auditor he and he is hereby instructed and required to
^{require} ample real estate security, to be given on all notes & obligations
belonging to the County Treasury funds as soon as they become
due: and in case of refusal or neglect, on the part of
the payer of such notes after they become ^{due}, the Auditor is required
to hand them over immediately for collection.

Ordered that the Auditor be Authorized &
required ~~to~~ in place of drawing the Supervisors an order
for labour on the roads as has been allowed the during this
Term of the Board. ~~to~~ to allow them at the rate of twenty
five cents, per diem, in county Order

Ordered that the Auditor be required to
make out the pool Books, for ^{the} ^{month} ^{until} ^{the} ^{first}
Monday in June A. D. 1845

D. H. Garrison

In Vacation June 10th 1844

Wm P Kelly

Perry

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads for road district No 5 Perry Township, to serve one year, & until your successor is elected and qualified.

Mr James S. McPherson

Perry

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads, in road district No 6 Perry Township, to serve until the next April Election & until your successor is elected and qualified

Perry

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads for a. d. 1844 - for road district No 2 Perry Township to serve until the next April election & until your successor is elected & qualified.

June 13 1844

Beverly Lawrence

Centre

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in road district No 1 Centre Township for the year a. d. 1844, to serve until the next April Election & until your successor is elected and qualified.

June 13th 1844

Jonas Parks

Centre

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in road district No 2 Centre Township for a. d. 1844, to serve until the next April Election & until your successor is elected & qualified

June 13th 1844

Matthew Flanagan

Centre

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in road district No 5 Perry Township for a. d. 1844, to serve until the next April Election & until your successor is elected & qualified

June 13th 1844

In Vacation June 13 a D 1844

Samuel McIntchen

Centre
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You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in road district No 3 Centre Township for a. d. 1844. to serve until the next April Election & until your Successor is elected & qualified

Auditors office V.C. July 5th 1844

Michael Damba

Centre

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in roads district No 4 Centre Township for a. d. 1844- to serve until the next April election & until your Successor is elected & qualified.

Martin Littlepage

Perry

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads, in road district No One (1) Perry Township, for a. d. 1844. to serve until the next April election, & until your Successor is elected & qualified

Henry Wood.

Knights

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads for road district No 4 Knight Township for a. d. 1844. to serve until the next April election, and until your Successor is elected & qualified

June 14th

Samuel McIntchen

Centre

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads for road district No 3 Centre Township for a. d. 1844. to serve until the next April election and until your Successor is elected & qualified

June 14

John M. Blair

Union

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in & for road district No 1 Union Township for the year a. d. 1844. to serve until the next April election and until your Successor is elected & qualified

Scott

Christian Morgankamer

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in & for road district No 3 Scott Township for a. d. 1844 to serve until the next April election & until your Successor is elected & qualified

July 30th

June 15th

On Vacation

Auditors Office N.C. June 17th 1844

W. H. H. Parker

C^{do}
Perry

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in & for road district No 4 Perry Township for a. d. 1844 to serve until the next April election and until your successor is elected & qualified

Auditors Office N.C. June 17th 1844

Michael P Jones

C^{do}

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in and for road district No 4 Pigeon Township for a. d. 1844 to serve until the next April election and until your successor is elected & qualified.

June 19thC^{do}

Issued a License to Henry Hoen to vend foreign Merchandise in Vanderburgh County until the first Monday in December 1844 by his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Two dollars & fifty cents

John M Stinson

June 24thC^{do}

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in & for road district No 3 Pigeon Township for a. d. 1844 to serve until the next April election & until your successor is elected & qualified

Volney Daymond

Union

Township copy

handed St. H.

June 29th 44

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in & for road district No 3 Union Township for a. d. 1844, to serve until the next April election & until your successor is elected & qualified

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handed as above

Julius J. Leallett, you are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in & for road district No 2 Union Township, to serve until the next April election & until your successor is elected & qualified

July 1stC^{do}

Issued a License to John A. Curtis to vend foreign Merchandise in Vanderburgh until the first Monday in June a. d. 1844 after having produced the Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

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In Vacation July 2nd 1844

Auditor office V.C. July 2nd 1844

Thornston Neal

Ind

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in & for road district No 3 Union Township for a.s. 1844, to serve until the next April election & until your successor is elected & qualified

Charles Jones

July 10th

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You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in for road district No 3 Perry Township for a.s. 1844 to serve until the next April election & until your successor is elected & qualified

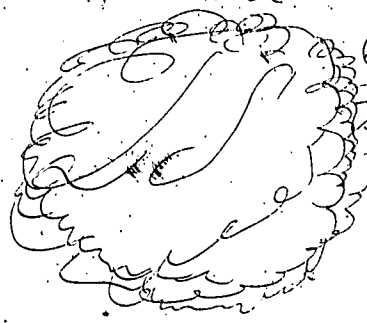
August 3rd

For Value received I hereby assign over & transfer to Frederick Metzger all my right title interest and claim in and to the within & annexed certificate to Frederick Metzger witness my hand and seal this third day of August a.s. 1844

State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } Act

G. B. Wagner Seal

Before me William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County aforesaid. Personally appeared George B. Wagner whose name appears to the foregoing transfer, and acknowledged the above assignment to be his voluntary act and deed for the purposes therein mentioned



In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at -
Corydon this 3rd day of August a.s. 1844

William H. Walker Auditor V.C.

State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } Act

I George B. Wagner of said State & County do certify that sometime in the fall or winter of 1839 I did sell to Frederick Metzger for a valuable consideration, Lot No 7 of the School Lands sold by the School Commissioners in a.s. 1837, belonging to Congressional Townships No 5 South, Range 11 West, being the same mentioned in the certificate herewith annexed, and transferred to Frederick Metzger & from Metzger to Peter Buckell,

G. B. Wagner Seal

For Value received I do hereby assign over and transfer, all my right title interest and claim in and to the within annexed certificate to Christopher Goebel, this the 7th day of August a.s. 1844

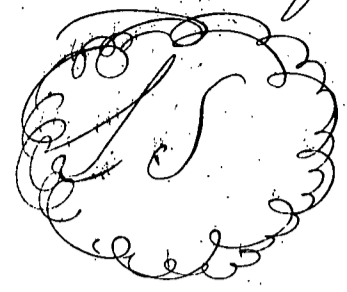
Peter Buckell Seal

State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } Act

Before me William H. Walker Auditor of said County. Personally appeared Peter Buckell, whose name appears to the above transfer, and acknowledged the above transfer to me

15, 1844

This voluntary

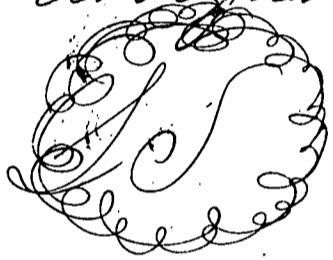


act and the purposes therein contained
In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the Board of
Commissioners of said county at Knoxville this
7th day of August A.D. 1844

William H. Walker a. C. C.

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Whereas Christopher Goebel has this day produced to me the School Commissioners Receipt number forty five for the sum of Seventy five dollars in full for the South half of the South West quarter of Section number sixteen in Township number five South of Range number eleven West containing Eighty Acres. Now Know Ye that in Consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statute in such case made and provided, I William H. Walker County Auditor for the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana for and in the name of the inhabitants of Congressional Township number five in Range number eleven West do give and grant the said South half of the South West quarter of Section number sixteen to the said Christopher Goebel and to his heirs and assigns forever.



In testimony Whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name as Auditor aforesaid and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville this the 7th day of August A.D. 1844

Attest Bracket Mills S.C. & W.C. } William H. Walker Auditor of
Vanderburgh County

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County 1st

I Bracket Mills a Justice of the Peace for Pigeon Township of said County do hereby certify that on this seventh day of August A.D. 1844 the within named William H. Walker personally appeared before me at my office and acknowledged the within to be his voluntary act and deed for the purposes herein mentioned given under my hand and seal at Evansville this day and year above written

Bracket Mills (S.C.)
Justice of the Peace

Record Aug 7th 1844
Wm H Walker a.c.

Rhodes Rodgers

You are hereby appointed supervisor for
road district No 6 Armstrong Township for A.D. 1844 to
serve until the next April election & until your successor
is elected & qualified.

August 23rd 1844

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At a session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh, began and held at the court house in the Town of Evansville, in said County on the first Monday in September (it being the 3rd day of said month) A.D. 1844. When present Willard Carpenter and Everton Kemmerly Members thereof.

Now here Ezekeel Saunders member elected at the last August election, comes & takes his seat in the Board, as a member thereof.

Now here it appearing to the satisfaction of the Board, that road district No. 2 Perry Township as laid off at the last Term of the Board was - incorrectly described, in the order bounding said road district. Thereupon it is now here ordered that road district No. 2 Perry Township shall be formed and bounded as follows to, wit, commencing at the north west corner of section number twenty two (22) Town six (6) South of range eleven (11) West, running thence South, to the south west corner of section number twenty seven (27) same town & Range, running thence east to the south east corner of said section twenty seven thence South, to the south west corner of fractional section No thirty five (35) same town & Range, - thence west to Wagnons Creek, thence South, to the bayou, thence with said bayou to the south west corner of the south east quarter of the north east quarter of section No 3, in Township seven (7) South, Range eleven (11) West, thence East to the Ohio River, thence North East with said river to the north east corner, of the south east quarter of section No 26, in Town six South, Range no eleven West, thence South to the north east corner, of the south east quarter of section number twenty three, in Town six, South, Range eleven West, thence West to the north west corner of said quarter section, thence North to the north east corner of the north west quarter of section No 23. Town 6 South Range 11 West, thence west to the place of beginning

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Now here it ordered that Willard Carpenter be appointed President of the Board

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Ord. No 146^e \$3.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that J. B. Aydelott be allowed three dollars for -
services as clerk at Justice & General Election

Ord. No 147^e \$3.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ ordered that Robert M. Evans be allowed
three dollars for services as clerk at Justice General -
Elections

Ord No 281^e \$7.⁴⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that B. B. Ester be allowed seven dollars
and sixty one cents, for arresting James Thompson and conveying
him to from Gibson County, Tenn to Eraville

Now here upon the reading, and filing the petition of Henry
Abotts & others praying the appointment of Viewers, to
view out & mark a certain ~~Eastway~~ ^{road}, commencing at a
certain dogwood tree marked A on the Posey county line in
Armstrong Township in Section No 18, running thence through
Henry Rogers lands, and through George Pook East Key land
& through Henry Mungesthans intersecting the Old Tobacco
Road, at a certain dogwood tree marked E. It is
here ordered that Michael Mintzer Kennedy Hegginbotham
& Michael Melf he and they are hereby appointed
viewers to view out & mark said East way on the
nearest & best ground, in accordance with the prayer of said
petitioners, & that they report at the next session of this Board.

Now here it appearing to the satisfaction of the
Board that Jacob ~~Shelby~~ ^{Shelby} is now & has been labouring
under a ~~badly~~ ^{badly} infirmity. It is therefore hereby ordered
that said Jacob ~~Shelby~~ ^{Shelby}, he, and he is hereby exempted
from labour on the public Highways in Vanderburgh
County

Ord No 148^e \$1.⁴⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that James J. Walker be allowed
one dollar & sixty two cents. for receiving ^{paying} & discharging
Protest McLain from Jail & for taking acknowledgment of deed
to common school land

Now here upon the reading & filing the petition of Alexander
Kellizer & others & also the petition of Mark Wheeler & others
praying for the location of a certain ~~road~~ ^{cut way} therein
named & the appointment of viewers to view out &
mark said road, ^{or} ~~on~~ ^{cut way} it is now here ordered
that James Mappitt James Witherspoon & Patrick Hagan
he & they are hereby appointed viewers to view out
& mark said road, ^{or} ~~on~~ ^{cut way} in said petition mentioned
on the nearest & best ground, and that they
report to this board at its next session

Ord No 149^e \$2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Simon Nelson
be allowed two dollars for services as Judge
at a General Election in Aug last

Ord No 150^e \$1.⁰⁰ Ordered that Abner Marais
be allowed one dollar for services as clerk at
Election in April 1844

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Now here comes John N. Kendall Esq, agent heretofore appointed to examine into the condition of the school funds belonging to the second Congressional Township of Vanderburgh County, and make report in relation to the condition of said funds

Now here come John Erskine Esq. Samuel McCutchen & Kimlock McJohnston members heretofore appointed by this Board & make report in the words & figures as follows to wit;

Report of
John Erskine
Samuel McCutchen
& Kimlock McJohnston

To the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County we John Erskine Samuel McCutchen and Kimlock McJohnston, Being duly sworn repaired to the ground, and after viewing different routes we have selected the route running from Matthew Linch's land on the section line running South 3/4 of a mile to the county road between sections 23 and 24 as being the best and nearest

Done at
August 29th 1844 } Samuel McCutchen
Kimlock McJohnston
John Erskine

Now here it is ordered that those interested, be allowed to open said road at their own expense

No 151 to \$2⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Jacob M. Peckham be allowed two dollars & twelve cents for recording two indentures & for quills for clerks office

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock Willard Carpenter Post

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Tuesday morning 8 o'clock the Board met pursuant to adjournment when present Willard Carpenter Everett Hammerly & Emanuel Sanders Esqs

Res No 152 to \$2⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered Christian Decker be allowed two dollars for services as Judge at the last August Election

Res No 153 to \$2⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that William Whittlesy be allowed two dollars for services as clerk at a general election in A.D. 1843

Res No 154 to \$2⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Ira P. Granger be allowed two dollars for services as Inspector of Elections in Knigh Township

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W. C. Keiser
P. ...
Sept 1, 1844

Now here comes Christian Decker and makes a proposition to the Board for a compromise of the claim of the County of Vanderburgh to lot No One Hundred and Seventy Six (176) in the Donation Enlargement of the Town of Erwinside and upon an examination in relation to the title to said lot, it appears to the Board that said Christian Decker and the County of Vanderburgh have conflicting claims to said lot, to compromise which, the said Christian Decker proposes to pay to the County Two thousand dollars upon the following conditions to wit: One thousand dollars said Decker agrees to pay in twelve months from this date with legal interest thereon from the date hereof, and the other, One thousand dollars in twenty four months months from the date hereof with the like interest ~~thereon~~ from the date hereof. And now here it is agreed upon by & between said Christian Decker & the Board of Commissioners, that said Decker is to pay to said Vanderburgh County the aforementioned sums, as heretofore specified, ^{upon the receipt of property} and said County agrees & binds itself to cause a Quit Claim Deed to be executed to said Decker vesting the title of the said County of Vanderburgh in ~~the~~ said lot in Christian Decker his heirs or assigns.

Ord. No 155 to \$2.00/100 Ordered that Daniel Miller be allowed Two dollars for serving as Inspector at the last August election.

Ord. No 156 to \$3.75/100 Ordered that Milo Dawley be allowed three dollars and seventy five cents for Extra services as Supervisor for a, 1844.

Now here it is ordered that an appropriation of Fifty Dollars be and it is hereby made out of the County Treasury for the purpose of repairing bridge and embankment over Magnous Creek, on the Mount Vernon road near Carpenters Mill in Perry Township.

Now here it is ordered that Daniel Miller Esq be and he is hereby appointed Inspector of Elections for Pigeon Township, to serve until the next April election & until his successor is elected & qualified.

Ordered that George J. Johnson, a Credit Labour of Am Days, on the Public Highway in Centro Township for serving as Clerk at the last April election in said Township.

Ord. No 157 to \$1.00/100 Ordered that M. Stahlhoffer be allowed One dollar for making key for Court house.

Ord. No 158 to \$1.00/100 Ordered that Joseph Litchell be allowed One dollar for taking five paupers to poor house.

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No 109 to \$1.00 Ordered that Geo Bates be allowed one dollar for conveying paupers to County poor house

No 160 to \$5.00 Ordered that Wm H. Chandler be allowed five dollars in part for Advertising Report of Receipts & Expenditures of County

No 161 to \$5.37 Ordered that Wm H. Chandler be allowed five dollars & thirty seven cents for publishing Report of Receipts & Expenses of County & notice of Election

No 162 to \$3.00 Ordered that Martin Piss be allowed three dollars for making coffin for pauper

No 163 to \$284.50 Ordered that George Bates be allowed two hundred & eighty four dollars & fifty cents for keeping paupers for one quarter of a year up to the 8th of September 1844

No 164 to \$62.50 Ordered that Willard Carpenter be allowed sixty two dollars & fifty cents for one quarter rent of Poor house up to Sept first 1844

Now here it is Ordered that an order passed yesterday by this Board allowing Saml Y Jenkins two dollars & twelve cents for recording two indentures & for quills, be and the same is hereby rescinded at the request of S. Y. Jenkins

No 165 to \$1.30 Ordered that Saml Y Jenkins be allowed one dollar & thirty cents for recording 2 indentures & for 2 small blank books.

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County, Armstrong township August 28th 1844
To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County.

In pursuance of an order of this Honorable Board, herewith returned, we the undersigned appointed by the said order to view and lay out the road therein mentioned, have viewed and laid out the same, and returned it as a road of public utility, as follows to wit,

Beginning at John Bauwires in Armstrong township at a certain white oak tree marked A running thence through section 21 intersecting the Lynthiana Road at a certain white oak tree marked E at a distance of about forty rods from said road, which is respectfully submitted. Witness our hands this 28th day of August 1844

John Nettig
Jacob Brown
John Pratts

Ordered that said road be opened at the expense of the parties interested therein

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Now here upon the petition of John Pettig and others praying for the appointment of viewers to view out & mark a certain eastway therein named. Order that Jacob Brown John Pettig & Henry (which he and they are hereby appointed) viewers to view & mark out a east way commencing on John Stock land in Armstrong Township at a certain Hackberry tree marked A, running thence through section twenty two (22) intersecting (which) east way at a certain Black oak tree marked letter E. and that they report to this Board at its next session.

Now here the Board appoints Saml. McLenthan Agent to superintend the building of a bridge on the Petersburg road, in road district et c, 3 Centre Township, and appropriate ten dollars to be paid out of the County Treasury for the purpose of (in addition to what said McLenthan has now in his hands) of building said bridge. And it is further ordered that said agent be required to let the job of building said bridge to the lowest bidder for cash, & be governed by the Statute in relation to roads & Highways in letting said job.

Ordered that John Ditch be allowed five dollars and twelve cents for ^{an} ~~day~~ ^{lock} ~~age~~ on ~~lock~~ for ~~lock~~ & for services superintending the repairs to said ~~lock~~ ^{Ditch}.

And now at this time comes Robert W. Dumber and presents to the Board a Certificate of Samuel J. Decker Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court (said Certificate being under the seal of said Court,) whereby it appears that the said Robert W. Dumber was on the first Monday in August Ad 1844 duly elected Treasurer of the County of Vanderburgh, and the said Robert W. Dumber also files his bond with his bond with Madison J. Bray James G. Jones John Walsh Joseph Lane Nathaniel Mc Lane George B. Walker William Walker John Purbank Abraham Gumberts Philip Decker and Philip Kramer as his securities, on the back of which is endorsed his official oath administered according to law & which said bond is in the words and figures following, to wit;

"Know all men by these presents that we Robert W. Dumber Madison J. Bray James G. Jones John Walsh Joseph Lane Nathaniel Mc Lane George B. Walker William Walker John Purbank Abraham Gumberts Philip Decker and Philip Kramer are held and firmly unto the State of Indiana in the sum of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we do bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators and every

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them jointly severly and firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated this 30th day of August A.D. 1844

Whereas the above bounden Robert W. Dunbar was on the first Monday in August A.D. 1844 duly elected County Treasurer of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana for the term of three years, Now the condition of the above Obligation is such that if the said Robert W. Dunbar shall well and truly pay over according to Law all moneys which shall come into his hands (by virtue of his said office) for State County road and other purposes, and shall also well faithfully and promptly discharge all the duties of his said office of County Treasurer according to Law then the above obligation to be void and of non effect, otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in Law

- R. W. Dunbar Seal
- M. J. Pray Seal
- John Jones Seal
- John Walsh Seal
- Joseph Lane Seal
- N. H. Lane Seal
- E. D. Walker Seal
- Wm. M. Walker Seal
- John Purbank Seal
- A. Lamberts Seal
- Ph Decker Seal
- P. Kramer Seal

And the said Robert W. Dunbar, also files another bond in the penal sum of Ten Thousand dollars with Christian Decker John H. Boffendick William Caldwell and Charles Harrington as his security, which said last mentioned bond is in the words and figures following, to wit:

"Know all men by these presents that we Robert W. Dunbar Christian Decker John H. Boffendick William Caldwell and Charles Harrington are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of of Ten Thousand dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we do bind ourselves our heirs, executors, and administrators and every of them jointly severly and firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated this 30th day of August A.D. 1844

Whereas the above bounden Robert W. Dunbar was on the first Monday in August A.D. 1844 duly elected County Treasurer of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana for the term of three years. Now

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The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the said Robert McDunbar shall well and faithfully perform the duties of his said office of County Treasurer, connected with the surplus revenue County, Seminary and three per cent. funds of said County, and shall also well and faithfully pay over to the persons entitled thereto all of said funds which may come into his hands by virtue of his said Office and transfer to his Successor in office all money, books and papers relating thereto then the above obligation to be void and of own effect otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in Law

R. W. Dunbar Seal
Christian Decker Seal
John H. Popandick Seal
W. Caldwell Seal
Charles Harrington Seal

And the Board having considered said Bonds and the securities therein, do now here accept and approve the same.

Resolved that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning, Willard Carpenter Pres

Wednesday Morning 8 o'clock Board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

No 1177 to \$2.00 Ordered that Saml. Sistas be allowed two dollars for order Book & Deed Book for Clerk of Circuit Court
No 1178 to \$1.75 Ordered that R. W. Dunbar be allowed one dollar and seventy five cents for services as Inspector of Election in April last

No 1179 to \$5.00 Ordered that James M. Parvin be allowed five dollars for fixing hand cuffs for Criminals

Now here it appearing to the satisfaction of the Board that Benedict Shaper is labouring, a serious bodily infirmity, therefore it is now here ordered that said Benedict Shaper he and he is hereby exempted from labour upon the public Highways in Vanderburgh County & also exempted from the payment of a Poll Tax to the County of Vanderburgh so long as he may labour, such infirmity

Now here it is ordered that road district No 8 Armstrong Township be altered as follows & changed as follows, to wit: In addition to the boundary of said road district, as recorded at Vol 26 of the ^{last} Term the Board do now here add the west half of Section 19 Town 5 South Range 11 West and east of from said district the East half of Section 33 same Town & Range which is now

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Added to road district No 3 Armstrong Township,

Now here at this time comes John N. Kikendall Esq who was heretofore appointed by this Board, and makes report in the words and figures following to wit

To the Hon Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh;

Gentlemen

In reference to the condition of the school funds of the County of Vanderburgh on the 7th of March A. D. 1844. I beg leave to make the following report

Report

The commissions books have been so kept that it has been with much difficulty that I could come to any conclusions, that I felt satisfied might be relied upon. And ^{now} now the Auditor may upon a final settlement with individuals indebted to these funds, find that their indebtedness in some instances may vary from what it is here stated, as the Auditor informs me that individuals have shown they were entitled to different credits from what the books of the office show, and it is not improbable that other errors have crept into these multifarious and long standing accounts

I would here observe that I have not attempted to adjust the accounts of the several Townships individually, nor have I attempted to balance the accounts of the several Townships in the manner in which they have been kept in the book of the School Commissioners office, but as I conceived the object of this investigation to be, to ascertain, in what manner, and to what amount the offices entrusted with the management of these funds, have accounted for them, and to ascertain thereby, whether ^{the} said officers were indebted to the funds, and if so to what amount. I have in this investigation, taken up the books at the beginning, and followed them throughout charging the officers ~~throughout~~ with each item of principal and interest as received, and giving them credit in like manner. This course must give a clearer & deeper view of the subject matter, than if taken up as the accounts have been kept, on the books of the office. It appears from the books of the Auditors office that N. Rowley Esq. Late School Commissioner and D. Mills Esq. the present School Commissioner, have received from the sale of School lands & as interest on monies due for lands sold & as interest on loans, and for the redemption of lands & interest arising from the surplus revenue

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the sum of Twenty thousand nine hundred and four dollars and ninety eight cents, to wit

Rec ^d by N. Rowley Esqr	\$18144.27
do " P. Mills Esqr	<u>2760.71</u>
Total	\$20904.98

Said School Commissions here together paid out, on Trustees orders and as expenses attending the management of the funds, the sum of six thousand five hundred and seventy nine dollars, which deducted from the amount of the receipts to wit,

Deduct from \$20904.98

This sum \$6579.97

leaves \$14325.01 due the fund

from Commissions receipts. There was placed in the hands of the County Auditor on the 7 of last March the Bonds of Borrowers of School funds upon which there was then due for principal the sum of \$10,203.72. P. Mills as appears from his book had at that time cash on hand to wit the sum of \$1339.58. which added to the amount due as principal on Bonds makes Eleven thousand five hundred and forty three ^{and 3/4} dollars, which taken from the amount due the fund to wit from \$14325.01 leaves \$2781.71 still due the fund from the receipts of the Commissions from which may be deducted \$128.25 out paid by Mr Rowley upon an order of the Board of Commissions for an Iron safe, and the account will then stand Two thousand six hundred and fifty three ^{and 46/100} dollars against the Commissions. Mr Rowley however claims Commissions as per entries on his books to the sum of One thousand One hundred and thirty seven dollars and nine cents. But I can find nothing in the School Laws that will authorize his charging on the board of Commissions allowing him any commissions at all, as his fees as School Commissioner are fixed by law. Those Commissions have been charged generally at the rate of three per cent, but in some instances even higher

The Board will see ^{that} I have thus far treated the accounts as a whole. The reason for this, is that at the time the funds were by Mr Rowley passed in to the hands of P. Mills Esqr, they made no settlement and at this late day, this course, seems to be the only one by which I could come to any conclusion as to how they (the accounts) stood at the time of said transfer to Mr Mills. The Board will see that by ^{now} taking up Mills account and showing how it stands with in connection with the foregoing facts show how Mr Rowley stands. It appears from P. Mills books, that he has received from N. Rowley Esqr

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and as principal, in payment for lands sold, loans repaid and interest on loans, interest on money due for lands sold & from interest, an surplus revenue the sum of Four Thousand five hundred and fifty six dollars and thirty four cents. He has paid out on the orders of Township Trustees the sum of One Thousand one hundred and thirty five dollars and seventy six cents, and has loaned out the sum of Two thousand & Eighty one dollars, which ~~together~~ with the sum paid out, to wit, \$1135.76 cents will make three thousand two hundred and sixteen ⁷⁶/₁₀₀ dollars, deduct this from the amount of his receipts to wit from the sum of Four thousand five hundred and fifty six ³⁴/₁₀₀ dollars, and it leaves the sum of one thousand three hundred and thirty nine dollars and fifty eight cents.

Recapitulation

Whole amount of receipts by Mills 4556.34
 Whole amount of money loaned by Mills 2081.00
 " " paid out by Mills 1135.76 = 3216.76
\$1339.58

Thus it will be seen that Mills should have cash on hand at the time he transferred the books & papers of his office to the Auditor, the sum of One thousand three hundred and thirty nine dollars and ⁵⁸/₁₀₀. The Auditor informs me that he counted money in the hands of Mills at the time of said transfer to the amount of one thousand four hundred & fifty dollars, but Mills contends that the sum over the \$1339.58 aforesaid is his own, and from the facts above stated, they being gathered from his books, it seems that the funds can only claim said sum of \$1339.58.

The following list will show the names of the Borrowers of the School Funds, with the amount of the principal & interest due from each annexed to their names respectively.

A list of the names of the Borrowers of the School funds of the County of Vandenberg with the sums due from each on the 7th day of March A.D. 1844. annexed to their names respectively.

No.	Date of Bonds	Borrowers Names	Principal due	Interest due
1	8 April 1839	Benjamin Chape & H. Stuger	175	Security Mortgage
2	20 th do 1839	P. W. Brown	100	25.97 do do
3	21 do 1839	Wm. C. Keam	100	8.00 do do
4	29 do 1839	Beniah Short	60	4.20 do do

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5	4 may 1839	Dr. McUtchen	175	13.10 Security Mortgage
6	26 th June 1839	John R. Kirkpatrick	100	do do
7	27 June 1839	James J. Keegan	100	28.26 do do
8	25 Oct 1839	John A. Morgan	300	do do
9	18 Dec 1839	Allis & Keones	125	3.72 Personal Security
10	10 th April 1840	Patrick Garvey	118	Mortgage Security
11	24 th June 1840	Conrad Schmidt	100	3.12 personal Security
12		Paol Maltby	102	3.12 sine paid up
13	26 th July 1841	Daniel Astinchpaul	57	4.82 Security Mortgage
14	3 August 1841	A. Bowles of Biddle & Harrington	65	10.71 personal Security
15	10 th " 1841	Elijah Lilliston	150	15.96 Mortgage Security
16	26 Feb 1842	Thomas Gifford	300	24.00 do do
17	16 Nov 1842	Edward Smyke	172	do do
18	19 Oct 1843	Michael Maxwell	100	Loaned by Mills
19	28 Dec 1843	George Keagy	100	Loaned by Mills
20	19 Oct 1843	George Keagy	125	do do
21	14 Feb 1844	George P. Walker	40	do do Mortgage
22	28 Oct 1843	Alexander Pruell	150	do do do
23	17 Nov 1843	Thomas Morrison	150	Loaned by Mills do
24	29 Dec 1843	Mark H. Wheeler	100	Loaned by Mills Mortgage
25	30 do 1840	J. Mills & J. Erdkine	59	personal Security
Town & South Range 10 West				
26	1 st April 1840	James Parkes et al	30.51	personal Security
27	7 th April 1840	George W. Mills	172.50	+ 13.80 do do
28	9 " 1840	J. Benjamin & J. Fairchild et al	41.47	2.90 do do
29	10 th " 1840	Patrick Garvey	105	Mortgage Security
30	16 August 1842	Wm Linnicker	55	00.00 do do
31	17 Dec 1839	Lilas Stephens	200	+ 16.00 do do
32	18 " 1839	A. McLamou	150.00	21.73 do do
Town & South Range 10 West				
33	20 Dec 1839	John H. Corrig	70	5.60 do do
34	20 " "	John M. Walker	200	+ 16.00 do do
35	26 " "	Charles Kingle	50	4.00 do do
36	4 th June 1841	Christ Lower	60	do do
37	26 July 1844	Joseph W. Phelps	81	Loaned by Mills
38	24 July 1843	Henry Harwood	200	Secured by Mortgage
39	27 " "	Wm H. McDonald	150	do do
40	26 Dec 1843	Wm H. Elliott	80	Loaned by Mills
41	15 July 1844	Thomas Gudney	200	do do
42	24 " 1844	Sebastian Heinrich	100	do do
43	5 July 1844	John Newton	160	do do
44	5 " "	J. P. & W. H. Elliott	150	do do
45	5 " "	George P. Walker	50	do do
46	Mortgage of John Burns & A. H. Ketchum for \$350 to secure the payment of		133	now in the hands of Lockhart for collection

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Town of South Range 10 West					
47	4 th May 1838	A. McJohnson	228.		Secured by mortgage
48	15 " 1838	Koeyekiah Dukes	50		do do
49	9 March 1842	Co + Pike Garrett	220		do do
50	4 Feb 1840	Daniel Miller	200	54 65	do do
51	12 March 1844	Jesse Lane	300		Secured by bills
Town of Range 10 West					
52	22 Oct 1839	Keiram Nelson	100		Mortgage Security
53	21 st Sept 1840	F. Amory Jr	158	42 91	do do
54	3 August 1842	Jacob Krow	50	7 18	Person do
55	24 Oct 1843	Jesse Stenson	100		Secured by bills
Town of South Range 11 West					
56	19 May 1841	V. D. + D. L. Grimes	71	5 68	Secured by mortgage
57	25 Oct 1837	Walter Peale	200	54 17	do do
58	21 " 1837	George P. Wagnon	200	54 17	do do
Town of Range 11 West					
59	26 April 1839	J. S. Catlett	91		Interest unknown do do
61	13 July 1839	Jesse Holcomway	150	12 50	
62	19 Dec 1839	Stratton Catlett	18		Interest unknown do do
63	11 July 1840	Wm Parker + Ann M. Parker	85		Personal Security
64	8 Jan 1840	John Fickas	280		Mortgage security
65	14 Dec 1840	John M. Blair	123.75	9 90	do do
66	3 Feb 1841	Jacob Stwas	55		do do
67	19 Mar 1841	Joshua Puro	100	16 64	do do
68	23 March 1841	Francis Amory Jr	300		do do
69	6 Jan 1842	George Menroy	95		Secured by bills
70	26 Apr 1841	Joseph Fisher	55	4 40	Secured by mortgage
71	20 May 1841	Chas. Puzley	100	8 00	do do
72	10 August 1842	William M. Walker	200		do do
73	27 July 1843	Nelson Schook	50		do do
74	26 August 1843	W + J. Parker	199		do do
			9331.23	491.59	

A list of the names of the Borrowers of the School funds whose bonds are in the hands of officers for collection with the sums due from each as principals annexed to their names respectively.

J. W. Lilliston	14.24
J. Bush + F. Wonsinger	32.66
Jesse Lane	89.59
E. Prince	36.00
G. W. Miller + Proulx + G. Wagnon	100.00
G. B. Wagnon + others	100.00
F. Amory	100.00
Benoni Stinson	200.00
Willard Carpenter	200.00
	872.49

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and the amount of foregoing list of principal

872.49
19331.23
10203.72
491.59
10695.31

Interest due on foregoing list

The following list shows the names of the purchasers of school lands, with the amount of principal due from each annexed to their names respectively. I would also have remarked that there is a large sum due from said purchasers of school lands for interest and the penalties for the non payment thereof. But as the Auditor informs me the books cannot in all cases be realized on as correct, as some individuals have shown they were entitled to different credits from what the books show, and as this money cannot come into the hands of the school commission without the knowledge of the Auditor & necessarily charged by the Auditor & Commissioner I thought it better to leave it without specifying the interest due.

A list of the names of Purchases of Schoolland belonging to the County of Vanderburgh with the sums due for principal, from each on the 7th of March, at 1844 annexed to their ^{names} respectively.

County of S. R. 10 West	Am't of Principal due
Daniel Miller	111.25
A McJohnson	228.75
A. McJohnson	195.00
A. P. Carpenter	156.37
A. K. Carpenter	316.59
J. Amory	156.37
Jordan P. Lockman	501.18
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	1715.51

Township 7 South Range 11 West

M. Sherwood	210
Strother Cottlett	270
M. Sherwood	150
J. M. Blair	300
M. Sherwood	150
M. Sherwood	120
John Stoner	106.87
J. M. Mc Dowell	123.75
✓ David Cregley	266.70
✓ David Cregley	300
Strother Cottlett	236.25
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	2233.57

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Township 6 South Range 11 West	
Plants + others	105
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J. F. Mashides	79 50
J. F. Mashides	79 59
George Mayer	76 87
Plants + others	127 50
Plants + others	150
John F. Mashides	187 50
Geo. Heinrich	153 75
Geo. Mayer	77 10
Wm. Crafton	75 00
Wm. Crafton	89 00
Abel Sullivan	106 89
Abel Sullivan	168 75
George Heinrich	251 25
	1935 59
Township 5 South Range 11 West	
Anthony Appelman	105 00
William Lister	90 00
Hiram Nelson	120 00
Anthony Appelman	123
Hiram Nelson	75
G. W. Wagner	75
Fredrick Wetsell	180
	768 00
Common School Fund	
Carpenter Bowles + Co	301 87
Andrew Erskine	300
Paddy Keegan	75
Hiram A. Hunter	210
Thomas O. Hinson	87 50
Mark R. Barnes	75 00
James Croffet	76 93
Thomas O. Huls	150
Allis & Horner	375
Amos Hinson	99 38
James & McQuatten	108 75
A. D. Carpenter	129 38
A. D. Carpenter	108 75
	2097 36
Township 6 South Range 10 West	
R. M. Evans	89 82
David Mezley	104 84
H. Woodworth	299 40
David Mezley	269 40

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A Barnes	269.46
Robert M Evans	269.46
William Carpenter	329.84
Elijah Prince	334.95
A Barnes	310.52
Township & South Range 10 West	
Samuel Benjamin	124.60
G. H. Scott	142.50
W. O. Scott	127.18
George J Skels	123.81
James Partus	103.53
James Pross	90.00
George Skels Jr	153.75
Granville Scott	124.53
Thomas Skels	120.75
William Skels	119.25
	1229.70
aggregate amount due funds for Lands sold	12257.48

Thus it will be seen that there was due the fund at the time it passed into the hands and under the control of the Auditor of the County. Twenty Six Thousand nine hundred and forty five dollars and eighty three cents as follows to wit;

due as principal on bonds transferred to Auditor	9381.23
Interest on same	491.59
due as principal on bonds in the hands of Officer for collections	872.49
due from purchases of lands as principal	12257.48
due from school loan commission	2153.46
Cash on hands 7 th March 1844	1339.58
	<u>21945.83</u>
	<u>100</u>

I would here remark there is interest due on the \$872.49 amount of Bonds in the hands of Officers for collections but not having the bonds I cannot say how much interest is due on them, But this interest with the amount ^{of interest} due on sums due for lands sold as before stated the amount unknown will considerably swell the large amount above stated as being now in the hands and under the control of the Auditor

* I would also remark that as much of the lands sold as belonging to the school funds of the County had become vested in the state by reason of the non payment of taxes, it is more than probable that some portion of it may eventually be recovered by the former owners thereof, and as the law provides that in certain cases, when these lands are recovered from the purchasers, said purchasers shall be repaid by the

It will be observed from the foregoing list of names of borrowers of school funds, that contrary to law there has of these funds, been loaned on personal security different sums, to the amount of \$1540.97, some of which it is probable will be eventually be lost to the county

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School Commissioners, the amount of principal they may have paid on such lands. the fund may be eventually considerably reduced from what it is above stated

all of which is respectfully submitted
Evanville Indiana

John A. Hittendall agent

Ordered that the Board adjourn until 8 o'clock tomorrow morning. Willard Carpenter Post

Thursday morning the September 8 o'clock the Board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday,

No 170 $\$1.50$ Ordered that Samuel Williamson be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for making a coffin for a drowned man

No 171 $\$5.00$ Ordered that James Stearns Esqr be allowed five dollars for holding an Inquest over the body of an unknown ^{and} person in Union Township

No 172 $\$2.50$ Ordered that James Houston be allowed two dollars & fifty cents for services as stated in case of State vs Deleson Jones

No 173 $\$2.50$ Ordered that P. H. Magher Esq be allowed two dollars & fifty cents, which amount was over paid by them for license

No 174 $\$1.25$ Ordered that Wilson Shook be allowed ~~two~~ ^{one} dollar for summing coroner Jury as per voucher on file

Now here it is ordered that the several Supervisors through whose districts it may pass are hereby authorized and requested to open the ~~the~~ ^{the} road leading from Evanville to ^{Chew} ~~Chew~~ ^{Harmony} ~~Harmony~~ ^{at the} ~~mouth~~ ^{mouth} of Pigeon Creek to the South West corner of Section

No 14 in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West

Now here the Board appropriates the sum of fifty dollars to be paid out of the County Treasury for the purpose of being expended on that portion of the Evanville & Chew Harmony road leading from the top of the Hill, to the Bridge at the mouth of Pigeon Creek. Said appropriation is made upon the condition that the citizens interested, subscribe & pay in labour or cash on said road, the sum of fifty Dollars; And now here it is Ordered that John A. Morgan Esqr be and

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he is hereby appointed agent to procure said subscription of labour + cash, and to attend to the Expending of the same, as well as the same appropriated by the Board; it is further ordered, that said agent be instructed to require of the hands, under his Controle. full and complete day works, + to report to the board, ~~of~~ his proceedy as such agent

Barney Royston
County Treasurer
Bonds

And now here comes Barney Royston Treasurer of Vanderburgh county and files his Additional bond as such Treasurer in the words and figures following to wit

" I know all men by these presents, that we Barney Royston Madison J. Gray William Caldwell Morda Walker Abraham Humberts Mrs Wood Sherman Fairchild Geo. W. Roswell William Dates William Cuyet Thomas Cuyet Thomas Smith + Abm P Hutcherson are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana, in the penal sum of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated this 4th day of September A.D. 1844.

The condition of the Above obligation is such, that Whereas, the above bounden Barney Royston, has been duly elected Treasurer for the County of Vanderburgh for the Term of three years from the time of his election, and the Legislature having extended the term of said Office until the first Monday in March next, now therefore should the said Barney Royston pay over according to law all money which shall come into his hands for State County, Road or other purposes by virtue of his said Office of Treasurer, then the Above obligation to be void and of no effect, else to remain in full force and virtue in law "

B. Royston Seal	Geo. W. Roswell Seal
M. J. Gray Seal	Wm. Dates Seal
W. Caldwell Seal	Wm. Cuyet Seal
Morda Walker Seal	Thomas Cuyet Seal
A. Humberts Seal	Thomas Smith Seal
Mrs. E. Wood Seal	A. P. Hutcherson Seal
Sherman Fairchild Seal	

And the Board having considered said Bond and the securities therein do now here approve and accept the same

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Now here the Board appoints Barney Ruyton Esq. Treasurer of Vanderburgh County to serve from date until the first Monday in March A. D. 1845

Now here it is ordered that James Y. Jones Esq. be authorized and instructed to bring suit against Wm. Cuyet for the recovery of a watch and blanket or the value thereof which said Cuyet detained from Daniel Knowles after he said Knowles left the Furr house.

No 175 to \$1.00⁰⁰ Ordered that Wm. Clark be allowed one dollar for services as viewer, to assess damages to mark Wholes, sustained by the location of State road

No 176 to \$40.00⁰⁰ Ordered that Wm. M. Walker be allowed forty dollars for balance in full for ^{Ex officio} services as Sheriff of Vanderburgh County.

No 177 to \$2.63⁰⁰ Ordered that Stephen Armstrong be allowed two dollars & sixty three cents for repairing Chassis for County

No 178 to \$1.00⁰⁰ Ordered that Wm. C. Chandler be allowed one dollar for advertising notice of Special Election

No 179 to \$12.00⁰⁰ Ordered that Wm. C. Chandler be allowed Twelve Dollars for advertising Tax notice for Treasurer & printing Bills for same

No 180 to \$15.00⁰⁰ Ordered that Wm. M. Walker be allowed Fifteen Dollars as Ex officio services for one quarter of a year ending on the 31st of August last

Willard Carpenter objects & votes against B. Ruyton's Bond, accepted by a majority of the Board, as Treasurer, for want of more security. Also he (said Carpenter) objects & votes against B. Ruyton being appointed, by a majority of the Board Treasurer. Also he objects & votes against the extra allowance made by the majority of the Board to Wm. M. Walker as Sheriff on account of the amount being much larger than has yet before been made to his predecessor.

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And now it appearing to the board that the route adopted by the commissioners appointed by the Legislature, for a State Road from Evansville to Petersburg, so far as the said route deviates from the present Route of the Old County Road in running through and immediately adjacent to the farm of Mark Wheeler, does not run on better ground for a road than the said Old County Road does, and it appearing that the said deviation is only one hundred and thirty yards, between the positions of the two Routes at the Bridge over Blue Grass creek on the side of said farm & the Junction of the two Routes at the west corner of Joel Maltby's fence about 17 chains from the north side of said Mark Wheeler's farm. It also appearing that the new route between these points will cost a great deal of labour to open it & cause may it, and that the views heretofore appointed by this Board have reported to us that the damage sustained by said Mark Wheeler, by the opening said new route between said points, will amount to sixty five dollars and still if said route shall be opened, said Mark Wheeler will prosecute his claim for a still greater sum.

We therefore consider the said change of the said road, between the said two points, of not sufficient importance, to justify such change, and we will not therefore open the proposed new route between said points, and it is therefore, Ordered that the present route of the Old County road, between the Blue Grass Bridge on this side of Mark Wheeler's farm, and the first junction of the said County road with the said new route, for a State road at the west corner of Joel Maltby's fence, on the further or north side of said Mark Wheeler's farm be adopted improved and used, for that distance as a part of the new State Road from Evansville to Petersburg.

Ordered that the Board adjourn until 8 o'clock to morrow morning
 Willard Carpenter Pres

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Friday morning 8 o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment. When present as yesterday

No 181 $\$1,000$ Ordered that John M. Stockwell be allowed (what he is entitled to by the laws of the Corporation of Evansville) for making a deed to state of Indiana for lots purchased at Marshalls tax sale for the benefit of Common Schools

No 182 $\$2,500$ Ordered that Charles P. Pattels Esq be allowed Two dollars & fifty cents for legal advice on account of County Treasurers office.

No 183 $\$2,500$ Ordered that John M. Kendall Esq be allowed Two dollars & fifty cents for legal advice in relation to the office of County Treasurer

Whereas from the reading of the revised Statutes of 1843 this Board deems it very uncertain whether Robert W. Dunbar who was elected at the late General election in this county as Treasurer of said county is now the rightful Treasurer of said county or whether Barney Roypton the Old Treasurer is the rightful Treasurer or whether neither of them can under existing laws rightfully collect the present revenue and whereas to provide for the contingency that there be a vacancy in said office this Board has appointed Barney Roypton as Treasurer pro tempore until the first Monday in next March. And therefore be it Ordered that Mr Luckhart the prosecuting Attorney ^{if he is ready} be requested to institute an information in the nature of a writ of quo warranto against Barney Roypton and have the question settled at the next term of the Vanderburgh circuit court which of said above named gentlemen is the rightful Treasurer of Vanderburgh county and by what right he holds said office. It is desirable that this request be complied with to ensure the collection of the revenue by the time specified by law

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Purchase
of
County
House

Now here comes William Ouyet (who is indebted to the County of Vanderburgh in the sum of two hundred and eighty four dollars and ninety eight cents) and makes proposals to sell to the County of Vanderburgh a certain tract of land, formerly owned by said County & known as the County Poor House - the same tract heretofore conveyed to said Ouyet, by Edward Hoopkins President of the Board of Commissioners of said County. Said Ouyet proposes to convey said tract to said County for the sum of Six - Hundred dollars.

Order

And now here upon a due consideration of the matter & things in relation to said purchase, the Board now here Order, that the proposition of said Ouyet be and it is hereby accepted by the Board, and that the Board now purchase the said tract aforesaid, from said Ouyet

Barney Royston

Now here comes Barney Royston County Treasurer by appointment by the Board of Commissioners, and files his Bond as such Treasurer, in the words and figures following to wit

Treasurers
word

"Know all men by these presents, that we Barney Royston, William Ouyet M. J. Gray John Walsh Abraham Humberts Abm. P. Hutchinson Ornel, Walker James G. Walker George W. Donnell Wm. Wood Sherman Fairchild William Bates Thomas Smith Jesse Jackson William Caldwell & Stephen Childs, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana, in the penal sum of Twenty five Thousand dollars, for the payment of which will and truly to be made. We bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated this fifth day of September A.D. 1844

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bounden Barney Royston has this day been appointed Treasurer of Vanderburgh County, to serve from date hereof, until the first Monday in March A.D. 1845, now therefore should the said Barney Royston pay over according to Law all the money which shall come into his hands for State County Road and other purposes by virtue of his said office of Treasurer, then the above obligation to be void & of no effect, otherwise to be and remain in full force & virtue in Law

Barney Royston Seal A. Humberts Seal Wm. Donnell Seal Thomas Smith Seal
William Ouyet Seal A. P. Hutchinson Seal Wm. Wood Seal Jesse Jackson Seal
M. J. Gray Seal Wm. M. Walker Seal Sherman Fairchild Seal W. Caldwell Seal
John Walsh Seal James G. Walker Seal Wm. Bates Seal Stephen Childs Seal

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And the board having considered said bond and the ~~Security~~ ^{Security} ~~Contractors~~ therein, do now here accept and approve of the same,

No 184 lb \$10,000 Ordered that Mr M. Walker be allowed

Ten dollars for watching Rice Ponds in the County Jail

No 185 lb 10,700 Ordered that Mr M. Walker be allowed

Ten dollars and ninety seven cents for services as Sheriff

No 186 lb \$21,100 Ordered that J. B. Murra be allowed

Twenty one dollars & fifty seven cents for auditing

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No 187 lb 36,000 Ordered that John Stoddard Esq

be allowed Thirty six dollars for services rendered

investigating Trusts funds

No 188 lb 3,750 Ordered that Robert Fergus be allowed

Three dollars & twenty five cents for repairing three

cattle for Jail

No 189 lb 15,000 Ordered that Dr D. Y. Law be

allowed Fifteen Dollars for medical attendance on

David Butler a Ranper

Now here upon the petition of John D. Stinson

& Others for ~~the~~ alterations in road district No 2 Perry

Township, It is ~~Ordered~~ that road district No

2 Perry Township be bounded as follows to wit

Commencing at the north West ^{of North East gr} corner of Section No 27

in Town 6 South Range 11 West, running thence South

to the Bayou, thence with said Bayou to the South West

corner of the S.E. quarter of the North East gr of Sec

tion No 3 in Town 7 South Range 11 West, thence ^{East} to the

Ohio River, thence north East with said River

to the North East corner of the South East gr

of Section No 26 in Town 6 South Range 11 West

thence North ^{East} corner of said Section No 26

thence West to the place of beginning.

No 190 lb 45,000 Ordered that Robert Barnes be allowed

Forty five dollars & fifty two and one half cents in

part pay for Poor House property purchased from Mr

Enger

Order No 191 lb 169,410 Ordered that Mr Enger be allowed

One hundred and sixty nine dollars & forty nine and

one half cents for purchase of property at Mechanicsville

Ordered that one hundred & fifty

dollars be & it is hereby appropriated to be

drawn on the order of of the Commissioners for

the purpose of repairing Poor House at

Mechanicksville

See 49 Septem ordered

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18192 \$ 50.00 Ordered that Wm Walker be allowed fifty dollars as part of fees for making out Duplicates of Taxes for A. D. 1844

18193 \$ 50.00 Ordered that Wm Walker be allowed fifty Dollars as part of fees for making out Duplicate of Taxes for A. D. 1844

18194 \$ 39.75 Ordered that Wm Walker be allowed thirty nine dollars & seventy five cents in full for making out Tax Duplicates for A. D. 1844

18195 \$ 25.07 Ordered that Wm Walker be allowed twenty five dollars and seven cents as part of his fee as County Auditor to Aug 31 1844

18196 \$ 20.00 Ordered that Wm Walker be allowed twenty five dollars and in full for fees as Auditor to August 31 1844

Protest

against

Purchase

of

Part of

Whereas the Board of Commissioners of the County of Montgomery have this day bought of Jm Owyer two certain tracts of land heretofore sold by the said county to said Owyer & upon which said land the said county now holds a mortgage for the sum of two hundred and eighty four dollars and ninety eight cents, and whereas the said county heretofore owning said land, and having built a poor house upon the same & after trying the experiment, the Board of Commissioners solemnly determined that said pieces or tracts of land were not fit and suitable for a poor house and farm, and so deeming said land unfit for county purposes, sold the same, and whereas said land fit and suitable for a poor ^{house} farm said county has now no use for the same for such purpose as the county now has a poor house for which she is paying two hundred and fifty dollars per annum rent, and the lease for said poor house, has near four years yet to run and whereas I believe the price the majority of the ~~majority~~ of this Board are paying for said land to wit the sum of six hundred dollars is much more than said fifty nine ^{& a half} acres of land is worth and whereas not believing that this board has the right to tax the people for the purpose of buying land on speculation, and as I believe from the facts that the county has no use for said land, it must be that the majority of this Board are buying said land on speculation and for no other purpose therefore I Willard Carpenter do most solemnly protest against ^{the} said majority of this Board buying said tract or parcel of land, or any part thereof, at the said price of six hundred dollars or at any other price whatever

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Willard Carpenter Objects and votes against the allowance made Mr. M. Walker for watching the same being in his opinion unnecessary. He also Objects and votes against an appropriation made by a majority of the Board, for the purpose of repairing the house this day bought by a majority of the Commissioners of Mr. Ouyet

Ord No 197 to \$10, ⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that W Carpenter Esqr -
be allowed Ten dollars for five days services as
County Commissioner at the Sept. Term a. d. 1844

Ord No 198 to \$10, ⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Everton Kennerly Esqr
be allowed Ten dollars for services as County Commr
at the Sept. Term a. d. 1844

Ord No 199 to \$10, ⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders Esqr
be allowed Ten dollars for services as County Commr
at the Sept. Term a. d. 1844

Ordered that the Board adjourn until Court
in course

Willard Carpenter
Everton Kennerly
Ezekiel Saunders

In Vacation of Board of Commissioners

Sept 9th

John B. Stinson Esq

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in and for road district no 2 Perry Township to serve until the next April election & until your successor is elected & qualified.

A List of fines assessed at the September term A.D. 1844 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

State of Indiana }
vs } Ret Sept } Fine \$3.00
John Payne }

State of Indiana }
vs } Lanning } Fine \$1.00
Franklin Sellman }

State of Indiana }
vs } A & B with re } Fine \$150.00
John Keely Johnson }

State of Indiana }
vs } Grand Larceny } Fine \$14.00
Moses Newton }

State of Indiana }
vs } A & B with re } Fine \$10.00
Nash Patten }

State of Indiana }
vs } Ret Sept } Fine \$5.00
Benjamin Howard }

State of Indiana }
vs } Ret Sep } Fine \$5.00
Nathan Schnell }

State of Indiana }
vs } Ret Sept } Fine \$2.00
David McCall }

State of Indiana }
vs } Ret Sept } Fine \$2.00
William Wendall }

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 In vacation November 2^d 1844

A list of Fines received by me since my last report

State of Indiana }
 Wm. J. Official Magazine } Fine \$500
 David H. Stephens } Assessed Sept term 1844

State of Indiana }
 Wm. J. Ret. Sept } Fine \$500
 Jacob Kerkard }
 Daniel Prosa } Assessed March term 1844

State of Indiana }
 Wm. Ret. Sept } Fine \$300
 John Payne } Assessed September term 1844

State of Indiana }
 Wm. J. Ret. Sept } Fine \$200
 David McCall } Assessed Sept term 1844

State of Indiana }
 Vanderburgh County } \$

I William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana, do certify that James J. Perkins came before me this day and made oath that the above and foregoing is a correct statement of all the fines assessed at the September term 1844, and also all the fines received by him since his last report

William H. Walker A.C.

Crossville October 9th 1844

Lewis Richter Esq

Sir

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of road district No 7 Armstrong township for as long as to serve until the next April election or until your successor is elected & qualified.

Sept 30th 1844

December Session A D 1844

At a session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana, began and held at the Court house in the town of Evansville in said County on the first Monday in December (it being the second day thereof) A D 1844. When present Melard Carpenter Everton Stearnes & Elisha Sanders Esqs Members Composing said Board

And now here, the views heretofore appointed to view out & relocate that part of the Petersburg road that runs through the premises of George Schue make report to this Board in the words and figures following to wit:

To the Hon,

The Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County Gents we the undersigned views appointed by your Hon. body "to view" the contemplated change in the Petersburg road upon the premises of George Schue as petitioned for by B Boynton and others. By leave to report that after having duly qualified, before D. W. Stephens Esq we repaired to the premises of the said George Schue, and after carefully viewing and measuring the proposed change in said road we found the distance on each route to be the same to the Centre of the Evansville & Vincennes road, and that the proposed route will place the road on better ground than that on which the road now runs. The said change in the opinion of the undersigned, will in no wise be detrimental to the public good, but on the other hand it is of the greatest importance to the said George Schue, as the present location of said road meanders diagonally across his five acres tract of land, so as to exclude the possibility of his arranging his improvements with any thing like regularity, of form or order &c. The change that the undersigned would respectfully suggest would be to commence on the Petersburg road fourteen chains from the centre of the Evansville & Vincennes road, and run South 35th West ^{thru} chains and fifty links, thence due West ten chains to the middle of the State road leading from Evansville to Princeton, all of which is most respectfully submitted

Wm. Rowell
G. H. Fairchild
Thomas Crisp

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Ordered that the aforesaid road be opened in accordance with the report of said views, by the Supervisor or Supervisors of the district through which ~~the~~ ^{said road} may pass.

Now her James Newman County assessor - presents his Bond for the Consideration of the Board in the words & figures following, to wit,

Know all men by these presents that we James Newman, John G. Terry, J. Miller, John Walsh, Joseph Wheeler Rich^d. Jenkins, Saml. V. Jenkins, John S. Chandler & W. Pappendick & Co. D. Chute & W. Chute, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the special sum of Two Thousand Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made, and done, we bind ourselves our heirs executors & administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated at Evansville this 20th Day of November A.D. 1844

The Condition of the above Obligation is such, that, whereas the above bounden James Newman, was at the last August election, duly elected County Assessor for the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana, for the term of two years from the time of his election, and until his Successor is elected and qualified, And now if the said James Newman, shall do and perform all the duties which are now, or may hereafter be required of him, and faithfully and impartially discharge all the duties of his office according to law, then this obligation to be void, else to be and remain in full force and virtue in law

James Newman	Seal
John G. Terry	Seal
J. Miller	Seal
John Walsh	Seal
Joseph Wheeler Sr	Seal
Rich ^d Jenkins	Seal
Saml. V. Jenkins	Seal
John S. Chandler	Seal
J. W. Pappendick & Co	Seal
Daniel Chute	Seal
J. M. Chute	Seal

And the Board having considered said Bond and the securities therein, accept & approve the same

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Ord. 379 c. $\$1.50$ Ordered that Wm. Chandler be allowed one hundred and fifty cents for publishing the delinquent list for Oct 1843

Ord. 380 $\$1.00$ Ordered that Wm. Chandler be allowed one dollar for advertising notice of Presidential Election

1 day work. $\$1.00$ Ordered that D. B. Stroud be allowed one day work on the roads in Union Township for services as clerk at last April election

Ord. 381 $\$2.75$ Ordered that Giles Stephens be allowed two dollars for services as Inspector of elections & returning Judge in June last

Ord. 382 $\$34.93$ Ordered that the Pauper of Gibson County be allowed thirty four dollars & ninety three cents for keeping Patton & Wingfield and receiving & discharging same

Ord. 383 $\$2.00$ Ordered that Conrad Staser be allowed two dollars for services as associate Judge in case granting Exon for removing Patton to Gibson Co.

Ord. 384 c. $\$40.00$ Ordered that John B. Stinson Esq. be allowed forty dollars as interest on loan of 400/ to the county - up to May 1844

Ord. 385 c. $\$0.50$ Ordered that James Gauntlin be allowed fifty cents for repairing stove pipe, in court house

Ord. 386 c. $\$4.04$ Ordered that Alustad & Robinson be allowed four dollars & four cents for plank for pigeon bridge

Ord. 387 c. $\$45.32$ Ordered that Alustad & Robinson be allowed forty five dollars & thirty two cents for lumber furnished for Pigeon bridge

Ord. 388 c. $\$45.32$ Mr. Carpenter objected to the passage of the order allowing Alustad & Robinson $\$45.32$ dollars. He also objects to allowing Conrad Staser $\$2$ for services as Judge in case of Patton removed to Gibson

Ord. 389 c. $\$1.00$ Ordered that Corydon Garrett be allowed one dollar for conveying pauper to poor house on 25th Oct 1844

Ord. 390 c. $\$1.00$ Ordered that W. Thurston be allowed one dollar for services as commissioner in the assessment of damages to Mark Whiter in consequence of the State Road running through his farm

Ord. 391 c. $\$1.00$ Ordered that Charles Shoules be allowed one dollar for services in the assessment of Damages to Mark Whiter

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Now here on the reading and filing the petition of Wm Ball & others ^{citizens of Union Township} for the appointment of Viewers, to view a road for a certain road therein named, it is Ordered that James Long Andrew Circle & Thomas Barnett be and they are hereby appointed Viewers to view out & mark said road in said petition contemplated, & report their proceeding at the next term of this Board

Ordered that Ira P. Granger be allowed one Dollar for serving as Inspector of an election in Knight Township in November last

Now here, upon the reading & filing the Petition of Allen Long & others ^{citizens of Union Township} praying the appointment of Viewers to view out & mark a certain road for a road therein named, Ordered that Volney Damon Hamilton Garrod & Wm Price be and they are hereby appointed Viewers to view ^{out} and mark said road and report to this Board at the next session thereof

Ordered that Barnett & Wilson be allowed Ten Dollars in part for building a bridge on the state road in Knight Township

Ordered that Barnett & Wilson be allowed Nine Dollars & Eighty Seven Cents ^{in part} for building a bridge in Knight Township on state road

Ordered that Barnett & Wilson be allowed nine Dollars & Eighty Eight Cents ^{in full} for building a bridge in Knight Township on state road

Now here upon the reading and filing the petition of Bracket Childs & others ^{citizens of Union Township} praying the appointment of Viewers to view & mark out a certain private road therein named, Ordered that Wm Woods, A Lullman and John Quak be and they are hereby appointed Viewers to view out and mark said private road (not more than thirty feet in width) and that they report to this board at its next session

Ordered that W.C. Bell be allowed Six Dollars & Twenty five cents for 24 Reams of Paper for auditors office

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T. M. Archer
Treasurer

Now here the Board appoints Thomas M. Archer Constable for Pigeon Township, to serve until the next April election and until his successor is elected & qualified, by his entering into bond in the sum of five hundred dollars, to the acceptance of this board

Ordered that the board adjourn until 8 o'clock tomorrow morning

Willard Carpenter Secy

Tuesday Morning 8 o'clock Board met pursuant to adjournment when present, as yesterday

Ord. 10397c \$1.00 Ordered that Jacob Lincich be allowed one dollar for serving as road viewer in 1843

Ord. 10398c \$17.75 Ordered that W. Carpenter be allowed seventeen dollars & seventy five cents in part for work done on Embankment & bridge in Perry Township by G. Miller

Ord. 10399c \$14.38 Ordered that G. M. Miller be allowed fourteen dollars & thirty eight cents for work done on the embankment & bridge in Perry Township

Ord. 10400c \$1.50 Ordered that Christian Dacker be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for serving as Judge at the last Presidential Election

Ordered that Geo Schneider be and

is hereby Exempted from a Poll Tax and being through from the Public Highway, in Vanderburgh County, in consequence of his being under a bodily infirmity

To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh

In pursuance of an order of the Honorable Board herewith returned, one the undersigned appointed by the said order, to view and lay out the road therein mentioned, have viewed and laid out the same, and returned it as a road of public utility, as follows to wit. Beginning at a certain dogwood tree, marked letter A, on the Perry County line in Armstrong Township, in Section M 18 running thence through lands belonging to Henry Moty, George Pankaska and Henry Wenzert, intersecting the old Tobacco road two hundred and ninety five yards northwest of a certain dogwood tree marked letter E.

Which is respectfully submitted

Witness our hands this 19th day of November A.D. 1844

Michael McIntyre
Cannady & Shigbotham

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now here upon the reading and filing

And now here come Frederick Imhoffeyer & others Citizens of Armstrong Township, and file their Remonstrance against the cart way beind out and made by Michael Mintzger & Cannaday Heiggenbottom commencing at the Posey County line & running throug the "lands belonging to Henry Alcott George Prokaska and Henry Mungert intersecting the old Tobacco Road at a certain dogwood tree marked letter C," And the board duly considering the matter on said Remonstrance contained do now here order that Daniel Miller Elias Stephens and Christian Decker Esq. be and they are hereby appointed, jurors to view that part of said road which traverses Henry Mungert's land, and to assess the damages sustained by said Mungert, if any, as consequence of said road passing through his land, and that they report to this board at its next session

Ord. 401c \$4.⁷⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles Knowles be allowed four dollars & seventy five cents for detaining, making report in case of Mark Wheeler & putting up 5 finger boards

Ord. 402c \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Everton Kewerley be allowed Ten Dollars in part for 5 per cent due McCoyet an ardu coming to him on the purchase of poor house.

Ord. 403c \$8.⁶²/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. Coyet be allowed Five dollars & sixty two cents the balance in full for the 5 per cents due him on poor house purchase.

Ordered that the Supervisor of District No 3 Union Township be and he is hereby authorized to expend the road tax in his hands, or a sufficient part of it, to purchase a scraper & Plough for the use of the roads in said district

And now here, upon duty (Krow) and represents his condition, to this board and prays to be exempted from the payment of a poll tax and from labour upon the public Highways. And the board being duly satisfied that said Henry Krow is and has for a long time been labouring under a severe bodily infirmity, It is therefore Ordered that said Henry Krow be and he is hereby Exempted from the payment of a poll tax, and from labour upon the public Highways in said County so long as he may labour under said infirmity

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No 4042 ⁴⁰⁰⁰ Ordered that Thomas R. Smith be allowed three dollars for timber furnished for Pigeon Bridge.

No 4050 ^{43,750} Ordered that John St. Kirkendall be allowed three dollars & twenty five cents for legal advice & for writing a bond for Atherton.

No 4060 ^{42,000} Ordered that Thomas R. Smith be allowed two dollars for serving as clerk of the Court in August & November as 1844.

Now here comes John Rottig, Henry Black and Jacob Bron Viewers heretofore appointed to view out and mark a certain east way therein named, and make report in words and figures following to wit;

To the Honourable the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

In pursuance of an order of this Honourable Board herewith returned, we the undersigned appointed by said Order to view and lay out the Road therein mentioned, have viewed and laid out the same, and return it as a road of public utility, as follows, to wit;

Beginning on John Stocks land in Armstrong Township at a certain Hickory tree marked A, running thence through Section 22 intersecting Flick's east way, at a certain Black oak tree marked C.

Which is respectfully submitted witness our hands this 23rd day of November 1844

John Rottig
Jacob Bron
Henry Black

Ordered that said Report be & it is hereby accepted & approved, and that those interested be authorized to open the road according to the aforesaid report.

And now here upon the reading and filing the petition of Jacob Bron & others Citizens of Armstrong Township for a certain east way therein named, commencing at a Hickory tree marked letter A, on the Lynethiana Road on Steinboles Land in Section 14 Armstrong Township running thence through Mr. Lettas Land and through ~~and~~ through John Stocks Land & through Land belonging to Heardsman Miller & Michael Wolf in Sec 22 (intersecting Flick's east way) to a certain oak tree marked C. - Ordered that Leonard Staser do

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Cratts and John Baker be and they are
 heretofore appointed viewers to view ^{out} and
 and mark said road upon the best
 and best ground according to the prayer
 of said Petition & that they report to this board at
 the next session thereof.

No 407 C \$44.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Saml. McCutchan be
 allowed Four Dollars in full for building a
 bridge on the Petersburg road in Centre
 Township.

Now here upon ^{reading filing the} petition of
 Jacob Krou & others citizens of Armstrong Township
 and the board being sufficiently advised in
 relation to the matters in said petition contained
 Order that Conrad Stager, John Kratts and
 John Baker be and they are hereby appointed
 viewers to view ^{out} and mark on the best
 and best ground a route for a Cartway
 commencing on John Meyles land in Section 15
 running thence on the line of Mr Stephens land
 and through Claudius Davis land, to a certain
 old field, about 40 yards from the South
 corner of Mr Stevens land, thence through
 Stephens land intersecting Stinkoles Cartway
 at a certain Oak tree marked \odot in Armstrong
 Township, and that they report ^{to the Board} at the
 next session thereof.

Ordered that the Board adjourn until 9⁰⁰
 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Richard Carpenter Clerk

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Met on morning 9 o'clock Board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

No 408e \$2.⁸⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that Willard Carpenter be allowed two Dollars & eighty five cents for Oil & Lampblack furnished County Jail

No 409e \$0.¹³/₁₀₀ Ordered that Henry Anteb be allowed two Dollars & thirteen cents for whitewashing Jail

Now here come James Moffett, James Witherspoon & Patrick Ryzan names heretofore ^{appointed} on the petition of Alexander Heiliger & others, and make report to the Board in words & figures as follows to wit;

Blue grass September 12th 1844
We the undersigned do certify that we have ^{examined} ~~viewed~~ and located both routes as called for in the Petition and do think that the route commencing at the corner of W. Dobson's and P. Rankins thence South and marked to the north corner of William Heiliger's place, and we do think it the best route for the public utility

James Moffett
James Witherspoon
Patrick Ryzan

The Board now here accept said report and approve the same, and it is Ordered that those interested in said road be authorized to open the same

No 410e \$18.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John B. Gindow be allowed Fifty Eight dollars & thirty cents ^{for balance} in full for a Judgement of twenty five dollars rendered December 15 1844 ~~rendered~~ on the Docket of Nathan Rowley Esqr which Docket is now in the hands of W. Ryzan Esqr

No 411e \$4.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that P. M. Dunbar be allowed four dollars & eighty six cents in full for Stationary furnished the Treasurers Office

No 412e \$1.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles Bates be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for hauling plank to pigeon bridge.

No 413 \$289.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that George Bates be allowed two Hundred & eighty seven dollars & fifty cents in full ^{for helping the paupers} for the second Quarter up to 8th December 1844

No 414 \$1.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that G. B. Aydelott be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for acting as clerk at the Presidential Election

No 415 \$1.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that A. M. McGriff be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for acting as clerk at the Presidential Election

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e 16c 11.00 Ordered that Hiram Nelson be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for serving as Judge at the presidential election in Novr last

e 17c 11.00 Ordered that Thomas Angett be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge at an election for Justice ^{of the Peace} in Centro Township

Now here come Mr. Stcheson and others citizens of Scott Township and petition the board for the appointment of viewers to view ^{our} and mark a certain ^{route for a} road in Scott Township, commencing at a certain point on the East side of the South East gr. (or corner) of section no 36 belonging in town 4 South of Range no 10 west running thence west through the South west gr of section of section no 36 belonging to Thomas A. Clarke Wheeler, thence in a westerly direction to blue grass bridge, thence west till it strikes the ridge north of Tho. Elliotts house, to the South west corner of section 35 through Mr Woods Tho. Elliotts & Mr Hillyards lands. Same town & Range, thence in a westerly direction on the Township line between towns four & five in said Township, through Mr Hillyards G.B. McLatchan Saml. McLatchan McCellions & John Dustons heirs land, ^{in town 5} and through the lands belonging to W. Dobson Benjamin Ecker & James Witherspoon in town 4, until it intersects the state road. And upon the reading and filing said petition, it is ordered that Thomas McLatchan Alexander Hillyard & James Witherspoon be & they are hereby appointed viewers to view our & mark said road according to the prayer of said petition, and that they report to the board at its next session

No 388c 123.00 Ordered that Luke & Bennett be allowed twenty two dollars & eighty ~~two~~ cents for tax by them paid on a part of the N. gr of sec 29 town 6 Range 10 which tract was double listed

e 1118c 12.15 Ordered that Luke & Bennett be allowed two dollars & fifteen cents for interest on 123.00 dollars, paid into the County Treasury on a part of the N. gr of sec 29 T 6 R 10 west which tract was double listed

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Now here upon the reading and filing
 the petition of D. D. Grimes and other citizens of Perry
 Township for the appointment of viewers to view out
 and locate a certain cartway, commencing at a certain
 point in said township at or near where the residence
 of Mr Johnston running thence on the center line of
 Section No 11 in Town 6 south of Range Number 1, West
 between Smith's & John Bombs land, to intersect the
 present County road at or near J. Bombs, It is
 Ordered that Mason C. Newman John W. Powell &
 David D. Grimes be and they are hereby appointed
 viewers to view out & mark said road according
 to the prayer of said petition

Collected

Ordered that B. Morra be allowed
 forty one dollar & sixty six cents for disting the
 criminals in the County Jail up to Oct 31st 1844

Ordered that John W. Powell be allowed one
 day work on the public roads for serving as clerk
 at an April election.

Ordered that Martin Schmal be
 allowed one dollar for serving as Judge at April
 election last.

Ordered that D. D. Grimes be
 allowed two dollars & seventy five cents for acting as
 Judge of 2 elections & returning, Poll books.

Ordered that G. M. Baswell be
 allowed two dollars & fifty cents for serving as inspector of
 elections, & returning poll books in August

Ordered that Thomas B. Stinson
 be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge at an election
 for Justice of the Peace in Pigeon Township

Ordered that Wm. Whittlesey
 be allowed two dollars & fifty cents for furnishing
 post for Pigeon bridge & putting same under said bridge

Ordered that the County Surveyor
 be & he is hereby required to write to the Clerk of
 the Circuit Court & procure from said
 Clerks office the field notes of that part
 of Range 9, ^{that} lies in Vanderburgh County.

Ordered that Mason C. Newman be
 allowed 3 day work on the public highways in Perry
 Township for serving as inspector of elections & returning
 Poll Books.

Collected

Ordered that Paul J. Jenkins be
 allowed twenty seven dollars & fifty cents for Enofficio
 as clerk of the Court to the 26th December a D 1844 for 6 months

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- 10426c \$4.42⁰⁰ Ordered that Paul J. Cullis be allowed four dollars & sixty two cents for blanks furnished Clerks Office, being the amt in paper saved by procuring "blanks"
 10427c \$7.00⁰⁰ Ordered that James Woustone be allowed seven dollars for serving as bailiff at the September Term a.d. 1844 of v.c.c.
 10428c \$2.00⁰⁰ Ordered that Paul Cullis be allowed two dollars for serving as Inspector of Election held in November a.d. 1844
 10429c \$6.00⁰⁰ Ordered that Paul J. Cullis be allowed six dollars for store in Clerks Office
 10430c \$0.25⁰⁰ Ordered that Mr. Coffitt be allowed seventy five cents for water furnished at the September Term a.d. 1844 of the Circuit Court
 Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock

Thursday Morning 9 o'clock Board met pursuant to adjournment. When present as yesterday

William Carpenter Pres

Thursday Morning 9 o'clock Board met pursuant to adjournment. When present as yesterday

- 10431c \$18.00⁰⁰ Ordered that Wm Tracy & Co be allowed eighteen dollars for the Tax Duplicates for a.d. 1843.

- 10432c \$0.50⁰⁰ Ordered that George Bates be allowed fifty cents, for conveyance of wife & child to Poor House.

Now here the County Treasurer presents to the Board two orders drawn by John B. Stinson on said board. And now here it is ordered that the Auditor pay the Treasurer said orders out of an Order that has been granted said Stinson on yesterday. Said order is for fifty eight dollars & thirty cents.

- 10433c \$6.50⁰⁰ Ordered that W. Carpenter be allowed six dollars & fifty cents for rent of Poor House to December 8 1844.

- 10434c \$2.90⁰⁰ Ordered that W. Carpenter be allowed two dollars & ninety cents for setting 29 Panes of glass in Court House

December Session AD 1844

Ordered that the Supervisor of road district No 2. Pigeon Township be authorized & required to remove the fence & open the road in said road district leading from Esauwell to the mouth of Pigeon creek so far as said road runs in said road district

Order 1435 \$580.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Edwin B. Carpenter be allowed. Five Hundred & Eighty dollars & seventy one cents for order No 1910 drawn December 11th 1841 & payable to said A.B. Carpenter on or before the expiration of five years

Order 1436 \$103.⁹⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Edwin B. Carpenter be allowed one hundred and three dollars & ninety cents for interest ^{in full} on order No 1910

Order 1437 \$15.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Mr. H. Walker be allowed Thirteen Dollars for Excise Service to Decr 26th 1844 for 3 months

Order 1438 \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Mr. H. Walker be allowed Ten dollars for Sten for Auditor's Office

Order 1439 \$3.⁹³/₁₀₀ Ordered that Mr. H. Walker be allowed Three dollars & ninety three cents for books &c furnished the Auditor's Office

Order 1440 \$9.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Mr. H. Walker be allowed. Fifty nine dollars & seventy cents for services as County Auditor to Novr 30th 1844

Order 1441 \$560.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John Burbank be allowed Eight hundred & sixty dollars & eighty six cents in lieu of order No 1911 issued at Deer Term 1841 and payable on or before the expiration of five years

Order 1442 \$151.⁸⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John Burbank be allowed one hundred & fifty one dollars & eight cents for interest on order No 1911 to the 5th Decr 1844

Order 1443 \$1.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. M. Elliott be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge at a Justice Election Election in 1844

Order 1444 \$105.⁶⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that James G. Jones be allowed one hundred and five dollars & sixty five cents for services as county agent & advice on sundry occasions

Order 1445 \$1.²⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that Robert Fergus be allowed one dollar & twenty five cents for repairs of cart harness &c

Order 1446 \$4.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that R. Barnes be allowed Four dollars & fifty cents for blankets for County Jail

Order 1447 \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. M. Walker be allowed Ten dollars in part for committing & discharging criminals

Order 1448 \$13.²⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. M. Walker be allowed Thirteen dollars & twenty five cents in full for receiving committing & discharging criminals to Oct 31st 1844

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It is now here ordered, that from and after the 8th day of June next ensuing the poor ~~who~~ are or may be dependant upon the public in this County for support, will not be kept at or upon, that part of Section #29 in Township Six South of Range Ten West in this County, which was leased by this Board, of Willard Carpenter, nor will the said land be leased, or the buildings thereon or either of them or any part thereof be occupied, by any person or persons under or for or on account of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, for any purpose whatever after the said eighth day of June next, and it is further ordered, that from and after the first day of March next the said Willard Carpenter, his heirs or assigns may take possession of & cultivate all that part of said land which has been cultivated as well as the timbered part thereof, and it is further ordered that the Sheriff give to said Carpenter notice of this order, by leaving upon & delivering to him a copy thereof.

Now here comes Thomas M. Archer Constable appointed at the present Term of this Board and files his bond, ^{John or J. H. Elliott} with Joseph P. Elliott Securities therein in the words and figures following, to wit,

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas M. Archer, J. P. Elliott & J. H. Kibbendall, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana, in the penal sum of Five hundred dollars to the true and faithful payment thereof we bind ourselves, our heirs executors & administrators, firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, this 5th day of Decr A.D. 1844

The conditions of this obligation are that Whereas the above named Tho^s. M. Archer has been appointed by the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County Constable for Pigeon Township in said County to serve from this time until the next annual election election of Constables, Now if the said Tho^s. M. Archer should safely keep and pay over to the proper person or authority, of all moneys which may be collected or received by him or which may otherwise come into his hands by virtue of his office, and for the due, honest and faithful discharge and performance of all and singular his duties, as such Constable during his continuance in office, in all things agreeable to law, then

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and in that case this obligation shall be Null & Void else to remain in full force ~~in~~

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this day and date first above written

Thos M Archer Seal
J H Hinkdale Seal
J P Elliott Seal

The Board after duly considering said bond and the securities therein do approve and accept the same

Ordered that the public Jail be removed from where it now stands near the Jail, to that part of the public Square back of the Court house, near where the wood house now stands. And that John Mitchell ^{Esq} be and he is hereby appointed by the board to superintend ~~the~~ removal, and repairing of said building

Now here it is Ordered that an appropriation be and it is hereby made by this board of Four hundred and fifty dollars for the purpose of repairing the County Jail & building a house in connection with said Jail and a fence to surround the same in accordance with ^{any order of} the report of the Grand Jury at their Sept^r Term as well and that the Committee appointed by the ^{said court} ~~by~~ ^{Wanderburgh Circuit} ~~by~~ John Clutchele Christian Decker & Jacob Hummel be authorized to draw on the County Auditor for the aforesaid appropriation, in such sums as they may deem proper and convenient for the purpose of paying for materials or for labour ^{for} or said building and that the auditor be and he is hereby authorized & required to issue ^{County} orders upon the orders of the aforesaid Committee

^{No 449e} Ordered that John Burbank be allowed one dollar & twenty nine cents in full for interest on Order no 1911

And now here William Carpenter Objects to the order passed at the present Term in relation to the Poor House or the removal of the Paupers, on the grounds, that this Board has no right to pass such an Order in violation of an Order heretofore passed by the County Board

No 450e 78.000 Ordered that E Kennerly be allowed
Eight Dollars for 4 day services as Co Court
at the present term

No 451e 78.000 Ordered that E Saunders be allowed
Eight Dollars for 4 day services at the present
Term

No 452e 78.000 Ordered that W Carpenter be
allowed Eight Dollars for 4 day services ^{as Co Court} at
the present term

Ordered that the Board adjourn
until Court in course

Wm Carpenter
Overton Kennerly
E Saunders


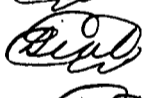
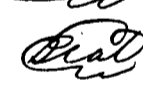
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In Vacation. December 12th 1844

Know all men by these presents that we Henry B. Moore
Hamilton Gerard and Andrew O Gerard of the County
of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana, are held and firmly
bound to the State of Indiana, in the penal sum of two
thousand dollars, current money of the United States, to
the payment of which we bind ourselves our heirs
Executors and administrators, severally jointly and firmly
by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated this
12th day of December A.D. 1844

The condition of the above obligation
is such, that whereas the above named Henry B. Moore
is appointed Township Treasurer in Town eight
south of Range eleven west, in the State & County
aforesaid, now if the said Henry B. Moore shall
faithfully discharge the duties of his office as
such Treasurer, and faithfully pay & deliver
over to the persons ^{or persons} entitled thereto, whether his
successor or otherwise, all money books papers
and property in his hands, as such Treasurer,
then this obligation to be void, and of non
Effect, otherwise to be and remain in full force
and virtue in law

In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our
hands and seals, this the day and date above
written

Henry B. Moore 
Hamilton Gerard 
Andrew ^{his} Gerard 
Mark

Know all men by these presents that I Marcus Sherwood for and in consideration of the sum of nine hundred dollars to me in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged do assign over and transfer unto Henry Peter his heirs executors and administrators and assigns all my right title interest or claim of in or to the north west quarter of the north East quarter the south west quarter of north East quarter the north East quarter of the south west quarter and the north west quarter of the south East quarter of section No (16) sixteen in Township No (7) seven South of Range No (11) west in the district of lands subject to sale at Vincennes and also known as Lots No 2-7-10+11 in the division of said 16th section by the trustees of said Township and sold by the School Commission of Vanderburgh County to said Sherwood on the 25th day of November 1836

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 12th day of January 1839
 Marcus Sherwood *(Seal)*

The State of Indiana }
 Vanderburgh County } Before me a Notary School Commissioner of the County aforesaid personally appeared Marcus Sherwood and acknowledged the above transfer to be his voluntary act and deed for the purposes therein mentioned.

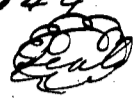
In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 12th day of January 1839

Rec Dec 23rd 1844

Nathan Rowley *(Seal)*
 School Commissioner V.C.

Know all men by these presents that I Henry Peter for and in consideration of the nine thousand dollars to me in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged do assign over and transfer to George B. Walker his heirs executors - administrators or assigns all my right title interest and claim in and to the north west quarter of the north East quarter the south west quarter of the north East quarter the north west quarter of the south East quarter and the north East quarter of the south west quarter known as Lots No 2-7-10+11 of section number sixteen (16) in Township number seven (7) South of Range number eleven (11) west in the district of lands

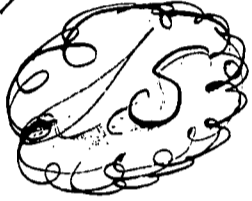
subject to sale at Vincennes Indiana, said Lots being the same sold by the School Commissioners of Vanderburgh County to Marcus Sherwood, on the 28th day of November 1836

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 21st day of December a 1844
Henry Peter 

Crossville December 21st 1844.

State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } p

Personally appeared before me William H. Walker Auditor in and for said County Henry Peter the signer of the within transfer and acknowledged that he signed and sealed said transfer, and that it is his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.



In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Crossville this 21st day of December a 1844
William H. Walker A. & C.

Recorded Dec 23rd 1844

Auditors Office Vanderburgh County Decr
Thomas Maupitow

You are hereby appointed
Supervisor of roads in and for road district
No. 1 Centre Township for a term 1844, ^{to fill a vacancy occasioned by removal of B. Lawrence and} to serve until
the next April Election and until your
successor is elected & qualified.

Auditors Office Vanderburgh County Decr
James Boardman you are hereby appointed (1844)
Supervisor of roads in and for road district
No. 2 Centre Township for a term 1844, (to fill a vacancy
occasioned by Jonas Parke the old Supervisor moving
out of said district) to serve until the next April
election & until your successor is elected and
qualified

Special February Session ad 1845

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of -
Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana which was begun
and held at the Court House in the town of Evansville on
Monday February tenth ad 1845. Convened in pursuance of a
Call of the County Auditor for the purpose of appointing
a County Assessor to fill the Vacancy occasioned by the
resignation of James Newman late assessor. - present Willard
Carpenter Everett Kennedy and Ezeiel Saunders. Members
composing said Board

Now here the Auditor lays before the
board the resignation of James Newman late County Assessor,
and the necessity of an appointment to fill the Vacancy
in said office, occasioned by said resignation being
apparent to the board. It is Ordered that

George W. Boswell - he and he is hereby appointed
County assessor for the County of Vanderburgh in the
State of Indiana. to serve until the next annual elect-
ion, and until his successor is elected and -
qualified and that said George W. Boswell
give bond and qualify according to law.

Now here comes George W. Boswell County assessor and
files his bond in the words and figures following to
wit.

Know all men by these presents that we George W.
Boswell Barney Royston Richard Cinkley Christian Decker
Stephen Childs Frederick Metzger Charles J. Rohman Decker
Kramer and John Walsh are held and firmly bound
unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of Two Thousand
Dollars for the payment of which wele and truly to be
made and done. We bind ourselves our heirs executors
and administrators jointly and severly firmly by these
presents sealed with our seals and dated this tenth
day of February ad 1845

The Condition of the above Obligation is
Such that Whereas the above bounden George W.
Boswell has this day been appointed by the Board
of County Commissioners, County Assessor to fill
the Vacancy occasioned by the resignation of James
Newman, to serve until the next annual election
and until his successor is elected and qualified
And now if the said George W. Boswell shall
do and perform all the duties which are now
or may hereafter be required of him and -
faithfully and impartially discharge all the duties of his
said office of County Assessor according to law then
this obligation to be void else to be and remain in full

force and virtue in law
John Walsh Seal

G.W. Baswell	Seal
B. Doynton	Seal
A. Perkins	Seal
Christian Decker	Seal
Stephen Childs	Seal
Friedrich Metzger	Seal
Chas. Rohman	Seal
Decker & Krauer	

And the board having duly considered said bonds and the security therein do now here approve and accept the same.

Ordered that the Board adjourn until Court in course

William Carpenter
Overton Kinnear
& Saunders

March Session a.d. 1845

At a session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, begun and held at the Court house in Evansville, on the first Monday in March (that being the third day thereof) a.d. 1845. when present Eserton Kemmerley Esq. & Michael Saunders & Willard Carpenter members of said board.

Now here it is Ordered that the Board adopt and confirm a contract made and entered into on the Eleventh day of January a.d. 1845. between the Members of said Board and James Carothers for the building of a bridge across Big Pigeon Creek. Where the State Road leading from Evansville to Princeton crosses said Creek, which said contract was filed in the office of the County Auditor the 11th day of January a.d. 1845

And now here it is ordered that that part of the old State road leading ^{from} Evansville to Newburgh that crosses the North west quarter of section 26 in Town 6 South of Range 10 West. be and it is hereby vacated by this Board

Now here comes Daniel Woolsey Esq. a Justice of the Peace in and for Pigeon Township and file his Report in the words & figures following to wit
"I Daniel Woolsey a Justice of the Peace of Pigeon Township in Vanderburgh County and State of Indiana would respectfully report to the board of Commissioners of said County that I have not assessed or collected any fine since I have been in office"
Evansville 3rd March 1845
Daniel Woolsey J. P. Esq.

Now here comes W. C. Saunders a Justice of the Peace in and for Perry Township and makes report of the fines by him assessed and collected up to 1st of March a.d. 1845 in words & figures following to wit,
"To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh,

The Report of W. C. Saunders a Justice of the Peace of Perry Township in said County of fines assessed and collected by him as such Justice during the year next preceding the 3rd day of March a.d. 1845

The State of Indiana
W. Assault & Battery } Defendant tried on or about
James & Darnell } the 20th day of January 1845 and
found dollar which fine has been collected. That this is the only fine assessed or collected by the said W. C. Saunders as Justice of the Peace aforesaid during the year next preceding the date of this report. Given under my hand this 3rd

D. Woolsey
Justice
Rep. 1

W. C. Saunders
Justice
Rep. 1

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 day of March A. D. 1845

W. C. Saunders J. P. ^{Seal}
 Justice of the Peace "

Now here come Peter Vogel & other citizens of Vanderburgh County, and file their petition for the appointment of Viewers, to view out & mark a certain road for a cart way, leading from John Gitterman on a private road, now occupied as a private road to John Baldon, from thence to the south line of Grace Barnards land, to the corner of his fence, thence running south west across Lewis Soups land on a line of Blazes, to the gate and house of Gottlieb Durst, thence north on the line between Durst & Soups, to Joseph Shanks, thence running north west on a private road to a white oak stable near to the lands of James McAlpin in Armstrong Township, which said petition having been publicly read & the board being sufficiently advised in the premises.

Order that John Baldon, Peter Vogel & John Clark be and they are hereby appointed to view and mark out said road for said cart way, according to the prayer — of said petition, on the nearest & best ground & that they report at the next session of this board

Now here come the Viewers heretofore appointed by the board to view a certain road in Armstrong Township and make report in the words & figures following to wit;

To the Honorable, the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh,

In pursuance of an order of this Honorable board, herewith returned, me the undersigned appointed by said Order, to view and lay out the road therein mentioned, have viewed, and laid out the same, and returned it as a road of public utility, as follows, to wit: Beginning at a Walnut tree, the said Walnut marked letter C near the Lynthana Road, in Section No 14 Township No 5 North of Range 11 West, in Armstrong Township, running through Stainegoles lane, and thence on the ridge through Sadly land, thence following are marked through Stephens land, thence back land on the east side of his field between his house & stable, on through his land to dulers farm, to the fence, thence south along the fence to a white oak tree, thence south west course through the corner of Millers field to a little Hickory, out side the fence, thence through Wolfs farm

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to a little oak marked E, on Hicks East Road ending,
which is respectfully submitted
witness our hands this 22nd day of February
A.D. 1845

John Baker
Leonard Staser

Now here the board approve said report and Order that
said Road be opened by the Supervisor or Supervisors through
whose districts or districts it may pass

Ord. 1845 1845 Ordered that W. Carpenter be allowed sixty two
dollars and fifty cents for rent of poor house to March 8th
1845

Ord. 1845 1845 Ordered that George Bates be allowed Two hundred
and eighty seven dollars and fifty cents for keeping the
County poor to 8th March 1845

Ord. 1845 1845 Ordered that Robert Barnes be allowed
four dollars & fifty cents for blankets furnished Jail

Ord. 1845 1845 Ordered that Alexander Heilizer be allowed
Two dollars for viewing road ^{making a turn off} in Scott Township

Ord. 1845 1845 Ordered that James Witherspoon be allowed one
dollar for services as viewer of road in Scott Township

Ord. 1845 1845 Ordered that Thomas McLutcher be allowed
one dollar for services viewing road in Scott Township

Now here come Thomas McLutcher James Witherspoon
& Alexander Heilizer viewers appointed at the ^{last} December
Session of the Board and make report in words
& figures following to wit:

"This to certify that the undersigned
have according to appointment viewed a certain proposed
Route for a County road, commencing at the S.W.
Corner of James Witherspoons fence on the Cransville
and Princeton State road, and terminating at the ~~South~~
East Corner of Section 36 on the Warrick County line, and
according to their Judgement, marked it on the
most advantageous ground"

Thomas McLutcher
James Witherspoon
Alexander Heilizer

Ordered that said report be and it is hereby approved,
and the Supervisors ^{of the districts} through which said road passes
are hereby authorized and required to open the
same & keep it in order

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Now here come Conrad Stasen and John Baker two of the Viewers heretofore appointed by the Board, to view out a certain Eastway, - and make a report in words and figures following to wit

"To the Honorable, the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh, We the undersigned do report, that in pursuance of the Order of the Honorable Board herewith returned, we have viewed the ground, where the road mentioned in the said Order is proposed to be run, and are of opinion that the said road if laid out would not be of public utility,

Witness our hands this 22nd of Feb^y 1845
John Baker
Conrad Stasen

The Board now here approves of the foregoing report. & c. & c.

Ord. 10... Ordered that Frederick E. Goodsell be allowed one hundred and five dollars for balance due Auger for poor house property

Ord. 11... Ordered that F. E. Goodsell be allowed two dollars & ninety seven cents interest on amount due on the poor house claim

Ord. 12... Ordered that F. E. Goodsell be allowed two dollars & twenty eight cents for County tax by him paid on lots double listed

Ord. 13... Ordered that F. E. Goodsell be allowed four dollars & forty nine cents for County tax paid on lots double listed. - (See Stone Deydon & Shattuck & John Sam on two duplicates)

Now here comes James Houston a Justice of the Peace in and for Perry Township and makes report in the words and figures following to wit

"I James Houston a Justice of the Peace of Perry Township in Vanderburgh County and State of Indiana, would respectfully report to the board of Commissioners of said County that I have not assessed or collected any fine within the last year past"

March 3rd 1845

James Houston J.P. (Seal)
Justice of the Peace"

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Now here come John Angle Jr. and others petitioners of Pigeon Township, and pray for a change in the road now ~~the~~ leading from the lower part of Emusville to the mouth of Pigeon Creek, as follows, viz: "to" as to leave Emusville as it now leaves it, at the lower end of Water Street taking the South West corner of Willard Carpenter's Blue Ware house, and a straight or a slightly curved line from thence to the South West corner of a "Cabin" now occupied by "Am" Patrick McKeever, & situated on the road running in front of the Ohio river just below where the Saughlin's post house stood. Said road extending towards the river for width - and the Board duly considering said petition & the matters therein, and being sufficiently advised of, and concerning the same Ordered that Daniel Miller Charles Harrington & John Mitchell Esqs and they are hereby appointed viewers to view and mark out said change in said petition contemplated & Report the result of said view to this Board at the next session thereof.

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Ordered that Daniel Woolsey Esq be allowed to occupy the north east room of the Court house as a Magistrate office, and that he be required to pay rent therefor, at the rate of one dollar & fifty cents per month from and after the fourth day of March 1845 so long as he may occupy the same provided that said Woolsey does not interfere with the occupator of said room by the Jurors during the Term of the Circuit Court of Vanderburgh.

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Ord

Ordered that Alexander Saughlin Esq be allowed thirty eight dollars & twenty four cents per interest on Order No 1912 to March 7th 1845

Ord

Ordered that Alex Saughlin & Co be allowed One hundred dollars, as part of Order No 1912 (which said Order has been allowed up to the board for the purpose of receiving new orders)

Ord

Ordered that Alexander Saughlin be allowed One hundred dollars in part payment for Order No 1912

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Ordered that Alex Saughlin be allowed One hundred dollars in part payment for Order No 1912

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Ordered that Alex Saughlin & Co be allowed One hundred dollars in part payment for Order No 1912

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Ord

Ordered that Alex Laughlin be allowed seventy eight dollars as the balance in full for Order No 1912

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow (Tuesday) morning at 9 O'clock

William Carpenter Trust

Tuesday Morning the Board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

Now here come John C. Robinson and other Citizens of Armstrong Township and pray this board for a certain road, commencing at a certain point on the Boonville & Chew-Harmony road. One quarter of a mile east of the west line of Section 8 in town 18 South range 11 West, at a marked Oak line tree between lands belonging to William Rogers and Nicholas Yagers marked P.D. and running thence south on land belonging to William Rogers and Nicholas Yagers one fourth of a mile. Continuing still south on Nicholas Stiles land also continuing directly south on the line between Stiles land and the land belonging to the heirs of Featherston Cross, thence in the same direction running between the land of the last aforesaid heirs & the lands of William Rogers. - thence in a direct line between the land of said Rogers and Casper Bowen, thence angling West, through the land belonging to Michael Wolf one quarter of a mile intersecting a cross road near the residence of said Wolf at a certain point, at a white oak, and a Hickory tree, very near together on the north side of said cross road. Said trees are marked E and upon the reading and filing said petition the Board appoints George W. Finch, Parley Armstrong and Barry Leady Viewers to view out & mark said road, in said petition mentioned, - on the nearest and best ground, & that they report the result of said view to this board at the next session thereof.

Ordered

Ord

Ordered that Samuel J. Jenkins be allowed six dollars & twelve cents for dues & paper &c. for clerk's office

Ord

Ordered that Samuel J. Jenkins be allowed six dollars for making certificates of Election

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Ordered that W & Le Belli be allowed four dollars & seventy five cents for paper furnished Auditors office

Ordered that William H. Walker be allowed four dollars for wood furnished the County by Henry Hitzmanous

Ordered that William H. Walker be allowed four dollars for 2 Reams of ^{stated} papers furnished the Auditors Office

Ordered that William H. Walker be allowed two dollars & eighteen cents for black's Book for Assessor & for taking ^{the purpose of} the enumeration ^{the purpose} Now here the board employ A. M. McGriff for examining the lists of entry & the two duplicate ~~copies~~ & to ascertain ^{from said lists} the amount of property taxable in the County, that has escaped taxation, and that he make an abstract of all the lands in the County, ascertainment from said examination, and file it in the Office of the County Auditor. = provided that said McGriff will do and perform the duties aforesaid for the compensation of one dollar and twenty five cents per diem = that said McGriff be required to keep a fair & correct account of the time employed = in days & parts of days, during said examination, & that he render said bill to the Board at the ensuing Session, thereof.

Ordered that Joseph P. Elliott be allowed one dollar and fifty cents, for filling up spring hole on the public Square near the Jail

Now here come Wm Wood Abel Sullivan and John Danks Viewers heretofore appointed by the board and make report in the words & figures following to wit;

" To the honourable the board of Commissioners of ~~Vanderburgh~~ ^{the} County of Vanderburgh. In pursuance of an order of this honorable board, herewith returned, we the undersigned appointed by the said Order to view and lay out the road therein mentioned have viewed and layed out the same, and returned it as a Road of public utility as follows to wit; beginning at the South West corner of Charles Danks' land and running thence East to the State Road leading from the town of Evansville in Vanderburgh County to Princeton in Gibson County, the said Road terminates at the South East Corner of Luke Woods fence in Pigeon Township.

Witness Our hands January 27th 1845 Wm Wood ^{Lead}
Abel Sullivan ^{Lead}
Charles + Danks ^{Lead}
marks

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Now here the board approves of said report and Order that said road be opened & kept in repair by the petitioners for said road

Now here the board upon the consideration of the rates of ^{across the Ohio River} ferriage adopted at the June session a.d 1845 of this Board = Ordered that said rates be and they are hereby amended as follows, viz: That for each pleasure wagon or other vehicle with 2 horses one dollar, And for each hoghead of tobacco not taken in a wagon thirty seven and one half cents And for each stallion thirty seven and one half cents

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Ord

Ordered that Bernard Norre be allowed twenty five dollars for dieting criminals in the County Jail to the 28th February 1845

Ord

Ordered that B. Norre be allowed twenty three dollars & seventy five cents for dieting criminals in the County Jail to February 28 1845

Now here it is ordered that John Mitchell & John Ingle Dr. Eggs be and they are hereby appointed a committee to select a location for a County Seminary and to ascertain at what price said site can be obtained & that they report to this board at the next session thereof

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Now here comes William Anthony and appeals to the board for relief in relation to the amount of license assessed by the board at its last June session and the Board after duly considering the matters in relation to said assessment Order that said ferry license be reduced five dollars.

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock

William Carpenter Just

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Wednesday Morning at 8 o'clock the Board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

Ord. 0.750 Ordered that William M. Walker be allowed six dollars & seventy five cents for receiving and discharging criminals in Jail to March February 22nd 1845

Ord. 1.000 Ordered that William M. Hunt be allowed one dollar for carrying pauper

Ord. 2.000 Ordered that Michael Gault be allowed two dollars for serving as Judge at last August & November Elections in Centre Township

Now here comes Saml. McDonald Esq and files his report in relation to fines by him assessed and collected within the last preceding twelve months in words and figures following to wit:

State of Indiana

Henry Erwin and Thomas Martin } for an affray on view, committed

on the 5th day of August 1844, at the house of Charles Martin in Armstrong Township, tried for said offence. Thomas Martin cleared Henry Erwin fined \$3.00 said fine paid over to the County Treasurer and his receipt filed with the County Auditor on the 23rd of September 1844

I Saml. McDonald a Justice of the Peace of Armstrong Township and County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana, do hereby certify the above to be true return from Docket of the fines assessed and collected by me within the preceding year

Given Under my hand, seal this 4th of March 1845

Saml McDonald Seal
Justice of the Peace

Ord. 0.750 Ordered that B. Corne be allowed thirty five cents for 2 brooms furnished Jail

Ord. 15.000 Ordered that William M. Walker Auditor be allowed fifteen dollars for the purpose of paying for two duplicates for a.s. 1845

Now here comes Geo. P. Goring Esq a Justice of the Peace for Knight Township and makes report of fines by him assessed and collected as Justice in the words and figures following, to wit:
March 4th 1845

Report of the undersigned a Justice of the Peace of Knight Township Vanderburgh County Indiana to the Board of Commissioners of said County of money collected and assessed by Fines subsequent to the 1st of March A.D. 1844 to, wit:

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Collected Interest on fine the State vs Erastus Noble
 the said Interest was collected 23rd March 1844 at 10
 the fine was for profane swearing Dec 7 1842 for 100 1/2 on
 a fine the State vs Erastus Noble
 March 23rd 1844 for assault found 9 Dec 1842 3 1/4
 Do = the State vs Noah Noble Interest paid March
 23rd 1844 for an assault on Betsy Dec 1842 4 1/2
24 3/4

Fines assessed, there was a writ Returned to me by
 Mr. Walker Constable of Pigeon township 16 December
 1844 Issued by Mills Ragan on the 7th December 1844
 against Martin Coker

James Coker } for an Assault & Battery Committed
 Thomas Coker } on the Body of Martin Coker on the
 Joseph Coker }

With James Coker one of said
 Defendants in Custody in was by a Judgement Guilty
 and fined on the 16th and is Repleved

State of Indiana }
 vs }
 Ebenezer Sattow } on Charge of Assault & Battery on 31st
 the Defendant was } Decem 1844 on the Body of Francis Luck
 fined and is Repleved } Plead Guilty on the 11th January 1845
\$3.00

Geo. P. Granger Esq Justice of the Peace

Now here come David D. Grimes and Mason O. Newman two of the Viewers heretofore appointed by the board, and make report in the words and figures following to wit

"To the Honorable Board of Commissioners
 Gentle. We the undersigned Viewers of a Cartroad
 in Perry township, commencing at 2 stakes 20 rods
 below William Johnson's house and running on the
 Centre line of Section No 11 in town 6 South of Range
 11 West Running between John Bumb's land and Smith's
 land, the said road we have viewed and stated out
 18 feet wide, commencing at a stake 20 Rods East
 of William Johnson's at 2 stakes, Running West til
 it intersects the County Road at John Bumb's
 corner, We believe the Road of Public Utility
 Since under our hands and Seals this 6th of
 January 1845

D. D. Grimes Seal
 Mason O. Newman Seal

Ordered that the petition for said Court may be returned
 to Open the same and keep it in good repair

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Ord

Ordered that Rufus Bond be allowed Twenty dollars + ~~forty~~ fifty cents for putting posts under pigeon bridge

Now here come Simeon Long Thomas Barnett and Andrew Little. Viewers heretofore appointed by the board and make report in the words and figures following, to wit:

En. Pursuant to the above order we Simeon Long Andrew Little & Thomas Barnett, being duly sworn as the law directs. have proceeded to mark out a route for the location of a public Road in accordance with the above recited petition, running as follows, to wit: Commencing on the Bank of the Ohio River at the upper corner of Simeon Long land in Fractional Section twenty, Congressional Township 7 South of Range 11 West in the County of Vanderburgh Indiana running thence forty three degrees east of north, to the back line of said Fractional Section, from thence rather more easterly on nearly a straight line through Section sixteen up the north Bank of the Seminary Leipers pond, until within about Eighty poles of the back line of Fractional Section fifteen where it leaves the Bank of the said pond running nearly on a straight line to the north end of the water hole in said Section sixteen, thence up, the north side of the Bridge through said Fractional Section fifteen to the back part of Andrew Little's farm, and from thence bearing rather more northerly until it strikes the line dividing the lands of John M. Blair and Andrew Little, thence along said line to the bank of the Ohio River at the upper corner of said Little's land in said Fractional Section fifteen.

Given under our hands this 4th day of July 1845

~~OK~~

Simeon Long }
Thomas Barnett } Viewers
Andrew Little }

Ordered that said road be opened and kept in repair by the Supervisors, of the District through which it passes

Ord

Ordered that Jesse T. Lamb be allowed Two dollars for repairing hedges for said

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Now here come Martin Littlepage and other citizens of Perry Township and file their petition praying for a change in road district No 1 Perry in said Township and the board duly considering said petition and the matters therein Order that Road district No 1 Perry Township be bounded on the East by a line commencing at the North East Corner of Section No 32 in Town 6 South Range 11 West running thence South to the bayou. And it is further Ordered that the West line of Road district No 5 in said Township shall commence at the aforesaid North East Corner of Section No 32 in the Town and Range aforesaid and run thence South to the bayou. & that the Northern boundary of district five shall be as follows, to wit: Commencing at the said corner of the said Section No 32 running thence East to the South East Corner of the South West quarter of Section No 27 in Town 6 South of Range 11 West

Confined town

Now here Joseph Wheeler Esq a Justice of the Peace in Perry Township files his report of fines assessed & collected within the last 12 months preceding in the words & figures following to wit

- State of Indiana v John Bishop Assault & Battery 1st March 1844
Paid to Seminary fund 6 day of March 1844 Fine 4.00
- State v John Wood Assault & Battery the 7th day of March 1844
Fine 5.00
Paid to Seminary fund 7th day of March 1844
- State v B. Rayston Assault & Battery the 11th day of June 1844
Fine 5.00
Paid to Seminary fund September 24th 1844
- State v John M App Assault and Battery July 29th 1844
Fine 1.00
Paid to Seminary fund the 5th day of March 1845
- State v Joseph Parker Assault & Battery July 31st 1844
Fine - 1.00
paid into Seminary fund September 24th 1844
- State v Franklin Amvorton Assault Aug 1st 1844
Fine 1.00
paid into Seminary fund September 24th 1844
- State v Edward Bruster Assault & Battery Aug 31st 1844
Fine 1.00

And to Seminary fund the 5 day of March 1845
The above are the fines assessed by me during the year ending March 4th 1845
Joseph Wheeler
Justice of the Peace

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Now here, it is ordered that the sum of thirty dollars be and it is hereby allowed the Supervisor of roads for road district No 2 Perry Township, for the purpose of building a bridge near the residence of John B. Stearns on the road leading from Crossville to Henderson ferry, & across the ravine just above said Stearns residence, provided that the County be at no further expense in the building and completion of said bridge.

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock
 Willard Carpenter Pres

Thursday morning at 8 o'clock the Board met - pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday,

Ordered that Lincoln Long be allowed two dollars for viewing road in Union & Perry Township & making report to the board

Ordered that Thomas Barnett be allowed one dollar for viewing road in Perry Township & Union

Ordered that Andrew Kirkels be allowed one dollar for viewing road in Union & Perry Township.

Ordered that William M. Walker be allowed twenty five dollars for ex officio services (in part) as Sheriff of the County from September Term 1844 to March Term 1845

Now here at this time comes Jesse Lane Esqr. and makes report of fines by him assessed and collected within the last preceding twelve months in the words and figures following to wit:

"A list of fines collected since Last Report
 State of Indiana }
 Richard Forrest } Assault & Battery
 Judgments Rendered }
 October 21st day 1844 fine \$1.00
 & paid finding the Treasurer paid to board of Commissioners
 I Certify the above to be a correct list of fines
 and collected since I last Reported.
 March 6th 1845
 Jesse Lane Esqr.
 Justice of the Peace

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Now here the County Auditor submits his Annual Report
in the words & figures following, to wit:
Auditor's Office Vanderburgh County
March 3rd 1845

To the Hon

The Board of Commissioners of the County of
Vanderburgh
Gentlemen

In obedience to the requisitions
of the Eighth Article, of Chapter 13 of the Revised Code
of 1843, the Auditor of Vanderburgh County, submits
his annual report in relation to the Congressional
Township Funds, of the County, and the condition of
lands belonging to Common Schools,

Statement No 1 Shewing the whole Receipts and
Expenditures on account of said Funds, with the
total amount in School Commissioners hands, on
the 1st of March 1845.

No 2 a Statement of the condition of the Common
School Funds.

No 3 a Statement of the condition of Funds of Township
4 South, Range 10 West

No 4 a Statement of the condition of the Funds of
Township 5 South, Range 10 West

No 5 a Statement of the condition of the Funds of
Township 6 South, Range 10 West

No 6 a Statement of the condition of the Funds of
Township 7 South, Range 10 West

No 7 a Statement of the condition of the Funds of
Township 4 South, Range 11 West

No 8 a Statement of the condition of the Funds of
Township 5 South, Range 11 West

No 9 a Statement of the condition of the Funds of
Township 6 South of Range 11 West

No 10 a Statement of the condition of the Funds
of Township 7 South, Range 11 West

No 11 a Statement of the condition of the Funds of
Township 8 South, Range 11 West

No 12 a Statement of the condition of the Funds of
Town 6 South, Range 9 West

No 13 a Statement of the condition of the Funds of
District 4 in Town 6 South, Range 10 West - Dist
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No 1 a Statement Shewing the condition of the
Whole Funds, & the Receipts and Expenditures of
said Funds up to March 1st 1845

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Loans

Outstanding loans at settlement with Commissioners March 8 th 1844	9,330.23
Loaned by Auditor from March 8 th 1844 to March 1 st 1845	2,542.13
Loans refunded by borrowers to March 1 st 1845	11,872.36
	900.51
Outstanding on loan on March 1 st 1845	\$10,971.85

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Commissioners hands on settlement March 8 th 1844	1,429.48
There has been received since settlement & steps to 1 st March 1845 as follows, viz:	
From sales of lands	160.00
Loans refunded by borrowers	900.51
Incidental Receipts	8.03
From N. Rowley former Commissioner	339.16
Principal & int, on Judgements E. Prince & others	198.65
From interest on loans	581.33
From interest from Purchases	502.22
From Deposits of School District funds	57.95
Total Receipts to March 1 st 1845	2,747.85
	4,177.33

Disbursements

Loans of School funds	2,542.13
Outlays on loans & from purchases to Township Treasurers	281.38
Incidental Expenses & Disbursements	365.35
Balance in Commissioners hands on the 1 st of March 1845	798.86
	\$3,188.86
	\$988.47

Statement of the condition of the Common School Funds

Loans

Outstanding loans at settlement with Commissioners March 8 th 1844	3,123.00
Loaned by Auditor from March 8 th 1844 to March 1 st 1845	503.30
Total Loans	3,626.30
Amount refunded by borrowers to March 1 st 1845	326.00
Amount Outstanding on loan March 1 st 1845	\$3,300.30

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Commission hands at settlement March 8 th 1844	248.50
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Amount not Over 248, 80

There has been received since the settlement to March 1st 1845 as follows, viz:

From Loans repaid by borrowers	326, 00	
From Sales of Common School lands	35, 00	
From Incidental Receipts	4, 31	
From N. Rowley Old Commissioner	25, 84	
From Interest on Loans	267, 73	
From Interest from Purchases	39, 88	709, 20
Total Receipts		7948, 56
Disbursements		

Loans of funds	573, 30	
Interest divided September & March	249, 50	
Incidental Expenses	154, 44	
Amount repaid to Joshua Rowles	100, 15	1,010, 39
Over drawn \$11 83 of this fund		

No 3 - Township 4 Range 10 Disbursements Receipts & Expenditures Receipts

From dividend on Common fund	12, 94	
Disbursements		
Amount paid Township Treasurers	7, 88	
Balance in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1845	5, 06	5, 06

No 4 - Township 5 Range 10

Outstanding loans at settlement with Commission	1403, 48	
March 8 th 1844		
Loans by Auditor from March 8 th 1844 to March 1 st 1845	202, 51	
		1,055, 99
Amount repaid by borrowers	202, 51	
Amount Outstanding on loan March 1 st 1845		1,403, 48

Receipts & Disbursements Receipts

There was in Commissioners hands at settlement March 8th 1844 4 00

There has been received since settlement & up to March 1st 1845 as follows, viz:

From Loans repaid by borrowers	202, 51	
From N. Rowley former Commissioner	10, 18	
From Interest from purchases	28, 42	
From Interest on loans	8, 10	
From Common fund dividend	29, 53	278, 74
Total receipts		7282, 74

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Disbursements

Loans of funds of this township	202,51
Interest on loans & from purchases including dividend on common fund to Treasurer	38,15
Incidental Expenses	5,20
Balance in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1845	245,86
	\$36,88

Statement of Town 6 Range 10

Loans

Outstanding loans at settlement with Commissioner March 8 th 1844	2,034,00
Loaned by Auditor from March 8 th 1844 to March 1 st 1845	1,204,00
	3,238,00
Loans refunded by borrowers to March 1 st 1845	156,00
Outstanding on loan March 1 st 1845 of funds of this township	3,082,00

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was on hands at settlement with Commissioner March 8 th 1844	949,80
There has been received since settlement up to March 1 st 1845 as follows. Viz:	
From loans refunded by borrowers	156,00
From Judgement against Edward Ponce	27,26
From interest on loans	113,26
From interest on Judgements against E. Price	9,53
From interest from purchases	82,94
From C. Rowley former Commissioner	94,48
From Dividend on common fund	88,18
From Incidental Receipts	3,72
<u>Total Receipts</u>	1,225,37
	1,575,17

Disbursements

Loans of funds of this township	1,204,00
Interest on loans paid Township Treasurer	78,98
Interest from Purchases paid Town Treasurer	71,09
Incidental Expenses	37,49
Balance in Commissioners hands of ^{this} funds March 1 st 1845	1,391,56
	\$183,61

Statement 6 = Town 7 Range 10

Loans

Outstanding loans at settlement with Commissioner March 8 th 1844	998,00
Loaned by Auditor from March 8 th /44 to March 1 st 1845	317,46
	1,315,46

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Amount brot. over		2,315	
Loans repaid by borrowers to March 1 st 1845		100	
Outstanding loans of this township March 1 st 1845		1,215	46
<u>Receipts & Disbursements</u>			
<u>Receipts</u>			
There was in Commissioners hands on Settlement March 8 th 1844			317, 46
There has been received since Settlement up to March 1 st 1845 as follows viz:			
From loans repaid by borrowers	100, 00		
From Judgement on Peagins Cocket	11, 22		
From interest on loans	48, 95		
From interest from purchases	84, 57		
From dividends on common fund	9, 95	304, 19	
<u>Total Receipts</u>		522, 15	
<u>Disbursements</u>			
Loans of funds of this township	317, 46		
Incidental Expenses	19, 37	336, 83	
Balance in Commissioners hands of funds of this township			185, 32

Statement No 4 = Township 4 Range 11

<u>Receipts & Disbursements</u>			
<u>Receipts</u>			
From dividends on common funds		14, 40	
<u>Disbursement</u>			
Paid to Township Treasurers		8, 43	
Balance in commissioners hands on March 1 st 1845			15, 97

Statement No 5 = Township 5 Range 11

<u>Loans</u>			
Outstanding loans, at settlement with Commissioners March 8 th 1844			408, 00
Loans by Auditor since March 8 th 1844 to March 1 st 1845			50, 00
Outstanding loans, this township March 1 st 1845			458, 00
<u>Receipts & Disbursements</u>			
<u>Receipts</u>			
From sales of lands of this township	125, 00		
From St. Rowley former Commissioner	3, 00		
From do do do do	, 22		
From interest from purchasers	60, 13		
From interest on loans	13, 50		
From dividend on common fund	38, 20		
<u>Total Receipts</u>		240, 05	
<u>Disbursements</u>			
Loans of funds of this township	50, 00		
Incidental Expenses	11, 38	61, 38	
Balance in commissioners hands March 1 st 1845			178, 67

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Statement No 9 = Township of South Range 11 West
Loans

There was in Commissioner hands on Settlement March 8 th 1844	471,00
Loaned by Auditor from March 8 th 1844 to March 8 th 1845	212,00
<u>Total Loans</u>	<u>683,00</u>
Loans refunded by borrowers to March 1 st 1845	20,00
Outstanding Loans March 1 st 1845	\$663,00

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There has been received since settlement of funds
of funds of this township as follows viz:

From loans refunded by borrowers	20,00
From N. Rowley former Commissioner	201,58
From Judgement against Stinson & Miller	42,41
From interest from purchases	99,88
From interest on Loans	14,84
From dividend on common fund	24,93

Total Receipts

403,64

Disbursements

Loans of funds of this township	212,00
Interest & dividend paid Township Treasurers	22,83
Accidental Expenses	16,60
Balance in Commissioner hands March 1 st 1845	\$152,21

Statement No 10 = Township of Range 11 West
Loans

Outstanding loans at Settlement with Commissioner March 8 th 1844	1,892,75
Loaned by Auditor from 8 th March /44 to 1 st March /45	52,80
<u>Total Loans</u>	<u>1,945,55</u>
Amount refunded by borrowers	96,00
Leaving Outstanding on loan March 1 st 1845	1,849,55

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

From Loans refunded by borrowers	96,00
From N. Rowley	2,86
From Judgement against Wagon Miller & Rowley	58,23
From interest from purchases	106,40
From interest on Loans	64,95
From dividend on common fund	18,61

Total Receipts

347,05

Disbursement

Loans of funds of this township	52,80
Interest paid Township Treasurers	41,45
Accidental Expenses	18,16
Balance in Commissioner hands of this fund March 1 st 1845	\$112,47
	<u>\$234,88</u>

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Statement No 11 = District 4 Township 8 Range 10 West
Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was received on def
There was in Commissioners hands at Settlement
March 8th 1844

From dividend on common fund

Total Receipts

1 82
10 58
17 40

Disbursements

Dividends paid Township Treasurers

Balance in ^{Commissioner's} hands March 1st 1845

12 57
4 83

Statement No 12 = Township 6 Range 9 West
Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Commissioners hands at Settlement
March 8th 1844

From Dividends on common funds

2 60
2 19
4 79

Balance in Commissioners hands of this fund
March 1st 1845

4 79

Statement No 13 = District 3 of 7 Range 11 & District
4 Town 6 Range 10

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was received by Commissioners on deposits
from ^{the} Township Treasurers of this fund to March
1st 1845

Balance in Commissioners hands March 1st 1845

57 95
57 95

William H. Walker

Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Crossed March 3rd 1845

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School Commissioners Office
 Vanderburgh County March 3rd 1845

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The Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh
 Gentlemen

In obedience to the requisitions of the Statutes of 1843 the School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County submits his annual report in relation to the School Funds of the County - Showing the whole receipts and Expenditures on account of said funds with the total amount in my hands on the first day of March 1845

Outstanding loans at Settlement with Commissioner March 8 th 1844	9,330.23
Loans by Auditor from March 8 th 1844 to March 8 th 1845	2,542.13
	11,872.36
Loans repaid by borrowers to March 1 st 1845	900.51
	10,971.85

Receipts & Disbursements
 Receipts

There was in Commissioner's hands on Settlement March 8 1844	1,429.48
There has been received since Settlement up to 1 st of March 1845 as follows, viz:	
From Sale of lands	160.00
Loans repaid by Borrowers	900.51
Accidental Receipts	8.03
From N. Rowley former Commissioner	339.16
Principal & interest on Judgments E. Prince & others	198.65
From Interest on Loans	581.33
From Interest from purchases	502.22
From Deposites of School District funds	57.95
Total Receipts to March 1 st 1845	2747.85
	4,177.33

Disbursements

Loans of School Funds	2,542.13
Interest on Loans & from purchases	281.38
Accidental & Disbursements	365.35
Balance in my hands up to this date	3,188.86
	988.47

Bracket Mills J. C. V. C.

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Now here John Engle Esq a Justice of the peace for Scott Township files his Report in the words & figures following, to wit:

The undersigned has not assessed or collected any fines, since the March Term of the Vanderburgh Commission Court of 1844

Warrick Township }
 Vanderburgh County }
 March 6th 1845 }

John Engle J.P. of Scott Township

- Ord. 1. 50. 3. 00 Ordered that Mr. H. Walker be allowed Three dollars for making Map for assessor
- Ord. 2. 51. 1. 00 Ordered that Saml. J. Jenkins be allowed Fifteen Dollars for Ex officio services as Clerk of the Circuit Court to 26th March 1845
- Ord. 3. 52. 15. 00 Ordered that Mr. H. Walker be allowed Fifteen Dollars for Ex officio services as County Auditor to March 1st 1845
- Ord. 4. 53. 3. 00 Ordered that Saml. McCutchan be allowed Three dollars for making Coffin for a pauper in 1843
- Ord. 5. 54. 10. 00 Ordered that Griffith & Corbet be allowed Ten dollars for a Sarge lock bought for County Jail
- Ord. 6. 55. 0. 05 Ordered that Wm. Griffith be allowed seventy five cents for pad lock for Jail

Now here come John Mitchell Christian Decker & Isaac L. Smith and file with the board a Specification of Paul's house, fence, and of work and repairs to be done to the Jail of Vanderburgh County, and upon duly considering said Specification & the matters therein the board approves & accepts of the same.

It is now here Ordered that the sum of Two hundred & fifty dollars be and it is hereby appropriated for the purpose of assisting in the erection of a bridge across Pigeon Creek where Fulton Avenue crosses said Creek. Said bridge to be worth eight hundred & fifty dollars & it is further Ordered that Willard Carpenter^{Esq} be & he is hereby appointed by this board to Superintend the Application of said appropriation & see that it is expended to the best advantage to the County

Now here the board appoints Nathan Rowley & Saml. Orr Esq Commissioners to let out the job of building two Stone abutments at the mouth of Pigeon Creek under the present bridge, these said abutments to be faced on three sides, and the stone well pointed & laid in Cement, which said Cement to be furnished by the County, provided that said abutments can be made at

Caption

three dollars (or less) per perch for laying the stone & the contract
tors. to build the foundation for said abutments in Cheboygan
& furnish all the materials of every description except the
Cement heretofore mentioned.

Ordered that William Williams be and
he is hereby appointed Constable for Perry Township, to
serve until the next annual elections for Constables & until
his successor is elected and qualified.

Everton Kennedy, voted against the Order appointing
Commissioners to let the contract of building an abutment
at the mouth of Pigeon Creek

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow
morning at 9 o'clock
William Cupman Just

Friday (morning 9 o'clock) the board met pursuant
to adjournment when present as yesterday

Ordered that B. Mills be allowed fifty cents
for taking acknowledgments of two indentures

Now here Brack Mills submits his report of
taxes assessed and collected, during the preceding twelve
months ending the 1st of March 1845, in the words and
figures following to wit:

"A list of taxes collected by me Brack Mills
a. justice of the peace of Waukegan County, since September
the first 1844 to March 1st 1845

Ordered that Henry Cutler be allowed one
dollar & fifty cents for sawing & piling ^{4 cords of} wood.

Now here it is ordered that Joshua W. Stephens John
Young & Sherman Fairchild be and they are hereby appointed
Commissioners, to make examination, and assess ^{the} damages
if any have been made, in consequence of the ^{Supernatural}
taking timber from the lands of Andrew Estlin &
Michael P. Jones, - for the purpose of building &
repairing bridges over the Petersburg State road &
for improving said road. and that they ^{make} report
to this board at its next session

Ordered that William M. Walker be
allowed Eleven dollars & fifteen cents for dieting ^{criminals}
in County Jail up to March 8th 1845

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one district
Perry
district 3 +
Perry

Now here upon the petition of John M. Lockwood, the establishment of a new road district in Perry Township out of a part of road districts No 3 and 6, it is here ordered that a road district be and it is hereby formed and established, as follows, to wit: Commencing at the south west corner of section nineteen in Township six, south of Range eleven west, running thence East in a straight line to the south east corner of section twenty two, in said town & range, thence north to the North east corner of the said section twenty two, thence West to the North west corner of said last mentioned section thence north to the North east corner of the south east quarter of section sixteen in the same town and range thence west to the Posey County line, running through the centre of sections sixteen seventeen and eighteen, thence south to the place of beginning, and that said road district be and it is hereby called and denominated road district Number seven in Perry Township, and that the Supervisors hereafter elected or appointed in and for said district be required to call out all the hands within the aforesaid bounds & have all the roads within said district sufficiently worked to keep them in good repair

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And it is further ordered that the boundary of road district No 3 be altered as follows: to wit: Commencing at the south east corner of the North east quarter of section sixteen in Township six south of range number eleven west, running thence west, through the centre of section sixteen seventeen & eighteen to the Posey County line and that the ^{balance of the} boundary of said road district remain according to the former established lines & boundaries.

And it is further ordered that Road district No 6 Perry be bounded as follows, to wit: Commencing at the South west corner of section thirty Town 6 South Range 11 west, running thence east, to the south east corner of section 28, Town 6 South, Range 11 west, thence north, to the south line of district No 7 to the North east corner of section 28 in the town & Range aforesaid, thence West to the Posey County line, thence south to the place of beginning

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Now here comes Daniel Wooley Esqr, and ^{appropriation} makes, to the board for the purchase of Lot number 150 in the donation enlargement of the town of Evansville, said Wooley agrees to pay for said lot the sum of Three hundred and fifty dollars in ^{cash} four months from this date, and the Board agrees on the part of the County to cause the

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County agent to make and execute to said Moolley his heirs or assigns, ^{upon the payment of said three hundred and fifty dollars} a quit claim deeds to said lot, vesting the title of the County, in & to said lot, in said Moolley his heirs & assigns.

Now here comes Bracket Mills and makes report of the fine by him assessed & collected within the last preceding twelve months in the words & figures following to wit:

"A list of fines collected by me Bracket Mills a Justice of the Peace of Vanderburgh County since the first day of March 1844

State vs { Assault + Battery
John Keller } fined 20.00 dollars \$20.00
George Slawp } Paid over September 23 1844 to treasurer.

State vs {
Martin Schmolz } Assault + Battery fine five dollars paid over \$5.00
September 23rd 1844 to treasurer

State vs { Assault + Battery fine \$3.00
Michael Baker } Paid over September 23rd 1844 to Treasurer

State vs { fine one dollar \$1.00
Charles Donaldson } paid over to treasurer September 23rd 1844

State vs { Assault + battery fine \$1.00
Charles Allen } paid over to treasurer March 7th 1845

State vs { Assault + battery fine three dollars \$3.00
James McLaughlin } paid over March the 7th 1845 to treasurer

State vs { Assault + battery fine one dollar \$1.00
Abraham Gumberts } paid over March the 7th 1845 to treasurer

State vs { Assault + battery fine one dollar \$1.00
Jacob Braun } over to treasurer March the 7th 1845

State vs { fine one dollar \$1.00
John Cooper } March the 7th 1845 to treasurer

State vs { for disorderly behaviour \$1.00
Sam Adley } fine one dollar Paid over March the 7th 1845

I hereby certify the above and within to be correct

Bracket Mills Justice of the Peace

Ordered that E. Coleman be allowed two dollars for making ballot Box for Cent. Township
Ordered that Wm. H. Walker be allowed eight dollars for advertising elections

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Ord. 2

Now here it is Ordered that Forty Dollars be & it is hereby appropriated to the County Treasurer for the purpose of purchasing a safe for the County Treasurers Office

Ord. 3

Ordered that W. Carpenter be allowed Ten dollars for services as county Commissioner at present March Term A.D. 1845

Ord. 4

Ordered that Everton Kennedy be allowed Two dollars for services as Commissioner at the Special February Session A.D. 1845

Ord. 5

Ordered that E. Kennedy be allowed Ten dollars for services as county Commissioner at the March Term 1845

Ord. 6

Ordered that E. Saunders be allowed Five dollars for in part for services as County Comm. at the March Term A.D. 1845 & the Special Feb 1845

Ord. 7

Ordered that E. Saunders Esq be allowed Seven dollars for services as County Comm. at the March Term A.D. 1845

Ord. 8

Ordered that William H. Walker be allowed Fifty dollars in part of fee as County Auditor

Ord. 9

Ordered that William H. Walker be allowed Fifty Eight dollars & ninety Cents in full for services as County Auditor to March 1st 1845

Now here it is Ordered that Thomas Wheeler and Thomas Wheeler senr. be and they are hereby selected by this Board, from the applications now on file, to become students in the Indiana University free of all charges of instruction and tuition

Ordered that the Board adjourn until Court in course

William Carpenter
Everton Kennedy
Ezekiel Saunders

Students
to
study

Expenses

March 10th In vacatow av 1845

Auditors Office V.C. March 10th 1845

William Cluett Esq

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in and for road district ^{in place of B. Lawrence} No 1 Centre township to serve until the next April election & until your successor elected & qualified

W. Reagin Esq Report

State of Indiana vs John P Henderson } Action of an assault & battery on the body of Peter Vaughan fine one dollar & paid the same to Docket

State of Indiana vs Mrs Henderson } Action of an ^{assault & battery} on the body of Peter Vaughan tried ~~and~~ fine one dollar and the same is paid over to Docket & paid over in 1844

State of Indiana vs Peter Vaughan } Action of an assault & battery on the body of P.P. Henderson he came forward & was fined one dollar & paid the same to Docket & paid 15th 1844 & the same paid over to treasurer of County

State of Indiana vs Alexander Jones } Action of an assault on ^{Complaint of} free man on 18th Day of March 1844, the Defendant was brought in to Corte tried not found guilty & Discharged

State of Indiana vs Isaac Kerome } for larceny tried not found guilty & Discharged

State of Indiana vs William Garrette } Action of assault & battery on view on 17th Day of April 1844. and was struck by Harrington and is not made

State of Indiana vs James Freeman } Action of Profane Swearing & Sabath breaking on the 29th Day of April 1844. tried & fined three Dollars & was committed to Jail

State of Indiana vs Daniel Wallace & Quisman Private } Action of an a fray on 6th Day of May 1844. they was brought forward tried & found, in the sum of two Dollars Each, and paid the same to Docket and paid over to be treasurer

(Continued over)

On vacation March 10th 1845

continued

Report of M. Kagan cont.

State of Indiana } Action of an assault & battery, on
vs } the body of Joseph Robartes on 6th
David McKnoll } Day of May 1844. he was brought
forward. tried. not found guilty and Discharged

State of Indiana } Action of an assault & battery with
vs } intent to Kill tried and committed
Hugh Patten } to Jail on 27th Day of January 1844

State of Indiana } Action of assault & battery on 18th
vs } Day of May 1844. he was brought
Philip Beebe } forward. tried and fined two Dollars
& gave to Nelson constable property to secure him
but not yet sold & the fine is not made

State of Indiana } Action of an assault & battery on 1st
vs } June 1844. brought forward. tried &
Philip Beebe } fined two Dollars. and he gave to Nelson
Constable property to secure him and the property is
not yet sold & the fine not paid

State of Indiana } Action of an assault & battery on
vs } 12th Day of June 1844. he was forward
Frank Miller } tried and fined in the sum of two
Dollars. payed by David Miller & not yet Collected

State of Indiana } Action of an assault & battery on
vs } 12th Day of June 1844. was brought
Lisena McCormick } forward. tried & fined. in the sum of
two Dollars it is paid in to Docket & paid over to
County treasurer.

State of Indiana } Action of Security of the peace on
vs } 12th of June 1844. he was brought
Michael Postel } forward. tried & discharged

State of Indiana } Action of assault & battery on 3rd of July
vs } 1844. was brought forward. tried & fined one
William Foster } dollar and paid the same in to Docket
& paid over to treasurer

State of Indiana } Action of an assault & battery on 5th Day of July
vs } 1844. brought forward. tried & fined one dollar
Primas Softer } and paid the same over to docket & paid over to
Co. Treasurer

State of Indiana } Action of an assault & battery on 5th Day
vs } of September 1844. brought forward. tried and
Levi McDaniel } fined one Dollar. and paid the same to Docket
& paid over to Co. Treasurer

On vacation March 10th A.D. 1845

State of Indiana } Action of Larceny on 28th Day of September
W Derby Saery } 1844. was brought forward tried not found
Gilty & Discharged

W. Neagans

Report cont^d

State of Indiana } Action of an assault & battery on the body
W } of Joseph Ferguson on 11th Day of October 1844
John Haines } was brought forward tried and was fined
One Dollar and the same is paid in to Pocket & paid over to
the Treasurer

State of Indiana } Action of an assault ^{& battery} and battery on the body
W } of Henry Drebeson 23th Day of October 1844 He
William Gatsolk } was brought forward tried and fined in the sum
of 2 Dollars he was committed & is or was in the hands of -
Walker Constable

State of Indiana
State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County

I Wilks Neagin a Justice of the Peace in
Pigeon Township do Certify the Above statement to be -
Correct & true given under my hand and seal this 7th Day
of March 1845


Wilks Neagin J. P. 

The Hon

The Board of Commissioners of the County
of Vanderburgh. Gentlemen

D. H. Stephens
Reports

The Report of D. H. Stephens
a Justice of the Peace of Centre Township in the
County aforesaid, - in relation to the assessment & collection
of fines within the preceding Twelve months from
the first of March 1845. Sheweth, that no fines
have been assessed & collected within the time above
Specified

D. H. Stephens 
Justice of the Peace

Board of Commissioners in Vacation March 1845

The the undersigned Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana, having made examination of the accounts and proceedings of the County Auditor and Aud Treasurer (School Commisioner) in relation to the Congressional School Funds of said County, Submits the following Report

We find the loans now in the office of the Auditor, generally in a good condition, and for the purpose ^{of showing} the amount repaid and the amount reloaned - and the interest received and the amount paid out. We here annex statement No. 1 of the Report submitted to us by the County Auditor at the present March Term, in relation to the School funds of the County, - and make the same a part of this report, which statement is in the words and figures following to wit "No. 1 a statement showing the condition of the whole funds & the Receipts & Expenditures, of said funds up to March 1st 1845"

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Commissioners hands on Settlement March 8 th 1844	1,429.48
There has been received since Settlement up till March 1 st 1845 - as follows	
Viz: From Sales of lands	110.00
Loans repaid by borrowers	900.51
Incidental receipts	8.03
From St Rowley former Commissioner	339.16
Principals & interest on Indigent & Prince & others	198.15
From Interest on Loans	581.33
From Interest from Purchases	502.22
From deposits of School district funds	57.95
Total receipts to March 1 st 1845	2,747.85
	4,177.33

Disbursement

Loans of School Funds	2,542.13
Interest on Loans & from purchases to Township Treasurers	281.38
Incidental Expenses & Disbursements	315.35
Balance in Commissioners hands on the 1 st of March 1845	3,188.86
	4,988.47

all of which is respectfully Submitted

Ernestus Kemmerly
Willard Cash enter

In vacation
Board of Commissioners, March A D 1845
Auditors office v.c. April 1845

John Rocket

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in & for road district No 4 Armstrong Township to serve one year and until your successor is chosen & qualified.

William H. Walker A. V. C.

Auditors Office V. C. July 3rd 1845

Nicholas Style

Copied You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in & for road district No 6 Armstrong Township to serve for one year and until your successor is chosen & qualified

William H. Walker A. V. C.

Auditors Office V. C. April 16/1845

Sandford P. Hawkins

Copied You are hereby Appointed Supervisor of roads in and for road district No 2 Perry Township to serve for ^{from the 1st Monday in April 1845} one year & until your successor is elected & qualified

William H. Walker A. V. C.

Auditors office V. C. April 12th 1845

Milo A. Dawley

Copied You are hereby Appointed Supervisor of roads for road district No 5 Perry Township to serve one year from the first Monday in April 1845 & until your successor is elected & qualified

William H. Walker A. V. C.

John Keaff

Copied You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads for road district No 1 Union Township to serve one year from the first Monday in April 1845 & until your successor is elected & qualified
April 12th 1845

William H. Walker A. V. C.

Board of Commissioners In Vacation May 1845

William G. McDowell

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in and for road district No 2 Union Township for A.D. 1845 to serve until the next April Election and until your successor is elected & qualified
Auditors Office May 19th 1845

William H. Walker A.V.O.

October 8th A.D. 1844

State of Indiana vs David H. Shroads } in a case of Sault and Battery on the person of John Miller
Fine \$10.00

July 29th 1844

State of Indiana vs William Edmund } in a case Sault and Battery
Fine \$1.00

J. James Harnes a Justice of the Peace in and for the County of Vanderburgh do Certify the Above to be a true copy from my docket May 19th 1845
James Harnes J.P. Seal

Samuel McLeitchan is hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in & for road district No 3 Centre Township to serve until the next April Election & until his successor is elected & qualified
Auditors Office May 24th 1845

William H. Walker A.V.O.

John Jarred is hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in and for road district No 4 Perry Township to serve until the next April Election & until his successor is elected & qualified.
Auditors Office May 24th 1845

William H. Walker A.V.O.

Auditors Office V.C. May 31st 1845

Barney Kurrenbernd is hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in and for road district Number One Perry Township to serve until the next April Election and until his successor is elected and qualified

William H. Walker A.V.O.

Supervisor
District
Perry

Ira Leavins is hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in
and for road district no 7 Perry Township to serve until the
next April Election and until his successor is elected &
qualified

Auditors Office W.C. Allen 2nd 1840 William H. Walker A.C.

Auditors Office W.C.

June 11th 1841

Supervisor
District
H. Leavins

Barney Leavins is hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in
and for road district no 4 Leavins Township to serve until
the next April election and until his successor is elected
and qualified

William H. Walker A.C.

June Session A.D. 1845

At a session of the Board doing County business for the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana began and held at the Court house in Evansville on the first Monday in June (that being the 2nd day of said month) A.D. one thousand eight hundred & forty five. When present Clerks Kemmerly, Ezekeil Saunders and Willard Carpenter Esqrs. Members of said Board

now here it appearing to the satisfaction of the board that Jacob Miller, filed a petition ^{with the board at the last session} (which said petition is on file) in the words following, to wit: "To the Hon. The Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh Co. Gentlemen"

"We the undersigned would respectfully represent that the interest of Jacob Miller would be promoted and that without detriment to the public, by a change in the County road leading from Everton Kemmerly's to Jacob Travis, so that its direction will be nearly north from where said road strikes the south line of fence on the S.W. qr of the N.E. qr of Section 27 Township 5 South of Range 11 West until it intersects the old road on the north side of the north line of fence on said tract of land &c." & the board being satisfied that said change in said petition prayed for, would be of public utility Ordered thereupon order that Beverly Royston, John Highman & Andrew Gatchalk, be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view out & mark said change in said petition mentioned & report to this board at its present session.

Ordered that Beverly Lawrence be ^{a credit of} allowed 3 1/2 day work on the roads in road district #11 Centre Township for serving as Supervisor of road district #11 for 1844

Ordered that Beverly Lawrence be allowed two dollars & sixty two cents for 3 1/2 days services as supervisor in district #11 Centre Township for 1844

Ordered that Jonas Parkes be allowed two dollars & twenty five cents for 3 days services as supervisor for a.s. 1844

Ordered that Michal Damb be allowed four dollars & fifty cents for services as supervisor for 1844

Ordered that Louis Richter be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for services as supervisor for A.S. 1844

June Session A. D. 1845

- 105 \$2.⁰⁰ Ordered that Thomas Martin be allowed
 Two dollars for serving as Judge of April Elections ¹⁸⁴⁵ ~~1844~~
 & making return thereof of April Election
- 106 \$1.⁰⁰ Ordered that Thomas Martin be allowed
 One dollar for serving as Judge of Presidential 1844
- 107 \$1.⁰⁰ Ordered that John Clark be allowed
 One dollar for serving as Clerk at the April Election
 A. D. 1845 in Centre Township
- 108 \$1.⁸⁸ Ordered that Henry Ewen be allowed
 One dollar & Eighty Eight cents for 2 1/2 day services as supervisor
 on roads in A. D. 1844
- 109 \$5.⁷⁵ Ordered that Henry Walter be allowed
 Five dollars & thirty seven cents for 1/2 day services as supervisor
 of roads in road district No 1 for 1844
- 110 \$1.⁰⁰ Ordered that Gerard Fairchild be allowed
 One dollar for serving as Clerk at August Election
 in 1844 in Centre Township
- 111 \$5.⁰⁰ Ordered that Alanson Warner be
 allowed Five dollars for holding an Inquest over the
 body of a dead Negro on 5th October A. D. 1840
- 112 \$1.⁵⁰ Ordered that Henry Wood ^{Supervisor} be allowed
 One dollar & fifty cents for 3 day services in road
 district No 4 Knight Township for A. D. 1844
- 113 \$0.²⁵ Ordered that Matthew Mannagan
 be allowed twenty five cents for one day services as supervisor
 for A. D. 1844
- 114 \$1.²⁵ Ordered that Rhodes Rogers
 be allowed One dollar & twenty five cents for services
 as supervisor on roads for A. D. 1844
- 115 \$3.⁰⁰ Ordered that Charles Jones be allowed
 Three dollars for services as supervisor on the roads for
 1844 in district No 3 Perry Township
- 116 \$1.⁰⁰ Ordered that Michael Mintzer
 be allowed One dollar for serving as Judge at April
 Election in 1840
- 117 \$3.⁰⁰ Ordered that Elijah Waters
 be allowed Three dollars for serving as Judge & Clerk
 of Elections as per voucher on file
- 118 \$1.⁵⁰ Ordered that Nestly Pichey be
 allowed One dollar & fifty cents for services as
 supervisor on roads in Armstrong for A. D. 1844

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Road District Centre

Now here it is Ordered that the Supervisor of road district no 3 Centre Township, be and he is hereby required to work and keep in good traveling order the Petersburg State road to its intersection with the Cranville + Princeton State road, + that said road district no 3 Centre Township be extended to said Princeton + Cranville State road + be bounded on either side by said Petersburg State road to said intersection with the Princeton road

199⁵⁰ Ordered that Christian Morgenheimer be allowed one dollar + fifty cents for services as Supervisor for A.D. 1844

200⁰⁰ Ordered that Michael Mintzer be allowed Three dollars for services for A.D. 1844 for Supervisor

201⁰⁰ Ordered that Sawd. McLeitchan be allowed Three dollars for services as Supervisor for A.D. 1844 in district no 3 Centre Township

202⁰⁰ Ordered that Martin Littlepage be allowed One dollar + fifty cents for services as Supervisor of roads in district no 1 Perry Township for 1844

203⁰⁰ Ordered that Robert Earl be allowed Two dollars and sixty two cents for services as Supervisor for A.D. 1844 in Scott Township

204⁰⁰ Ordered that Joseph C. Barnett be allowed Two dollars + twenty five cents for services as Supervisor for A.D. 1844 in Knight Township

205⁰⁰ Ordered William Ruston be allowed One dollar and fifty cents for services as Supervisor on roads in Scott Township for 1844

Now here it appearing to the satisfaction of the Board that John Hoover is labouring under a "hottily infirmity" ^{it is therefore} ~~he is therefore~~ ^{Ordered that} he is ~~therefore~~ ^{exempted} from the payment of a Poll tax in this County, so long as such disability continues

206⁰⁰ Ordered that Julius S. Catlett be allowed one dollar + fifty cents for work on roads on district no 2 Union Township for 1844

207⁰⁰ Ordered that Isaac Fairchild be allowed seventy five cents for returning Poll book at April Election A.D. 1844

208⁰⁰ Ordered that Wm. Cuyet be allowed Eight dollars + twenty five cents for ~~work~~ work on Old Pigeon Bridge getting out the old crons as per voucher on file

Stomach

order

June Session A, 1845

299 \$2.25 Ordered that Wm H. H. Barker be allowed Two dollars and twenty five cents for 3 days services as Supervisor for 1844 in district No 14 Perry Township

300 \$2.25 Ordered that Wm P. Kelley be allowed Two dollars + twenty five cents for 3 days services as supervisor in district No 5 Perry Township for 1844

301 \$8.50 Ordered that Wm Walker be allowed Eight dollars & fifty cents for services & horse hire in pursuit of apprehending counterfeiters

302 \$2.50 Ordered that Washington Peck be allowed Two dollars & fifty cents for services rendered in the apprehension of counterfeiters

303 \$2.50 Ordered that Wm Garitt be allowed Two dollars & fifty cents for services rendered in the apprehending counterfeiters

304 \$2.50 Ordered that Smith Garitt be allowed Two dollars & fifty cents for services rendered in apprehending counterfeiters

Board of Equalization

Now here the members of the board doing county business, the Auditor and assessor being present, the Auditor produces to the board, the Abstract of property and Polls listed and Assessed by said assessor for the year 1845, and returned to said Auditor on the first Monday in June (this day), when the aforesaid Board, assessor and Auditor (as a Board of Equalization) proceeded to examine said assessor's Abstract, and to make such alterations, as to them seem proper and to hear such complaints of any owner or owners of property, contained in said abstract,

Ordered that the board adjourn until 8 o'clock tomorrow morning

Willard Carpenter

Tuesday morning June 3rd 1845

Board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

305 \$15.00 Ordered that Andrew Estline be allowed fifteen dollars for damage awarded him for timber cut by Supervisor for use of road by Commissioners appointed by the board as per report on file

306 Ordered that Michael P. Conroy be allowed Two dollars for damage awarded him by Commissioners for timber cut by Supervisor for use of road, as per report on file

130
135

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237
be allowed
\$1.68
Ordered that Sherman Fairchild be allowed One dollar & sixty eight cents for services as Commissioner to assess damages for cutting timber on lands belonging to A. Erskine & M. P. Jones by Supervisors for use of roads in Centre Township

238
\$3.50
Ordered that Willard Carpenter be allowed Three dollars & fifty cents for timber taken from land for use of road in Perry Township as per Locates order on file

239
\$1.50
Ordered that John D. Stinson be allowed One dollar and fifty cents for services as Supervisor of road district No 3 Pigeon for A D 1844

240
\$1.00
Ordered that John Young be allowed One dollar & six cents for services as Commissioner to assess damages in Centre Township as per report on file

241
\$1.00
Ordered that Joshua W. Stephens be allowed One dollar & six cents for services as Commissioner to assess damages for timber cut by Supervisor in Centre Township

242
\$1.00
Ordered that Geo B. Waller be allowed One dollar & fifty cents for medical services rendered Criminal in the County Jail

243
\$1.00
Ordered that John J. Waller be allowed One dollar for medical attendance on Criminal in Jail

244
\$287.50
Ordered that George Bates be allowed Two hundred and eighty seven dollars & fifty cents for keeping paupers for the 4th quarter ending 8th of June 1845

245
\$0.50
Ordered that Wm. Coffey be allowed fifty five cents for water furnished probate Court &c

246
\$4.00
Ordered that Wm. Chandler be allowed four dollars for Advertising 2 Coroners Inquests in A D 1845

Neer
Armstrong

Now here upon the petition of Frederick Butfiger and others citizens of Armstrong Township, for ~~view~~ the appointment of viewers to view ^{out} and mark a certain cartway, heretofore viewed out by Canada Higginbotham & others beginning at a dogwood marked a near the residence of Mr Motz, and running thence, east through Motz's Prokaskie's and Wiegerts lands to the Tobacco road, terminating at a certain dogwood tree marked E, on the south side of said Wiegerts farm, and the board having duly considered said petition, do now here order that Peter Burns John Rattay & Lewis Long, be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view out, and mark said cart way, according to the prayer of said petition, on the nearest & best ground, and report to this board at its next session

Now here on the petition of David Studfield and other citizens of Perry Township, for a change in the boundaries of road district No 6 in said Township and the board ^{having considered} being satisfied that the change ^{proposed} for, in said petition, will be of public utility, it is therefore ^{all of} Ordered that ^{except the} Section No 19 in Town 6 south of Range 11 ^{of the 18th of} West be and it is hereby added to road district No 6 Perry Township,

Ordered that Saul Cro be allowed one dollar and forty one cent for crow furnished

Ordered that James McPherson be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for 2 day services as supervisor in road district No 6 Perry Township for 1844

Ordered that D. D. Grimes be allowed one dollar for serving as Inspector of Elections in April A.D. 1845

Ordered that sixteen hundred dollars, be, and it is hereby added, to the value to the ^{of Personal} list on the Abstract for 1844. to Wm. Woolsey.

Ordered John Pains valuation of personal property be raised, two hundred dollars ^{& fifty} Ordered that the valuation of Rufus Brooks ^{list of Personal} be raised one hundred dollars

Ordered that two hundred dollars be added to the value of Jeremiah W. Barnes list of personal property on the Abstract of 1844

Ordered that twenty five dollars be added to the valuation of No. D. Ellis list ^{of Personal} as it now stands on the Abstract of assessor for 1844

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Now how it appearing to the satisfaction of this board, that there has never been an order for opening a certain ^{road} ~~road~~ ^{viewed} ~~viewed~~ ^{marked} ~~marked~~ by David Powell, John C. Steer & Jesse J. Bourne, in 1843. It is therefore ordered that the Supervisor or Supervisors through whose districts said road may run are hereby authorized & required to open said road from the Allen fields to the Gibson County line according to ^{the} ~~the~~ ^{marks} ~~marks~~ made by said viewers.

Ordered that 35 dollars be added to the value 40 acres of land in ^{the} ~~the~~ ^{NE} ~~NE quarter of the NE. qr of Section 34 Town 7 South of Range 11 west, in Union Township listed to Willard Carpenter.~~

Ordered that 35 dollars be added to the valuation of 40 acres of land in the S.E. qr of the NE. qr of Section 26 Town 7 S. Range 11 west listed to David W. Harmon and in Union Township.

Ordered that 70 dollars in value be added to the list of 80 acres of land known as the West half of the NE. qr of Section 26 Town 7 South of Range 11 west, listed to David W. Rapp in Union Township.

Ordered that Robert Barnes list of personal property be raised 600 hundred dollars in valuation.

Ordered that John S. Keefe's list of personal property be raised in value one thousand dollars.

Ordered that one thousand ^{dollars} be deducted from the valuation of the list ^{of Personal Property} assessed to Carpenter & Sudd on the ^{abstract} ~~list~~ returned by the Assessor.

Not adopted The Equalization board having finished the examination of the abstract of property returned by the Assessor. ^{Ordered that said board} ^{be authorized to locate the} ^{land} ⁱⁿ ^{the} ^{minutes}

Ordered that G.M. Boswell be allowed four dollars for sitting as a member of the board of Equalization.

Ordered that G.M. Boswell be allowed one dollar ^{for} returning report of view of road in Centro Township.

Ordered that G.M. Boswell be allowed one dollar for services as Inspector of Elections in Centro Township.

Ordered that Hiram Nelson be allowed two dollars for services as Constable during Parson's for Coroners Inquests in A.D. 1845.

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Ordered that Geo W. Baswell be allowed fifty dollars in part for services assessing revenues for 1845

Ordered that Geo W. Baswell be allowed twenty five dollars for assessing revenue for a.d. 1845

Ordered that Geo W. Baswell be allowed twenty five dollars in part for assessing revenue for 1845

Ordered that Geo W. Baswell be allowed thirty dollars and twenty five cents in full for assessing revenues & taking enumeration of resident white male inhabitants for a.d. 1845

Ordered that Geo P. Grainger Esq be allowed three dollars & fifty cents for services as Overseer of the poor in Knight township for 1844

Ordered that the board adjourn until 8 o'clock tomorrow morning

Willard Carpenter

Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

Ordered that a license issue to Frederick Know to vend foreign merchandise for one year from 1st Monday in June A.D. 1845

Ordered that a license issue to Francis Smith to vend foreign merchandise for one year by his producing the Treasurers receipt for \$5.00

Ordered that a license issue to E. P. Spurrer, to vend foreign merchandise for one year from the first Monday in June 1845 by his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of ten dollars

Ordered that a license issue to Berhardt Wurmian & Co. to vend foreign merchandise for one year from the first Monday in June 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Ordered that a license issue to John Pain to vend foreign merchandise for one year from the first Monday in June a.d. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Ordered that a license issue to Robert Parus to vend foreign merchandise for one year from the first Monday in June a.d. 1845 by his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

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Issued Ordered that a License issue to John Henrich to vend foreign Merchandise for One year from the first Monday in June a.d. 1845 by his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Five Dollars

Issued Ordered that a License issue to Ed M. Caldwell to vend foreign Merchandise for One year from the first Monday in June a.d. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers for the sum of five dollars

Order that a License issue to John W. Maghuder to vend foreign Merchandise for One year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845. on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Seven Dollars & fifty

Issued Ordered that a License issue to Abram Lamberts to vend foreign Merchandise for One year from the first Monday in June a.d. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Issued Ordered that a License issue to Wm Hughes to vend foreign Merchandise for One year from the first Monday in June a.d. 1845. on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Issued Ordered that a License issue to George Messinger to vend foreign Merchandise for ~~One year~~ ^{Six months} from the first Monday in June a.d. 1845. on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for ~~five~~ ^{Two 50} dollars

Issued Ordered that ^{a license issue to} Jacob Herth to vend foreign Merchandise, for One year from the first Monday in June a.d. 1845, on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for five dollars

Issued Ordered that a License issue to Wm M. Woolsey to vend foreign Merchandise for One year from the first Monday in June a.d. 1845. on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for five dollars

Issued Ordered that ^{a license issue to} Alexander Sanghlin to vend foreign Merchandise, for One year from the first Monday in June a.d. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for Seven dollars and fifty cents

Issued Ordered that a License issue to M & C, Bell to vend foreign Merchandise for the term of One Year from the first Monday in June a.d. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Issued Ordered that a License issue to Benent & Vile to vend foreign Merchandise for the term of One year from ^{1st Monday in} June 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Seven dollars & fifty cents

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Issued Ordered that a License issue to Allis & Howes to vend foreign merchandise for the term of One year from the first Monday in June a.D. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Issued Ordered that a License issue to John S. Hopkins ~~for a~~ to vend foreign merchandise for One year from the first Monday in June a.D. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Seven dollars & fifty cents

Issued Ordered that a License issue to John M. Stockwell to vend foreign merchandise for the term of One year from the first Monday in June a.D. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Issued Ordered that a License issue to J. W. Reily to vend foreign merchandise for the term of One year from the first Monday in June a.D. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars.

Issued Ordered that a License issue to James Laughlin to vend foreign merchandise for the term of One year from the first Monday in June a.D. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Seven dollars & fifty cents

Issued Ordered that a License issue to William M. Stockwell to vend foreign merchandise for the term of One year from the first Monday in June a.D. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Ten dollars.

Issued Ordered that ^{a license} Decker & Kramer to vend foreign merchandise for the term of One year from the first Monday in June a.D. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

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Now here the board of Equalizers, for the County of Vanderburgh, in the State of Indiana, now in session at the Court house in Evansville, have deemed it proper to correct ~~the~~ by adding to, the list found on the Abstract of the Assessor for A D 1845, now under the Consideration of said board, - in the assessment of Personal property, to the following named persons, to wit:

Boyd Bullock, Oliver Ladd, John Douglas, John Henson, John H. Magher, William H. Stockwell, George W. Lechadd, William Dean, Thomas R. Harrison, ^{Capert's rule} Matthias Renschler, Warner Satterlee, Marcus Sherwood & Chute & Stinson. it is therefore, Ordered that the aforesaid persons be notified to appear ~~in person~~ if they deem it necessary, and make such complaint to the board & show cause if any they can, why such assessment, ^{shall not be} raised by said board.

Now here it appearing to the satisfaction of the board that James R. Deussou is labouring under a bodily infirmity it is therefore, Ordered that said James R. Deussou be and he is hereby exempted from ~~labour~~ ^{perform} ~~over~~ the public roads in this County, during the continuance of said infirmity.

Ordered that ^{East One third of the} the North half of fractional section no 31, in Township six South, of Range no 10 West, be added to Road district no one Pigeon Township.

Ordered that Saut. J. Jenkins be allowed eight dollars, ^{for 39 cents} for Stationary for Clerk's Office.

Ordered that Saut. J. Jenkins be allowed fifteen dollars for Ex officio services as Clerk of the Circuit Court to 26th June A D 1845.

Ordered that Christian Decker be allowed one dollar, for advertising ^{of said money} ~~bridge~~ ^{for} letting, ~~for~~ the Courser.

Ordered that John B. Stinson be allowed Eight dollars & twenty five cents, for labour on the roads in road district no 2 Perry Township in 1844, and that the supervisor of said district be authorized to ^{pay} him said amount out of the road funds that may come in to his hands for the use of roads.

Ordered that John B. Stinson be allowed Three dollars and thirty seven cents for extra services on roads in district no 2 Perry, for 1844.

Willard Carpenter Objects to the above allowance

Ordered that Christian Decker be allowed One dollar for serving as clerk Judge at late Election

Ordered that A. M. McGriff be allowed One dollar for serving as clerk at last Election

Ordered that G. B. Aydelott be allowed One dollar for serving as clerk at the last April Election

Ordered that Leannada Hoiggen botham be allowed two dollars & twenty five cents for services as supervisor of road district no 8 Armstrong Township

Ordered that Wm. Savitt be allowed Ten dollars & fifty cents for services in the apprehension of Criminals

Ordered that John B. Stinson be and he is hereby authorized to build a log way over the Ravine this side of his residence in Perry Township in Road district No 2, said log way is to be Eighteen feet wide and well covered with brush and dirt, the top of said log way, shall be above high water mark, and within ten feet of the top of the bank of said ravine, and a proper grade to be made on each side of the ravine so as to make the ascent easy from the center of said log way, and the sum of thirty dollars is hereby appropriated, for the purpose of defraying the expenses thereof, provided the said John B. Stinson will do or cause said log way to be built and completed for that sum including superintendance as well as building. It is further ordered that the order appropriating thirty five dollars for building a bridge at the same place, at the last session of this board be and it is hereby annulled and cancelled, and the said John B. Stinson now here comes into court and agrees to build said log way as above specified in this order, and for the above sum, and he further obligates himself to finish the same within thirty days from this date

By the Court
Perry

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The board of Equalizers further considering the assessments upon the abstract returned by the assessor for a.D. 1845, it is Ordered that ~~that~~ One thousand dollars be added to the ~~the~~ Sudds list

Ordered that John Douglass list be altered from five hundred ^{dollars} to two thousand dollars

Ordered that John Neurons list be altered from one hundred & fifty to two hundred dollars

And that John H. Maghus list be altered from 7000 dollars to 11000 dollars

And that Wm. H. Stockwells list be changed from 4000 to 6000

and that E. M. Chadds list be changed from 150 to 400

and that Wm. Dean's list be changed from 200 to 300

and that Samuel Matthias Rusehler list be changed from 150 to 300

and that Marcees Sherwood list be changed from 800 to 1000 of personal property

and that R. M. Dunbar list be changed from 300 to 200

Ordered that Edwin & Stoddard be allowed One dollar & sixty eight cents for Colter for bridge

Ordered that A. M. Mc Griff be allowed ten dollars & eighty eight cents for services rendered county as per no on file

Ordered that A. M. Mc Griff be allowed ten dollars making examination of lands, ^{taxable &} not listed for taxation

Ordered that A. M. Mc Griff be allowed ten dollars for making examination of lands taxable & not entered for taxation.

Ordered that A. M. Mc Griff be allowed fifteen dollars & sixty two for making examination of the taxable land that are not entered on the list for taxation

Ordered that a License issue to Richard Raleigh to vend foreign merchandise for the term of one year from the first Monday in June a.D. 1845 on production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

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Issued Ordered that ^{a license issue to} Carpenter & Sudd to vend foreign Merchandise for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Ample Ordered that a license issue to John Henrich to vend foreign merchandise for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipts for the sum of five dollars

Issued Ordered that a license issue to Griffith & Corbet to vend foreign merchandise for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Issued Ordered that a license issue to John Shaulblin to vend foreign merchandise for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Issued Ordered that a license issue to Lewis & Smith to vend foreign merchandise for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Ordered that a license issue to Elisha B. Babcock to vend foreign merchandise for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Ample Ordered that a license issue to George Messinger to vend foreign merchandise for the term of 6 months from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of two dollars & fifty cents

Ordered that a license issue to John M. App to vend foreign merchandise for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers for the sum of five dollars

Issued Ordered that a license issue to Bernard Corro to vend foreign merchandise for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Ordered that the board adjourn until 8 o'clock tomorrow morning
Willard Carpenter Just

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Thursday morning June 5th at 8 o'clock board met pursuant to adjournment, when present as yesterday
 Ordered that Wm. Walker be allowed
 Ten dollars & twenty five cents for materials furnish
 & labor on public ^{works} ^{for} ^{the} ^{year} ¹⁸⁴⁴
 Ordered that Wm. Walker be allowed
 Ten dollars & twenty five cents for Quill & Ink purchased
 for office as

Now here: Barney Raypton John A. Glickman and
 Andrew Gottchalk. views appointed on a
 former day of the present term, came and make
 report of their proceedings under said appointment
 in the words and figures following, to wit:
 To the Hon.

The board of Commissioners of ~~the~~
 Vanderburgh County
 Gentlemen

The undersigned
 having been appointed, to view and alter a
 certain part of the county road leading from
 Overton Pennington, to Jacob Rows, where said
 road crosses the land of Jacob Miller, would
 respectfully represent that after being duly
 sworn to discharge the duties thus required of
 us; did repair to that part of the road set
 forth and described in the petition of said
 Jacob Miller, and after a thorough examination
 of the same are of opinion that the change
 prayed for would be useful to said Miller
 and not detrimental to the public good,
 In accordance with this view of the subject
 did make a large dead hickory tree in the
 edge of said Miller's field as the starting point
 thence in a S.E. direction to the N.E. corner of
 a stable - thence to a stake in the old road
 thence with said road in a straight line, to where
 it will strike ^{the} county road at three Elm trees
 which we have marked. We would therefore
 recommend that the alteration hereby pointed out
 be adapted, and made a part of the aforesaid
 county road, and the said Miller agrees to put in
 good repair (at his own expense) so much of
 said ^{county} road as comes within the proposed alteration
 June 3rd 1845
 Barney Raypton
 John A. Glickman
 Andrew Gottchalk

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The board duly considering the aforesaid report and ^{the} things therein. Order that said report be approved & that Miller be authorized to open said ^{road} & that the Supervisor of the road district be required to keep it in good traveling order

Ordered that said Carr be allowed ^{\$1.00} one dollar for posts for public ferry

Ordered that Wm. Walker be allowed ^{\$3.50} three dollars & fifty five cents for freight bill for lumber for public ferry

Ordered that R. Barnes be allowed ^{\$1.00} one dollar & eighty one cents for stock & rails furnished for public ferry

Ordered that Charles Lew be allowed ^{\$0.87} eighty seven and one half cents for work on public ferry & twenty five cents on said bill the board will disallow

Ordered that Eaton & Hagg be allowed ^{\$3.50} three dollars & fifty cents for ^{3 day} work on public ferry, & one dollar & fifty cents on said bill, the board disallows

Now here the County Treasurer submits to the board his annual report of Receipts & Disbursements of the County Treasury & the board after duly examining said report & the matters therein contained approve & accept the same

Ordered that the County Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to use the unappropriated County Revenue now in the Treasury in the redemption of one Order payable to Willard Carpenter (which Order is No. 1909) & one Order payable to John B. Hinson and one to Alexander Laughlin & Co which said Orders are now drawing ten percent per annum, except Laughlin & Co's order which was ~~eight~~ ^{eight} percent, a change to five per cent

Ordered that a license issue to Andrew Newbold keep a ~~shop~~ ^{shop} with privilege to retail Spirituous Liquors for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for ten dollars, & filing his bond according to law, with John M. App as his security

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Ordered that Jesse S. Samba be allowed Three hundred & fifty dollars for building Jailers house & part of fence around Jail

Ordered that a License issued to George Bookashy to Keep a Grocery with a privilege to retail Spirituous Liquors, for the term of two years from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of ten dollars & filing his bond according to law

Now here comes George Bates and submits to the board a proposition to Keep the Paupers of the County ^{for the term of three years, for the sum of \$1200 per annum} and the ^{to} payable quarterly at the end of each quarter, said Bates is to be at every expense necessary for the comfort and well fare of the County Poor properly chargeable upon the County of Vanderburgh, to pay every expense said County would be subject to according to the requisitions of the laws of Indiana in relation to paupers & said Bates is to file a bond ^{for the faithful performance of his duties herein} to the acceptance of this Board,

Ordered that Thomas Anget be allowed One dollar for serving as Judge at Special Election in A.D. 1845

Ordered that Thomas Anget be allowed one days work on the public roads for service as Judge of Elections

Ordered that Olaus White be allowed be allowed One dollar & fifty cents for services as Supervisor of District No 6 South Township

Ordered that D. D. Grimes be allowed One dollar for services as Inspector of Elections in Perry Township for A.D. 1845

Ordered that Virvian D. Grimes be allowed one days work for serving a clerk of an election in Perry Township

Ordered that Willard Carpenter be allowed six dollars for advertising for Court, in the Evansville Courier

Ordered that Willard Carpenter be allowed sixty two dollars & fifty cents for one quarters rent of poor house to 8th of June A.D. 1845

Ordered that George Bates be allowed One dollar for hauling paupers to poor house

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Now here, ^{on the petition of} James Clark and other citizens of Union Township for the appointment of Viewers to view and make a certain road, and ^{the board} upon duly considering said petition, ~~the board~~ it is Ordered that Richard Deal, Wm^d McDowell & John King be and they are hereby appointed Viewers to view out & make said road commencing on the bank of the Ohio River running thence west on a line between James Deal & Strother's ^{land} until it strikes the North line of said fractional section No 36 & that they report to this board at its next session

Now here on the petition of Wm Johnston and other citizens of Perry Township for the appointment of Viewers to view out & make a certain cart way commencing at Wm Johnston and running thence on the center line of section No 11 in town & south range 11 west one quarter of a mile to intersect the present county road at the corner post of John Bump's and Smith's land, Ordered that Ira A. Fairhead, Samuel Kirkpatrick, & Mr. Clement Jr. be and they are hereby appointed Viewers to view and make out said cart way according to the prayer of said petition and that they report to this board at its next session

Ordered that John Mitchell be allowed one dollar for viewing road in Pigeon Township

Ordered that Daniel Miller be allowed one dollar for viewing road in Pigeon Township

Ordered that Daniel Miller be allowed one dollar for serving as inspector of ^{an} Elections in Pigeon Township held in April A. D. 1845

Now here come John Mitchell & Daniel Miller two of the Viewers heretofore appointed by the Board to view a change in the State road leading from Evansville to the mouth of Pigeon Creek, & make report of said view in the words and figures as follows, to wit:
Locality Commission

June Term 1845

To the Hon the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, The undersigned Commissioners appointed by the Court at the last Term to view and make, out a proposed & petitioned change of so much of the State Road leading from Evansville to the mouth of Pigeon Creek, as lies between the lower boundary of Mc Gay's Enclosure of Evansville & a log cabin known as McNevers Cabin on the bank of the Ohio

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View and on said Roads, and about 555 feet below the said lower boundary of McHenry Enlargement to said town, would respectfully represent and report that they did on the 5th day of June after being duly sworn (the other Viewer Charles Harrington being absent on a Journey) proceed to view & mark ^{out} said change in said ~~inland~~ Road, and that they ^{found} said proposed change to be both advisable and expedient, and did therefore change said road between the points aforesaid so far as their authority extended, and did & do hereby locate and change so much of said Road so as to make said Road leave the town of Evansville at the lower end of Water Street, at the South West corner of said Carpenter's blue (warehouse and running thence in a straight line to the South West corner of said McKenners leahin, being a distance ^{about} of 555 feet, said straight line to constitute the Northern ^{of said Road, and said Road to extend in width} boundary, towards the Ohio River forty feet (40) feet and they do, hereby vacate so much of said Road, as heretofore lay between the end of first Street in said town, and said McKenners leahin, all which is Respectfully Submitted

June 5th 1845John Mutchels
J. Miller

Ordered that said report be approved and that said road be opened & kept in repair by the Supervisor of roads through whose district it passes

Resolved Ordered that a License issue to be H. Drew to keep a Tavern with a privilege to retail Spirituous Liquors for one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Twelve dollars & fifty cents & filing his bond according to law

Resolved Ordered that a License issue to Thomas Gifford to keep a Tavern with a privilege to retail Spirituous Liquors for one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Ten dollars & filing his bond according to law

Resolved Ordered that a License issue to Stephen Childs to keep a ^{with a privilege to retail Spirituous Liquors} Grocery for one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Ten dollars, & filing his bond according to law

Not Carried

Ordered that a license issue to Stinson & Jarred to keep a Grocery with a privilege to retail Spirituous liquors for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on their producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Ten dollars & filing their bond according to law.

Remittable
Went off

Now here Wm Walker who was elected Constable for pigeon Township for one year from the first Monday in April A.D. 1845. comes into court and presents his bond as such Constable, and the board duly considering said bond & the security therein do now hear off of the same.

License

Ordered that a license issue to Marcus Sherwood to keep a Tavern with a privilege to retail Spirituous liquors for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Twelve dollars & fifty cents and filing his bond according to law.

License

Ordered that a license issue to Geo. W. White to keep a Grocery for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 with a privilege to retail Spirituous liquors, by his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Ten dollars & filing his bond according to law.

License

Ordered that a license issue to Thomas R. Smith to keep a Tavern with a privilege to retail Spirituous liquors for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of ten dollars and filing his bond according to law.

License

Ordered that a license issue to Robert Ruston to keep a Tavern for one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 with the privilege to retail Spirituous liquors by his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Ten dollars & filing his bond according to law.

License

Ordered that a license issue to Gottlieb Haas to keep a Tavern with a privilege to retail Spirituous liquors for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of ten dollars & filing his bond according to law.

License

Ordered that a license issue to D. Stone to keep a Tavern with a privilege to retail Spirituous liquors for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Twelve dollars & fifty cents & filing his bond according to law.

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Issued Ordered that a License issue to George Mearinger to Keep a Tavern with a privilege to retail Spirituous Liquors, for the term of six months from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars & filing his bond according to law

Issued Ordered that a License issue to Franklin Salmon to Keep a Tavern with a privilege to retail Spirituous Liquors for the term of One year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of ten dollars & filing his bond according to law

Issued Ordered that a License issue to Wm Crosby to Keep a Grocery with a privilege to retail Spirituous liquors for the term of One year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of two dollars & filing his bond according to law

Issued Ordered that a license issue to Obed Foster to Keep a Grocery with a privilege to retail Spirituous liquors for the term of One year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of ten dollars & filing his bond according to law

Issued Ordered that a License issue to Case I. Lamb to vend foreign Merchandise for the term of One year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on the production by him of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Issued Ordered that a License issue to Hearsington Heam Heo to vend foreign Merchandise for the term of six months from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on their producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of two dollars & fifty cents

Issued Ordered that a License issue to Paffendick & Benemann to vend foreign Merchandise for the term of One year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on their producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Issued Ordered that a License issue to David McCall to vend foreign Merchandise for the term of One year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

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Now hear the board of equalizers. change Parmenter's list of personals on the abstract of assessment for 1845 now before said board, - from \$300 to 500 \$

And George Bates' list from 150 dollars to 300 dollars Ordered that the Board adjourn, ^{to} Nine O'Clock tomorrow morning
William Carpenter

Friday Morning, ^{June 6th} at 9 O'Clock the board met pursuant to adjournment. - when present as yesterday

Equity to land
Assessors
Now hear the board of equalization having ~~adjourned~~ finished their examinations of the assessors abstract for A.D. 1845 said board is therefore now here adjourned.

Ordered that James M. Parvin be allowed Three dollars & nineteen cents. fine for criminal and the board disallows "making" one pair of large leg cuffs and ~~one~~ do hand do, do & repairing hand cuffs which items disallowed amount to four dollars and fifty cents

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Repa. to

Now hear Saml. J. Calkins makes report to the board of fines &c assessed at the March Term A.D. 1845 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court, as follows, to wit:

"A List of fines assessed at the March Term A.D. 1845 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

State of Indiana
vs ³ Illegal Voting ³ Fine \$5.00
Aaron W. Hill ³

State of Indiana
vs ³ Obtaining money by false pretences fine \$70.00
Charles Coulter ³

State of Indiana
vs ³ Gaming ³ Fine \$1.00
Saml. J. Calkins ³

State of Indiana
vs ³ Assault with intent to commit a rape \$1.00
James Freeman ³

State of Indiana
vs ³ Gaming ³ Fine \$1.00
James W. Stinson ³

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A List of fines collected since my last report

State of Indiana			
vs ^{vs} ^{vs} ^{vs}	Gaming	vs	Fine
	Thomas French		\$1.00

State of Indiana, (Vanderburgh County) ss
 I, Samuel J. Pentkins being duly sworn
 deposes & says that the above report contains a
 true statement of the names of all persons against
 whose fines were assessed at the March term A. D.
 1845 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court, together with the
 amount & cause thereof, and also a correct report
 of all the fines received by him and the names of
 persons paying, together with the amount and cause
 thereof. Samuel J. Pentkins
C/M

Subscribed & sworn to before me at Evansville the 29th day
May 1845

William H. Walker A. J. C.

Ordered that R. dyer be allowed
 three dollars ~~watching~~ ^{guarding} jail 3 nights

Ordered that Charles Liu be allowed
 eleven dollars for 11 nights services guarding
 jail

Ordered that Benjamin Hugg
 be allowed seven dollars for 7 nights services
 guarding jail

Ordered that Owen Cavanaugh
 be allowed four dollars for guarding jail 4
 nights

Now hence is ordered that Enoch Dusterly be
 and he is hereby appointed constable for Union Township
 to serve until the next April election until his successor
 is elected and qualified

Now here comes Enoch Dusterly and files his bond
 with Reuben Dammond James Groves & John J. Fisher
 as his securities therein, and the board duly considering
 said bond & security now here approve the same

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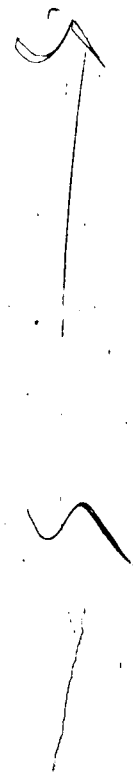
Notes & Resolutions
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The following rates of taxation for the purposes of State Revenue for the year 1845, are now here, fixed by the board as follows, to wit;

On all property made taxable by law at the rate of twenty cents, on each one hundred dollars valuation thereof, and on each male inhabitant over the age of twenty one and under the age of fifty years, fifty cents, and for a Lunatic asylum one cent, and for a deaf and dumb asylum five mills, and for the Education of the blind two mills, on each one hundred dollars valuation thereof, - and also for the purpose of supporting a deaf & dumb asylum (which was omitted in 1844) five mills on each one hundred dollars valuation thereof

And for the purposes of County Revenue for said year 1845, the rates of taxation are now here fixed by said board, as follows, to wit: on all property made taxable by law, at the rate of forty cents on each one hundred dollars valuation thereof, and on each male inhabitant subject by law to pay a poll tax, one dollar, and on the Ferry across the Ohio River opposite the farm on said River belonging to the heirs of Joseph McCollister dec. three dollars, on the Ferry across the Ohio River opposite the town of Henderson Ky ten dollars, and on each Pedler of Clocks five dollars, and on each traveling Caravan Manager or other collection of animals, and for each show of any figures or circus or theatre, rope or wire, dancing, or sleight of hand exhibited for show or reward five dollars

Receiver
Rep to



We the undersigned viewers have viewed the said road beginning on the County Road on John Glickmans Land, thence running on a line of blazes to John Balsdon from thence to the south line of Isaac Barnards land to the corner of his fence thence running thence south west across Lewis Longs land on a line of blazes to the gate and house of Gottlieb Quist from thence north on the line between Quist and Longs land to Joseph Shanks thence running north west, on a private road to the fence and blazes of James Mc. Alpins. We the viewers deem it of public utility, and find the ground to be good for a road.
Lenton Township March 29th 1845

viewers
John Clark
John Balsdon
Peter Vogel

Ordered that said report be approved & that those interested be authorized to open said road

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Now here the board authorizes the County Treasurer to purchase an Iron safe, and it appearing to the board from the representation of Mr L. M. Griffith that a good safe can be purchased in Philadelphia for the sum of Eighty five dollars, it therefore hereby Ordered that the County Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to buy said safe for the said sum or less (if it can be bought for a less price) for the use the County Treasury

Now here it is Ordered that Willard Carpenter be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner ^{to superintend} ~~Superintendent~~ the building or construction of a public Cistern, on the public square, between the Court house and Clerk's office, said Cistern is not to be over a five hundred square Cistern, & constructed of good materials, and on an economical plan, & said Carpenter is to superintend procuring said materials, & the building said Cistern, & also that said Carpenter procure gutters, & spouting, for the Court house & have the same properly placed upon the eaves, of said house and arranged, so as to conduct the water from the Court house roof to said Cistern

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Ordered that B. Mills be allowed Ten dollars for services as Overseer of the poor for one year

Ordered that a License issue to F. Metzger to keep ^{with a privilege to retail spirituous liquors} a grocery, for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on his producing the County Treasurer's receipt for the sum of two dollars & filing his bond according to law

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Ordered that a License issue to Reuben Schuell to keep ^{with a privilege to retail spirituous liquors} a grocery, for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on his producing the County Treasurer's receipt for the sum of Ten dollars & filing his bond according to law

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Ordered that a License issue to C. K. Hayles to keep a grocery for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 with a privilege to retail spirituous liquors on his filing his bond according to law and producing the County Treasurer's receipt for ten dollars

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License Ordered that a License issue to John Mitchell to vend foreign merchandise for the term of 6 months from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars & fifty cents

License Ordered that a License issue to Henry New to vend foreign merchandise for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

License Ordered that a License issue to Griffith & Corbit ~~for the~~ to vend foreign merchandise for the term of one year from the first Monday in June A.D. 1845 on their producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Comptroller Now here Bracket Mills & Joseph Whelan Esqs Comptroller of the poor for Perry Township produce to the board their report as such overseers and the board now here approve & accept the same

Comptroller Now here upon the petition of Mrs M. Stephens and ^{citizens of Perry Township} others, to change the place of holding elections in said Township, it is Ordered that the place of holding Elections in Perry Township, be changed from James Stephens where it is now held, to the residence of John Whitehead, at the farm of ^{in said township} Melard Carpenter near Carpenters Mill & that the Elections hereafter be held at said last named place

Comptroller Now here John Mitchell & John Engle Jr Commissioners heretofore appointed by the board for the purpose of procuring a location for a County Jail. Report that they have not as yet been enabled to secure said location and ask further time to enable them to secure said location and it is ordered that said John Mitch & John Engle Jr have further time granted to them ^{for the procurement of said site} & that they report to this board at its next session

Vacation of Germantown Now here John W. Miller & Melard Carpenter present to the board a petition praying for the vacation of Germantown & the duty considering said petition said petition & the things contained therein do now here vacate said Germantown

Ordered that Mrs M. Walker be allowed two dollars & seventy eight cents for dieting criminals

Ordered that Mrs M. Walker be allowed one dollar for dieting criminals in the County Jail

Ordered that Mrs M. Walker be allowed thirty five dollars for dieting criminals in County Jail

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Ordered that Wm. H. Walker be allowed Thirty seven dollars & thirty five cents for dieting the criminals in the County Jail to June 7th 1845

Now here it is Ordered that a fine of two dollars be and it is hereby entered up against Emanuel Hull for contumacious language spoken in presence of ~~the~~ of the board & during the sitting thereof

Ordered that a fine of one dollar be entered up against George Bates ~~of~~ for contempt

Ordered that a fine of one dollar be entered ^{up} against George Bates for contempt

Ordered that a fine of one dollar be ~~also~~ entered up against Geo. Bates for a contempt

Ordered that John N. Pitendak be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for drawing George Bates Bond for keeping paupers

Now here Patrick McKeever and Henry Keagyard comes into court, and make a proposition to grade the road leading to the mouth of Pigeon Creek on the bank of the bank of the Ohio river. Said work is to be done on that part of said road washed away by the last freshets. Said McKeever & Keagyard agree for 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents per ^{cubic = to fill} yard, the hole in ~~the bank~~ to be filled ^{in the bank of the river} with forked spiles brush & dirt. Said spiles to be driven so as to hold & secure the brush & prevent the freshets in the river from washing it out or raising it from its position. Said work including grading the bank & filling up the hole in the bank, not to cost over one hundred & fifty dollars & the board now here appoints Willard Carpenter to superintend said work.

Ernest Kennerly objects to the passage of the foregoing order

It is now here ordered that the above order for grading the bank of the river & road just above Pigeon Creek be and it is hereby recorded

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County Agent

It is now here ordered that John St. Kilkendale
 he and he is hereby appointed County Agent for the
 County of Vanderburgh. to serve for three years & said
 John St. Kilkendale proposes Willard Carpenter as his
 security in the performance of his duties as such
 County agent, and the board now here accept
 and approve of said security, so soon as said
 Kilkendale files his bond as aforesaid, and
 said Kilkendale further agrees for consideration of
 fifty dollars per annum (the first fifty ^{dollars} to be paid in
 a County Order in advance) "to act as the Counsellor of the
 Board Auditor & Treasurer in reference to the County
 business" and do and perform all other duties pertaining
 to the said office of County Agent

copied

Sec. Jenkins

Saml. J. Jenkins comes into court and makes
 report in relation to an appropriation here
 to for ^{money} to him as clerk of the Circuit Court for the
 purpose of buying books. Said report shows that
 there still remains in his hands unexpended the
 sum of six dollars & ten cents. and the board
 now here approve said report

c 100

Ordered that Joseph Whelan Esq. Com-
 misioner of the poor, ^{be allowed} ten dollars for services as such ~~Commissioner~~ for
 a 1844 to the present date

J.S. Catlett

It is now here ordered that Julius S. Catlett
 he and he is hereby appointed Constable for Union
 Township to serve until the next April
 Election & until his successor is elected and
 qualified

Const. Catlett

Julius S. Catlett produces to the board
 his bond as such Constable. with Emanuel Houll as
 his security, and the board duly considering said
 bond and the security therein. accept and approve
 of the same

c 101

Ordered that Thomas Cuyett be
 allowed twenty five cents for services as returning Judge

c 102

Ordered that E. Saunders be allowed
 ten dollars for 5 days services, at the term as 1845

c 103

Ordered that E. Kennerly be
 allowed five dollars in part for 5 days services as County
 Commissioner at the term as 1845

c 104

Ordered that E. Kennerly be
 allowed five dollars for part of 5 days services at
 term as 1845

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105¹ Ordered that Willard Carpenter be allowed Ten dollars for 5 days services as County Commissioner at June Term 1845

106¹ Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed Seventy One dollar & sixty five cents for services as County Auditor to day 31st 1845

107¹ Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed Six dollars ~~as County Auditor~~ for three days services as a member of the board of Equalization

108¹ Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed Eighteen dollars ⁴⁷/₁₀₀ Cent of the interest of surplus Revenue, for his fees to day 31st 1845

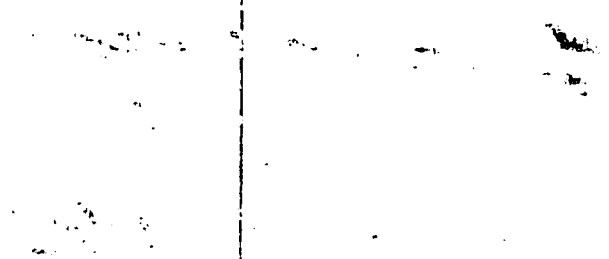
109¹ Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed ^{our of eight} ₆₀ ^{Revenue} _{Dollars} for his fees to 31st May 1845

Now here comes D. Woolley Esq and advises the board of his readiness to make payment for Lot 150 as soon as they clear off the encumbrances upon said lot.

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in course

Wm H. Saunders
Willard Carpenter
Quinton Kennedy

The board having made examination of the bridge across pigeon creek on the ^{state} road leading from Crossroads to Princeton, they find said bridge completed & finished according to contract & the board ^{now here} accepts said bridge, from James Leavitt the contractor
June 7th
Willard Carpenter
& Saunders



Board of Commissioners. In Vacation
June 9th 1845

Auditors Office V. C.
June 11th A. D. 1845

Robert Kingsberry

Supervisor
dis. dist. 6
You are hereby appointed Supervisor for roads in road district no 6 Scott Township, to serve until the next April Election & until your successor is elected & qualified

William H. Walker A. V. C.

Auditors Office V. C.
August 27th A. D. 1845

George Ricket

Supervisor
dis. dist. 4
You are hereby appointed Supervisor for roads in road district no 4 Armstrong Township, to serve until the next April Election & until your successor is elected & qualified

William H. Walker A. V. C.

Auditors Office V. C.
June A. D. 1845

Supervisor
dis. dist. 6
You are hereby appointed Supervisor for roads in road district no 6 Armstrong Township, to serve until the next April Election & until your successor is elected & qualified

William H. Walker A. V. C.

Auditors Office V. C.
August 15th June A. D. 1845

Fredrick Stucolo

Supervisor
dis. dist. 7
You are hereby duly appointed Supervisor of roads in road district no 7 Armstrong Township, to serve until the next April Election & until your successor is elected & qualified

William H. Walker A. V. C.

Auditors Office V.C. June 13th 1885

James McPherson

Spies

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in and for road district No. 6 Perry Township to serve until the next April election & until your successor is elected & qualified

William Ho, Walker Ave.

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Special June Session A. 1845

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners, doing business for the County of Vanderburgh, in the State of Indiana, held on Saturday June 28th A. 1845, in pursuance of a call of the County Auditor for the purpose of ordering the County Agent to make a deed of conveyance to lot no 150 in the Donation Enlargement of Evansville and to Consider such matters, as may come before said board, in relation to the bridge at the mouth of Pigeon Creek, when present Ezekiel Saunders, Everton Kennerly & Willard - Carpenter Esq's

now here it is ordered that John A. Kirkendale County Agent of the County of Vanderburgh, he and he is hereby ordered, authorized, and directed, to convey in the name of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh, to John Shanklin Samuel Orr and Daniel Woolsey, Trustees of the Evansville Presbyterian Church and Congregation, and their Successors in Office for ever, by quit claim deed, all the following described lot or parcel of land lying and being in the County of Vanderburgh, in the State of Indiana, to wit Lot Number One Hundred and fifty (150) in the Donation Enlargement of the Town of Evansville, releasing and quitclaiming, by said deed, to the said Shanklin, Orr & Woolsey, as Trustees as aforesaid, for the use of said Church & Congregation, all the interest of the said County of Vanderburgh, of in and to the said Lot Number One Hundred and fifty (150) and all the acts of the said Kirkendale, if in and concerning the conveyance of the said lot to the said Shanklin Orr & Woolsey, Trustees as aforesaid are hereby acquiesced in, and confirmed by this board

18301 15 19.00

It is now here ordered that nine dollars he and it is hereby appropriated, for the purposes of buying four hundred & fifty feet of 2 1/4 inch plank to cover a bridge over Saunders Creek in Perry Township, & Ezekiel Saunders Esq. is now here appointed, to superintend the ^{building of} said ^{bridge} & the Auditor is authorized, to issue said order to said Saunders on demand

Special June Session April 1845

It is now here Ordered ^{Passed this last month session} that an Order, Appointing
said Orr & Nathan Rowley Esqs. to contract for building
stone abutments under the bridge at the mouth of
pigeon Creek, be and it is hereby ~~renewed~~ and
renewed

June

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Ordered that Wm. M. Walker be allowed
One dollar for services, examining site for lower pigeon
bridge

It is now here Ordered, that a premium of
Twenty Dollars, be allowed to any bridge builder, who
submits to this board, the best plan, for a bridge, of
the following dimensions, viz said bridge is to be a ~~100~~ feet
in length & ~~10~~ feet wide, with a double track, ~~and the~~
plans, to be submitted, on or before the next
March ^{the board to be} session, (to holden on the first ^{in March next} Monday ~~of this~~)
~~month~~, said plans to be for a single as well as double
track bridge

June

173
Ordered that E. Kennedy Esqr be allowed
Two dollars for Official services as a member of the
County board, at Special June Session 1845

June

174
Ordered that E. Saunders Esqr be allowed
Two dollars for Official services as a member of the
County board, at the Special June Session 1845

June

175
Ordered that W. Carpenter Esqr be allowed
Two dollars for Official services as a member of the
County board at the Special June Session 1845

Ordered that the board adjourn till Court in course

Willard Carpenter
E Saunders
Everton Kennedy

In vacation July A.D. 1845

And
the same

Whereas Anthony Hoefling Assignee of John Adam Weller Assignee of Heran Peterson having produced to me the School Commissioners Certificate for the purchase of the north half of the South West quarter of Section number sixteen in township number five South of Range number eleven West containing eighty acres. and also filed in my office the School Commissioners receipts number forty seven for the sum of seventy five dollars in full payment for the above described land.

Now know ye that in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statutes in such case made and provided by William H. Walker County Auditor for the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana for and in the name of "the inhabitants of Congressional township number five South of Range eleven West" and by the Authority in me vested by Law as Auditor as aforesaid. - do give, grant, bargain, sell, release, convey, and confirm unto the said Anthony Hoefling and to his heirs and assigns forever, the above described tract of land, with the appurtenances thereunto belonging as fully and absolutely as I may or can convey the same as Auditor aforesaid.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville, the twenty sixth day of July A.D. 1845

attest
William H. Walker Auditor
Bracket Mills S.C. & Co. of Vanderburgh County

State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County }

I Bracket Mills a Justice of the peace for pigeon Township in said County & State do hereby certify that William H. Walker County Auditor for the County of Vanderburgh in the State whose name appears to the foregoing deed - personally appeared before me and acknowledged the within indenture to be his "act and deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned" Given under my hand and seal

at Ennisville this the twenty sixth day of July A.D. 1845
Bracket Mills ^{seal}
Justice of the peace

Recorded July 26th 1845
W. H. Walker atty.

Special July Session A. D. 1845

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners, of Vanderburgh County, held at the Court house in Evansville in said County, on the ^{twentieth} ~~fifteenth~~ day of July, A. D. 1845. in pursuance of a Call of the County Auditor, for the purpose of Appointing a flour inspector for said County and also to make such Orders in relation to the public Cisterns as might be deemed proper. When present Everton Sturmerley, Ezekiel Landry, Willard Carpenter, ~~and~~ members Composing said board

It is ~~now~~ ^{is} ~~hereby~~ ^{is} Ordered that Frederick Metzger be and he is hereby appointed Inspector of flour for the County of Vanderburgh, to hold his office for three years, and until his successor is elected and qualified

No 176 $\$16 \frac{42}{100}$

Ordered that A. Kollenberg be allowed sixteen dollars and forty two cents for Spouting Gutter & Elbows for Court House

No 177 $\$15 \frac{63}{100}$

Ordered that Sams. Orr be allowed fifteen dollars & sixty three cents for cement for public Cistern

No 178 $\$16 \frac{60}{100}$

Ordered that Edward Harvey be and he is hereby allowed sixteen dollars for digging public Cistern & extra labour about same

No 179 $\$3 \frac{50}{100}$

Ordered that Thomas Colman be allowed three dollars and fifty cents for brick furnished for the public Cistern

No 180 $\$1 \frac{48}{100}$

Ordered that Henry Turpeo be allowed one dollar & forty eight cents for hauling lumber & ~~materials~~ materials for public Cistern

No 181 $\$1 \frac{15}{100}$

Ordered that Martin Smith be allowed one dollar & fifteen cents for digging Vault for public privy in Jail yard

No 182 $\$20 \frac{00}{100}$

Ordered that ~~Wm~~ Wm. Maxey be allowed twenty dollars for building privy in Jail yard.

No 183 $\$2 \frac{00}{100}$

Ordered that E. Sturmerley be allowed two dollars for official services one day at this term

No 184 $\$2 \frac{00}{100}$

Ordered that E. Sturmerley be allowed two dollars for one days official services at present term

Ordered

Approved
 Paid
 Paid
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Special July Session A. 1845

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court
in course

William Carpenter -
G. Sanders

Eviston Kemmerly

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On vacation August ad 1845

Aud Office Vt Aug 2nd 1845
Copied Mr Hamilton Gerard is hereby appointed
Supervisor of road district No. 3 Union Township
for 1845 to serve until the next April election and
until his successor is elected & qualified
William H. Walker A.V.C.

Auditors Office Vt
Copied Wm Palmer is hereby appointed Supervisor
of roads in road district No. 5 Scott Township
for ad 1845 to serve until the next April
election, and until his successor is elected
and qualified
William H. Walker A.V.C.

Auditors Office Vt
Copied James Witherspoon is hereby appointed
Supervisor of road district No. 2 Scott Township
to serve until the next April election
& until his successor is elected and qualified
William H. Walker A.V.C.

Auditors Office Vt
Copied Mr James Killzer is hereby appointed
Supervisor of road district No. 4 Scott Township
to serve until the next April election and
until his successor is elected & qualified
Sept 1st 1845

Recd August Nelson do 1845

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Henderson held at the Court Room in Bowling Green Monday August 12th 1845 in pursuance of a Call of the County Auditor for the purpose of passing an Order authorizing the County to make a deed to Abraham Hayes for parts of certain lots in the donation conveyed to "Emmelle" when present Eschel Kennedy and William Carpenter Esq. members of said board

Now here it is ordered by the Board of Commissioners of the County of Henderson that John C. Wilson all County agent of said County because he is hereby authorized and required to convey to Abraham Hayes by deed all the tract of land described as hereinafter set forth commencing at the North West corner of lot number 120 from one acre & twenty five hundredths then a North West with the line of said lot fifty feet then a North East parallel with the front line of said lot twenty nine feet then a North East to the line of the West in front of said lot then a North West to the place of beginning being part of parcel of lots Nos 217 & 218 in the donation & abutment of the town of Bowling Green. And the said Board of Commissioners hereby give the County of Henderson the whole the said Wilson and his heirs as they are all liability or claim against the County in or by the said Hayes or his heirs or assigns of conveyance and all the costs & charges of the said Wilson and his heirs in said deed and the County shall be at cost & charge of the said Wilson and his heirs and the said Hayes pay to the said agent the sum of one hundred and fifty six dollars and ninety one cents

Now here it is ordered that where as J. E. Goodall has deposited this Board that his certificate to have certain notes in the hands of the County agent John C. Wilson and to return to the County of Henderson to be cancelled

Now therefore it is hereby ordered that the said Wilson and County agent be and he is hereby authorized & required to deliver up to the said Goodall those certain promissory notes for five hundred and twenty dollars each made by the said J. E. Goodall & dated the 27th day of March 1839 payable to James Goodall agent of Henderson County or his heirs or assigns in office on the 1st day of June 1845 and the return in duplicate

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months after date and one dated Dec^r 4th 1838 for three hundred and fifty seven $+ 76\frac{1}{4}$ dollars payable one day after date to James & Jones agent of Vanderburgh County or order

It is now here Ordered that W. Carpenter be and he is hereby authorized to advance to the Central bridge Committee (including the sum already advanced) the sum of two hundred dollars out of the appropriation heretofore made for the purpose of assisting in the erection of said bridge

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in course

J. Saunders

William Carpenter

In Vacation August A. D. 1845

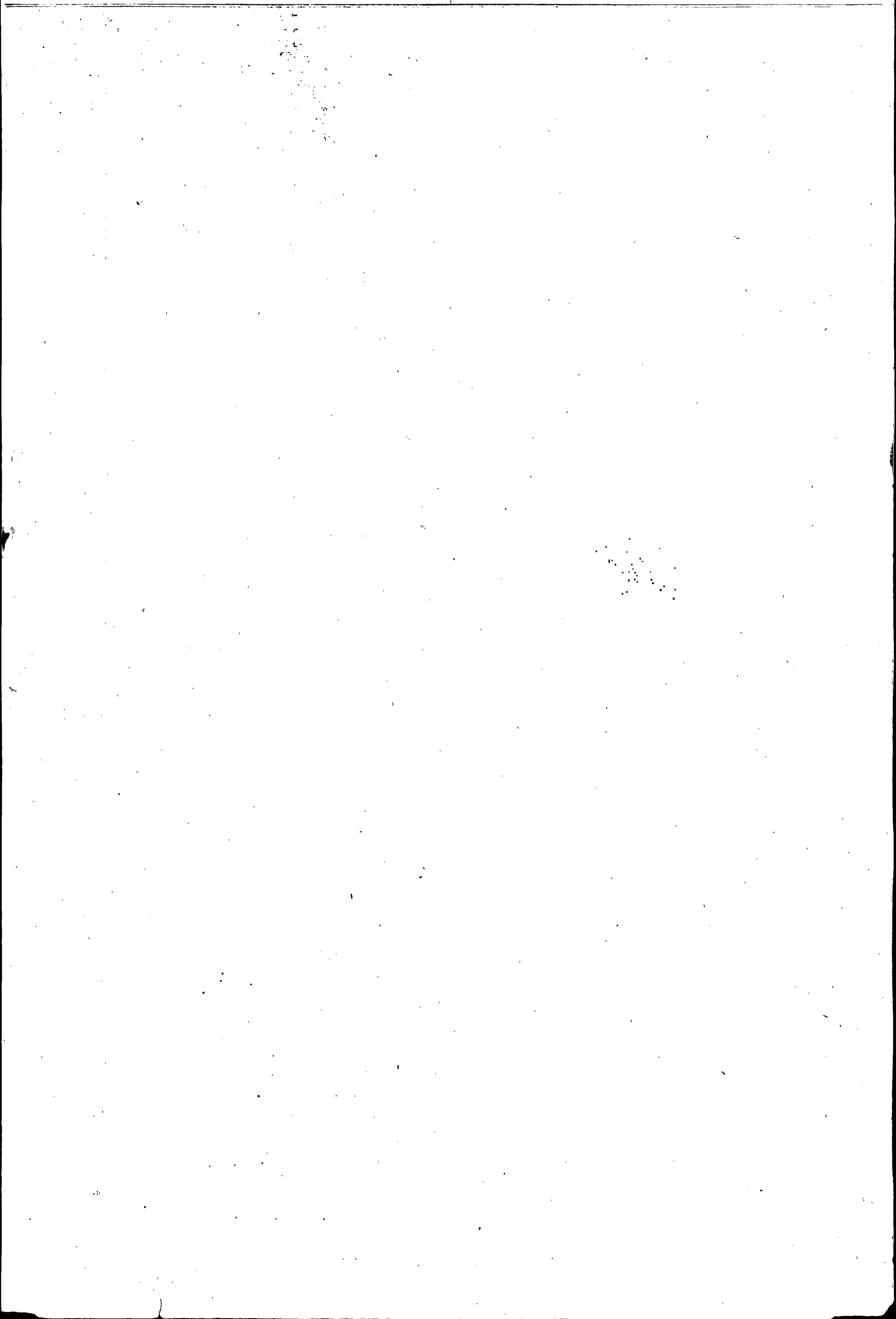
A Statement of a Sale of Land, - mortgaged to secure a loan of Common School Funds, - made at the door of the Court house in Evansville in the County of Vanderburgh & State of Indiana (in pursuance of previous Public Notice) on Thursday August 28th A. D. 1845 between the hours of 8 O'Clock A. M. & 5 O'Clock P. M. of said day.

Name of Purchaser	Acres of Land	off the South End of the
Willard Carpenter	100	W ^{1/2} of the S ^{1/2} of fractional section No 7 in Town of South, Range 11 West, Subd. Div. at the time of sale, for which said tract sold \$168.48

William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County
Bracket Mills S. C. V. C.

Evansville August 28th A. D. 1845

Willard Carpenter having produced to me the School Commissioners receipts for the above one hundred & sixty eight dollars & 48 cents. I have this day (October 11th 1845) Executed to him a deed for the aforesaid 100 acres of land
William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County



September Session A.D. 1845

At a session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana began and held at the Court house in Evansville in said County on the first Monday in September (that being the first day of said month) A.D. 1845. When present Ezekiel Saunders, Everton Kennerly and Ira P. Grainger Esqrs. members composing said Board.

President

Nowhere it is Ordered that Everton Kennerly Esq. be and he is hereby appointed President of the Board

Now here on the petition of Silas Stephens and others freehold Citizens of Peigow Township for a certain change in ^{part of the} Green river road which lies between Water Street in Evansville and the bayou bridge on said Green river road & the board after having said petition publicly read. Ordered that Silas Stephens, William Mc Knitt and Marcus Sherwood be and they are hereby appointed Viewers to view and mark out said change and report to this Board at its next session

Ordered

No 219 D \$3.00 Ordered that Saul Jarred be allowed three dollars for services as clerk at 3 elections as per voucher on file

Now here come Ira A. Fairchild and others Viewers heretofore appointed to view and mark a certain cut way and make report in words and figures following to wit
" August 22 1845

"According to appointments of the board of Commissioners, we E. A. Fairchild & Wm Clunk & Samuel Kirkpatrick have viewed and marked out a least way - according to William Johnston's petition and others commencing at the south west corner of Cobmittons land and running on the line between John Bumps and Smiths land, to the County Road, given under our hands"

"Ira A. Fairchild
Wm Clunk
Samuel Kirkpatrick"

Now here it is ordered that those citizens most interested in said road are hereby authorized to open the same

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No 2209

Done

Ordered that Leonard Baker Esq
be allowed Five dollars for legal services in case of
County Treasurer vs Andrew J. Harrison and
Charles Ingham for recovery of ^{Price of} Theatre License

Sell Maxwell
Exempt from
Road work

It is now here Ordered that Samuel
Maxwell be and he is hereby exempted from labour
on the public Highways in Vanderburgh County, he
having shown to the satisfaction of the board that
he is labouring under a bodily infirmity of a serious
nature

Now here George W. Boswell County Assessor,
who was elected at the last August election comes
and files his bond as such assessor for the
approval of the board in the words and figures
following to wit:

Know all men by these presents
that we George W. Boswell Sherman Fairchild Bernard
Morre Isaac Hutchison John Walsh M. S. Bray &
Decker & Krauer are held and firmly bound
unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum
of two thousand dollars for the payment of which
we and truly to be made we bind ourselves our
heirs executors and administrators jointly and
severally firmly by these presents sealed with our
seals and dated this the first day of September
A.D. 1845

Now the condition of the Above Obligation
is such that whereas the above named George
W. Boswell was on the fourth day of August
1845 duly elected Assessor for the County of
Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana for the term
of two years and until his successor is elected
and qualified (all of which appears from the
Certificate of the Clerk of ^{the} Vanderburgh Circuit Court)

And now if the said George W. Boswell shall
do and perform all the duties which are now
or may hereafter be required of him by law
faithfully and impartially as County Assessor then
this Obligation to be void. Or if the said George W.
Boswell should fail or neglect to perform ^{the} duties
of County Assessor then & in that event this Obligation
to be and remain in full force and virtue in law

G. W. Boswell Seal
Sherman Fairchild Seal
Bernard Morre Seal
I. Hutchison Seal
John Walsh Seal
M. S. Bray Seal
Decker & Krauer Seal

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And the Board duly considering said bond and the security therein now here approve and accept the same

Ordered that James Perry be allowed ^{41.50} ~~41.00~~ dollars for 2 day services mowing hands

Now here comes James Perry Supervisor of roads in road district no 2 Scott Township for 1844 and makes his report as such supervisor which report is now here approved

Ordered that Ira A. Fairchild be allowed seventy five cents for returning Poll book of August Election 1845

Ordered that Charles Knowles be allowed five dollars and fifty cents for voucher now on file

Now here William Moffett presents to the board the Certificate of William Coote, setting forth that he has a deaf & dumb son whom he is desirous of having admitted into the Indiana Asylum for the Education of the deaf & dumb, and that he is unable to meet the expenses of his education, and the board duly Enquiring into the Circumstances of William Coote. recommend his case to the favourable consideration of the Board of Trustees of the institution for the Education of the deaf & dumb.

Ordered that the Board adjourn until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning

Tuesday morning 9 o'clock
 the Board met pursuant to adjournment when present Ezekiel Saunders and Euston Kemmerly & Ira P. Grainger

Ordered that R.W. Dunbar be allowed Fifty seven dollars and ninety eight cents for balance of purchase money for County safe

Now here John Pettig Peter Burns and Lewis Song Viewis heretofore appointed by this board come into court and make report in the words

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and figures following to wit:

"To the honourable the board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh for pursuant of an Order of this honourable Board herewith returned me the undersigned appointed by the said Order to view and lay out the road therein mentioned, have viewed and laid out the same, and return it as a Road of public utility, as follows, to wit: Beginning at a dogwood tree marked A near the residence of M Motz and running thence east through Motz Probst's and Mingers land to the Tobacco road terminating at a certain dogwood tree marked E on the South side of said Mingers farm."

John Rettig }
Peter Burns } Viewers
James Young }

It is now here ordered that the petitioners be and they are hereby authorized to Open said road at their own expense

Now here at this time come William G. McDowell Richard Speal and John King Viewers heretofore appointed, and make report in the words and figures following, to wit:

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County

"To the Board of Commissioners we the undersigned viewrs of Union Township did on the 1st day of September A.D. 1845 view out and mark a certain road commencing on the Bank of the Ohio River running thence west on a line between James Speal and Strother Cutlets land in fractional section ^{133 1/2} until it strikes the north line of said fractional section the same (not to exceed one mile & that we hereby make our Report

September 1st A.D. 1845"

Wm G. McDowell
Richard Speal
John King

Ordered that those interested in the aforesaid road be and they are hereby authorized to Open said road according to said report."

1845
226
Paid

Ordered that Samuel J. Jenkins be allowed fifteen dollars for Enofficio, for 3 months ^{services as clerk of the rec.} to September 26 1845

Ordered that Samuel J. Jenkins be allowed five dollars and five cents for Stationery for the Clerk & Records Office

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21327 No 227 ✓ 23.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Samuel J. Perkins
 be allowed three dollars for making 3 certifi-
 cates of Election per 100 on file
 21328 No 228 ✓ 11.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Elijah Mates be
 allowed one dollar for serving as Judge of
 a Justice Election in June A. D. 1845

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Now here come Frederick Snider and others - citizens of Vanderburgh County, and first sent a petition to the board for the formation of a new township, out of a part of the townships of Perry and Armstrong, and the board duly considering said petition, and the things thereon, and being fully satisfied, that it would be ^{to grant the prayer of said petition} of public utility, therefore,

German Township

It is now here Ordered that a new Township be and the same is hereby declared to be formed and established, off of a part of the Townships of Armstrong and Perry in said County. Which said Township is bounded as follows to wit: Commencing at the North East Corner of Section number (14) Fourteen in Township Five South of Range Eleven West, and running thence West, to the North West Corner of Section Number Fifteen, same Town and Range, thence South, to the South West Corner of the last named Section, thence West to the North West Corner of Section number nineteen, same Town and Range, thence South, to the South West Corner of Section Number Seven in Township Six South Range Eleven West, thence East, to the South East Corner of Section Number Eleven, in Town and Range last above named, thence North to the place of beginning, and said Township shall be known and designated as German Township, in Vanderburgh. And it is further Ordered that the ~~place of holding~~ ^{actions} and for said Township shall hereafter be held at the residence of Michael Mintzer, in said Township of German

It is now here Ordered that John Rattig be and he is hereby appointed Inspector of Elections in and for German Township, to serve until the next April Election and until his Successor is elected and qualified

Road District No. 1 German Township

It is now here Ordered that Road District Number One German Township, shall be bounded as follows, to wit: Commencing at the North East Corner of Section No. Thirty five, in Town Five South, of Range 11 Eleven West, running thence West, to the North East Corner of Section No. Thirty Four, in the same Town and Range, thence South, to the South East corner of Section No. Ten in Town Six in the same range, thence East to the South East Corner of Section Eleven, in the same Town & Range

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Subcomission
No 1 German

Thence north to the place of beginning, and
It is further Ordered that Andrew Smith Jr
he and he is hereby appointed Supervisor of
said road district No One to serve until the
next April Election and until his Successor
is elected and qualified

Road District
No 5
German Township

It is now here Ordered that Road
District No Two German Township be formed
and bounded as follows, to wit: beginning
at the South East Corner of Section No One in
Town Six South of Range Eleven West, running
thence north to the North East Corner of Section
No Four in the same Town and Range, thence West
to the Middle of said Section Four thence north
through the Centre of Section No Thirty Three to the
North line of said last named Section, thence West
to the North West Corner of Section No Thirty Two
thence north to the North East Corner of Section
No Thirty in Town five South of Range No Eleven
West, thence West to the South West Corner of the
South East quarter of Section No Nineteen, same
Town and Range, thence north, to the North line
of said Section No Nineteen, thence West to the
Posey County line, thence South to the South West
Corner of Section No Seven in Town Six South of
Range No Eleven West, thence East to the place
of beginning

Subcomission
No 2 German

It is now here Ordered that Amuday
Keggenbothen he and he is hereby appointed Supervisor
of Road District No Two German Township to serve
until his Successor is elected and qualified

Said

Ordered that Hamilton Garrard
be allowed Two dollars for viewing road and making
return of road in Union Township

Now here Volney Diamond Hamilton Garrard
and William Price viewers heretofore appointed by
the board, to view and make out, a certain road in
Union Township, make report in the words and
figures following to wit,

"The undersigned viewers appointed by
the Hon Board of County Commissioners at their
December Session A. D. 1844 make the following Report
"After being duly sworn we proceeded to view

and deeming it of public utility. We marked the following route for a road to wit. Commencing on the top of the second bank, of the Ohio River at the Ferry Belonging to Wm Anthony. in fractional section No 1 Town 8 South of range 11 West running thence in a South, Southwesterly, direction, following the meanderings of the said bank, to the land occupied by the heirs of H. W. Cloud, and thence along the top of the first bank following the meanderings of the same, to the west line of School Section 16, and thence along the top of the second bank, following the meanderings of the same, to the line between section No 7 & 8, and No 5 and 6, and thence along said section line, until the same leaves the top of the said bank, and thence on the top of said bank to the line between Town 7 and 8 South of range 11 West, and thence along the first bank to Section 20 Town 7 South of Range 11 West, given under our hands and seals this 28th day of February 1845

Volney Dawson Secy
 Hamilton Garrison
 Wm Price "

Ordered that the supervisors through whose districts the above road passes open the same according to law

Now here James Cril and others citizens of Perry Township present a petition to the board for a change in that part of the road, leading from Harmony to Evansville, that runs from the hollow of the hill near Daniel Stinchfield Farm, to intersect the Harmony Road west of said Stinchfield house. And the board after having ^{read} said petition duly read in Open Court. They have ordered that James Newton George B. Wagner and Canaday Huggins be and they are hereby appointed viewers, to view and mark said change. According to the prayer of said petition, and that they report to this board at its next session

Expns

10 22 08

Ordered that Barney Royston be allowed fifteen dollars for fuel for 3 years for Treasury Office

10 23 09

Ordered that Jones + Royston be allowed three dollars & forty cents for goods furnished for paupers per voucher on file

10 33 09

Ordered that Barney Royston be allowed three dollars for Advertising "Notice to Tax payers"

September Session A.D. 1845

Ordered that the board adjourn until 9 O'clock tomorrow morning
Evertson Kennedy, Pr

Wednesday Morning nine O'clock the Board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

No 233 ✓ Paid \$30.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. Walker be allowed thirty dollars for receiving funding and discharging criminals to September 20th 1845

No 234 ✓ Paid \$18.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. Walker be allowed eighteen dollars & fifty cents for receiving funding and discharging criminals to September 6th 1845

No 235 ✓ Paid \$13.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered Wm. Walker be allowed three dollars for balance in full for receiving funding and discharging criminals to September 6th 1845

No 236 ✓ Paid \$4.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. Walker be allowed four dollars and fifty cents for making ~~two~~ a pair of leg cuffs for criminals

No 237 ✓ Paid \$2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that William H. Chandler be allowed two dollars for advertising notice of August Election

No 238 ✓ Paid \$2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that William H. Chandler be allowed two dollars for advertising notice of coroners Inquest

No 239 ✓ Paid \$16.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that William H. Chandler be allowed sixteen dollars for advertising Auditor's Report and notice to tax payers

No 240 ✓ Paid \$1.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Thomas Smith be allowed one dollar for serving as clerk at April Election A.D. 1845 in centus Township

No 241 ✓ Paid \$1.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Michael Sawb be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge at the last August Election

No 242 ✓ Paid \$2.³⁴/₁₀₀ Ordered that Fredrick Snow be allowed two dollars and thirty six cents for delinquent taxes for 1845 ^{improperly} paid on 4/10 of the 4th of N. E. q. of S. E. q. section 13 Town 6 Range 11. West

No 243 ✓ Paid \$1.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Christian Becker be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for keeping stray pen for one year

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- 244^g \$3.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Christian Becker be allowed five dollars for services as commissioner, ~~in~~ superintending building Jail.
- 245^g \$1.²⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that Christian Becker be allowed one dollar and ^{five} twenty cents for serving as Judge at the last August Election.
- 246^g \$1.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that David S. Grimes be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge at the last August Election.
- 247^g \$3.⁶²/₁₀₀ Ordered that Jesse S. Lamb be allowed three dollars and sixty two cents for repairing window shutters to Court house.
- 248^g \$10.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Jesse S. Lamb be allowed ten dollars and fifty cents for planking up around Jail house and filling up ~~the same~~ ~~the~~ ~~ground~~ with dirt.
- 249^g \$1.²⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that James Walker be allowed one dollar and twenty five cents for services as clerk at last August election.
- 250^g \$57.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Willard Carpenter be allowed fifty dollars for rent of poor house to the 8th September A.D. 1845.
- 251^g \$250.- Ordered that George Bates be allowed two hundred and fifty dollars for keeping papers for the 1st yr ^{ending} September 8th 1845.
- 252^g \$1.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Zerah Hainchild be allowed one dollar for services as clerk at the last August Election in Scott Township.
- 253^g \$30.²³/₁₀₀ Ordered that George Bates be allowed thirty dollars and twenty three cents for Judgement ^{against County} obtained, on Wm. Leagers docket for sending away paupers.
- 254^g \$30.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. McWalker be allowed thirty dollars for Ex officio services as Sheriff for six months ending September the 30th 1845.
- 255^g \$1.- Ordered that Wm. McWalker be allowed fifteen dollars for Ex officio services as County Auditor to first of September. A.D. 1845.
- 256^g \$63.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. McWalker be allowed sixty three dollars & fifty cents for services as County Auditor to Sept 1st 1845.
- 257^g \$4.⁸⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. McWalker be allowed four dollars and eighty Cents for blank book & Ink purchased for office.
- 258^g \$39.¹¹/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. McWalker be allowed thirty nine dollars and eleven cents for making out duplicates for A.D. 1845 (in part).

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Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed Twenty dollars for making duplicate for 1845 (in part)

Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed Thirty six dollars and ninety nine cents for making out duplicate for 1845 in part

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Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed Thirty six dollars and ninety nine cents for making duplicate for 1845

Ordered that Saml. J. Jenkins be allowed Twenty five dollars for the purpose of purchasing blank books for the Clerk & Recorder's Office

Paid Cash

Ordered that the board adjourn until nine O'clock to morrow morning
 Everton Kennerly, Secy

Thursday morning at nine O'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment. When present as yesterday

Ordered that Daniel Miller Egg be allowed Two dollars for serving as Inspector at the last August Election & returning Poll books

Paid Cash

It is now then Ordered the sum of Twenty dollars be and it is hereby appropriated by this board for the purpose of procuring for this County the following Measures, to wit:

Sealed Measures

One Measure of One foot or 12 inches = English Measure so called. One Measure of Thirty six Inches = One foot as aforesaid. One half Bushel Measure for Dry Measure to contain One Thousand and seventy five and one fifth Solid inches. One Gallon Measure which shall contain two hundred and thirty one Solid inches. And also One Set of Avoirdupois Weights to have the initials V.C. inscribed thereon. Said measures to be deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court for the purpose of trying and sealing the weights and measures in the County of Vanderburgh. And it is further Ordered that Thomas Scantlin be and he is hereby appointed to procure the measures aforesaid in accordance with the provisions of this Order

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Sheriff's
Building

And now here it is Ordered that William M. Walker Sheriff of Vanderburgh County be and he is hereby authorized and permitted to build such an addition to the Sailors House on the North East Corner of the Public Square, in the Town of Evansville, as may be necessary to make the same a comfortable residence for himself and family. And should the Board of Commissioners and the said Walker, at the end of his term be unable to agree upon the value of said addition to said House, then and in that event the said Walker may at the expiration of his official Term remove said addition or uproot from said Square. And it is understood by and between the Board and said Walker that the frames are to be left in as good condition (the usual wear and tare excepted) as the said Walker finds them in

Summons

It is now here ordered that a Subpoena be issued for William H. Stephens Patrick Lyon Benson Stinson Martin Stinson and Sanford Newkins to be and appear before the Board of Commissioners on Friday the 5th September A. D. 1825 at One O'Clock on said day to give evidence and the truth to say in relation to such matters as may then be under the consideration of said Board.

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine O'Clock

Ewton Kennerly Pr

September Session A. D. 1845

Friday Morning September 5th at Nine O'Clock
the Board met pursuant to adjournment. When
present as yesterday

No 211. D. 44.⁷⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that B. Morse be allowed
Four dollars and seventy five cents for part of
A. D. Taylor's bill for stone work at the end of pigeon
bridge

No 212. D. 42.⁸⁷/₁₀₀ Ordered that E. Kennedy be allowed
Two dollars & eighty seven cents for part of Taylor's bill
for stone work at the end of pigeon bridge

No 213. D. 44.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that A. D. Taylor be allowed
Four dollars for part of ^{stone} work at the end of pigeon
bridge

No 214. D. 45.²⁷/₁₀₀ Ordered that A. D. Taylor be
allowed five dollars & seventy seven cents for stone
work at the end of pigeon bridge

No 215. D. 10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Richard A. Walker
be allowed ten dollars for part of bill for furnishing
stone for wall at the end of pigeon bridge

No 216. D. 10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Richard A. Walker
be allowed ten dollars for part of bill for furnishing
stone for pigeon bridge

No 217. D. 10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Richard A. Walker
be allowed ten dollars for part of bill for furnishing
stone for pigeon bridge

No 218. D. 17.⁵³/₁₀₀ Ordered that Richard A. Walker
be allowed seventeen dollars and fifty three cents
for balance of bill for furnishing stone for
pigeon bridge

No 219. D. 30.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John B. Stinson
be allowed thirty dollars for building log way over
the ravine this side of his residence in Perry Township

License

Ordered that a license issued to Thomas
Hepburn to vend foreign merchandise for
five months from the first Monday in June
A. D. 1845 by his producing the County Treasurers
receipt for the sum of ⁵⁰ Fifty dollars

No 220. D. 8.⁸⁷/₁₀₀ Ordered that Christian Decker
be allowed eight dollars & eighty cents for repairing
fence

No 221. D. 2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Jacob Neaff
be allowed two dollars for ^{services of} Clerk & Judge of
Elections in Union Township

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Seminary
Fund Co.

It is now here ordered, that the Auditor be authorized and required to collect in, the Seminary funds now standing out on loan, as soon as the same can be done, by suite or otherwise, and it is further ^{Ordered} that ~~return~~ ^{belonging to said funds} all monies paid into the County Treasury, be kept there free from loan, until otherwise ordered by this board

11th 1845 \$2.⁰⁰ Ordered that Warner Patterlee be allowed Two dollars for repairing hand cuffs for criminals in County Jail

Commissioners
to
Examine
Pigeon
Bridge

It is now here ordered that Mr. Hummel, Jacob Hummel, and Mr. M. Walker be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners by this Board, to repair to the bridge across Pigeon Creek near the Salt Springs, of Rowley & Lifford, and thoroughly examine the timbers of said bridge. And also to examine the timbers of the Bridge across the Creek ^{on the road} leading from Eransville to Henderson (said creek known as Mals branch) and to report to this Board the condition of said Bridges, the repairs required upon them, and the probable cost of said repairs.

Spouting
for
Sailors House

13th 1845 \$12.⁰⁰ It is now here ordered that Mr. M. Walker ^{be and he} is hereby authorized to get Spouting made ^{for} and placed upon ^{the} Sailors House, provided it costs not more than Twelve dollars, & that the County Auditor issue an Order for the same as soon as he is satisfied that the job is done and completed.

Woods

Ordered that the Auditor be and he is hereby authorized to procure for the use of the County, Four cords of good wood, and that he have said wood properly sawed in to proper lengths for consumption, & that the Auditor draw orders for the payment of said wood, ^{for} sawing & piling ^{it} away.

17th 1845 \$10.⁰⁰ Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be allowed Ten dollars for 5 day services as County Commissioner at September Term A.D. 1845

18th 1845 \$10.⁰⁰ Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed Ten dollars for 5 day services as County Commissioner at the September Term A.D. 1845

18th 1845 \$3.⁰⁰ Ordered that Everton Kemmerley be allowed Three dollars in post for services as County Commissioner at September Term A.D. 1845

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No 281 ✓ $\$3.00$ Ordered that Everton Kennedy
be allowed Three dollars in part for services
as County Commissioner at September session
as 1845

No 282 ✓ $\$4.00$ Ordered that Everton Kennedy
be allowed Four dollars for services as
County Commissioner at September Term as
1845

No 283 ✓ $\$1.25$ Ordered that Hiram Nelson
be allowed One dollar & twenty five cents for
services Judge at the last August Election in
Pigeon Township

No 284 ✓ $\$5.00$ Ordered that A. D. Taylor
be allowed Five dollars ^{in full} for stonework at
the end of Pigeon bridge

Ordered that Board adjourn until Court
in course

Everton Kennedy Pr
Ezekiel Saunders
P. D. Granger

In vacation Septem A 1845
Auditors Office, V.C
September 8th 1845

Richard Ruston

Copy You are hereby appointed supervisor
of road district No 4 Scott Township for A.D. 1845
to serve until the next April Election and until your
Successor is elected and qualified said appoint-
ment is to fill the vacancy occasioned by the removal
of Thomas Grant the Old Supervisor out of the district
William H. Walker Secy

This is to certify that

Special September Session 1845

At a Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana held at the Court house in the Town of Evansville on Wednesday the seventeenth day of September A.D. 1845 in pursuance of a Call by the County Auditor for the purpose of hearing the Report of the Committee appointed at the last term to examine into the Condition of the Pigeon bridge and the bridge across Neals branch on the road leading from Evansville to Henderson Ferry and to make such Orders in relation to said bridges as may be deemed necessary. When present Everett Kennerly & Ezekiel Saunders two of the members composing said Board

now here come Jacob Hummel Wm. Haund & Wm. M. Walker the Committee heretofore appointed and make report in the words and figures following, to wit:

"To the Hon

The Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh

Gentlemen

The undersigned

"Commissioners appointed by the honourable board at the regular September session to repair to the bridge across Pigeon Creek near the Salt Springs, and thoroughly examine the Timbers of bridge, and also to examine the timbers of the bridge across the Creek on the road leading from Evansville to Henderson known as Neals branch, and report the Condition of said bridges, the repairs required upon them and the probable cost of said repairs

Report as follows, to wit: We did on the 15th instant repair to said bridges and gave them a thorough examination, and found the bridge across Neals branch on the road leading from Evansville to Henderson Ferry unsafe, the timbers are in such a decayed condition it is not worth repairing

The bridge across Pigeon Creek near the Salt Springs is also unsafe, and we would advise that the road be stopped up so as to prevent travelling across said bridge at present, by the addition of two string pieces to the west end of the bridge. And please sufficient to c

Report of
Commissioners
on
Condition of
Bridge

Special September Session A.D. 1845

forty or fifty feet of the length of said bridge. We believe will make it safe for one or two years
All of which is submitted

Jacob Hummel
Wm Hummel
Wm M. Walker

It is now here Ordered that sealed proposals be received, until Wednesday October 1st 1845 for building a bridge across meads branch on the road leading from Evansville to Henderson Ferry said bridge to be built on the plan of the bridge across Pigeon Creek near the Salt Well and of the same height of the Old bridge

- Ordered that Wm Hummel be allowed Five dollars for Examining 2 bridges & making report
- Ordered that Jacob Hummel be allowed Five dollars for Examining 2 bridges & making report
- Ordered that John Mitchell be allowed Five dollars for Superintending building Jailors House

Salt well
bridge
Condemned

It is now here Ordered that notices be placed on each end of the bridge across Pigeon Creek near the Salt Well - that ^{the} bridge is unsafe - and forbidding travelers to cross said bridge and ~~also~~ it is further Ordered that timber or plank be placed across the ends of said bridge to prevent wagons or Teams driving upon or across said bridge and that David Miller Esqr be and he is hereby appointed to write said notices to stick them up on the ends of said bridge, and place the aforesaid plank or timber ~~across~~ ^{across} the road at each end of said bridge to prevent wagons - driving across said bridge

- Ordered that E. Saunders be allowed Five dollars for ^{one day} services at Special September Session 1845
- Ordered that E. Kennedy be allowed Five dollars for One day services at Special September Session 1845
- Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in course

E. Kennedy
E. Saunders

Auditors Office V.T.
September 22nd 1845

Henry Chase Esqr

You are hereby appointed Trustee
for Congressional Township Number Five South of
Range number eleven west to serve for three
years from and after the last Saturday of
August 1845 & until your successor is
elected & qualified

William H. Walker A.T.C.

Special October Session A.D. 1845

At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana held at the Court house in Evansville in said County, in pursuance of a call of the County Auditor on Wednesday October the first A.D. 1845 for the purpose of receiving proposals & for contracting for the building of a bridge across Meals branch across on the road leading from Evansville to Henderson Ferry and to transact such other business in relation to building a bridge across frozen creeks as might be deemed proper. When present Everton Keenerly, Ezekiel Saunders and Ira P. Grainger. Members composing said board

Proposals for Building a Bridge

Now here the board proceed to open the proposals for building a bridge across Meals branch and George M. Miller proposes to build said bridge for One hundred and fifty dollars. Sanford Knight proposes to build said bridge for Two hundred and Twenty five dollars. John M. Blair proposes to build said bridge for One hundred & sixty dollars. the County to furnish timber. And Gustavus Copeley proposes to build said bridge for Two hundred & ninety dollars

Meals Branch

Now here the board accepts George M. Miller proposal to build the bridge across Meals branch across on the road leading from Evansville to Henderson Ferry for the sum of One hundred and fifty dollars as aforesaid. payable in Orders drawn on the County Treasurer as soon as said bridge is completed & finished. And George M. Miller now here comes before the board and enters into an agreement with the board for the building of said bridge and also files his bond in the penalty of three hundred dollars to the acceptance of the board for the faithful performance of his duties in relation to building said bridge. Which said agreement & bond are on file in the ~~auditors~~ office of the County Auditor

Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be allowed Two dollars for Official services at Special October term A.D. 1845

Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed Two dollars for Official services at Special October term A.D. 1845

Ordered that Everton Keenerly be allowed Two dollars for Official services at Special October term A.D. 1845

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in Course

E. Keenerly
E. Saunders
Ira P. Grainger

Special October Session A.D. 1845

At a Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh convened at the Court house in the town of Evansville on the Eleventh day of October A.D. 1845. at 4 o'clock of said day in pursuance of a call of the County Auditor for the purpose of taking into consideration the propriety of granting to the President and Trustees of the Corporation of Evansville, permission to build an Engine house for the fire department of said town not to exceed 40 feet by 53 feet in size, on the North East corner of Main and Third Streets on the Public Square, and for the purpose also of passing such Orders in relation to the proposed bridge across Pigeon Creek, and the bridge across the Canal on Main Street within the Corporate limits of Evansville as may be deemed necessary and proper.

It is now here Ordered that leave be and it is hereby granted to the President & Trustees of the Town of Evansville, to erect upon the public square on the North East corner of Main and Third Streets, ^{in said town} an Engine house, - to be occupied and used by the fire department of said town - not to exceed in size forty by fifty three feet. And that said Corporation be permitted to use said lot of ground, for the purposes aforesaid, until, in the opinion of this Board it be required for the uses of the County.

Ordered that the board adjourn until Monday morning at nine o'clock
 Everton Kennerly

Nine o'clock Monday Morning October the 13th the Board met pursuant to adjournment when present, as on Saturday

It is now here Ordered that sealed proposals ~~will~~ be received until the first Tuesday in December next, to build a bridge across Pigeon Creek near the Salt Well where the State road crosses said Creek & where the old bridge now stands, said new bridge to be of the same dimensions and on the same plan as the old bridge

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Ordered that Wm Newton be allowed one dollar & twenty five cents for printing bills for County

Ordered that Everton Kennerly be allowed four dollars for two days Official services as a member of the County Board at Special October Session 1845

Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed four dollars for two days ^{official} services as a member of the County Board at the Special October Session A. D. 1845

Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be allowed four dollars for two days Official services as a member of the County Board at the Special October Session A. D. 1845

Ordered that the board adjourn until the Court in course

Everton Kennerly
E. Saunders
Ira P. Grainger

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Register of forfeited school lands in the County
 Auction at the door of the Court house in Evansville in
 Names of Purchasers
 of School Commissions
 to be sold

No of Acre
 No' do
 1/4
 1/2
 Quarter
 Section
 Town
 Range
 Principal
 Due
 Interest
 Due
 5 per cent
 Penalty
 Due

Town 5 Range 10 N.

Benjamin Samuel	39	03	N.W.	N.E.	16	5	10	124,40	18,40	1.22
Stuels George	38	84	S.E.	N.E.	16	5	10	123,81	25,78	6.19
Parkes James	39	44	N.W.	S.E.	16	5	10	103,53	21,55	5.17
Stuels Geo Jr	40	40	N.W.	N.W.	16	5	10	153,75	32,02	7.69

Town 6 Range 10 N.

Barnes Meriah			N.W.	N.W.	16	6	10	219,46	44,64	13.27
Carpenter Millard			N.E.	S.E.	16	6	10	329,84	54,37	16.49
Prince Elijah			S.E.	N.W.	16	6	10	334,95	75,63	16.75
Barnes Meriah			S.E.	S.E.	16	6	10	310,52	51,48	15.53

Town 7 Range 10 N.

Miller Daniel			N.W.	N.W.	4	7	10	161,25	37,88	8.06
Amory Francis			N.E.	N.E.	4	7	10	156,37	18,18	7.81

Town 6 Range 11 N.

Beal Walter			N.E.	N.E.	16	6	11	105,00	31,28	5.25
Beal Walter			N.W.	N.E.	16	6	11	105,00	31,28	5.25
Beal Walter			N.E.	N.W.	16	6	11	105,00	24,98	5.25
Beal Walter			N.W.	N.E.	16	6	11	127,50	18,88	6.37
Beal Walter			S.E.	N.E.	16	6	11	127,50	37,50	6.37

Town 7 Range 11 N.

Catlett Strother			N.E.	N.W.	16	7	11	270,00	61,14	15.50
Stoner John			N.W.	N.W.	16	7	11	106,87	18,04	5.34
Catlett Strother			S.E.	N.E.	16	7	11	236,25	54,18	11.81

Common School Lands

Erskine Andrew			N.E.	N.E.	28	5	10	78,75	11,75	3.94
Same Same			S.E.	N.E.	28	5	10	116,25	17,33	5.81
Same Same			S.E.	N.E.	28	5	10	105,00	15,15	5.25

State of Indiana }
 Vanderburgh County }
 ofore said, do hereby certify that the foregoing is
 annual instalment of interest due thereon - and they
 county, in pursuance of legal notice on the nineteenth day of
 it was struck off to the Township Govern under our hands and seals and the

of Vanderburgh which were offered for sale at public -
 pursuant of legal notice on the 19th day of September A.D. 1845

Cost of Adventures	Total Amount of Principal Out & Cost	Date of Forfeiture	Names of purchasers at Public and private Sale
27	149.29	2 April 9 1843	Chayler & Mc Johnston - Mar 14 th 1848
27	156.05	8 March 30 1842	Charles Collins March 19 th 1848
22	130.47	10 do 30 1842	C & Mc Johnston Mar 14 th 1848
35	193.81	12 do 30 1842	Peter Helman Mar 14 th 1848
59	327.96	7 December 14 th 1842	Redeemed January 17 th 1848 see Recd Cr
74	401.44	9 do 14 th 1842	Redeemed January 17 th 1848 see Recd Cr
74	428.07	14 do 14 th 1842	Conrad Bell February 1848
18	378.21	16 do 14 th 1842	Redeemed January 17 th 1848 see Recd Cr
47	207.66	1 October 15 th 1841	
36	182.72	7 do 15 1843	John Nightengale
24	141.77	1 September 30 th 1841	John Verwaayzen June 21 st 1847
24	141.77	2 do 30 th 1841	Henry Backhus August 24 th 1847
24	135.47	3 do 30 1842	Henry Sawyer Aug 30 th 1847
28	149.02	7 do 30 1843	
28	171.68	8 do 30 1840	Christian Backhus Oct 19 th 1846
59	347.23	3 November 28 th 1841	John Edmond Nov 27 th 1845
25	130.50	13 do 28 th 1842	John Edmond paid out of Certificate issued in July 1845
53	302.77	6 do 28 1841	John Edmond Feb 2 1845
16	94.60	1 March 25 th 1843	
26	139.65	2 do 25 th 1843	
24	126.14	3 do 25 th 1843	

and School Commissioner of the County of Vanderburgh, in the State,
 a true list of lands forfeited for the non payment of the
 were offered for sale at the door of the Court house, in Evansville in said
 September A.D. 1845 and the said lands did not sell for want of bidder
 Seal of the Board of Commissioners at Evansville the 20th of September A.D. 1845

William W. Walker Auditor W.C. Seal
 Bracket Mills Secy

December Session A.D. 1845

At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana began and held at the Court House in Evansville, on Monday the first day of December A.D. 1845. When present Everton Kennedy and Ezekiel Saunders members of said board. Ira P. Krainger Esq. the other member of said board comes in and takes his seat as a member thereof.

Now here the Auditor lays before the board the report of the Clerk of the Circuit in relation to fines assessed & collected by said Court in the words and figures following to wit:

"A list of fines assessed at the September term 1845 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

State of Indiana		
vs	{ Assault & Battery	{ Fine \$3.00
George W. Peck	}	}

State of Indiana		
vs	{ Petit Larceny	{ Fine \$5.00
Donaldson Cairer	}	}

State of Indiana		
vs	{ Gaming	{ Fine 1.00
John S. Chandler	}	{ \$9.00

A List of fines received by me since my last report

State of Indiana		Fine	\$2.00
vs	{ Ret Spts		
William Mandall	}		

State of Indiana		Fine	\$5.00
vs	{ Ret Spts		
Reuben Schnell	}		

State of Indiana		Fine	\$5.00
vs	{ Ret Spts		
Benjamin J. Wood	}		

State of Indiana		Fine	\$1.00
vs	{ Gaming		
Franklin Selmon	}		

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State of Indiana
vs. Illegal voting
Aaron W. Hill Fine \$5.00

State of Indiana Fine \$150.00
vs. Assault & Battery with intent to amuse
John N. Johnson { out on \$30.00
\$148.00

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County
Saml. J. Jenkins being duly sworn deposes and says that the foregoing is a true list of the fines assessed at the September Term A.D. 1845 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court, and also a true list of the fines received by him since his last report, - to the best of his knowledge and belief
Saml. J. Jenkins
Clerk

Subscribed and sworn to before me the
25th day of November A.D. 1845
William H. Walker A.D.C.

Now here the board approve said report

Ordered that James G. Jones Esq. be allowed Ten dollars to be paid out of the interest belonging to Common School Funds, and that the Auditor draw him a warrant on the school Commission for the same as aforesaid

Said. Ordered that Wm. H. Walker be allowed Seven dollars & thirty five cents for cash furnished to purchase iron for County Jail

Said. Ordered that Wm. H. Walker be allowed Four dollars and nine for books & Stationary for Office & for assessor

Milhite Now here the Auditor lays before the board the bill of Milhite for expenses taking Charles Coulter, and the board duly considering said bill, and the things therein, agree to disallow said bill

Said. Ordered that Charles Knowles be allowed Seventy five cents for one days attendance as Juror on the 3rd week of Sept^r Term of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

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C. Bippus
Exempted
from
Poll Tax

Now here Christian Bippus represents to the board that he is assessed and charged with a poll tax, and presents to the board the certificate of a Physician, that he is not able, from bodily infirmity, to perform labour therefore. It is now here Ordered that said Christian Bippus in and he is hereby exempted from the payment of a poll tax, so long as he may be afflicted with said disability.

Road District
No 3
Centre T

It is now here Ordered that the north half of sections number twenty three and twenty four in town two south of Range Ten west, be taken from road district number four to townships, and added to road district number three Centre Township

Issd

31st 11.7. Ordered that John Reed be allowed four dollars and eighty nine cents for tax by him paid on lots that were not liable to pay tax, for delinquency 46 piquan Township for A. D. 1843

Issd

31st 11.25. Ordered that Wm Rodwell be allowed one dollar and twenty five cents for tax by him improperly paid.

Issd

31st 11.10. Ordered that J. S. Walker be allowed two dollars for ^{professional} attendance on criminal in county Jail

Issd

31st 11.10. Ordered that John J. Walker be allowed one dollar for professional attendance on criminal in county Jail

Peter Grinn

Now here it is Ordered that Peter Grinn be exempted from labour on the public Highways of Vanderburgh County, in consequence of bodily infirmity

Issd

31st 11.10. Ordered that John M. Stockwell be allowed five dollars for license paid by him twice on the same stock of merchandise

Issd

31st 11.10. Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed fifteen dollars for Ex' officio Salary as County Auditor for three months to the first of December A. D. 1845

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine O'Clock

Ewton Kennedy Secy

December 1875
Merrill's at New Orleans the bank
not payment to settlement then present
as yesterday

Order that the dollar country
Auditor he account fifty nine dollar and thirty eight
centimes and that the country then 1875
the order that John A. Merrick be
allowed the dollar and thirty nine cents for amount
being 110 of amount 77 dollars for the carrier
Now have the reason therefore appointed by
the bank to New Orleans make a certain
change in that part of the Merrick river road which
has between water street in Louisiana and the
Bayou Bridge come under make report in relation
to said change in the more and figures following
to the:

On perusal of the above Order and
the State in such cases made previously, the
the undersigned Commissioners have carefully laid
off and marked out the change above called
for in the Greenway Road, as follows to wit
the road to continue parallel with water
street of the town of Gretna to the north east
corner of John A. Merrick's house on which he
now lives. There being on the line between said
town and the Bayou we believe the change to
be practicable and we think to be made as
a matter of fact the distance of travel some thirty
five yards. We believe it is more the road
must ultimately go all of which we are preparing
to submit to your Honor in form as requested
by said Order

William Merrick
J. Stephens
Merrick's

Order that said report be received and
approved, and that the Auditor or his
deputy of the State through which said change
is made now passes he and they are hereby
authorized and required to open said road
in accordance with said report

News
Report

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- Iss'd 12/10/45 Ordered that Wm McKnight be allowed One dollar for services as road viewer in pigeon Township in 1845
- Iss'd 12/10/45 Ordered that Elias Stephens be allowed One dollar for services as road viewer in pigeon Township in 1845
- Iss'd 12/10/45 Ordered that Marcus Sherwood be allowed One dollar for services as road viewer in pigeon Township in 1845
- Iss'd 12/10/45 Ordered that Willard Carpenter Esq be allowed fifty dollars for One yr rent of poor house up to the 8th of December 1845
- Iss'd 12/10/45 Ordered that John M. Blair be allowed Seven dollars and fifty cents for repairing hayow bridge
- Iss'd 12/10/45 Ordered that W. J. Stewart be allowed Seventy five cents for seeing as returning judge at the last presidential election
- Iss'd 12/10/45 Ordered that James Scantlin be allowed fifty cents for repairing stove pipe in county Jail

Now here on the petition of Wilson Shool and other citizens of Union Township, ^{the place of} praying for a change of holding elections in said Township, and the board duly considering said petition and the things therein

Place of holding
Elections in
Union

Ordered that the place of holding elections be removed from Wm Anthony's at Henderson Ferry, to James Starnes at the old residence of J. M. Dowd's ^{deed} place in said Township, and that hereafter the elections shall be held at the last mentioned place,

- Iss'd 12/10/45 Ordered that John Mitchell Esq be allowed One hundred dollars as part of George Bats bill for One yr pay for keeping paupers to December 8th 1845
- Iss'd 12/10/45 Ordered that Geo B. Walker be allowed Thirty seven dollars and fifty cents for attendance on the County poor to Dec 1st 1845
- Iss'd 12/10/45 Ordered that Dr. John J. Walker be allowed Seven dollars and fifty cents for Med attendance on the County poor

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Iss'd. 10. 11. 10. Ordered that Emmanuel Keull be allowed Ten dollars and sixty two cents for part of Bates bill for keeping paupers for last yr

Iss'd. 11. 11. 5. Ordered that R.W. Dunbar be allowed Eleven dollars and ninety five cents for part of Geo Bates bill for keeping paupers for the last quarter

Iss'd. 11. 11. 10. Ordered that Geo Bates be allowed One hundred and eighty two dollars and forty three cents for the balance in full for keeping paupers for the last yr ending december 8th 1845

ABridge
meals
Branch

Now here at this time comes George W. Miller and reports to this board that he has finished the bridge across neels branch in accordance with a contract made and entered into between said Miller and the board & thereupon the members of this board examine said bridge and approve of and accept said bridge

Iss'd. 11. 11. 10. Ordered that Geo W. Miller be allowed Nine dollars and fifty cents in part of bill for building bridge across neels branch

Iss'd. 11. 11. 9. Ordered that Geo W. Miller be allowed Nine ^{dollars} for part of bill for building bridge across neels branch

Iss'd. 11. 11. 10. Ordered that Geo W. Miller be allowed Ten dollars and fifty cents for part of bill for building bridge across neels branch

Iss'd. 11. 11. 10. Ordered that E. W. C. Saunders be allowed twenty nine dollars and forty cents for part of Geo W. Millers bill, for building bridge across neels branch

Iss'd. 11. 11. 10. Ordered that Sawd. Miller be allowed sixteen dollars for part of Geo W. Millers bill for building a bridge across neels branch

Iss'd. 11. 11. 10. Ordered that Jesse J. Lamb be allowed fifty dollars for part of G.W. Millers bill for building a bridge across neels branch

Iss'd. 11. 11. 10. Ordered that W. Ragan be allowed three dollars and fifty cents for part of G. W. Millers bill for building bridge across neels branch

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Iss'd Ordered that Willard Carpenter be allowed Twenty Two dollars and ten cents for the balance of G. M. Miller bill for building bridge across Neels branch

Iss'd Ordered that W. Ragan be allowed Nine dollars and thirty seven cents for cost in suit against the County in which the Court failed

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock
 Everton Kennedy P.

Sale of Co Lots

Monday morning at nine o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment Now here at this time come John Mitchell and John S. Keapkins Esqs. appraisers agreed upon by Willard Carpenter and this board, = per agreement now on file to appraise lots 188, 187 $\frac{1}{2}$ of 210 and $\frac{2}{3}$ of 193 in the Donation enlargement of Evansville, and submit their report in the words and figures following to wit:

To the Honorable, the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County. The undersigned being appointed by your Honorable Board and Willard Carpenter Esq. to appraise the least value of lots number 187, 188, $\frac{1}{2}$ of 193 & $\frac{1}{2}$ of 210 in the Donation Enlargement of the Town of Evansville: Do agree that the present ^{Cash} value of said lots without improvements, are as follows
 Viz:

No	193	$\frac{2}{3}$ of	\$200,
"	210	$\frac{1}{2}$ of	200
"	187	— —	300
"	188	— —	400

~~\$1100.00~~

Witness our hands this 3^d day of December 1845
 John Mitchell
 J. S. Keapkins

The board after duly considering said report and the thing therein accept and approve the same.
 The aforesaid appraisers were agreed upon in pursuance of the following agreement, which said agreement is in the words and figures following to wit

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Sale of
County
Lots

" Willard Carpenter appears before the board of Commissioners, and shews to the board that he has certain claims on the following lots belonging to the County of Vanderburgh, to wit: lots number 187, 188, $\frac{2}{3}$ of 193 and $\frac{1}{2}$ of 210 in the donation enlargement of the Town of Evansville. And the board after examining the claims to said lots set up by the said Carpenter and hearing his proposition, It is mutually agreed by and between the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh and Willard Carpenter (for the purpose of settling the conflicting claims on the lots, and parts of lots aforesaid) that the Board of Commissioners shall chose one man, and Willard Carpenter shall chose another man, (who, if they cannot agree shall chose a third man) to appraise the aforesaid lots at a true valuation, and Willard Carpenter is to take said lots at one half of said appraisement, payable to the County, at the expiration of 12 and 18 months, with legal interest thereon, the County Commissioners agreeing to cause the County Agent to make to Willard Carpenter a quit claim deed to the lots aforesaid, so soon as said Carpenter shall see to the County his notes with security, to the acceptance of the County board

December 2nd 1845

Willard Carpenter
Evertow Kennedy
E. Saunders "

The parties to the aforesaid Contract mutually agreed upon John Mitchell and John S. Hopkins as the appraisers aforesaid.

Now here Willard Carpenter Esqr presents to the board for their approval, two promissory notes for two hundred and seventy five dollars each drawn payable to the County Agent of Vanderburgh County or his successor in Office. One in twelve and the other in eighteen months with legal interest from date. with signed by himself Oliver Sudd and M. J. Bray, and the Board now here approve and accept said notes

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County Agent
Make deed to
W. Carpenter

Now here the County Agent of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana is hereby ^{ordered} authorized and directed to make a quit claim deed to Willard Carpenter to lots number 187, 188 $\frac{2}{3}$ of 193 and $\frac{1}{2}$ of 210 in the Donation Enlargement of the Town of Evansville

Issd Order that Wm. M. Walker be allowed sixty two cents for glazing windows in Car house

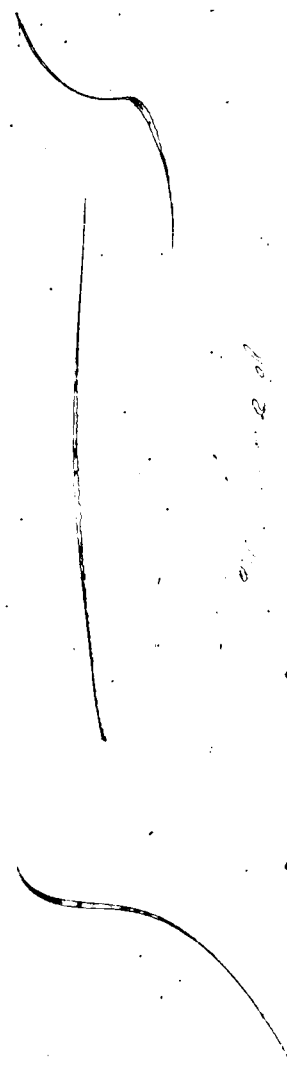
Issd Ordered that James Witherspoon be allowed One dollar for services as road viewer in Scott Township

Issd Ordered that James S. Walker be allowed One dollar and fifty cents for making poll books for Special Custer election in centro Township

Issd Ordered that Dr. Wm. Grafton be allowed One dollar and fifty cents for professional attendance on paupers

Petition of
J. S. Robinson & others

Now here on the petition of John Robinson and other Citizens of Armstrong Township praying for a certain road therein named. It is now here ordered that William Martin Rhoads Rogers and John Marcus be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view out and mark a route for a county road, commencing at a certain point - on the road leading from New Harmony to Boonville - One quarter of a mile east of the west line of Section 8 in Town 5 South of Range 11 West at a white Oak line tree marked TB between the land of Mr Rogers and Nicholas Gager, running thence south one qr of a mile, and still continuing south until it comes to the land of Mr Rogers & Nicholas Casper Bower, thence angling west through land belonging to Michael Wolf intersecting a cross road near the residence of said Michael Wolf, at a point where stands a white oak and buckeye tree, near together, on the north side of the cross road, and that they report to this board at its next session



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G. W. Miller

Now here comes George W. Miller and proposes to the board to place under the bridge at the mouth of Pigeon Creek two beams of timber for the purpose of preventing said bridge from falling, a draft of one of said beams he presents to the board which is placed on file, and the other beam is to be on the same plan. Said beams to be placed and secured according to said plan for the sum of One hundred and eighty dollars in County Orders. Fifty dollars of which is to be issued to said Miller as soon as the whole of the timber is on the ground at the ^{Pigeon Creek} mouth of the bridge, - and the board after duly considering said proposal accept the same and require said George W. Miller to give a bond in the penal sum of Three hundred and fifty dollars for the faithful performance of the contract upon said

Ordered that the Board adjourn until nine o'clock tomorrow morning
Everton Kennedy Jr

Thursday morning at nine o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

Iss'd

Ordered that Willard Carpenter be allowed One dollar for John Mitchells charge for appraising lots which he paid to Mitchell

Iss'd

Ordered that Thomas R. Harrison be allowed Two dollars and fifty cents for building Chimney for Jail

Iss'd

Ordered that Joel C. Hills be allowed ~~Five~~ Five dollars and twenty five cents for labour on the County jail & materials furnished

Iss'd

Ordered that B. Mills Esqr be allowed Three dollars and thirty nine cents for superintending the repairs on jail

Iss'd

Ordered that James Parvin be allowed seven dollars for smith work on Jail for bill on file and the balance of said bill the board agree to disallow

Now here George W. Miller proposes Wm. Mills as his security in the bond for repairing Pigeon bridge & the board now here approve said security

Iss'd

Ordered that Gaud. J. Jenkins be allowed fifteen dollars for Offices services as Clerk of the Circuit Court to December A. D. 1845

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Iss'd Ordered that Saml. Jenkins be allowed Two Dollars for binding Record in Recorder Office

Iss'd Ordered that Jesse J. Lamb be allowed Two dollars and eighty one cents for work on public lists

Iss'd Ordered that Wm. Newton Esqr be allowed One dollar and twenty five cents for printing notice of bridge letting

Ordered that the Board adjourn until nine O'clock tomorrow morning

Friday Morning at nine O'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

Iss'd Order that Wm. M. Walker be allowed Fifteen dollars for Ex officio services as Sheriff to Dec 1st 1845

Iss'd Ordered that Wm. M. Walker be allowed Twenty eight dollars and ninety four cents for keeping prisoners up to Dec 6th 1845

Appointment of Road Viewers in Perry. Ordered that the County Auditor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue an order or orders to Wm. H. Chaudler for fifty nine dollars for advertising the list of delinquent lands for the sale of 1846 as soon as said advertisement is finished.

Now here on the petition of D. Miller and others, Citizens of Perry Township, praying for the appointment of viewers to view out and mark a certain road therein named. The board after duly considering said petition and the things therein according to law, Ordered that Joshua Leavin, John M. Luskwood and Wm. Mills Esqr be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view out and mark a county road, beginning at the South West corner of Judge Wagnons field on the road ^{leading} to Silmons Old place, and running a North West direction across the main fork of Big Creek to intersect a road at the Posey County line, on a direction to the Lutherssions (sic) Meeting house, ^{and} on a direction to Spring field in Posey County, ^{and that they} report to this board at its next march session.

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It is now here Ordered that Robert Parrett Esqr for the first Commissioners district, and that Lincoln Long Esqr for the second Commissioners district, and Philip Norumbrook Esqr for the third Commissioners district, be and they are hereby appointed a Board of visitors, to visit at least once during the year the county Asylum for the poor, and report the condition and management and the treatment of the inmates of the same to this board

Issd

Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders Esqr be allowed seven dollars for Official Services at the December Term a.D. 1845

Issd

Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders Esqr be allowed three dollars for Official Services at the December Term a.D. 1845

Issd

Ordered that Ira P. Grainger Esqr be allowed six dollars and twenty eight cents for Official Services at the December Term a.D. 1845

Issd

Ordered that Ira P. Grainger Esqr be allowed three dollars and seventy two cents for Official Services at the December Term a.D. 1845

Issd

Ordered that Evertow Kennerly Esqr be allowed six dollars and ninety two cents for Official Services at the December Term 1845

Issd

Ordered that Evertow Kennerly Esqr be allowed three dollars and eight cents for Official Services at the December Session a.D. 1845

Ordered that the Board adjourn until Court in course

Evertow Kennerly Per
Ezekiel Saunders
Ira P. Grainger

Auditors Office Vt.
Decr 8th 1845

John Ganson
You are hereby appointed
Supervisor of roads, in and for road
District No 5 Scott Township, to serve for
One year from the last April election
and until your successor is elected &
qualified
(copies)
Wm W. Walker A.C.

Auditors Office Vt.
January 13 1846

Andrew Smith Jr
You are hereby appointed Supervisor
of roads in and for road district No one Linn
Township to serve until the next April election
and until your successor is elected and qualified
William W. Walker A.C.

Copies

Now here at this time to wit: - on the twenty fourth day of December A.D. 1845. comes Hezekiah Wilson a citizen of School District Two in Congressional Township Number Six South of Range Number eleven West, and files a complaint against the Trustees ^{of the Township} aforesaid, ~~which~~ Complaint is in the words and figures following to wit:

"To the Auditor of the County of Vanderburgh State of Indiana

The undersigned Hezekiah Wilson a citizen & resident of School District No. two of Township No. Six in Range No. eleven West in said County would represent that William Wilson John Wilson Rufus Alexander Wilson & Sarah Wilson infant children of Alexander Wilson deceased who are also residents of said School District & for whom the undersigned acts as guardian, have been expelled from the Common school taught in said District by an Order of the Trustees of said District, from which Order the undersigned sought to appeal to the Township trustees of said township, but the Trustees of said Township refused to listen to the Complaint of the undersigned & hear his appeal. The undersigned therefore appeals to the Auditor of said County because of the refusal of said Township Trustees to act in the premises "

"Hezekiah Wilson"

Hezekiah Wilson

Upon duly considering said Complaint and the things therein stated, I appointed the twenty ninth day of December 1845 at eleven o'clock A.M. to hear the parties aforesaid, and thereupon I issued a summons for Wm Mills John M. Lockwood and Benoni Atkinson Trustees ^{of the Township} aforesaid to appear before me on the day and hour aforesaid at which time I would hear ^{the parties} in relation to the aforesaid appeal, the said summons having been duly served by the Sheriff of the County of Vanderburgh on a majority of said Township Trustees as appears by the return of said Sheriff now on file, and the said parties appearing by their attorneys as well as in their own proper persons, at the time and place appointed. - When after hearing the testimony adduced, and the arguments of Council touching the matter in controversy, It is considered that the children under the Guardianship of Hezekiah Wilson the complainant in the appeal case aforesaid, viz William Wilson John Wilson Rufus Alexander Wilson and

are not white children and Sarah Wilson, are not entitled to the benefits arising from the distribution of the common school funds as "white children" residing within the school district aforesaid.

William H. Walker Auditor

Now here the complainant by James S Blythe Esq moves for a new hearing in the above and foregoing case and ~~and~~ after duly considering said said motion, a new hearing is awarded, and the seventh day of January 1846 at 11 O'clock ~~AM~~ of said day is set for hearing the parties in the aforesaid examination

Now here on this, the seventh day of January 1846 at eleven O'clock ~~AM~~ = the ^{proper} day set as aforesaid, for hearing the parties to the examination, on the appeal of Keyeshaak Wilson the complainant aforesaid, - Come the parties and after hearing the testimony adduced touching the matter under examination, and the arguments of Counsel, It is considered, that William Wilson John Wilson Rufus Alexander Wilson, and Sarah Wilson, are not excluded by the Statutes of the State of Indiana from the benefits arising from the distribution of the different School Funds.

William H. Walker Auditor

Now here on this the ninth day of January 1846, ^{at 2 O'clock P.M.} Come the parties in the appeal case aforesaid by Counsel, and ~~and~~ ^{James Esq} moves for a new trial, which after hearing the argument of Counsel, was over ruled

William H. Walker Auditor

Auditors office N.C.
February 9th 1846

copied Lewis W. Hinson is hereby appointed Supervisor of
road district No 4 Knight Township, to serve out the
unexpired term of John C. Stephens

Attest

William H. Walker Auditor

copied Thomas McCutchan is hereby appointed Supervisor
of roads in road district No 1 Scott Township to serve
until the next April Election and until your successor
is qualified, to fill a vacancy occasioned the resignation
of Edward Cagle
February 9th 1846

William H. Walker Auditor

March Session A. D. 1846

At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana began and held at the Court house in Evansville on Monday the second day of March, A. D. 1846 when present Everton Kennerley & Ira H. Grainger two of the members composing said board

- Issued No 4815-0, 67 Ordered that Lewis Lower be allowed sixty seven cents for summoning a Jury for a Coroner
- Issued No 4820 \$2, 50/100 Ordered that James J. Walker be allowed two dollars & fifty cents for making map for assessor
- Issued No 4830 \$1, 50/100 Ordered that James McCallister be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for services as returning Judge of Elections & returning judges in Centre Township as inspector of Elections & returning judges in Centre Township
- Issued No 4840 \$3, 00 Ordered that Saml. J. Jenkins be allowed two dollars service certifying Justice Election for Centre Township
- Issued No 485 \$500, 00 Ordered that James Carothers be allowed five hundred dollars for part of his pay for building bridge across pigeon creek on the Princeton road
- Issued No 486 \$500, 00 Ordered that James Carothers be allowed five hundred dollars for building bridge across pigeon creek
- Issued No 487 \$500, 00 Ordered that James Carothers be allowed five hundred dollars for building bridge across pigeon creek
- Issued No 488 \$250, 00 Ordered that James Carothers be allowed two hundred & fifty dollars in full for building bridge across pigeon creek on the Princeton Road
- Issued No 489 \$18, 82/100 Ordered that Saml. J. Jenkins be allowed eighteen dollars and eighty two cents for Stationery for Clerks' Offices
- Issued No 490 \$15, 00/100 Ordered that Saml. J. Jenkins be allowed fifteen dollars for Ex Office services as Clerk of the v. c. c. to 26th March 1846
- Issued No 491 \$14, 50/100 Ordered that Dr. John J. Walker be allowed fourteen dollars and fifty cents for professional attendance on sick man in County Jail

March Session A. D. 1846

Copied

Now here come St. Mc Lane and other citizens of Wright Township, and petition for a change in the road leading from Evansville to the Ohio River at the residence of Joseph Lane, so as to follow the Old Crown River Road from where the said road now leaves the same, to or near the Bar on the Old Clark McCallister Farm near the top of the ridge, thence on the land of St. Jefferson James, nearly East, following the shape of the ridge to intersect the Old Road at the East End of said James' land, that is the section line dividing Section Eleven & Fractional Twelve. Said petition having the proper number of signs, & proof having been made before the board of the notice of said change. It is therefore now here Ordered that John Dickas David Miller Junior and Nathaniel Mc Lane be and they are hereby appointed Viewers to view out and mark said road according to the prayer of the said petition, and that they report to the board at the next session thereof.

Now here James Houston George B. Maynon and Canada Kegg botham Viewers heretofore appointed, to view the change therein named, and make report in the word and figures following, to wit:

To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of the County of Washington, Pursuance of an Order of this honorable board herewith returned. We the undersigned appointed by the said Order to view, and we did view and we believe that the Proposed Change would be of public utility, beginning at a small persimmon bush on the New Harmony Road, leading from Evansville to Harmony near the house of Daniel Churchfield, thence down to intersect a County Road, near James Steels, leading from Evansville to William Maynon, thence running on a direction to Evansville on said road until it intersects the said Harmony Road, & that we viewed the same on the 25th day of November 1845.

This 2nd day of March 1846
 James Houston
 G. B. Maynon
 Canada & Kegg botham } Viewers
 Ordered that the Supervisor or Supervisors of the district or districts through which said road passes be and they are hereby authorized to open the same

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Issued No 492^d \$1.00 Ordered that George B. Maguire be allowed One dollar for viewing road in Perry Township

Issued No 493^d \$1.00 Ordered that Leannada Higginbotham be allowed One dollar for viewing road in Perry Township

Issued No 494^d \$1.00 Ordered that James Houston be allowed One dollar for viewing road in Perry Township

Justice in German II

It is now here Ordered that an additional Justice of the Peace be assigned to German Township and that the Clerk of the Circuit Court issue a precept to the Sheriff directing him to give legal notice of the election of such Justice of the Peace

Ezekiel Saunders Esq the other member of this board comes and takes his seat in the board

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock

Everton Kennedy

Tuesday morning 9 o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when present Everton Kennedy Ira P. Grainger & Ezekiel Saunders members of said board

Issued No 497^d \$1.00 Ordered that John Marquis be allowed One dollar for viewing a road in Armstrong Township

Issued No 498^d \$1.00 Ordered that Wm. Martin be allowed One dollar for viewing a road in Armstrong Township

Issued No 499^d \$2.00 Ordered that Rhoads Rogers be allowed Two dollars for viewing a road in Armstrong Township & making return thereof

Issued No 500^d \$5.00 Ordered that James Grainger be allowed Five dollars for survey at foot of Franklin Street in Canassee City for a bridge

Issued No 501^d \$1.00 Ordered that Saml. J. Perkins be allowed One dollar for recording deed from Goodsell to the County

Issued No 502^d \$6.00 Ordered that W. C. Bell be allowed Six dollars for two Reams of Cap Paper for Auditor's Office

See

Ordered that a summons issue for John Walker and William Conyett to appear before the board on Tuesday the 11th inst at 9 o'clock to give testimony in matters that may then and there come before this board.

Rate of Road Tax for 1846

Now here the board fixes the tax for Road purpose for the year 1846, from the assessment of 1845 at ten cents on each one hundred dollar valuation of lands subject to taxation

Report of Justice S. Richter

Now here Louis Richter Esq. a Justice of German Township files his report in relation to the fines by him assessed and collected in the words & figures following, to wit;

"I have assessed fine one dollar on the 10th day of January 1846 for an assault and battery committed by him on the 5th day of January, said fine of one dollar being collected and paid into the County treasury by Louis Richter

W. C. Saunders Report

Now here W. C. Saunders a Justice of Perry Township comes and files a report as follows, to wit;

"To the Hon. the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, The undersigned a Justice of the peace of Perry Township respectfully reports that there has been no fines assessed and collected by him within the preceding year - which report is herewith submitted
March 2nd 1846
W. C. Saunders J. P. (Seal)

D. Woodsey

Now here Daniel Woodsey Esq. a Justice of the peace for Frazier Township comes and files a report of the fines assessed & collected within the preceding twelve months as follows, to wit;

State of Indiana } March 10th 1845
D. W. } For disturbing a Religious Society
William Teleton & } during public worship
Charles Brazleton } William Teleton paid \$1.00

State of Indiana } April 16 1845
D. W. } Assault & Battery
Henry Murten } Fined \$200 & Replevied. Execution issued to M. Nelson J. P. 19th December 1845

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State of Indiana } May 24th 1845 Assault & Battery
 vs } Fined \$300 and paid
 Polly Henderson }

State of Indiana } June 27th 1845 Assault & Battery
 vs } Fine 100 & paid
 Daniel Rogers }

State of Indiana } September 15th 1845
 vs } Assault & Battery
 Joseph Parker } Fined \$300 & paid

State of Indiana } October 22nd 1845
 vs } Assault & Battery
 Henry Kelsker } Fined \$200 & paid

State of Indiana } November 11th 1845
 vs } Assault & Battery
 William Parvitt } Fined \$300 Replevied & Execution
 issued March 2nd 1846 to Wm. Walker C.P.

State of Indiana }
 Vanderburgh County } I Daniel Woolsey, a Justice
 of the Peace in and for said County do hereby
 Certify that the above and foregoing is a true list
 of all the fines assessed and collected by me since
 the 10th day of March A.D. 1845 Given under my
 Hand & Seal at Evansville this 2nd day of March A.D.
 1846

Daniel Woolsey (Seal)
 Justice of the Peace

The Board now here accept said reports.

- Issued No 503 & \$25.00 Ordered that R. M. Dunbar be allowed Twenty five dollars for part of Bates bill for keeping paupers 3rd quarter
 - Issued No 504 & \$7.50 Ordered that Geo. Bates be allowed seven dollars and fifty cents for part of bill for keeping paupers
 - Issued No 505 & \$7.50 Ordered that Geo Bates be allowed seven dollars & fifty cents for part of bill for keeping paupers
 - Issued No 506 & \$210.00 Ordered that Geo. Bates be allowed two hundred and ten dollars for keeping paupers third q^r
 - Issued No 507 & \$281.00 Ordered that Saml. J. Calkens be allowed two dollars and eighty one cents for repairs of tables in Clerks Office
- Ordered that the board adjourn until 9 O'clock tomorrow morning
 Eustace Kennedy Pres

Wednesday Morning at nine O'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

Issued No 508 & \$16.83 Ordered that Martin Reis be allowed fifteen dollars & eighty three cents for repairing ^{table for} deed record & repairing & covering tables in clerks office

Now here Mr. Martin Rhoads Rogers and John Margis viewers heretofore appointed for the purpose ^{com} make their report of a view of a certain road, commencing at a point on the road leading from Kearney to Bonville, and greater of a mile East of the west line of section eight in town 5 South Range 10 West at a water Oak line tree marked B. between the land of William Rogers and Nicholas Gager running South nearly one mile and a quarter thence angling west one hundred and two rods through the land belonging to Michael Wolf where stands a White Oak, & said report being in favour of said view, and Michael Wolf now comes and files a remonstrance against the location of said road upon his land, and the board duly considering said report and remonstrance, and the things contained therein - It is now here Ordered that Patrick Calvert, James Richey, and John Prescott ~~do~~ and they are hereby appointed commissioners to repair to Michael ^{the location of} Wolf and examine and assess such damages as they may ascertain ^{that} said Wolf has sustained in consequence of the location of ^{said} road

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Now here come William Myers and other citizens of Armstrong Township and pray for the appointment of viewers to view and lay out a cut way or private road beginning at a point on section 21 in said Township on the South, part of Mr. Myers farm at a certain maple tree marked A thence South through Peter Beagley land, thence through Ernest Sanderson land thence to a certain White Oak tree at the State Road on section 21 marked B. And proof having been made before the board that the petition contained the necessary number of names, of persons possessing the proper qualifications & that notice had been given according to law, It is therefore hereby ordered that John Baker John Reddig & Christopher Noehle be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view and lay out said Cartway according to the prayer of said petition and that they report to this board at the ensuing session.

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It is now here ordered that Perov Stinson be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor of road district No 2 Perry Township to serve until the next April Election & until his successor is qualified.

B. Mill Esq
Report

A list of fines assessed & collected since the first of March last 1845 to this date, March the 4th 1846 to wit:

- | | | | | |
|------------------|----|-------------------|--------------------------------------|------------|
| State of Indiana | vs | Charles Russ | Assault & battery fined one dollar | |
| | | | Paid April the 12 th 1845 | 1.00 |
| State of Indiana | vs | Charles Russ | Burly of the peace | discharged |
| | | | April the 15 th 1845 | |
| State of Indiana | vs | Samuel Barnes | Assault and battery fined one dollar | |
| | | | Paid April 21 st 1845 | 1.00 |
| State of Indiana | vs | Yachanah Parker | Assault & Battery fined one dollar | |
| | | | Paid May the 12 th 1845 | 1.00 |
| State of Indiana | vs | Matthias McArthur | Assault & Battery fined one dollar | |
| | | | Paid May the 14 th 1845 | 1.00 |

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State of Indiana } July the 7th 1845
 vs } Assault & Battery Discharged
 James Neal }
 Jackson Neal }

State of Indiana } June 23rd 1845
 vs } Assault & Battery fined
 Jonathan W. Coekram } three dollars paid \$3.00

State of Indiana } September the 8th 1845
 vs } Assault & battery fined and
 Andrew Hentchinson } dollar paid \$1.00

State of Indiana } September the 23rd 1845
 vs } Assault & Battery fined three dollars }
 James S. Patton } Paid

State of Indiana } December the 11th 1845
 vs } Assault and battery fined three
 William Garrett } Discharged not guilty

State of Indiana } December the 12th 1845
 vs } Assault and battery fined three
 Sir Stokes } dollars Repleined \$3.00

State of Indiana } January the 9nd 1846
 vs } Assault & battery fined
 Nathaniel Mulwary } three dollars \$3.00

State of Indiana } January 3rd 1846
 vs } Assault and battery fined
 Crawford G. McGano } three dollars Repleined \$3.00

State of Indiana } January 10th 1846 Assault & battery
 vs } Not Guilty Discharged
 Methias Purves }

State of Indiana } January 10th 1846
 vs } Assault & battery fined three
 Samuel Carlisle } dollars paid 3.00

State of Indiana } February 11th 1846
 vs } Assault & battery fined three dollars Repleined
 John Gooden } \$3.00

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State of Indiana } January 10th - 1846
W. Primmer } Assault & Battery Not Guilty but
Primmer } bound Over

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County, Feb 1 Pracker Mills a
Justice of the peace in and for the County
aforesaid, do hereby certify that the foregoing
is all the Cases thus (have) come before me
whom in the State of Indiana is plaintiff and
Others is defendant as within my hand and
Seal March the 4th 1846

Pracker Mills (Seal)
Justice of the peace
Now here the board duly considering the said
Report and the things therein approve and
accept the same

Now here Conrad Parker Esq
presents to the Board the bill of Polly Watson
for the price of a horse mare, killed by
falling through the Canal bridge, on Main
Street, within the corporate limits of the town
of Evansville; And the board after duly
considering said bill and the things therein, do
now here disallow the same

Ordered that Willard Carpenter
be allowed Fifty dollars for one quarters rent of poor
house up to March 7th 1846

It is now here Ordered that
the Auditor he and he is hereby authorized and required
to issue to Benoni Stinson, Supervisor of road district
No 2 Perry Township, the balance of an appropriation
made on the bridge across Wagons Creek & that
said Supervisor be required to expend said sum
on the repairs of said bridge

It is now here Ordered that
James J. Walker he and he is hereby appointed
According to the provisions of an Act for the
re-appraisement of the real estate, therefore appointed
and subject to taxation - Assessor for the County
of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana, to appraise
all the real estate subject to taxation in said County

Polly Watson

Issued

Benoni Stinson
Supervisor

Appraiser
of
Real Estate

ordered
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Issued No 510 \$ 19. ⁶²/₁₀₀ Ordered that William Whittlesey be
 and he is hereby allowed nine dollars & sixty two
 cents for repairs of bridge in strong town & work on bridge & by passing field way
 Cents. which said Whittlesey applies to the payment
 of rent of house from County towards morning
 Ordered that the board adjourn until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning
 to adjournment when present as requested
 Thursday morning at 9 o'clock, board met from

And No 511 \$ 7. ⁵²/₁₀₀ Ordered that William W. Walker be
 allowed seven dollars & fifty cents for cash paid for
 wood for County & sawing said wood

Issued No 512 \$ 9. ⁶⁷/₁₀₀ Ordered that William W. Walker be
 allowed nine dollars & sixty seven cents for cash paid
 for Books for county

Proposals
 to
 Build Salt well
 Bridge

Now here the board proceeds to open the proposals
 filed in December 1845 with this board for building
 a bridge across pigeon creek near the salt
 well on a plan of the old bridge & Wm Mills proposes
 to build a bridge for 895 dollars, Thos. Gifford
 proposes to build said bridge for 1100 dollars & M. No
 Arthur for 987 dollars & Singer & Jones for 960 ⁷²/₁₀₀
 dollars & Sanford Haught for 890 dollars

Resolved

Ordered that Wm Mills Thomas
 Gifford M. No. Arthur Singer & Jones & Sanford
 Haught be notified that the board of commissioners
 have opened the proposals for building the bridge
 at the Salt well & will on tomorrow morning (Friday
 the 6th of March 1846) at 10 o'clock let said contract
 to the lowest & best bidder

Wm Burbank's
 Application

Now here Willard Carpenter applies
 to this board to have Wm Burbank admitted into the
 University according to the provisions of Article 1 Chapter
 7 Section 34 of the Revised Statutes of 1843

Now here the Auditor makes his annual
 report of the several school funds of the county. which said
 Report is in the words and figures following to
 wit:

Auditors Office
 Vanderburgh County
 March 2nd 1846

In Obedience to the requirements of the 8th Article of
 Chapter 13 of the Revised Statutes of 1843, the Auditor
 of Vanderburgh County submits his Annual Report
 in relation to the Congressional Township Funds of
 the County and the condition of the lands belonging
 to the Common Schools

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No 1 a Statement of the Whole of the Receipts & Expenditures, on account of said Funds, with the total amount of School Funds in Commissioners hands, March 1st 1846

No 2 A Statement of the Common School Funds,

No 3 A Statement of the Condition of the Fund of Town 4 South, Range 10 West.

No 4 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 5 South, Range 10 West.

No 5 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 6 South, Range 10 West.

No 6 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 7 South, Range 10 West.

No 7 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 4, South, Range 11 West.

No 8 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 5 South, Range 11 West.

No 9 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 6 South of Range 11 West.

No 10 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 7 South, Range 11 West.

No 11 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 8 South, Range 11 West.

No 12 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 9 South Range 9 West.

No 13 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of District 3 Town 7 S. Range 11 W.

No 14 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of District 4 Town 6 S. Range 10 West.

No 15 a Statement Showing the Condition of the Whole of the Receipts & Expenditure on account of the School Funds, with the total amount in the school Commissioners hands, on March 1st 1846

Loans

Outstanding loans on the 1st of March 1845 10,971.85
 Loaned by Auditor from March 1st 1845 to March 1st 1846 1,438.46

Total loans 12,410.31

Amount refunded by borrowers to March 1st 1846 788.74

Amount Outstanding on loans on 1st March 1846 11,621.57

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Commissioners hands March 1st 1845 985.07

There has been received since March 1st 1845 to March 1st 1846 as follows Viz:

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From Sales of lands	921.36
From Loans Refunded by borrowers	788.74
From Accidental Receipts	93.77
" Principal on Judgements	147.92
" Interest on Loans	879.27
" Interest from Purchasers	597.14
" Deposits from School Districts	21.54
Total Receipts	4,434.82
<u>Disbursements</u>	
Loans of School Funds to March 1 st 1846	1,438.46
Interest drawn by Township Treasurers	1,139.03
Accidental Expenses	429.36
Total Disbursements	3,006.85
Balance in commissions hands March 1 st 1846	1,427.97

No 0 A Statement of the Condition of the Common School Funds

<u>Loans</u>	
Out Standing Loans March 1 st 1845	3,200.30
Refunded by borrowers to March 1 st 1846	170.00
Amount Outstanding on loan March 1 st 1846	3,130.30

Receipts & Disbursements

<u>Receipts</u>	
There had been over drawn of this fund at last Report March 1 st 1845 \$61.83	
There has been received to March 1 st 1846 of this fund as follows viz:	
From Loans Refunded by borrowers	170.00
From Accidental Receipts	12.77
From Principal on Judgements	100.00
From Interest from purchasers	63.60
" do on Loans	274.08
Total Receipts	620.45
<u>Disbursements</u>	
Interest drawn by Township Treasurers	177.76
Amount refunded to purchasers of lands	143.75
Accidental Expenses	71.55
Am't Over drawn at last settlement	61.83
Total disbursements	454.89
Balance on hand March 1 st 1846	1,655.56

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No 2 a Statement of the Condition of the funds
of Town 4 S. Range 10 West

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts	
Balance on hands March 1 st 1845	5, 06
Received from dividend on Common funds	8, 65
<u>Total Receipts</u>	13, 71
Disbursements	
Drawn by Township Treasurer	13, 71

No 3 a Statement of the Condition of the Loans
of Town 5 South, Range 10 W

Loans

Outstanding Loans March 1 st 1845	403, 48
Loaned by Auditor since March 1 st 1845	41, 47
<u>Total Loans</u>	444, 95
Refunded by borrowers	41, 47
<u>Outstanding on Loan March 1st 1846</u>	403, 48

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Comm. hands March 1 st 1845	36, 88
From ^{These have been received to March 1st 1846} Loans Refunded by borrowers as follows to wit:	41, 47
do Accidental Receipts	22, 99
do Interest from Purchasers	34, 82
do Interest from Loans	19, 07
<u>Total Receipts to March 1st 1846</u>	155, 25

Disbursements

Drawn Refunded of funds of the township	41, 47
Drawn by Township Treasurer	12, 50
Accidental Expenses	8, 03
<u>Total Disbursements</u>	112, 00
Balance in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1846	43, 25

No 4 a Statement showing the Condition of the Funds
of Town 6 Range 10 West

Loans

There was Outstanding on loan March 1 st 1845	3, 082, 00
Loans by Auditor since March 1 st 1845	377, 00
<u>Total Loans to March 1st 1846</u>	3, 459, 00
Loans refunded by borrowers to March 1 st 1846	350, 00
<u>Amount Outstanding on loan March 1st 1846</u>	3, 109, 00

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was on hands on the 1 st March 1845	183, 61
There has been received since as follows	
via:	

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From loans repaid by borrowers	350.00
From Interest on loans	222.76
From ^{of} from Purchases of	111.98
From dividend on Common Fund	63.89
	882.24
<u>Disbursements</u>	
Draws of funds of this Township	377.00
Drawn by Township Treasurers	336.89
Incidental Expenses	43.16
Balance of this fund in Com ^r 's hands March 1 st 46	757.05
	125.19

No. 5 A Statement Showing the condition of the Fund of Town of S. Range 10 West

Loans	
There was Outstanding on Loan March 1 st 1845 of funds of the this Township	1,215.46
Added by Auditor since March 1 st 1845	130.00
Total Loans to 1 st March 1846	1,345.46
Loans Repaid by borrowers to March 1 st 1846 of this township	200.00
Outstanding on Loans March 1 st 1846	1,145.46

Receipts	
There was in Commissioners hands on settlement March 1 st 1845	185.32
There has been received since the settlement up to March 1 st 1846 as follows, viz:	
From Sales of lands of this Township	233.25
From Loans repaid by borrowers	200.00
From Interest on Loans	76.93
From interest from purchasers	122.12
From interest incidental receipts	8.53
From dividend on Common Funds	7.10
Total Receipts	833.75
Disbursements	
Loans of funds of this Township to March 1 st 1846	120.00
Drawn by Township Treasurers	179.30
Incidental Expenses	37.35
Total Disbursements	346.65
Balance in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1846	\$487.10

No. 6 A Statement of the condition of the funds of Township 4 South of Range 11 W	
Receipts & Disbursements	
There was in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1845	16.18
Total Receipts	16.18
Disbursements	
Drawn by Township Treasurers	16.18

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No 7 a Statement of the Condition of the funds of Township 5 South, Range 11 West Iowa

There was Outstanding on loan on March 1st 1845 of the funds of this Township 458,00
 loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1846 138,00
 Outstanding on loan March 1st 1846 \$596 00

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Balance in Commissioners hands March 1st 1845 178,47
 From Sales of Lands 75,00
 From Interest on Loans 74,90
 From Dividend on Common Funds 26,68
 Total Receipts \$357 25

Disbursements

Loans of funds of this township 138,00
 Amt drawn by Township Treasurers 132,03
 Accidental Expenses 10,98
 Total Disbursements 281,01
 Balance in Commissioners hands March 1st 1846 76,24

No 8 a Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town South Range 11 West Iowa

There was Outstanding on loan March 1st 1845 143,00
 loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1846 51,99
 Total Loans 194,99
 Amount refunded by borrowers to March 1st 1846 75,19
 Outstanding on loan March 1st 1846 \$639,80

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Balance in Commissioners hands March 1st 1845 152,21
 There has been received since settlement, of the funds of this Township, as follows viz From Loans refunded 75,19
 From Interest on Loans 31,31
 From Interest from purchasers 50,57
 From Accidental Receipts 30,96
 From dividend on common land 17,18
 Total Receipts 360,42

Disbursements

Loans of funds of this Township 51,99
 drawn by Township Treasurers 160,69
 Accidental Expenses 16,74

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Balance	Total disbursements	229.42
Balance in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1846		131.00

No 9 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 7 South Range 11th

Loans		
There was outstanding on loans of March 1 st 1845 of the funds of this Township		1,849.61
Followed by Auditor since settlement		700.00
Outstanding loans March 1 st 1846		<u>2,549.61</u>

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts		
There was in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1845		234.58
There has been received since settlement & up to March 1 st 1846 as follows, viz;		
From sales of lands		683.12
From Interest on loans		205.96
From Interest from purchasers		235.57
From Incidental Receipts		34.61
From dividend on Common Fund		12.80
Total Receipts		<u>\$1,336.64</u>

Disbursements		
Loans of the funds of this Township		700.00
Drawn by Township Treasurer		204.33
Incidental Expenses		97.91
Total Disbursements		<u>1,002.24</u>
Balance in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1846		<u>\$334.67</u>

No 10 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 8 & Range 11th

Receipts & Disbursements		
Receipts		
There was in Commissioners hands on Settlement March 1 st 1845		4.83
There has been received since settlement to March 1 st 1846 as follows, to wit;		
From dividend on Common Fund		8.26
Total Receipts		<u>\$13.09</u>
Disbursements		
There has been drawn by Township Treasurer		\$13.09
Total Disbursements		<u>13.09</u>
Balance in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1846		<u>00.00</u>

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No 11, A Statement of the Condition of the funds
of Township 6 South, Range 9 West

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Commissioners hands March 1st
1845 on Settlement 4.79
There have been none of the funds of this Township
Drawn Out since March 1st 1845
Balance in Commissioners hands March 1st
1846 of the funds of this Township 4.79

No 12 A Statement of the Condition of the funds
of District 3 T 7 R 11 W

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was on hand at Settlement March 1st 1845 36.95
There has been received since Settlement from
Deposites of Town Treasurers 13.12
Total Receipts \$50.07

Disbursements

There has been drawn, - on Trustees Orders 19.25
Total Disbursements 19.25
Balance in Commissioners hands on Settlement
March 1st 1846 \$30.82

No 13 A Statement of the Condition of the funds
of District 4 in Town 6 South Range 10 West

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was on hand at Settlement on March 1st
1845 21.00
There has been deposited with School
Comm^r. since Settlement up to 1st March 46 8.42
Total Receipts \$29.42

There have been no disbursements of this fund
since Settlement on March 1st 1845
Balance in Commissioners hands on 1st of March
1846 29.42

Which is Respectfully Submitted

William M. Walker A. C. C.

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Issued No 513 & \$15.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm M Walker be allowed fifteen dollars for Ex Officio services as Sheriff to March 2nd 1846

Issued No 514 & \$60.²⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm M Walker be allowed sixty dollars & ~~two~~ ^{twenty five} cents for detaining prisoners in County Jail to March 6th 1846

Issued No 515 & \$100.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that W. M. Walker be allowed ^{per go on file} one hundred dollars for services as Auditor of the County

Issued No 516 & \$23.⁹⁸/₁₀₀ Ordered that W. M. Walker be allowed twenty three dollars & ninety eight cents for services as County Auditor

Issued No 517 & \$15.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that W. M. Walker be allowed fifteen dollars for Ex Officio services as county Auditor to March 1st 1846

Issued No 518 & \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that W. M. Walker be allowed ten dollars for making Abstract of school funds for prosecuting Attorney

Ordered that the board adjourn until Five O'Clock tomorrow morning
Everton Kinney by Prst

Friday Morning March 6th board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

It now here the School Commissioner make his annual report of the condition of the school funds in the words & figures following to wit:

School Commissioners Office
Wanderburgh County March 3rd 1846
To The Hon^{ble} Board of Commissioners of Wanderburgh County

Gentlemen
In accordance with the Revised Statutes in such cases made and provided, the School Commissioners of Wanderburgh County submit his Annual report, showing the amount of cash on hand at last together with the amount of receipts and expenditures from March 3rd 1845 to the first Monday in March 1846

	Receipts	Dollars	Cents
There was remain in the Treasury at last Settlement			
The amount of		988.	47
Amount received from March 3 rd 1845 to March 1846	3453.	95	
	4.442.	42	

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Expenditures

There has been paid on warrants from March
 3rd 1845 to March 3rd 1846 3,005.79
 Balance remaining on Treasury March 2nd 1846 1436.63

Respectfully Submitted

Brackett Mills J. C. V.

The Board now here approve the Reports of the Auditor & School Commissioner and accept the same

Repairs of Clerks Office

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Now here the Board appoints Richard
 Perkins Esq. an agent to procure materials and
 Contract for repairing the Clerks Auditor Office, said
 repairs to consist in having ^{or wooden} ~~brick~~ floors placed in said
 offices in a good workman like manner, ^{It is ordered} that said agent
 be and he is hereby Authorized to draw on the Auditor
 for orders on the Treasurer for the purpose of paying
 for said work and the Auditor is required to
 draw orders ~~on~~ for said agent when he may require
 funds for the purposes aforesaid.

Ordered that the Auditor be authorized
 to draw an Order for Eighteen Dollars on the County
 Treasurer for the purpose of paying for the two
 Duplicates of 1846

Canal Bridge

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Whereas the bridge across the Canal
 on Main Street in the Town of Evansville is in a deranged
 Condition and whereas application cannot be had
 to the proper Authority to have the same repaired
 without much danger to the public, therefore
 by it Ordered that Twenty Dollars be & the same is
 hereby applied to assist in repairing said bridge
 on condition that the President & Trustees of the Town
 of Evansville apply a like sum & that the Auditor Issue
 an Order to the person who may do the work for
 the said sum of ²⁰ 20 Dollars or so much thereof as
 may be necessary for the said repairs - and that the
 said sum shall be expended under the direction of the
 said President & Trustees

County Agent

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Now here be it Ordered, that Whereas this Board
 at its December Session A.D. 1845 made a certain Order
 as follows, to wit, now here the County agent of the
 County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana
 is hereby Ordered authorized and directed to make
 a quit Claim deed to Willard Carpenter to Lots number
 188 2/3 of 193 and 1/2 of 210 in the location & lay-out
 of the Town of Evansville, and whereas the said agent did
 in pursuance of said Order make to said Carpenter

a quit claim deed for said lots parts of lots, bearing date the 15th day of December 1845 And Whereas by said deed half of said Lot No 210 was moant & intended that half of said lot went to & adjoining lot No 209 in said enlargement And Whereas said deed made as aforesaid is ambiguous so far as relates to the description of said 1/2 of Lot 210 & does not describe the portion intended to be conveyed, now therefore to correct said ambiguity, it is hereby Ordered that the agent of said County (John A. Bickendall) be & he is hereby ordered directed and required to make to said Hillard a further quit claim deed, reciting therein this Order to that half of said Lot No 210 went to and adjoining Lot No 209 in the situation Enlargement of Edenville

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Issued No 519 $\$3, \frac{84}{100}$ Ordered that Wm M. Walker be allowed Three dollars & eighty four cents for summing Duns

Issued No 520 $\$0, \frac{75}{100}$ Ordered that N. S. Dawson be allowed Seventy five cents for returning the polls from Union Township for 1845

Issued No 521 $\$7, \frac{00}{100}$ Ordered that Everton Kennedy Esq be allowed Seven dollars for services as a member of the Board of County Commissioners at the March Term 1846

Issued No 522 $\$3, \frac{00}{100}$ Ordered that Everton Kennedy Esq be allowed Three dollars for service as a member of the Board of County Commissioners at the March Term 1846

Issued No 523 $\$10, \frac{00}{100}$ Ordered that Eye Seal Saunders be allowed Ten dollars for 5 day services as a member of the Board of County Commissioners at the March Term 1846

Issued No 524 $\$10, \frac{00}{100}$ Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be allowed Ten dollars for 5 day services as a member of the County Board at March Term 1846

It is now here Ordered that Thomas Scantling and he is hereby appointed an agent, for the purpose of procuring for the County & delivering to the clerk of the Circuit Court the weights & measures required by an act of the Legislature of the State of Indiana regulating weights & measures. Approved January 21st 1848 And that the Auditor be required to draw an order on the County Treasurer for the purpose of carrying out the intentions of this Order so soon as said agent shall certify to said Auditor that said weights & measures are procured

Weights and Measures Sealed

T. Scantling

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Now here John Ingle senior Esq. comes and files his report of the fines by him assessed & collected within the preceding 12 months in the words & figures as follows, to wit;

Report of John Ingle senior Esq.
Within the last year assessed a fine on Samuel James of three dollars, and that is all the fines I have assessed within the past year, and collected none
"Scott Township 5
& Mendenhall County 3

"This is to certify that I have within the last year assessed a fine on Samuel James of three dollars, and that is all the fines I have assessed within the past year, and collected none"

"John Ingle Justice of the Peace
Which said report being brought in open court is now here approved

be allowed five dollars for
Until Court in course

Ordered that Jones & Singer
Ordered that the Board adjourn
Creston Kennedy Pres
E. Saunders
J. P. Guinger

Order to Jones & Singer for ten dollars for furnishing a bridge draught passed on the last day of the March Term 1846. and the entry omitted

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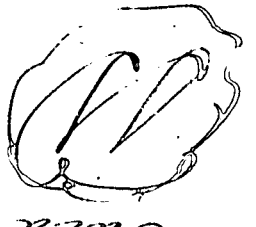
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shown all men by these presents that John Storer of Madison
burgh County, having this day purchased the said tract
quarter of the south West quarter of section 10 16 (10 16 13)
certaining forty acres being part of the said section being
ing to Congress township & Johnson, south of Range 20
that in Underburgh County Indiana for the sum of
one hundred and forty five dollars and fifty cents,
which he has paid forty five dollars and thirty cents,
being the fourth part of each purchase money, and the
year interest in advance on the residue of the purchase
which is one hundred and ten dollars, and eighty
and a half cents and payable in two years from
the date together with two percentum interest thereon
annually in advance, and if full payment of said
purchase and interest, he made within two years
from the date, then the said John Storer, his assigns
or representatives shall be liable to a deed in his
favor for said tract in the name of said township
and on failure to pay said interest for any year
or the residue of the purchase for any day after
either become due the said tract and all payments
therefor made thereon, and the contract of sale
shall be forfeited and revert to the said township,
for record purposes, unless my hand and seal this
28th day of November A.D. 1836

John Storer, Sheriff, Commonwealth of
Ohio, of the County of Underburgh, do hereby certify
that the said John Storer, his assigns, or other
person, has been and assigns all of my right
title interest and claim in and to the said
certificate, which is for lot 13 of the subdivision of
section 16 in township (7) south of Range 20
(111 West
March 1836
Set my hand and seal the 10th day of

John Storer, Sheriff,
Underburgh County, Ohio, do hereby certify that
the said John Storer, his assigns, or other person,
has been and assigns all of my right title interest
and claim in and to the said certificate, which is for
lot 13 of the subdivision of section 16 in township (7)
south of Range 20 (111 West
March 1836
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that the said John Storer, his assigns, or other person,
has been and assigns all of my right title interest
and claim in and to the said certificate, which is for
lot 13 of the subdivision of section 16 in township (7)
south of Range 20 (111 West
March 1836
Set my hand and seal the 10th day of



William M. Walker, Sheriff,
Underburgh County

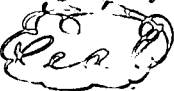
Know all men by these presents that A. B. Carpenter of Vanderburgh County having this day purchased the North East quarter of the North West quarter of section Number sixteen in Town seven South of Range number eleven West (N 3) Containing forty acres, being part of the school section belonging to Congressional Township Number seven South, in Range Number eleven West in Vanderburgh County, Indiana, for the sum of three hundred and sixty dollars and — cents, of which he has paid one hundred and ten dollars and twenty cents being one fourth part of such purchase money and one year interest in advance, on the residue of the principal which is two hundred and seventy dollars and — cents and payable in ten years from this date together with ten per centum interest there annually in advance, and if full payment of said principal and interest be made within ten years from this date then the said A. B. Carpenter his assigns or Representatives shall be entitled to a deed in fee simple for said Tract in the name of said Township but on failure to pay said interest for any year or the residue of of the principal for sixty days after it has become due to said Tract, and all payments therefore made, thereon and this contract of sale shall be forfeited and to the said Township for school purposes.

Witness my hand and seal this 28th day of November A. D. 1836

Nathan Rowley Commissioner 

Know all men by these presents that I Alvin B. Carpenter of the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana for a valuable consideration, do by these presents assign over and transfer all my right title interest and claim whatsoever which I have to lot number three, it being the North East quarter of the North West quarter of section number sixteen in Township Number seven South of Range number eleven West in Vanderburgh County to Strother Catlett, his heirs & assigns forever

On witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 4th day of December A. D. 1836

Alvin B. Carpenter 

The State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } Sch

Be it Remembered that on the 5th day of December A. D. 1836 before me N. Rowley Schol. Commissioner of the County aforesaid, personally appeared Alvin B. Carpenter and acknowledged the

where to he his voluntary act and deed for the purpose

therein mentioned. The testimony of the witnesses is that they

heard and read the act of the Legislature written

Chatham County, Georgia, to wit: that the act of the Legislature

of the County of Chatham, Georgia, in the State of Georgia, do

assign over and transfer to John Edmunds his share and

assigns all of his rights title interests and claims in

and to his said assignees, to wit: the said John Edmunds

quarter of the north West quarter of section sixteen in

town of South of Orange, County of Chatham, Georgia

the testimony of the witnesses is that they have seen and

read the act of the Legislature of the State of Georgia

and that they have seen and read the act of the Legislature

of the State of Georgia, to wit: that the act of the Legislature

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lest on failure to pay said interest for any year or the residue of said principal for sixty days after either become due the said Tract and all payments theretofore made thereon and this Contract of Sale shall be forfeited and revert to said Township for school purposes
Witness my hand and seal this 28th day of Novr A. D. 1846

Nathan Rowley Commissioner 

Know all men by these Presents that I Alvin Carpenter of the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana for a valuable consideration do by these presents assign and transfer all my right title interest and claim ~~to~~ ⁱⁿ ~~the~~ ^{lot} number six ~~it~~ being the South East quarter of the North West quarter of Section Number fifteen in Township Number seven South of Range Number Eleven West in Vanderburgh County to Strother Catlett his heirs and assigns forever

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 5th day of December A. D. 1846

Alvin Carpenter 
State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } 3


Be it Remembered that on the 5th day of December A. D. 1846 before me J. Rowley School Commissioner of the County aforesaid personally appeared Alvin T. Carpenter and acknowledged the above to be his voluntary act and deed for the purposes therein mentioned

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and date last above written

Nathan Rowley S. C. V. C. 

Know all men by these presents that I Strother Catlett of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana do assign over and transfer to John Edmond his heirs and assigns all of my right title interest and claim in and to the South East quarter of the North West quarter of section 16 in Town of South of range 11 West (Lot 6)

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 17th day of March 1846

Strother Catlett 

State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } 3

This certifies that Strother Catlett

Whose name appears to the foregoing assignment, personally appeared before me this day, and acknowledged that he signed and sealed said assignment for the uses and purposes therein named

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the 17th day of March 1846

William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Recorded March 17th 1846
W. H. Walker A.C.

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Auditors Office

Vanderburgh County, March 2nd 1846

No 6

It is hereby certified that James White did on this day purchase of the School Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, at Evansville, the lot or south East quarter of the North West quarter of section sixteen (16) in Township five South of range ten (10) West containing thirty nine acres and seventy hundredths of an acre, at three dollars per acre, amounting to one hundred and nineteen dollars & ten cents, of which there has been paid to the School Commissioners of Vanderburgh County according to law, as per receipt No 1 = 29 ²⁷/₁₀₀ dollars, also six dollars and twenty five cents, being 7 percent interest in advance for one year on the residue, per receipt No 2

Now therefore Be it known that if the the remaining balance of Eighty nine ³²/₁₀₀ dollars be paid to the said Commissioners or his successor in Office at the expiration of exactly five years from the date hereof with seven per cent interest thereon, payable annually in advance, then the said James White, heirs or assigns shall be entitled to receive a deed for said lot above described

William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County
Bracket Mills S. W. V. C.

Recorded March 21st 1846
W. H. Walker A.C.

In Book "G" Page 126 for transfer

Certificate
to
Sunderland

I hereby certify that on the day of the year 1876
 at the Court of Sessions at Glasgow, the
 Sheriff of Glasgow, in pursuance of an order
 of the Court, bearing date the 11th day of
 March 1876, did cause to be sold by
 public auction, at the Court of Sessions,
 the following described lands, to-wit:

The lands of ...
 containing ...
 situate in the parish of ...
 county of ...
 and ...
 the ...
 the ...
 the ...

The ...
 the ...
 the ...
 the ...
 the ...
 the ...
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 the ...
 the ...
 the ...

Done at Glasgow, this 11th day of March 1876.
 Sheriff of Glasgow.
 James ...

Received of ...
 the sum of ...
 for ...
 11th March 1876

DEED to and for the purpose of

Witness the Deeds of one hundred and thirty one dollars

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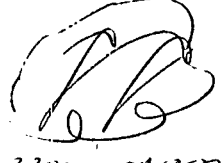


DEED to and for the purpose of

DEED

Whereas John Estlin and assignees of John Estlin
 assigned an African laborer to the said
 of John Estlin and assignees for the sum of
 twenty three cents, in full for (203) the North East
 quarter of the North West quarter of Section number
 thirteen in Township North of Range number ten
 West, containing forty acres - being part of the North
 West quarter of Township North of Range number
 eleven North of Range West, in Washington
 County Indiana.

Now therefore know ye, that in consideration of the
 premises, and in conformity with the Statute in such
 case made and provided by the State of Indiana
 for the County of Washington, for and with
 a view to the "inhabitant" of Congressional township
 number eleven North of Range West, in the County
 of Washington, said State of Indiana, do give and
 grant, the said North East quarter of the North West quarter
 of Section number thirteen (13) in Town (17) North of Range
 Eleven (11) West, to the said John Estlin and assignees
 their and assigns forever



John Estlin
 in witness whereof I have hereunto set my
 hand and seal this 17th day of March 1846
 at Washington County Indiana

Witness my hand and seal this 17th day of March 1846
 at Washington County Indiana

Before me the undersigned a
 Notary Public in and for said County, this day
 personally came William Mc Miller Auditor of said
 County, whose name appears to the foregoing deed
 and acknowledged that he is the owner and holder of the
 said deed for the use and purposes therein mentioned
 and that he is the owner and holder of the same
 my hand and seal this 17th day of March 1846
 John Estlin
 Notary Public
 # 1846
 Wm. Mc Miller Secy

DEED

Whereas John Edmund assignee of Strother Catlett assignee of Alvin B. Carpenter has paid the sum of One hundred and Eleven dollars and fifty three cents in full for (Lot No) the South East quarter of the North West quarter of Section number sixteen in Town seven South Range Eleven West. Containing forty acres being part of the school section belonging to Congressional Township number seven South of Range Eleven West in Vanderburgh County Indiana.

Now Therefore Know ye that in Consideration of the premises and in Conformity with the Statute in such case made and provided. I William H. Walker or Auditor for the County of Vanderburgh aforesaid. For and in the name of the inhabitants of Congressional Township number seven South of Range Eleven West in the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana do give and grant the said South East quarter of the North West quarter of Section sixteen in Township seven South Range Eleven West, to said John Edmund and to his heirs and assigns forever



In Witness Whereof I William H. Walker as Auditor as aforesaid have hereunto set my hand and Affixed my Official Seal the 30th day of March A.D. 1846

William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Witness Bracket Mills S. C. V. G.

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County

Before me the undersigned a Notary Public in and for said County this day personally came the above named William H. Walker Auditor of said County, and acknowledged that he signed and sealed the foregoing deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned



In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Affixed my Official Seal this 11th day of April A.D. 1846

John T. Walker Notary Public

Recorded April 10th 1846
W. H. Walker A. C.

Licensed a License to H. Frost & Co to vend foreign Merchandise until 1st Monday in June A.D. 1846 on January 1st 1846 for the sum of Five dollars

Licensed a License ^{issued} to John A. Leard to vend foreign Merchandise in Vanderburgh County until the 1st Monday in June A.D. 1846 for the sum of Five dollars

March 20th 1846 M. W. Foster produced the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Five dollars. issued a License thereon to vend Foreign Merchandise until the 1st Monday in June A.D. 1846

April 1st 1846 Benjamin Wiley produced the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Five dollars. thereupon a License was issued to him to vend foreign Merchandise in Vanderburgh County as a pedlar until the 1st Monday in April A.D. 1847

April 11th 1846 Nathaniel P. Divino produced the County Treasurers Receipt for Five dollars. thereupon a License was issued to him to vend foreign Merchandise until the 11th day of April A.D. 1847

April 17th 1846 W. F. Richey produced the County Treasurers Receipt for 5 dollars and obtained a license to vend foreign Merchandise for the term of one year from the date hereof

April 27th 1846 Butler Strohm produced the County Treasurers for the sum of Five dollars, and thereupon a License issued to said Butler Strohm to vend foreign Merchandise for the term of Twelve months from the date hereof

Know all men by these presents that we John Sindsley and David Regley are held and firmly bound unto the state of Indiana in the penal sum of three Hundred Dollars lawful money of the state of Indiana for the payment of which well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 16th day of September A.D. 1844.

Whereas the above bounden John Sindsley has been appointed Treasurer for Congressional Township number six South Range number ten west for one year, now the condition of the above obligation is such that if said John Sindsley shall faithfully discharge the duties of his said office and pay or deliver over to the persons entitled thereto whether his successor or otherwise all money books papers and property in his hands as such Treasurer then this obligation to be void and of non effect, otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in law.

John Sindsley *Seal*
David Regley *Seal*

Know all men by these presents that we Henry B. Moore, Hamilton Grant and Andrew N. Grant of the County of Vanderburgh and state of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the state of Indiana in the penal sum of One Thousand Dollars current Money of the United States to the payment of which we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators severally jointly and finally by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 12th day of December A.D. 1844.



The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above named Henry B. Moore is appointed Township Treasurer in town eight south of Range eleven west in the state and County aforesaid, now if the said Henry B. Moore shall faithfully discharge the duties of his office as such Treasurer, and faithfully pay and deliver over to the person or persons entitled thereto whether his successor or otherwise all money Books Papers and property in his hands as such Treasurer then this obligation to be void and of non effect otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in law.

In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 12th day and date above written.

Henry B. Moore *Seal*
Hamilton Grant *Seal*
Andrew ^{his} Grant *Seal*
make



Know all men by these presents that we Permon Stinson and Martin Stinson of the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the State of Indiana in the penal sum of One Thousand dollars lawful money of the United States to the payment of which we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators, severally jointly and jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 19th day of December A.D. 1844.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Permon Stinson is appointed Township Treasurer of Township Six South of Range Eleven West, in the County and State aforesaid, now if the said Permon Stinson shall faithfully discharge the duties of his office as such Treasurer and do pay and deliver over to the person or persons entitled thereto whether his successor or otherwise, all money Books papers and property in his hands as such Treasurer, then this obligation to be void and of none effect, otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in law, Given under our hands and seals the day and date above written.

Permon Stinson 
 Martin Stinson 

Know all men by these presents that we Saml. McDonald and Joseph Carter are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of Five Hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors or Administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals this 30 day of March 1845.

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Saml. McDonald who has been appointed Treasurer of Township No. 5. South of Range No. 11 West in Vanderburgh County shall faithfully discharge the duties of said office and at the close of the term thereof deliver over to his successor in office all moneys books papers and property in his hands as such Treasurer then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Saml. McDonald 
 Joseph Carter 

March the first 1845.

Know all men by these presents that we William Warren Richard S. Browning and George W. McCutcheon are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of five hundred dollars to the payment of which we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals this first day of March One Thousand eight hundred and forty five

William Warren
The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound William Warren the Treasurer of Township No. five Range Ten in the County of Vanderburgh shall well and truly perform the duties of his office as Treasurer of said Township and shall deliver over to his successor in office all money books papers and property in his hands as such Treasurer then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue.

William Warren *Seal*
Richard S. Browning *Seal*
George W. McCutcheon *Seal*

Know all men by these presents that we William A. Lacey and David Miller of the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the State of Indiana in the penal sum of Five Hundred dollars lawful money of the United States to the payment of which we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators severally jointly and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of September A.D. 1845.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William A. Lacey is appointed Township Treasurer of Township seven south of Range Ten west in the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana, now if the said William A. Lacey shall faithfully discharge the duties of his office as such Treasurer and to pay and deliver over to the person or persons entitled thereto whether his successor or otherwise all money Books papers and property in his hands as such Treasurer then this obligation to be void and of none effect otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in Law. Given under our hands and seals this day and date above written.

Wm. A. Lacey *Seal*
D. Miller *Seal*

Know all men by these presents that we John Sindsley and William Clunsted of Vanderburgh County Indiana are held and firmly bound to the State of Indiana in the sum of Three Thousand Dollars for the payment of which we do jointly and severally bind ourselves our heirs and legal representatives sealed with our seals and dated this thirty first day of January in the year 1846.

The condition of this obligation is that whereas the above bounden John Sindsley was on the 29th day of December 1845 duly appointed Treasurer of Township No. six (6) 5th Range No. 10 West in the County of Vanderburgh now if the said John Sindsley shall well and faithfully discharge and pay over according to law all such school or other funds and moneys as shall from time to time come into his hands as such Treasurer then this obligation shall be void otherwise shall be and remain in full force.

Signed sealed and delivered
in presence of
W. Clunsted
Notary Vanderburgh.

John Sindsley Seal
William Clunsted Seal

Know all men by these presents that we David Aikin Sr and Corydon Garrett of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of Five Hundred Dollars lawful money of the United States for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated at Coansville the 16th day of February 1846.

The condition of this obligation is such that whereas the above bounden David Aikin Sr has been appointed Township Treasurer for Congressional Township number seven in Range No. ten west in said County, and if said Aikin shall well and truly perform the duties of Township Treasurer according to law then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue.

David Aikin Sr Seal
Corydon Garrett Seal
Moses Aikin Seal

Know all men by these presents that we Samuel McDonald and Charles Rogers of Vanderburgh County Indiana are held and firmly bound to the State of Indiana in the sum Three Hundred Dollars for the payment of which we do jointly and severally bind ourselves our heirs and legal representatives sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of March in the Year 1846.

The condition of this obligation is that whereas the above bounden Samuel McDonald has on the day of February 1846, duly appointed Treasurer of Township No. 5 of Range No. 11 West in the County of Vanderburgh, now if the said Samuel McDonald shall well and faithfully discharge his duties as such Treasurer and faithfully disburse and pay over according to law all such school or other funds and moneys as shall from time to time come into his hands as such Treasurer then this obligation shall be void otherwise shall be and remain in full force.

Saml. McDonald 
Charles Rogers 

Know all men by these presents that we Benoni Stinson and Richard Jenkins are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of Five Hundred Dollars for the payment of which we bind our selves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 4th day of March A.D. 1846.

The condition of this obligation is such that if the above named Benoni Stinson who has been appointed Treasurer of Township No. 6 South of Range No. 11 West for 1846, shall faithfully discharge the duties of his office and pay or deliver over to the person or persons entitled thereto whether his successor or otherwise all money books papers and property in his hands as such Treasurer then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Benoni Stinson 
R. Jenkins 

License # ~~100~~ to vend foreign merchandize for 12 month from the date hereof in Vanderburgh County
May 2nd 1846 a License issued to ^(J. M. Roche) ~~John Roche~~ ~~to vend~~

License Burbank to vend foreign merchandize in Vanderburgh County for the term of twelve months from the 15th day of December 1845

Auditors Office NC
May 9th 1846

George M. Dowell is hereby appointed Supervisor of road district No 4 Southwing Township for the year 1846. to serve until the next April Election & until his successor is elected & qualified

Copyed

[Signature]

witness William H. Walker Secy.

License issued to Jonathan Newman to vend foreign merchandize in Vanderburgh County for one year from 28th of May 1846 he having filed in my Office the County Treasurers receipt for five dollars
William H. Walker Secy.

June Session A.D. 1846

At a session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana began and held at the Court house in the Town of Evansville in said County on the first Monday in June A.D. 1846 (that being the first day of said month) when present Overton Kinmerley Esq. Samuel Landry and Dr. P. Branger Esqs. members of said Board

License
J. Linck

Ordered that a License issue to Francis Linck senior to vend. foreign merchandize in the County of Vanderburgh for Twelve months on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Five dollars

License
W. Hughes

Ordered that a License issue to W. Hughes to vend. foreign merchandize for the term of One year from on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Five dollars

Equalization
Board formed

Now here the members of the Board doing County business for the County of Vanderburgh the County Assessor the Assessor appointed by the Court Board to appraise the real Estate of said County and the County Auditor met at the Court house in the Town of Evansville on the first Monday in June A.D. 1846 and organized themselves into a board of equalization for the purpose of hearing the Complaints of Owners of property and jolls listed, respecting the same, and for the purposes of examining and correcting the lists of Valuations made by the aforesaid assessors. (which said lists ~~also~~ now here produced to the board by the Auditor) by adding to or deducting from the valuation made by said assessors, the sums as to them or a majority of them shall appear just and equitable

Now here the board of Equalizers agree to reduce the value of the 7 1/2 of the S. E. q. sec 403 in Town 6 South Range 11 West, from 540. to 430. Dollars.

The board of Equalization adjourns until tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock

Now here the board of County Commissioners proceed to consider the business before said board

Now here the Board after duly considering the report of George Roebk Supervisor of road district no 4 Aronstrong township - and the

June Session A. D. 1846

things therein do now here approve the same

Supervisors
Report

Now here James Brumfield Supervisor of Road District No 1 Armstrong, makes report of the works done by the hands under him in said road district. and the board now here approves of said Report

Supervisors Report

Now here Robert Kingberry Supervisor of road district No 6 Scott Township, makes his report as such Supervisor, and the Board now here approves the same

Supervisors Report

Now here Ira Leavins Supervisor of Road District No 7 Perry Township for 1845. make Report as such Supervisor, and the Board now here approves of the same

Supervisors Report

Now here A. Hile Supervisor of Road District No 6 Armstrong for 1845 make Report, as such Supervisor, and the board now here approves said Report

Supervisors Report

Now here Lorenzo Happers Supervisor of road district No 1 Centro Township for 1845 makes report as such Supervisor, and the board now here approves said Report

Supervisors Report

Now here John M. Hinson Supervisor of road district No 3 Pigeon Township for 1845 make report as such Supervisor and the Board now here approves said Report

Supervisors Report

Now here A. H. Lane Supervisor of road district No 5 Knight Township for 1845. makes his report as such Supervisor and the board now here approves said report

Assd

Ordered that E. W. Deamber County Treasurer be allowed ten dollars and thirty nine cents for Stationery for County Treasurer Office

Assd

Ordered that Wm. Hughes be allowed ten dollars & seventy five cents for 3 pair of Blankets furnished for County jail

Assd

Ordered that John M. Hinson be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for Extra Services as Supervisor in road district No 3 Pigeon Township

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- Issd No 10 E \$2.25/100 Ordered that Ira Leavins be allowed Two Dollars & twenty five cents for extra labour as supervisor in road district No 7 Perry Township for 1845
- Issd No 11 E \$3.00/100 Ordered that Lorenz Mopkins be allowed Three Dollars for Extra labour on roads as supervisor in road district No 1 Centre Township
- Issd No 12 E \$1.00/100 Order that John Fiches be allowed One Dollar for work ~~done~~ done as road viewer
- Issd No 13 E \$2.62/100 Ordered that Robert Kingberry be allowed Two Dollars & sixty two cents for ~~the~~ labour done on roads as supervisor in Scott Township for 1845
- Issd No 14 E \$6.00/100 Ordered that Milo A. Dawley be allowed Six dollars and - cents for a day extra work as supervisor in Perry Township in A.D. 1845 in district No 5
- Issd No 15 E \$2.25/100 Ordered that George Rocket be allowed Two Dollars & twenty five cents for extra labour as superv in Armstrong Township for A.D. 1845
- Issd No 16 E \$3.00/100 Ordered that Barney Currier be allowed three dollars for extra labour as supervisor in road district No 1 Perry Township for 1845
- Issd No 17 E \$3.00 Ordered that John Hooff be allowed three dollars for extra labour done as supervisor in Union Township for A.D. 1845
- Issd No 18 E \$2.25/100 Ordered that Matthew Flanagan be allowed two dollars & twenty five cents for extra labour as supervisor in A.D. 1845 in road district No 5 Centre Township

F. Saunders
Exempted from
labour on roads

It is now here "Ordered that Frederick Saunders be and he is hereby exempted from labour on the roads in Vanderburgh County in consequence of bodily infirmity."

It having been shown to the ^{satisfaction of the} board that Adrian Young is labouring under a bodily infirmity. He is therefore hereby exempted from work on the public roads in Vanderburgh County so long as he may be labouring under such infirmity.

- Issd No 19 E \$1.75/100 Ordered that Charles Keller be allowed One dollar and seventy five cents for repairing locks on county jail
- Issd No 20 E \$3.00/100 Ordered that J. C. Stacer be allowed three dollars for extra labour in road district No 3 Scott Township for 1845
- Issd No 21 E \$1.12/100 Ordered that Richard Ruston be allowed One dollar & twelve cents for extra labour on roads in Scott Township for 1845 as supervisor

June Session A.D. 1846

Issd ²⁰ E $\$2, \frac{25}{100}$ Ordered that Michael Mützer be allowed two dollars & twenty five cents for 3 day extra labour on the roads as supervisor for A.D. 1845

Issd ²³ E $\$1, \frac{12}{100}$ Ordered that Frederick Stonecole be allowed one dollar & twelve cents for extra time as supervisor in 1845 in road district No. 7 Armstrong Township

Issd ²⁴ E $\$0, \frac{37}{100}$ Ordered that Michael Mützer be allowed $\frac{37}{100}$ dollar for Ballot Box & Book for Hermon Township

Issd ²⁵ E $\$1, \frac{50}{100}$ Ordered that Andrew Smith be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for extra time as supervisor in A.D. 1845

Supervisors Report

Now here John Hauff Supervisor of road district No. 1 in Union Township for A.D. 1845 makes his report as such supervisor and the board now here approves said report

Same

Now here Joseph Jackson Connor Supervisor of road district No. 2 Armstrong Township for A.D. 1845. makes his report as such Supervisor and the board now here approves said report

Same

Now here Barney Murrenbeard Supervisor of road district No. 1 Perry Township for A.D. 1845. makes his report as such Supervisor and the board now here approves said report

Same

Now here Matthew Haunegan Supervisor of road district No. 5 Centro Township for A.D. 1845. makes a report as such Supervisor of road district No. 5 Centro Township. and the board now here approves said report

Same

Now here John C. Staser Supervisor of road district No. 3 Scott Township for A.D. 1845 makes his report and the board now here approves such report

Same

Now here Miles A. Sawley Supervisor of road district No. 5 Perry for A.D. 1845 makes his report as such supervisor and the board now here approves said report

Same

Now here Michael Mützer Supervisor of road district No. 3 Armstrong Township for A.D. 1845. makes his report as such supervisor and the board now here approves said report

Same

Now here John Hightengale Supervisor of road district No. 1 Pigeon Township for A.D. 1845 makes report as such supervisor. and the board approves said report

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Same

Now then Andrew Smith, Jr. Supervisor of road district of German Township for A.D. 1845. makes ^{his} report as such supervisor. and the board now here approve said report

Petition for Road Viewers

Appointment of Viewers

Now here upon the petition of John Pottig and others petitioners of German Township, for the appointment of viewers to view out and mark a certain Cartway therein named. the board after duly considering said petition and hearing the testimony of witnesses touching the things in relation thereto.

It is now here ordered that John A. Keller John Kern and Charles Goane. be and they are hereby appointed Viewers to view out and mark said Cartway as follows, viz. Beginning at a Hickory marked A on William Block's land in section nineteen thence to run on the line between Lewis Miller land and ~~then~~ ~~through~~ the land of unknown owner on through Lewishard Smith's land, ~~on~~ the thence through William Mumfords land to a certain Hickory tree marked E on the Tobacco Road, and that they make report to this board at its next session

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Road Viewers Report

Now then John Hicks David Siskin Jr and C. H. Lane viewers heretofore appointed by this board, come and make report in the words & figures following, to wit of the Row.

The Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh

Gentlemen

The undersigned viewers appointed by an Order of your honorable body at the March session A.D. 1846 to view a change in the road leading from the residence of Joseph Lane in Knights Township, so as to follow the Old Green River road &c, have viewed said change and report as follows viz;

We did on the 16th day of May A.D. 1846 commence said view, by starting at the forks of the Old Green River road at the head of the pond on the Old Clark McCallister place running thence to the bars of Jose Sines on said farm thence up the ridge east, about a half mile to intersect the Old road at Henry Sines line, all of which is herewith submitted

May 16th 1846

John Hicks
David Siskin
C. H. Lane

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Order to
Open Road

It is now here Ordered that the
Superior or superiors of the districts or districts
through which said change passes, as reported by Feikes
Sikew & Saw, be authorized & required to open said
Change of said road & keep the same in good condition

Report of
the visitors
of
the Poor House

Now here Robert Parrott and Simon Song
two of the members of the Board of Poor Assylum
visitors come and make their annual report
as such visitors, as follows; to wit;

To the Hon the Commissioners of Vanderburgh
County.
The undersigned having been appointed
visitors to the poor house in Vanderburgh County
would respectfully represent that they have
performed their duty on the 3rd Saturday in
April last and report to your honours
that the condition of the house is good and
the County paupers appear to be accommodated
comfortably, and we believe that the house
has been kept well, and that the proprietor has
~~endeavored~~ ^{endeavored} to make the inmates as comfortable
as possible. All of which is respectfully submitted
Simon Song
Robert Parrott } visitors

The Board now here approves said Report.

Appointed of
Poor House visitors
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It is now here Ordered that Simon Song
Robert Parrott and Philip Moorbrooke Esq
be and they are hereby appointed a board of
visitors to visit the assylum of the County ^{at least} once
during the year, and report to the County
Board its condition, and the treatment management
and condition of the inmates thereof

Issd No 1038

2⁵⁰ It is now here Ordered that the County
Auditor be authorized and required to draw
an Order on the County Treasurer for 2,500 dollars
to be paid out of the County treasury fund for
services rendered by them in suit of Auditor vs
Kings, before James James Esq in Union Township

Issd No 260

Ordered that J. D. Bydell be
allowed two dollars for services as inspector of
Elections

Issd No 277

Ordered that James J. Jenkins
be allowed four dollars & thirty eight cents for Stationery
furnished Clerks Office

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Ord. No 28 \$10.00/100 Ordered that Saml. Jenkins be allowed Ten dollars for certificates of election as per bill on file

Clerks Report Shows how the Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court filed his report of the fines assessed and received since the last September Term of said Court; as follows, viz:

A List of the fines assessed at the March Term A.D. 1846 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

State of Indiana vs 3 Contempts } Fine \$0.00
Smith Garth }

State of Indiana vs 3 Gaming } Fine \$1.00
Randle Echols }

State of Indiana vs 3 M.D. with intent } Fine \$3.00
William Hechandler }

State of Indiana vs 3 Riot } Fine \$15.00
Edward Prince }

State of Indiana vs 3 Riot } Fine \$9.00
Nelson Prince }

State of Indiana vs 3 Riot } Fine \$3.00
Jacob Taylor }

State of Indiana vs 3 Riot } Fine \$9.00
Abraham Taylor }

State of Indiana vs 3 Riot } Fine \$9.00
Watson Bates }

State of Indiana vs 3 M.D. } Fine \$1.00
Simon Greenberg }

State of Indiana vs 3 Riot } \$5.00
John Hebo }

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State of Indiana
clerk's Report vs Prop
William Lynch Fine \$8,00

State of Indiana
vs Prop
Francis Hill Fine \$3,00

State of Indiana
vs Illegal voting
Alexander Austin Fine \$10,00

State of Indiana
vs Gaming
Solon S. McCrackin Fine \$1,00

State of Indiana
vs Gaming
James M. Hudson Fine \$1,00

State of Indiana
vs Gaming No 3
William Parrell Fine \$1,00

State of Indiana
vs No 13
William Parvitt Fine \$1,00

State of Indiana
vs Petit Jurancy
John Pae Fine \$1,00

State of Indiana
vs Grand Jurancy
William Shaffer Fine \$1,01

State of Indiana
vs Petit Jurancy
Willes Wilson Fine \$1,00

State of Indiana
vs Contempt
Alexander B. Pratt Fine \$5,00

State of Indiana

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A List of fines received by me since the September term A.D. 1845 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court, to wit;

State of Indiana	}	}	Fine	\$17.50
vs. } Ret Spots				
Franklin Selman				

State of Indiana	}	}	Fine	\$3.00
vs. } Rivk				
John Hoho				

State of Indiana	}	}	Fine	\$5.00
vs. } Leventer				
Alexander B. Pratt				

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County

I Samuel S. Jenks solemnly swear that foregoing is a true list of the fines assessed at the March term A.D. 1846 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court and also that the above is a true list of the fines collected by me since my last report to the best of my knowledge remembrance and belief

Subscribed & sworn to } Saml S. Jenks
before me the Auditor }
of Vanderburgh County June 1st }
1846

Wm. H. Walker & Co.

Ordered that the board adjourn until to ^{June 2nd 1846} tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock

Ernest H. Kinnery Jr

Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock the Board met pursuant to adjournment, when present as yesterday

The board of equalization met pursuant to adjournment, when present as yesterday. Now here the board of equalization having proceeded to examine the assessors' ^{books} and thus far have found nothing requiring any alteration. they therefore now have adjourned until tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

The county board now proceeds to the transaction of the business now before the same board

License
John Shankle foreman Merchandize for the term of twelve months on the production of the Treasurers receipt for the sum of seven dollars and fifty cents

Ordered that a license ^{issue} to John Shankle to vend

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License
M. Ruston

Ordered that a License issue to William Ruston to keep a Tavern in Mechanicsville & retail Spirituous liquors for twelve months upon the production of the County Treasurers receipt ^{by him for ten dollars} and filing his bond according to law with R. J. Ruston as security

License
J. R. Smith

Ordered that a License issue to Thomas Smith to keep a Tavern in Centro Township for twelve months & retail Spirituous liquors on his production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of ten dollars & filing his bond according to law with Geo Bates as security

License
Thomas Gifford

Ordered that a License issue to Thomas Gifford to keep a Tavern in Pigeon Township ^{with} a privilege to retail Spirituous liquors on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of ten dollars & filing his bond according to law with Nathan Roush as security

License
B. Morre

Ordered that a License issue to B. Morre to ~~retail~~ keep a Tavern in Pigeon Township ^{for twelve} with a privilege to retail Spirituous liquors on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of ^{ten} ~~ten~~ ^{ten} dollars and filing his bond according to law

Issd No 29 E \$11.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that A. M. Mc Gruff be allowed One dollar & fifty cents for services as clerk of an April Election in 1846 & ^{as a} ~~as a~~ ^{poll} ~~poll~~ ^{tax} ~~tax~~ ^{man} ~~man~~

Issd No 30 E \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John J. Walker M.D. be allowed Ten dollars for professional attendance on Criminals in County Jail

Issd No 31 E \$7.²⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that Thomas Gifford be allowed Seven dollars and twenty five cents for services as supervisor of road district No 4 Pigeon for A.D. 1845

Issd No 32 E \$3.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John Ganson be allowed Three dollars for services as Supervisor for A.D. 1845 in road district No 3 Scott Township

Issd No 33 E \$1.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Thomas M. Archer be allowed One dollar for serving as judge at the last April Election

Issd No 34 E \$1.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Martin Schuoll be allowed One dollar & fifty cents for services as Judge of Elections in A.D. 1845 & 46

Issd No 35 E \$1.¹²/₁₀₀ Ordered that Thomas Frank be allowed One dollar & twelve cents for services as supervisor in 1845

Billie Harrison of St. Louis
Jan 26 1846

Jan 26 1846 \$2.25 Ordered that John Street be allowed
via dollar twenty five cents for services as performer

Jan 26 1846 \$1.12 Ordered that Francis and Charles
be allowed two dollar twelve cents for services as
performers in their township for 1845

Jan 26 1846 \$10.50 Ordered that Newton Street be
allowed ten dollar fifty cents for services

Jan 26 1846 \$14.00 Ordered that Benjamin A. Hays be
allowed dollar for services as performer in 1845 as road

Jan 26 1846 \$25.37 Ordered that you should be
allowed dollar fifty cents for services as performer in 1845 as road

Jan 26 1846 \$18.75 Ordered that you should be
allowed dollar thirty seven cents for services as performer in 1845 as road

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Supervisors
Report

And also the Report of Frederick Hincote Supervisor of road district No 1 Armstrong Township for 1845

Same

And the report of Ebenezer Sutton Supervisor of Road District No 2 Knight Township for A.D. 1845

Same

And the Report of J.W. Lockram Supervisor of Road District No 6 Knight Township for A.D. 1845

Same

And the Report of Isaac Hightengale Supervisor of road district No 3 Knight Township for 1845

Which said reports were made to the County auditor on the first of May and by him received

and it is now here Ordered that said reports be read they are hereby received and approved

Same

Now here Mr. McDowell Supervisor of road district No 2 Union Township for 1845 submits his report as such Supervisor and the board now here approves said report

Same

Now here Francis A. Smith Supervisor of road district No 1 Knight Township for 1845 submits his report as such Supervisor and the said report is now here approved

Same

Now here John Curran Supervisor of road district No 11 Perry Township for A.D. 1845, ^{submits his report as such Supervisor} which said report is now here approved

Same

Now here Isaac Canada Higgins Supervisor of road district No 8 Armstrong Township for A.D. 1845 submits his report as such Supervisor which said report is now here approved

Same

Now here Thomas Clifford Supervisor of road district No 11 Pigeon Township for A.D. 1845 submits his report as such Supervisor which said report is now here approved

Report of
Commissioners
to
assess Damages

Now here John Provis and Patrick Culver two of the Commissioners heretofore appointed to assess damages done Michael Wolf by a certain road passing through his premises. Report to this Board, as follows, to wit:

"To the honourable the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh be the undersigned, having been appointed by the Order herewith returned, to review the road and land adjacent mentioned in the said order do report that we have in pursuance of said Order, reviewed the said road, and have estimated the damages which will be sustained by said road being opened and continued through the land of the Objector in the following proportion, to wit: Michael Wolf

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Sustain damage to the amount of twenty five dollars, and further the said road will in our opinion be of public utility, all which is respectfully submitted
May 16th 1846

John Previt

It is now here Ordered, upon ^{Patrick Calvert} Patrick Calvert
Considering said report of Previt & Calvert, and the matters therein, that the view heretofore made by Wm Martin Rhodes Rogers and John Marques of the aforesaid road terminating at Michael Wolf, be and it is hereby set aside, and it is further Ordered that Hiram J. Fanguaker Jacob Dancer and Lemuel Higginbotham be and they are hereby appointed to view said road so as to obviate the difficulty attend^{ant} upon the view ~~made~~ heretofore made by Martin Rogers and Marques

Appointment of Viewers

Refer

now here upon the petition of James Schaffner and other Citizens of road district No 1 Union Township for a division of said road district. It is now here Ordered that said district be and it is hereby ~~divided~~ divided as follows, to wit, Commencing at the bayow at a point on said bayow where the east line of section eight in Town seven South of range eleven west intersects said bayow running thence South, to the North East corner of section number seventeen in said town and range. Running thence east to the North East corner of section number fifteen same town and range. thence South to the South East corner of the North East quarter of section number twenty eight in the same town and range thence West ^{said river} to the Ohio River. ^{and said district shall} Said district shall be known and designated as road district No 4 in Union Township

Road district in Union formed

Refer

It is now here Ordered that Lincoln Troy be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor of road district No 4 in Union Township for A. D. 1846 to serve until his successor is elected & qualified

Supervisor appointed in Union

Refer

Ord No 43 E \$11.50⁰⁰ Ordered that Mrs Levi Price be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for cot had for county Jail

Ord No 44 E \$9.00⁰⁰ Ordered that W. C. Saunders be allowed nine dollars for cake price for Clerk's Office

Ord No 45 E \$50.00 Ordered that W. Carpenter be allowed fifty dollars for one years rent of poor house ending June 8th 1846

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Ord No 46 E \$11.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Michael Danks have
be allowed One dollar for ^{his} serving as Judge at a
Special Election in Centre Township

Ord No 47 E \$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm M Walker be
Allowed Twenty dollars for acting Criminals to
May 26 1846

Ord No 48 E \$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm M Walker be
Allowed Twenty dollars for acting Criminals to
May 26 1846

Ord No 49 E \$12.²⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm M Walker be
Allowed Twelve dollars and twenty cents for
acting Criminals to May 26th 1846

Ord No 50 E \$3.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Saml McCutchan
be allowed Three dollars for services as supervisor of
road district of Centre Township for a 1845

Supervisors Report Now here Saml McCutchan makes his report
as supervisor of road district of Centre Township
for 1845 which said report is now here approved

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow
morning at 8 o'clock
L. Kennedy Pr

Wednesday morning June 3rd 1846 the board
of commissioners met pursuant to adjournment
when present as yesterday

License
John Darts
Ordered that a license issue to John
Burtis to vend foreign merchandise for the
term of twelve months on the production of
the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of
five dollars

Equalization Board
Now here the members of the board
the Assessors and Auditor in pursuance of
adjournment resolved themselves into a board
of equalization for the purpose of equalizing
the lists of valuation of property returned by
the said Assessors

Grand Jurors
Report
Now here the clerk of the Vanderburgh
Circuit submits to the board, the report of the Grand
Jury of the county of Vanderburgh which report was made
to ^{the Judges of} said Circuit Court which is as follows, to wit;

"To the Honorable the Judges of the Vanderburgh
Circuit Court, The Grand Jury of said County respectfully
report to your Honors that in discharge of their duty
they have examined the jail of said County and
found the same if not sufficient for the safe keeping
of prisoners, that the same is kept in tolerable

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Grand Jurors
Report
Concerning the
Ga. Jail

good order with the exception of the inconvenience
which arise from the form and size of the jail house
that there are now confined in jail four prisoners, who
seem to be in tolerable good health and condition, that
the said jail has been kept in tolerable order since the
last term of this court, as we are informed & believe

State of Indiana
Wanderburgh County
I Samuel S. Jenkins Clerk of the
Wanderburgh Circuit Court do certify the above to be
a true copy of the Report made by the Grand Jury at
the March term 1846 of the Wanderburgh Circuit Court as
the same appears of record in my Office

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court
at Eminsville the 3rd day of June A.D. 1846
Saml S. Jenkins

- Case No 51 E \$1.00/100 Ordered that Wm Mills be allowed
One dollar for serving as inspector of Election
in Perry Township held in August 1845
- Case No 52 E \$1.00/100 Ordered that Wm Mills be allowed
One dollar for selling two ^{old} bridges as auctioneer
- Case No 53 E \$1.75/100 Ordered that Wm Mills be allowed
One dollar and seventy five cents for services as Judge
at April Election 1846 & returning the polls of the same
- Case No 54 E \$100.00/100 Ordered that Haught & Hazard
be allowed One hundred dollars for part of the pay
on Salt well bridge
- Case No 55 E \$20.00/100 Ordered that Haught & Hazard
be allowed Twenty dollars for labour on Salt well
pigeon bridge
- Case No 56 E \$20.00/100 Ordered that Haught & Hazard
be allowed Twenty dollars for labour on salt well
pigeon bridge
- Case No 57 E \$20.00/100 Ordered that Haught & Hazard
be allowed Twenty dollars for labour on salt well
pigeon bridge
- Case No 58 E \$20.00/100 Ordered that Haught & Hazard
be allowed Twenty dollars for labour on salt well
pigeon bridge
- Case No 59 E \$20.00/100 Ordered that Haught & Hazard
be allowed Twenty dollars for labour on salt well
pigeon bridge
- Case No 60 E \$20.00/100 Ordered that Haught & Hazard
be allowed Twenty dollars for labour on salt well
pigeon bridge

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- Issd No 61 E \$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Faught & Hayward be allowed Twenty dollars for labour done on the salt well pigeon bridge
- Issd No 62 E \$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Faught & Hayward be allowed Twenty dollars for labour on the salt well pigeon bridge.
- Issd No 63 E \$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Faught & Hayward be allowed Twenty dollars for labour on the salt well pigeon bridge
- Issd No 64 E \$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Faught & Hayward be allowed Twenty dollars for labour on the salt well pigeon bridge
- Issd No 65 E \$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Faught & Hayward be allowed Twenty dollars for labour on the salt well pigeon bridge
- Issd No 66 E \$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Faught & Hayward be allowed Twenty dollars for labour on the salt well pigeon bridge
- Issd No 67 E \$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Faught & Hayward be allowed Twenty dollars for labour on the salt well pigeon bridge
- Issd No 68 E \$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Faught & Hayward be allowed Twenty dollars for labour on the salt well pigeon bridge
- Issd No 69 E \$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Faught & Hayward be allowed Twenty dollars for labour on the salt well pigeon bridge

Equalization Board

The board of equalization having examined the list of personal property returned by the County assessor and made some minutes of property to be again referred, they adjourned until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock

Ordered that the County board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 7 O'clock
E. Kennedy, Secy

Thursday morning June 3rd at 7 O'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

The board of equalization met at 7 O'clock pursuant to adjourn when all the members of said board were present but E. M. Brewster the County Assessor when on motion it is Ordered that the equalization board adjourn until tomorrow at 7 O'clock

Equalization Board

Coun by Treasurers
Report

Now here the County Treasurer of
the County of Vanderburgh County submits his
Annual Report which said report the board
now here approves. And the board proceeds to
Count the money belonging to the treasury and
find upon such investigation that the Treasury has
on hand the sum three thousand four hundred
and forty six dollars & thirty six cents. as shown by
the report of said Treasurers

License

S. S. Ruston

Ordered that a license issue
to Robert S. Ruston and Edward Jarred to keep a
Grocery in Pigeon Township with a privilege to
Retail Spirituous Liquors for twelve months from the first
Monday in Jan 1846. upon the production of the
County Treasurers receipt for the sum of ten dollars. and
by them filing their bond according to law with Mr
Ruston as their security

License

J. C. Hayler

Ordered that a license issue
to J. C. Hayler to keep a Grocery for twelve months
with a privilege to retail Spirituous for twelve
months from Jan 1st 1846. upon ^{his} production
of the County Treasurers receipt for ten dollars. and
filing his bond according to law. with
his security

Paid \$250.00

Ordered that Geo Bates be allowed
\$250.00 ^{and fifty} ~~one~~ dollars for keeping
paupers to June 1st 1846

License
G. W. S. White

Ordered that a license issue to George W. S.
White to keep a Grocery in Pigeon Township Vanderburgh
County for one year from the first Monday in Jan
1846. by his producing the County Treasurers receipt
for the sum of ten dollars & filing his bond according
to law with H. D. Ellis & Lewis Howes as his securities

Paid \$93.00

Ordered that James S. Walker
be allowed thirty three dollars for services as
appraiser of Vanderburgh County in valuing the
real estate of said County

Paid \$77.50

Ordered that Samuel R. Hamill
be allowed seven dollars and fifty cents for
assisting appraiser for file on file

Paid \$21.00

Ordered that James S. Walker
be allowed twenty one dollars for services as
appraiser in 1846

License
J. M. Reel

Ordered that a license issue to James S.
William Reilly to vend foreign Merchandize for twelve
months on the production of the County Treasurers receipt
for five dollars

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Licenses
J. A. Carl

Ordered that a license issue to John A. Carl to vend foreign merchandize for the term of twelve months from the first Monday in June A.D. 1846, on his producing the Treasurers receipt for Five Dollars

Iss'd No 74 E \$1.00/100 Ordered that Geo M. Boswell be allowed One dollar for blank books and ink

Iss'd No 75 E \$0.50/100 Ordered that Geo. M. Boswell be allowed Ten dollars & fifty cents for 7 day extra service in making maps & assisting appraiser

Iss'd No 76 E \$28.00/100 Ordered that Geo M. Boswell be allowed Twenty eight dollars and sixty eight cents for 18 3/4 day services assisting appraiser

Iss'd No 77 E \$50.00/100 Ordered that Geo M. Boswell be allowed Fifty dollars for part of the ^{bill} for 93 1/2 day services as ^{County} assessor for A.D. 1846

Iss'd No 78 E \$25.00/100 Ordered that Geo M. Boswell be allowed Twenty five dollars for part of ^{his bill for} services for 93 1/2 day labour as County assessor for A.D. 1846

Iss'd No 79 E \$25.00/100 Ordered that Geo. M. Boswell be allowed Twenty five dollars for part of his services for 93 1/2 day labour as County assessor for A.D. 1846

Iss'd No 80 E \$40.12/100 Ordered that Geo M. Boswell be allowed Forty dollars and twelve cents for the balance in full for 93 1/2 day services as County ^{for 1846} assessor

Iss'd No 81 E \$12.00/100 Ordered that Thomas M. Archer be allowed Twelve dollars for 8 day services as assistant assessor for A.D. 1846 assessing the personal property in the town of Edwards

Licenses
M. Sherwood

Ordered that a license issue to Marcus Sherwood to keep a Tavern in Vanderburgh County for the term of twelve months ^{from the first Monday in June 1846} upon his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Ten Dollars and filing his bond according to law

Licenses
W. C. Bell

Ordered that a license issue to W. C. Bell to vend foreign merchandize in Vanderburgh County for the term of twelve months from the first Monday in June A.D. 1846 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five Dollars

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Constables Bond

It is now here Ordered that Thomas M Archer be and he is hereby appointed Constable for Pigeon Township for the year 1846. to serve until the next April Election and until his Successor is elected and qualified

Constables Bond

Now here Kevin Nelson submits his bond as Constable of Pigeon Township which said bond is now here approved.

Same

Now here Thomas M Archer submits his bond as Constable of Pigeon Township for 1846 which said bond is now here approved

License

Stockwell & Corbett

It is now here Ordered that a License issue to Stockwell & Corbett to vend foreign Merchandise in the County of Vanderburgh for the term of twelve Months from the first Monday in June A. D. 1846 on their producing the Treasurers receipt for the sum of Five dollars

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at seven o'clock
Everton Kennedy

Now here the board of Egrow missions. met pursuant to adjournment on this Friday Morning June 5th A. D. 1846. when all the members of said board were present

Equalization

The board of Equalization also met pursuant to adjournment when all the members were present

Now here the board proceeds to examine the appraisement of Lot No 168 in the Donation enlargement of Evansville upon the the Complaint of Edward Hopkins and the board duly considering said appraisement do now here Change the appraised value of said Lot by reducing it from 300⁰⁰ to 400⁰⁰

Ordered that the board of equalization adjourn until tomorrow morning at seven o'clock

Now here the board calls upon the Treasurer to make the affidavit called for in an act of the Legislature approved January 19th 1846. and the Treasurer declines making the affidavit so required

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Iss'd No 82 E. \$11, ²⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that William H. Walker be allowed Eleven dollars & fifty cents for for Cash by him paid for Stationery &c for County

The following rates of taxation for the year 1846 are now here levied and fixed by the board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh, as follows, to wit;

Rates of Taxation for 1846

For State purposes, Twenty five Cents on each One hundred Dollars valuation of all property entered for taxation, in the general lists of taxables. And seventy five cents on each poll subject by law to taxation. And also in addition to the foregoing, the board now here levies on each One hundred dollars valuation of all property entered for taxation as aforesaid, the following sums, to wit; One cent for a Lunatic Asylum; five Mills for a deaf and dumb Asylum, and two Mills for the education of the blind.

And for the purposes of County Revenue for the aforesaid year 1846, the board now here levies and fixes the rates of taxation as follows, to wit; on all property entered in the general lists for taxation Forty cents on each One hundred dollars valuation thereof, and on each poll subject by law to taxation seventy five cents

Iss'd No 83 E. \$1, ²⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be allowed One dollar and seventy five cents for services as Judge of an Election in 1846 in Knight Township.

Iss'd No 84 E. \$4, ⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed four dollars & fifty cents for making & comparing Orders & marking the same of the registers

Iss'd No 85 E. \$55, ⁸⁶/₁₀₀ Ordered that William H. Walker County Auditor be allowed fifty five dollars and eighty six cents for writing for County to Jan 1 1846

Iss'd No 86 E. \$8, ⁵⁸/₁₀₀ Ordered that William H. Walker, Auditor be allowed Eight dollars & fifty eight cents to be paid out of the Surplus Revenue funds, for his $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 percent on Loans on which interest has been received to Jan 1st 1846

Iss'd No 87 E. \$18, ¹²/₁₀₀ Ordered that William H. Walker County Auditor be allowed eighteen dollars and twelve cents for $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent on Loans on which interest has been received for the last preceding 12 months, to be paid out of said funds.

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Ord. No 88 & 0.60/100 Ordered that the County Auditor collect sixty six cents for one percent on sales found liable to draw 1 1/4% to be out of said funds

License
J. Kingich

Ordered that a License issue to Jacob Leuch to keep a Grocery in Pigeon Township for ~~the~~ the term of twelve months from the first Monday in June 1846 with the privilege to retail Spirituous liquors on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of ten dollars and filing his bond with S. McComb as his security

Formation of
Road District
No 1 German
Township

It is now here Ordered that Road District No 1 in German Township be established and bounded as follows to wit Commencing at the North West Corner of Section fifteen in Township 5 North of Range 11 West running thence East to the North East Corner of Section fourteen in the same town and range thence South to the South East Corner of Section twenty three same town and range thence West to the South West Corner of Section twenty two ^{in the} same town and range thence North to the place of beginning and including within the boundary as aforesaid sections 14-15-22 and 23 all in Town 5 South of range 11 West

Road Dis
No 2 German

Another Road District No 2 in German Township shall be established and bounded as follows to wit beginning at the North West Corner of Section 27 in Town 5 South of range 11 West and running thence East to the North East Corner of Section 26 in the same town & Range thence South to the South East Corner of the North East quarter of the North East quarter of Section 35 in the same town and range thence West to the South West Corner of the North West quarter of the North West quarter of Section 35 last aforesaid thence North to the North West Corner of said section thence West to the South West Corner of Section 27 thence North to the place of beginning embracing within its bounds sections 26 and 27 and the North half of the North West quarter and the North half of the North East qtr of Section 35 in town and range aforesaid

Road Dis
No 3 German

It is now here Ordered that Road District No 3 in German Township be established and bounded as follows to wit Commencing at the North West Corner of Section 34 in Town 5 South of range 11 West running thence East to the North East Corner of said section thence South to the South West Corner

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of the North West quarter of the North West quarter of Section 35 in Town 5 South of Range 11 West, thence east to the east line of said Section 35, thence South to the South East Corner of Section 11 in Town 6 South of Range 11 West, thence West to the South West Corner of Section ten same town and range thence North to the place of beginning embracing the following sections, to wit; Sections 34 and the South half of 35 in Town 5 Range 11 West, and the whole of Sections 2-3-10 & 11 in Town 6 Range 11 West

Road District No 4 German

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It is now here Ordered that road district No 4 German Township be established and bounded, as follows, to wit; Commencing at ^{the} North East Corner of the North West quarter of Section No 19 in Town 5 South of Range 11 West running thence East to the North East Corner of Section 1021 in the same town and range, thence South to the South East Corner of Section No 33 in Town 5 South of Range 11 West, thence West to the middle of said Section, thence North to the North line of said Section 33, thence West to the South West Corner of Section No 29, ^{Town 5 South of Range 11 West} thence North to the North West Corner of said Section, thence West to the middle of Section No 19 Town 5 South of Range 11 West, thence North to the place of beginning

Road District No 5 German

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It is now here Ordered that Road District No 5 German Township be and is hereby bounded & established as follows to wit; Commencing at the North East Corner ^{of the North West quarter} of Section No 32 in Town 5 Range 11 West running thence East to the North East Corner of the North West quarter of Section No 33 in the same town and range, thence South to the South West Corner of the South East quarter of Section No 33 in the same town and range, thence East to the South East Corner of said Section, thence South to the South East Corner of Section No 9 in Town 6 South of Range 11 West thence West to the middle of Section seven in the same town and range, thence North to the North line of said Section, thence East to the South East Corner of Section No 6 same town and range thence North to the North West Corner of Section No 5 in the same town ^{South of} Range, thence ^{East} West, to the South West Corner of the South East quarter of Section No 2 Town 5 South of Range 11 West

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thence north to the north line of said section ^{to the place of beginning} thence west to the north west corner of said section thence north to the north west corner of section no 29 town 5 south of range 11 west thence west to the middle of section no 19 in the same town and range &

Road District
No 6 German

It is now here Ordered that road district no 6 German Township be ^{formed} bounded as follows to wit; Commencing at the North West Corner of section no 19 in town 5 south of range 11 west. Running thence East to the middle of said section, thence South, to the north line of section no 30 in the same town and range thence East to the southwest corner of section no 20 in the same town and range thence South to the south west corner of section no 29 thence East to the middle of section 32 in the same town and range thence South to the north line of section 5 in town 6 south of range 11 west thence West to the North West Corner of section no 5 same town & range thence South to the South West Corner of section no 5 in town 6 south of range 11 west thence West to the middle of section 7 town 6 south of range 11 west thence South to the south line of section no 7 thence West to the south west corner of section no 7 thence North to the place of beginning

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County Auditor
Report

The County Auditor submits his ^{annual} report and the board now here approve said report and it is Ordered ^{that} the same be published in some ^{new} public paper in this county

Thomas C. Connor Supervisor of road district no 5 Armstrong township for a w 1845. submits his report. which report is now here approved

License
C. H. Drew

Ordered that a license issue to C. H. Drew to keep a Tavern in Vanderburgh County for the term of twelve months from the first Monday in June ^{with the privilege to retail liquors} 1846 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for ten dollars by filing his bond according to law with W. Carpenter as security

R. Hornes
Redwood

Now here the board reduce the license of R. Hornes for retailing liquor for the year 1846 to ten dollars

License
Allen & Horses

It is Ordered that a license issue to Allen & Horses to vend foreign Merchandise in Vanderburgh County for twelve months from the first Monday in June 1846 on the production of the Treasurers receipt for ⁵⁰ dollars

License Henry Gumbert
It is ordered that a license issue to Henry Gumbert to vend foreign merchandize for twelve months from the first Monday in June 1846 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Order
Dr J. J. Fisher
exempted from
labour on roads

It is now here ordered that Dr J. J. Fisher be exempted from labour on the public roads in the County of Vanderburgh

Issued No 89 E \$4.00
Ordered that William McFadden be allowed four dollars for Township maps

Iss'd No 90 E \$20.00
Ordered that Wm McFadden be allowed twenty dollars on a bill presented by him for twenty five dollars for Ex Officio services for one quarter in full for the year 1845 and the board refuses to allow any more than the said twenty dollars on said bill

Iss'd No 91 E \$0.75
Ordered that Thomas O'Connor be allowed seventy five cents for warning hands as supervisor of road district 1st 5 Armstrong Township for 1845

Iss'd No 92 E \$2.25
Ordered that Ebenezer Sutton be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for services as supervisor in 1845

Iss'd No 93 E \$10.00
Ordered that Everton Kemmy be allowed ten dollars for Official services as County Commissioners at the June Term 1846

Iss'd No 94 E \$10.00
Ordered that E Saunders be allowed ten dollars for 5 days Official services as County Commissioners at the June Term 1846

Iss'd No 95 E \$10.00
Ordered that Ira P. Granger be allowed ten dollars for 5 days ^{Official} services at the June term 1846 as County Commissioner

License J. S. Hopkins
It is ordered that a license issue to John S. Hopkins to vend foreign merchandize in the County of Vanderburgh for the term of twelve months from June 1st 1846 by his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Order
Oliver Sudd

Ordered that a license issue to Oliver Sudd to vend foreign merchandize for the term of twelve months from the first Monday in June 1846 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

License R. James
Ordered that a license issue to R. James to vend foreign merchandize for twelve months on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Licenses

J. M. Maghee & Co

Ordered that a License issue to John M. Maghee and Company to vend foreign Merchandise for the term of twelve months from the first Monday in June 1846 for the sum of seven dollars & fifty cents

Licenses

J. H. B. Randolph

Ordered that a License issue to J. H. B. Randolph & Co. to vend foreign Merchandise for twelve months from the first Monday in June 1846 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Licenses

J. M. Caldwell

Ordered that a License issue to J. M. Caldwell to vend foreign Merchandise for twelve months from June 1st 1846 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars.

Sheriff's bill for Extra Services

Now here the bill of Wm. M. McKee Sheriff for Ex officio services in the words & figures following to wit:

The Board of Commissioners of Maudslough County To William M. McKee Sheriff of said County for Ex Officio services as Sheriff for 3 quarters ending June 1st 1846 @ \$100⁰⁰ per annum 75.00 By County Orders heretofore made 30.00

Balance Due

45.00

Emailed June 1st 1846 is duly considered and rejected on the grounds that this Board is not informed what extra services said Sheriff has performed, but that Board are now ready & willing to make a reasonable & sufficient compensation for any extra services that he may have done as Sheriff of Maudslough County upon his presenting to this board a bill of items of such extra services authenticated to the satisfaction of this Board

Clerk of Circuit Courts bill for Extra Services

Now here Samuel J. Jenkins Clerk of the Maudslough Circuit Court, files his bill as such Clerk for Ex officio services in the words and figures following: to wit: The Board of Commissioners of Maudslough County To Samuel J. Jenkins Clerk of said County for Extra services as Clerk for 1st term ending on the first Monday in Dec 1846 125.00

By Orders heretofore received

45.00 80.00

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Clerks of circuits and said bills being duly considered is now here
 Extra bill for rejected, on the ground that this Board is not
 performed what extra services said Clerk has
 performed, but this board are now ready willing
 to make a reasonable & sufficient compensation
 for any extra services that he may have done
 as Clerk of ^{the} Bladenburgh Circuit, and Probate Court
 upon his presenting to this board a bill of items
 of such extra services authenticated to the satisfaction
 of this Board

C. M. Griffiths
 License
 Ordered that ~~C. M. Griffiths~~ ^{issue} a license to ~~C. M. Griffiths~~ to vend foreign
 merchandize for twelve months from the first
 Monday in June 1846 on the production of the
 County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

License
 Decker & Kramer
 Ordered that a license issued to Decker
 and Kramer to vend foreign merchandize for
 twelve months from the first Monday in June
 1846 on the production of the County Treasurers
 receipt for the sum of five dollars

License
 David Orr
 Ordered that a license issued to David
 Orr to vend foreign merchandize for the
 term of twelve months from the first Monday in
 June 1846 on the production of the County
 Treasurers receipt for the sum of seven dollars
 and fifty cents

License
 G. W. Wainwright
 Ordered that a license issued to
 Wainwright to vend foreign merchandize for twelve months
 from the first Monday in June 1846 on the
 production of the County Treasurers receipt for the
 sum of five dollars

License
 A. Laughlin
 Ordered that a license issued to Alexander Laughlin
 to vend foreign merchandize for twelve months
 from the 1st Monday in June 1846 on the produc-
 tion of the County Treasurers ^{receipt} for the sum of seven
 dollars & fifty cents

It is now here Ordered the board adjourn until
 Court in course
 Everton Kennedy Pres

Leop Gruning
 & Saunders

Saturday Morning June 6th 1846. at 7 o'clock
 the board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment
 all the members of said board being present as
 yesterday except Ezekiel Saunders.

Equalization
 Board

The board now proceeds to the examination of the lists returned by the assessors
 to viz: the list of real estate as returned
 by the assessor of real estate - and the list of
 personal property as returned by the County
 Assessor. And upon the examination of the list of personal
 made and returned by the County Assessor ^{for 1846} the board finds
 the following named persons are ~~not~~ in their opinion
~~are~~ not listed and charged with as large amount of
 personal in value as they actually possessed on the first
 of January 1846. the board therefore raised the
 amount of their valuation ^{of such property} and notified the persons
 whose property they had thus raised that if they
 had any complaint to make in consequence of
 such raise to appear before the board now in
 session and they would hear such complaint.
 Some of the persons hereinafter mentioned appeared
 upon such notice and others did not. And the
 board now here orders that the following changes
 be made in the valuation of personal property in
 Pigeon Township, viz;

- * That Ellis & Homes list be raised from 2,500 to \$3,500.
- And John M. Apps list be changed from \$300 to \$600.
- And Robert Barnes list be changed from \$5,000 to \$10,000.
- And that Benoit & Vicks list be changed from \$6,000 to \$15,000.
- And that E. S. Babcocks list be changed from 2,000 to \$3,000.
- And that O. D. Chambers list be changed from \$50 to \$200.
- And that Isaac Casselheims list be changed from \$300 to \$500.
- And that Mrs Deans list be changed from \$200 to \$1,500.
- And that Edward Harry gardener list be changed from 00 to \$50.
- And that Edward Harry list be changed from 00 to \$50.
- And that John Housers list be changed from 150 to \$500.
- And that H. Brown list be changed from 300 to \$500.
- And that J. Langhins list be changed from 5000 to 15,000.
- And that James Langhins list be changed from 4000 to 15,000.
- And John Mitchells list from 1,500 to \$2,000.
- And John S. Hopkins from 4,000 to \$5,500.
- James Lewis his list from 1,700 to \$2,500.
- And George Rammas list from 600 to \$1,000.
- And Geo B Walkers list from 200 to \$400.
- And Paul L. Maloo's list from 150 to \$375.
- And Richard Raleigh's list from 1,000 to \$1,400.

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And John M. Thursons list from \$1,100 to \$2,500
 And Stockwells list from \$3,500 to \$6,500
 And Wm. H. Stockwells list from \$4,000 to \$10,000
 And Aspin Gumbers list from \$500 to \$1,125
 And Allynson Manns list from \$500 to \$2,500
 And ~~the~~ Geo. Bates list from \$200 to .475
 And Oliver Sudds list from \$6,000 to \$7,450
 And E. S. Leach list from 00 to .800

And the board now here makes the following changes in the list of the value of real estate

~~On~~ the following lots listed to Francis Amory Senior on lot 172 on E. side they deduct 200 from the valuation of Improvements and add 100 to the valuation of lot No 172 and 100 to the valuation of lot 171 S. E. side and raise the valuation of lot 173 S. E. side from \$150 to \$375.

It is ordered that the Board of Equalization adjourn until Monday morning ^{June 8th} next at 8 o'clock
 E. Kennedy Pr

Monday morning June 8th 1846 at 8 o'clock the Board met pursuant to adjournment when all the members of the board of County Commission the ^{County} Assessor the Appraiser of real estate and the County Auditor being present the board proceeded to the examination of the lists of Real estate & of the personal property returned by the assessors for the year 1846.

It is now here ordered that on lot No 6 in the Original plan listed to F. Amory Senior 250 dollars be added to the valuation of Improvements and that 140 dollars be deducted from the valuation of No 1 subdivision of the S. E. of the S. E. of Section 31 and the S. E. of the S. E. gr. and the N. E. of the S. W. gr. of S. W. of Section 32 in Town 6 N. Range 10 W. listed to W. Carpenter.

And that the valuation of subdivision No 3 of S. E. of S. E. of 31 and S. E. of S. E. gr. & N. E. of S. W. gr. of the S. W. of Section of Section 32 T. 6 N. Range 10 W. listed to A. Rowley be changed from 1500 dollars to 1080 dollars.

And that the valuation of lot No 226 in S. E. listed to W. Carpenter be changed from \$400 to \$500

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It is now here ordered that the valuation of lot No 15 in block No 2 in Velleston & Lockhart's Enlargement (listed to M. Carpenter) be changed from 60 to 40 dollars and that the valuation of Trs 25 Block 2 same enlargement listed to the same be changed from 40 to 30 dollars

And that the valuation of lot No 28 in the O.P. be reduced from 1875 to 1600 dollars listed to M. Carpenter 13 May & Geo. Bates

Ordered that the valuation of improvement on ^{cut} lot 6 be reduced ^{from 2000 to} nothing. Said lot listed to A. B. Carpenter

Ordered that the valuation of the undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ of the West $\frac{1}{2}$ of the North $\frac{1}{2}$ of Cont. lot No 4 in the subd. of the N.W. qr of section No 29 in Town 6 Range 10 West be reduced from 250 to 190 dollars. (2 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres)

Ordered that the valuation of 1 acre in the NW corner of the North East qr of SW qr of section No 29 Town 6 Range 10 West (listed to A. B. Carpenter) be reduced from 500 to 75 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of lot 9 Lower End (listed to J. B. Bennett) be raised from 200 to 400 dollars.

Said that the valuation of lot 10 same End. listed to the same person be raised from 300 to 400 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of lot 17 O.P. listed to A. J. Saylor & Co be reduced from 3000 to 2500 dollars. and that the improvements on the same lot be raised from 4500 to 5000 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of lot No 25 O.P. listed to J. P. Patten be raised from 1000 to 1500 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of N.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ of lot 13 O.P. be reduced from 300 to 200 dollars listed to Octavia Edin

Ordered that the valuation of the N.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ of lot 11 in the Old Plan listed to R. Parrott be raised from 800 to 1500 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of 73 acres of land in the N.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ of the N. East qr of section No 29 Town 6 Range 10 (listed to M. Carpenter) be raised from 820 to 1000 dollars & that the E $\frac{1}{2}$ S.E. qr of sec 29 T. 6 R. 10 W. listed to the same person (72 acres) be raised from 720 to 1080 dollars

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It is now here Ordered that the valuation of the homestead reservation of the heirs of R. M. Evans 2 acres be raised from 1500 to 2000 dollars

Ordered that the improvements on Lot 37 in the Original plan be reduced from 500 to 300 dollars to R. M. Evans heirs

Ordered that the ^{valuation of} improvements¹⁰⁰ on Lot 3 upper Enlargement listed to S. Stephens be taken off

Ordered that the valuation of improvements on Lot 5 in the upper Enlargement be reduced from 1500 to 1000 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of fractional lots 9 & 10 in the upper Enl. be reduced from 500 to 400 dollars on each. and the improvements raised to 200 on both listed to Elias Stephens

Ordered that the ^{valuation of} improvements on the S.E. q^r of the N.W. q^r of Section No. 4 in Town 7 N. R. 10 W. listed to Saml. Orr be reduced from 225 to 150 dollars

Ordered that the improvements on Lot 179 O.P. be reduced from 1000 to 700 dollars listed to John Mitchell

Ordered that the valuation of 9²⁰ acres of land in the S.E. corner of N.W. q^r of Section No. 29 T. 6 R. 10 W. by change, reduced from 1000 to 500 listed to John Mitchell

Ordered that the valuation of the South Easterly $\frac{1}{3}$ of Lot 10 O.P. be reduced from 1000 to 800 listed to John Mitchell

Ordered that the valuation of improvements on the South Easterly $\frac{1}{3}$ of Lot No. 10 above said be reduced from 2000 to 1500 dollars listed to John Mitchell

Ordered that the valuation of the middle $\frac{1}{3}$ of Lot No. 10 O.P. be reduced from 1000 to 800 dollars & the valuation of improvements on said lot be reduced from 2000 to 1500 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of lot 103 O.P. listed to John Mitchell be reduced from 800 to 700 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of lots 104 in the upper End be raised from 500 to 700 dollars, listed to Ketchikan

Ordered that the valuation of improvements on lot 9 in the upper End be changed from 300 to 150 dollars listed to J. Mitchell. And that the valuation of said lot be raised from 400 to 450 dollars

Ordered that the improvements on lot 42 O.P. be reduced from 200 to 100 dollars listed to John Franklin

Ordered that the valuation of 34 feet by 75 of lot 98 O.P. be reduced from 250 to 200 dollars listed to J. Franklin

And the improvements on lot 2 be reduced from 200 to nothing to John Franklin

And that the valuation of lot 1 Cannon division be changed from 25 to 100 dollars, and the value of 2 changed from 25 to 100 dollars do do do of 3 changed from 25 to 100 dollars listed to John Franklin

Ordered that the Board adjourn until 8 o'clock tomorrow morning E. Kerner (p)

Tuesday Morning June 4th 1846 the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday. The board proceeds to examination of the list of the appraisers of the real estate. And it is ordered that the valuation of improvements on lot 13 in block 11 Eastern End, listed to Michael Renty, Esquire, be reduced from 250 to 150 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of the 1/2 of lot 72 of section 4 of R. 11 be listed to M. Carpenter be reduced from 320 to 240 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of the improvements on lots 91 + 92 in the O.P. be reduced from 400 to 300 dollars, listed to Warner

Ordered that the valuation of improvements on lot 34 upper enlargement be reduced from 2000 to 1500 dollars listed to Warner

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Ordered that the valuation of $2\frac{1}{2}$ of lot 34 in the upper Enclosure listed to A. Marine be reduced from 500 to 300 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of the $\frac{1}{2}$ of lot 34 in the upper Enclosure listed to Joseph White be reduced from 500 to 300 dollars. And that the improvements on said lot be reduced from 2000 to 1300

Ordered that the valuation of improvements on lots 3, 4 & 5, $\frac{1}{2}$ of 8 & $\frac{1}{2}$ of 7 in the Lower End listed to S. McKeown, be raised from 300 to 1000 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of improvements on lot 47 O.P. listed to Joseph Hoyle be reduced from 2200 to 2000 dollars

Ordered that the ^{valuation} improvements on $\frac{1}{2}$ of lot 177 D.E. listed to Consider Litch be reduced from 300 to 200 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of improvements on lot 8 in Block 83 in Amherst City listed to Charles Singer be reduced from 500 to 300 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of improvements on lot 52 O.P. listed to M. Sherwood be reduced from 300 to 200

Ordered that the valuation of improvements on lot 55 O.P. be reduced from ⁷⁰⁰ to 500 dollars listed to M. Sherwood

Ordered that lot 56 O.P. listed to M. Sherwood be raised from 1000 to 1200 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of the $\frac{1}{3}$ of lot 107 O.P. listed to M. Sherwood be raised from 200 to 500 dollars

Ordered that the improvements on $\frac{1}{3}$ of lot 9, O.P. listed to M. Sherwood be raised from 150 to 300

Ordered that the ^{valuation} ~~improvement~~ on the NW 1/2 of lot 11 in the original plan of Emmelle listed to R. Parrott be raised from 1500 to 3000 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of improvements on S.E. 1/3 of lot ^{ap} 10 be reduced from 1500 to 1200 dollars listed to J. Mitchell

Ordered that the valuation of improvements on the middle 1/3 of ^{ap} 10 be reduced from 1500 to 1200 dollars listed to J. Wheeler Jr

Ordered that the valuation of the improvements on lot 106 A.P. be changed from 1000 to 800 dollars listed to John Shanks

Ordered that the valuation of the E 1/2 of fractional Section 8 Town 7 Range 10 West 85 acres be raised from 850 to 1700 dollars, and that the S.E. corner of NW 1/2 section 8 Town 7 Range 10 West listed ^{to J. McBarrett} from 75 to 150 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of the West half of the of fractional section 9 Town 7 South Range 10 West be raised from 2400 to 3000 dollars listed to James Siskin

Ordered that the valuation of the fractional section 16 in Town 7 Range 10 West 27 acres listed to Jesse Jones be raised from 270 to 400 dollars. And that the valuation of the NW 1/2 of the S.E. 1/4 of sec 9 Town 7 Range ^{97 acres} 10 W be raised from 770 to 950 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of the NW 1/2 of NW 1/2 of fractional section 15 T 7 R 10 W 73 acres listed to John McCanis be raised from 730 to 1000

Ordered that the valuation of the E 1/2 of the NW 1/2 of fractional section 15 Town 7 Range 10 West 77 ²⁵⁰ be raised from 770 to 1050 dollars listed to Leonard Garrett

Ordered that the valuation of ~~the~~ part of the East half of fractional section 15 Town 7 Range 10 West 140 acres listed to Leonard Garrett be raised from 1400 to 1900 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of part of East half of fractional section 15 T 7 R 10 W. 25 acres listed to John Shingle be raised from 250 to 325 dollars

Time between 1856

Ordered that the valuation of land of Section 23 of Range 11 N 15 E of T₁₁S R₁₁ be 40 acres in value from 75¢ to 225 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of Section 33 & 6 R₁₁ N 15 E of Range 11 N 15 E of T₁₁S be 40 acres in value from 75¢ to 160 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of the improvements on the 1/2 of the Range 7 Section 11 in T₁₁S R₁₁ E of Section 23 be 100 dollars in value from 30¢ to 100 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of improvements on the 1/2 of the Range 6 Section 15 R₁₁ E of T₁₁S be 100 dollars in value from 50¢ to 100 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of the 1/2 of Section 8 of Range 11 N 80 E of T₁₁S be 100 acres in value from 30¢ to 100 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of the 1/2 of the Range 11 N 80 E of T₁₁S be 100 acres in value from 100¢ to 300 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of the 1/2 of the Range 11 N 80 E of T₁₁S be 100 acres in value from 30¢ to 100 dollars

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Ordered that valuation of the sub. gr of Sec 23 Town 6 Range 11 N 160 Acres be raised from 400 to 800 dollars
Horace Benham

Ordered that the valuation of the und. 1/2 of N 1/2 S.E. of N. 23 T. 6 R. 11 N. 10 acres be raised from 50 to 100 dollars listed to H. W. Sawyer

Ordered that the valuation of the sub. d. of S.E. of 23 T. 6 Range 11 N 25 acres Sub. d. listed to H. W. Sawyer be raised from 125 to 400 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of Lot No 2 Sub. d. of S.E. of Dec 23 T. 6 R. 11 N 25 acres listed to same be raised from 125 to 400 dollars

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 8 O'clock
E. Kennedy Secy.

Thursday morning at 8 O'clock June 11th 1846 the board met pursuant to adjournment when all the members of said Board were present.

Ordered that the valuation of Lots 10 & 11 in Block 133 in Samson City listed to Gottlieb Haas be raised from 100 to 250 dollars each

Ordered that the valuation of Lot 2 in Block 150 Samson City listed to H. L. Henschelman be raised from 100 to 200 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of Lot 3 in Block 133 in Samson be raised from 80 to 200 dollars listed to John Koch

Ordered that the valuation of Lots 6 & 7 in Block 150 in Samson listed to John Saw be raised from 50 to 200 dollars each

Ordered that the valuation of lots 4, 5 & 9 in Block 133 Samson listed to John Saw be raised from 80 to 200 dollars each

Ordered that lots 3 & 4 in Block 150 in Samson be raised from 100 to 200 each listed to Philip Rousch

Ordered that the valuation of Lot 2 in B 133 Samson City listed to H. B. Stone be raised from 80 to 200 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of Lot 8 in Block 150 in Samson City listed to H. B. Stone be raised from 80 to 250 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of Lots 1-8 & 12 in Block 133 in Samson City listed to Hugh Stewart be raised as follows to wit lot 12 from 100 to 250 dollars

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And Lots 1 from 100 to 250 and Lot 8 from 80 to 200 dollars

Ordered that Lot 10 in Block 150 Samasco City listed to W. Stewart be raised from 80 to 250 dollars

Ordered Lots 6, 7, & 13 in Block 133 Samasco City listed to S. H. Scott be raised as follows Lots 6 & 7 from 80 to 200 dollars each and 13 from 80 to 250

Ordered that the valuation of Lots 1 & 9 in Block 150 Samasco City listed to S. H. Scott be raised as follows, viz; Lot 1 from 75 to 250. and 9 from 80 to 250 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of Lot 14 in Block No 134 Samasco City be raised from 100 to 175 dollars listed to Ann M. Howard

Ordered that the valuation of Lots 10, 11 & 12 in Block 132 Samasco City listed to John Saw be raised from 15 to 60 dollars each

Ordered that the valuation of Lots 1 & 2 in Samasco City Block 134 listed to John Saw be raised from 10 to 40 dollars each

Ordered that the valuation of Lots 3, 4, 5, 6 & 7 in Block 134 Samasco City listed to W. H. Saw be raised from 10 to 40 dollars each

Ordered that the valuation of Lot 13 in Block 132 in Samasco City listed to W. Stewart be raised from 15 to 175 dollars and Lot 14 in ^{Block} 132 from 30 to 200 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of Lots 12 & 13 in Block 134 Samasco City listed to W. Stewart be raised from 40 to 100 dollars each

Ordered that the valuation of Lots 1, 2, 6, 7, 8 & 9 in Block 132 Samasco City listed to S. H. Scott be raised from as follows; Lot 1 from 30 to 75 dollars

and that 2, 6, 7, 8, & 9 from 15 to 60 dollars each

Ordered that the valuation of Lots in Samasco City listed to S. H. Scott be raised as follows, viz;

Lot 9 - ~~10~~ from 25 to 50 dollars in Block 134

" 10 " " 30 to 50 do do do 134

" 11 " " 35 to 70 do do do 134

Ordered that ~~lots~~ the valuation of Lots 14 & 15 in Block 130 Samasco City listed to W. H. Saw be raised from 35 to 50 dollars each

Ordered that the valuation of Lots 11 & 12 in Block 131 Samasco City listed to G. A. Mayer be raised from 50 to 100 each

Ordered that the valuation of Lots 8 & 9 in Block 131 Samasco City be raised from 50 to 100 dollars each listed to Conrad Broth

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Ordered that the valuation of lots 6 & 7 in B 131 Samaras City listed to F. M. Hausen from 50 to 100 dollars each

Ordered that the valuation of lots 3 & 4 in B 131 Samaras City listed to Philip Rausche be raised from 50 to 100 each

Ordered that the valuation of lot 5 in Block No 131 Samaras City listed to Stone Biglow & Thatcher be raised from 50 to 100 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of lot 14 in Block 132 listed to McHernard from 30 to 50 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of lots 3, 4 & 5 in Block 132 Samaras City listed to Stone Biglow & Thatcher be raised from 15 to 60 dollars each

Ordered that the valuation of lots 5, 6 & 7 in Block 130 Samaras City listed to H. B. Stone be raised from 35 to 50 dollars each

Ordered that the valuation of lots 3, 4, 11, 12 & 13 in Block 130 Samaras listed to H. Stewart be raised from 35 to 50 dollars each

And that 14 & 15 in block 131 same place be raised from 50 to 100 dollars each

Ordered that the valuation of lots 1, 2, 8, 9 & 10 in Block 130 Samaras listed to S. H. Scott be raised from as follows lot 1 from 40 to 60 dollars and lots 2, 8, 9 & 10 from 35 to 50 dollars each

Ordered that the valuation of lots 16 & 17 in Block 131 Samaras City listed to S. H. Scott be raised from 35 to 100 dollars each

Ordered that the valuation of lots 4, 5, 6 & 7 in Block 112 listed to W. M. Lewis Samaras be changed from 20 to 30 dollars each

Ordered that the valuation of lots 4, 5 & 6 & 7 in Block No 111 listed to Henry B. Stone in Samaras be raised from 20 to 40 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of lot 8 in Block 112 in Samaras City listed to H. B. Stone be raised from 20 to 30 dollars. And that lot 9 in block 112 listed to Stone be raised from 25 to 35 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of lots 1, 2 & 3 in Block 111 listed to Hugh Stewart in Samaras be changed from as follows 1 from 25 to 50 dollars and 2 & 3 from 20 to 40 dollars. And that lots 2 & 3 in block 112 same of above be raised from 20 to 30 dollars each

Ordered that the valuation of lots 7, 8 & 9 in Block 111 listed to S. H. Scott in Samaras be raised from 20 to 40 dollars

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Ordered that the E. side of the N^o 19 Town 6 Range 10 N 20 3/4 in Acres be raised from 400 to 800 dollars listed to H. F. Hornby

Ordered that the valuation of Lot 4 Subd^d of the S.E. qr of section 23 Town 6 Range 11 West 25 acres be raised from 125 to 400 dollars, listed to M. G. G. G.

Ordered that the valuation of Lot No 7 Sub of the S.E. qr of section 23 T 6 R 11 West 15 acres be raised from 75 to 225 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of Lot 8 Subd^d of the S.E. qr Sec 23 T 6 R 11 N 15 Acres be raised from 75 to 225 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of the und^d 1/2 of 1/2 of S.E. qr of M^oqr of section 23 T 6 Range 11 N 10 Acres be raised from 50 to 100 dollars listed to M. Garner

Ordered that the valuation of lots 27 & 28 in Block 128 Samaso City listed to Joseph Chamberlain be changed from 20 to 40 dollars each

And lots 8, 9, & 10 in Block 174 listed to the same be raised from 20 to 40 dollars each

Ordered that the valuation of lots 18, 19, & 20 in Block 128 listed to John Saw. be raised from 10 to 20 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of lots 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 & 17 in Block 129 Samaso City listed to as above be changed from 10 to 20 dollars each

And that the valuation of the following lots in Samaso City be raised as follows, viz:

- Lot 29 in Block 129 from 20 to 40 dollars
- & do 30 in do 129 do 25 to 50 do
- & do 1 in do 136 do 25 to 30 do
- & do 2 in do 136 do 20 to 40 do
- & do 12 & 13 in do 136 do 50 to 100 do each
- & do 24 & 25 in do 136 do 10 to 20 do each
- & do 15, 16, 22, 23, & 24 in Block 171 from 20 to 40 dollars each
- & do 4, 5, & 11 do do 174 do 20 to 40 do do
- & do 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 21 & 22 do 128 do 10 to 20 do do
- & do 23 in Block 128 do 15 to 30 do do
- & do 29 in do 128 do 20 to 40 do do

All listed to John Saw

And that the following lots in Samaso City be raised in valuation as follows

- Lot 20 in Block 128 from 25 to 50 dollars
- lots 3 & 4 in Block 129 from 20 to 40 dollars each
- lots 18, 19, 20, & 21 in Block 129 from 10 to 20 dollars each
- lots 9, 10, 11 & 12 in do 135 do 15 to 30 do do

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Lots 13, 14, 25, 26, 27 & 28 in Block 135 from 20 to 40 dollars each
 Lots 9, 10, 11, 18, 19, & 20 in Block 136 from 20 to 40 do do
 Lot 1 in do do 170 do 15 to 30 do do
 Lots 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 in do 170 do 10 to 20 do do
 Lots 9 & 10 in do 170 do 50 to 100 do do
 Lots 15, 16, 17, & 18 in do 170 do 10 to 20 do do
 Lots 1, 2, 9, 10, 25, & 26 in do 171 do 20 to 40 do do
 Lots 12 & 13 in do 174 do 20 to 40 do do
 All of which are listed to Wm. H. Saw

And that Lot 1 in Block 135 be raised from 15 to 30 dollars
 Lots 2, 15, & 16 in Block 135 be raised from 20 to 40 dollars each
 Lot 17 in do 135 do do do 20 to 100 do do
 Lot 18 in do 135 do do do 60 to 100 do do
 Lots 34 & 35 in do 135 do do do 15 to 30 do do
 Lots 11 & 12 in do 170 do do do 50 to 100 do do
 Lots 13 & 14 in do 170 do do do 10 to 20 do do
 Listed to Henry T. Stow

Lots 6 & 7 in Block 128 from 20 to 40 dollars each
 Lot 8 in Block 128 do 15 to 30 do do
 Lots 14 & 15 in do 128 do 10 to 20 do do
 Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 22, 23, 24, & 25 in do 129 do 20 to 40 do do
 Lots 6, 7 & 8 in do 135 do 10 to 20 do do
 Lots 21 & 22 in do 135 do 50 to 100 do do
 Lots 23 & 24 in do 135 do 30 to 60 do do
 Lot 26 in do 135 do 15 to 30 do do
 Lots 37 & 38 in do 135 do 10 to 20 do do
 Lot 6, 7, & 8 in do 136 do 20 to 40 do do
 Lots 16, & 17 in do 136 do 50 to 100 do do
 Lots 18, 27 & 28 in do 136 do 15 to 30 do do
 Lots 3, 4, 7, 8, 11, 12, 17 & 18 in do 171 do 20 to 40 do do
 Lots 3, 4 & 5 in do 172 do 50 to 100 do do
 Lots 2, & 3 in do 174 do 20 to 40 do do
 Listed to Henry Stewart

And that Lot 1 in Block 128 from 25 to 50 dollars
 Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 24 & 25 in Block 128 do 20 to 40 dollars each
 Lot 26 in do 128 do 25 to 50 do
 Lot 1 in do 129 do 25 to 50 do
 Lots 2-27 & 29 in do 129 do 20 to 40 do each
 Lots 9 & 10 in do 129 do 15 to 30 do do
 Lot 11 & 16 in do 129 do 10 to 20 do do
 Lot 3, 4, 5, 31, 32 & 33 in do 135 do 10 to 20 do do
 Lot 19 & 20 in do 135 do 50 to 100 do do
 Lot 29 in do 135 do 20 to 40 do do
 Lot 30 in do 135 do 15 to 30 do

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 Lots 3, 4 & 5 in Block 136 from 15 to 30 each
 Lots 14 & 15 in Block 136 from 50 to 100 dollars each
 Lots 21, 22, & 23 in Block 136 from 20 to 40 do do
 Lots 5, 6, 13, 14, 19, 20 & 21 do 174 from 20 to 40 do do
 Lots 1 & 2 in do 174 from 50 to 100 do do
 Lots 1, 6 & 7 in do 174 from 20 to 40 do do
 Tested to Lucius H. Scott

Ordered that the valuation of the S.E. part of the N.W. qr of the N.W. qr of section 30 T.6 Range 10 N 3 acres listed to Henry H. Morley be raised from 3000 to 4000 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of 4 acres part of fractional section 30 T.6 Range 10 N 4 acres listed to Alexander Laughlin be raised from 4000 to 5000 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of the E part of North West qr of the S.W. qr of section 29 T.6 Range 10 N 9 acres listed to John M. Hinson be reduced from 540 to 450 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of the West side of the N.E. qr of the S.W. qr of section 29 Town 6 Range 10 N 10 acres be reduced from 800 to 500 dollars listed to John M. Hinson

Ordered that the valuation of Lots 4 & 5 Sawson's division of Out lot 2 be raised from 25 to 100 dollars each listed to Samuel Sizer

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning June 12th 1846 at 8 O'Clock
 E. Kennedy Jr

Friday Morning June 12th 1846 at 8 O'Clock the Board met pursuant to adjournment. When all the members of said board were present as yesterday

Ordered that the valuation of the N.E. qr of the S.E. qr of section 20 Town 6 Range 10 West be raised from 600 to 800 dollars listed from Precilla Jackson 40 acres

Ordered that the valuation of the West half of fractional section 30 Town 6 Range 10 N 10 acres listed to John B. Cones be changed from 1000 to 600 dollars

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Ordered that the valuation of the E part of the N E q^r of S.E. q^r of Section 20 Town 6 Range 10 N 32 ³²/₁₀₀ Acrey listed to John A. Mendenhall be raised from 400 to 825 dollars.

Ordered that the undivided 1/2 of the N.W. q^r of the South East q^r of Section 21 Town 6 R 10 N listed to Stephen A. Conway be raised from 100 to 200 dollars

Ordered that the undivided 1/2 of the N.W. q^r of the South east q^r of Section 21 Town 6 Range 10 N 20 Acrey listed to John Peckers heirs be raised from 100 to 200 dollars

Ordered that the valuation of fractional Section 14 Town 7 Range 10 N 76 Acrey listed to Mary H. McCallister be raised from 760 to 1100 dollars

Ord No 96 E \$12.00/100 Ordered that E. Kennerly be Allowed Twelve dollars for ^{6 days} services as a member of the board of Equalization

Ord No 97 E \$10.00/100 Ordered that Ezriel Saunders be Allowed Ten dollars for 5 day services as a member of the board of Equalization

Ord No 98 E \$12.00/100 Ordered that Ira P. Granger be Allowed Twelve dollars for 6 day services as a member of the board of Equalization

Ord No 99 E \$22.00/100 Ordered that William H. Walker County Auditor be Allowed twenty two dollars for 11 day services as a member of the board of Equalization

Ord No 100 E \$22.00/100 Ordered that George W. Boswell County Assessor be Allowed twenty two dollars for 11 day services as a member of the board of Equalization

Ord No 101 E \$22.00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker Assessor of Real Estate be Allowed twenty two dollars for 11 day services as a member of the board of Equalization

As the Board of Equalization having finished its business It is now here Ordered that it adjourn

E. Kennerly }
Ezriel Saunders }
Ira P. Granger }
G. W. Boswell County Assessor }
James T. Walker Assessor of Real Estate }
William H. Walker County Auditor }

Auditors Office N.C.
June 13th 1846

Allen Stroud Esq

Exhibit #3
shown

You are hereby appointed Congressional Trustee for Town & South of Range 11 West, to serve until the next August Election for the purpose of Electing School Officers - and until your successor is qualified

W.S.

William H Walker County Auditor

Auditors Office N.C.
June 16 1846

Henry Moll is hereby appointed Supervisor of Road District #4 Centre Township for the year 1846, to serve until the next April Election, and until his successor is elected & qualified

W.S.

Attest
William H Walker A.C.

For Value received I do hereby assign over and transfer to Lewis Meis his heirs or assigns all of my right title interest and claim in and to the within certificate of the land therein contained

The testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 17th day of March 1846
Washington Scott Secy

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County 3/13

This certifies that the above named Washington Scott this day personally appeared before me W. H. Walker Auditor in and for said County, and acknowledged that he signed & sealed the foregoing transfer for the uses & purposes therein named

The testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the ^{Official} Seal of the Board the day & date last above written

William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Recorded June 20th 1846
W. H. Walker Secy

John H. Sumner who was elected at the last April election a constable for Pigeon Township submits his bond to the Auditor for approval with J. Muhlhausen and J. H. Hates as his sureties therein which said bond is now here approved
June 20th 1846

William H. Walker Secy
Auditors Office V.C. June 20th 1846

Frederick Steensley is hereby appointed Supervisor of road district No 1 German Township for A.D. 1846 to serve until the next April election and until his successor is elected and qualified

W. H. Walker Secy

Andrew Gottchalt is hereby appointed Supervisor of road district No 2 German Township to serve until the next April Election and until his successor is elected and qualified

Auditors Office V.C. June 20th 1846

W. H. Walker Secy
Auditors Office V.C. June 20th 1846

Geo. B. Wagner is hereby appointed Supervisor for road district No 3 German Township for the year 1846 to serve until the next April Election and until his successor is elected and qualified

W. H. Walker Secy

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Board of Commissioners; in Vacation June 1st 1846

Auditors Office V.C. June 20th 1846
 Michael Stutzger is hereby appointed Supervisor of road
 District No. 4 German Township for A.D. 1846 to serve
 until the next April election and until his successor
 is elected and qualified
 Wm. H. Walker Secy.

Auditors Office V.C. June 20th 1846
 Jacob Dargatz is hereby appointed Supervisor of road
 District No. 5 German Township for the year 1846
 to serve until the next April election and until his
 successor is elected and qualified.
 Wm. H. Walker Secy.

Auditors Office V.C. June 20th 1846
 Lemuel Higginbotham is hereby appointed Supervisor of
 road District No. 6 ^{German Township} for the year 1846 to serve until
 the next April election and until his successor
 is elected and qualified
 Wm. H. Walker Secy.

Auditors Office V.C.
 June 20th 1846
 John Jarvis is hereby appointed Supervisor of road
 District No. 4 in Perry Township for the year 1846
 to serve until the next April election and until his
 successor is elected and qualified
 Wm. H. Walker Secy.

Auditors Office V.C.
 July 11th 1846
 Saml. McEntchan is hereby appointed Supervisor of
 road District No. 3 Centro Township for A.D. 1846
 to serve until the next April ^{election} and until his
 successor is qualified
 Wm. H. Walker Secy.

Auditors Office V.C.
 August A.D. 1846
 Adam Fisher is hereby appointed Supervisor
 of road District No. 2 Union Township for A.D. 1846
 to serve until the next April election and until
 his successor is qualified
 Wm. H. Walker Secy.

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Auditors Office W.C. Aug 4 1846

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Nathan Garrison I hereby appointed Supervisor
for road district No 3 Union Township for A.D.
1846 to serve until the next April election and
until his successor is qualified
W.H. Walker S.W.C.

Auditors Office W.C. August 8th 1846

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John Sheller is hereby appointed Supervisor of road
district No 5 ~~Union~~ Township for A.D. 1846 to serve
until the next April Election and until his success-
or is qualified
W.H. Walker S.W.C.

I issued a license to Jeremiah Souwars to
keep a Grocery & retail operations in Mendon
County for the term of Twelve months from
August the first Monday in June A.D. 1846

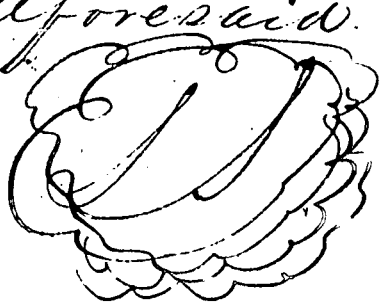
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Robert Nightengale I hereby appointed Supervisor of
road district No 3 German Township for A.D. 1846 to
serve until the next April election and until his successor
is elected and qualified
Sept 21th 1846

No 8

Auditors Office
Vanderburgh County August 15th 1846

It is hereby certified that Charles Collins did on the nineteenth day of March A.D. 1846. Certificate purchase at private sale Lot No 8 in Section for purchase for Sinton Township number five south of Range Purchase ten west. viz the south East quarter of the South East quarter of said section for the sum of One hundred and sixty six dollars and thirty one cents, being the amount due on said track at the time of said purchase. School Land C. Collins said track having been forfeited as the land of George Steels. the original purchaser and having been duly & legally advertised for sale, and failed to sell for want of bidders, was sold as aforesaid to Charles Collins who paid at the time of said purchase the sum of forty eight dollars and eighty five cents, being the one fourth of the purchase money & one year interest in advance on the residue.

Now therefore he is known that if the remaining balance of One hundred and twenty three dollars and eighty one cents be paid to the school commissioners of said county or to his successor in office. at the expiration of twenty five years from the date of the purchase aforesaid, with seven percent interest thereon payable annually in advance, then the said Charles Collins, his heirs or assigns, shall be entitled to receive a deed for the land aforesaid.



In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 15th day of August A.D. 1846.

William H. Walker
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Bracket Mills S.C.V.C.

Recorded August 15th 1846

W. H. Walker Ave

Issued a license to Martin Gumbert to vend foreign
merchandise in the County of Vanderburgh for the
term of one year from the 27th day of August 1846
he having produced to me the County Treasurers receipt
for the sum of five dollars
William H. Walker A.C.

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County $\frac{2}{3}$ This certifies that Allen
Stowd was duly elected Township Trustee for Congres-
sional Township No 8 South of Range No 11 West to serve
for three years from the 29th day of August A.D. 1846 as
appears from the returns of said Election now on
file in this Office
William H. Walker A.C.

Copied

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County $\frac{2}{3}$ This certifies that Henry
B. Moor was duly elected Township Trustee for
Congressional Township No 8 South of Range
No 11 West to serve for three years from the 29th
day of August A.D. 1846 as the same appears
from the returns of said Election now on file
in this Office
William H. Walker A.C.

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State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County $\frac{2}{3}$ This certifies that John Darling
was duly elected Congressional Township Trustee for
Township No 6 South of Range 11 West to serve for
three years from the 29th day of August A.D. 1846
As the same appears from the returns of said
Election now on file in this Office
William H. Walker A.C.

Copied

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County $\frac{2}{3}$ This certifies that Richard Perkins
was duly elected Congressional Township Trustee for
Township No 6 South of Range 10 West to serve for three
years from the 29th day of August A.D. 1846 as the same
appears from the returns of said Election now on file
in this Office
William H. Walker A.C.

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Auditors Office V.C.
September 5th 1846

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John Edmonds is hereby appointed Supervisor
of road district No 1 Union Township for A.D. 1846
to serve until the next April election and until
his successor is qualified

Wm. H. Walker A.S.C

September Session A. D. 1846

A session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh, in the State of Indiana, began and held at the Court in Evansville, in said County on Monday the seventeenth day of September A. D. 1846 When present Ira P. Grainger and John Curtis Esq. two of the members composing said Board.

Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be appointed President

- pro tempore.
- Issd No 139 E \$3.00 Ordered that Henry Her be allowed Three dollars for labor extra, as Supervisor of road District No 2 Centre Township
- Issd No 140 E \$2.25 Ordered that Barney Cody be allowed Two dollars & twenty five cents for extra services as Supervisor of road district No 4 Centre Township for 1845
- Issd No 141 E \$1.25 Ordered that Wm. Martin be allowed twenty five cents for returning the polls of April Election in Armstrong Township
- Issd No 142 E \$1.75 Ordered that Geo. W. Boswell be allowed One dollar & seventy five cents for services as Judge at last August Election
- Issd No 143 E \$1.75 Ordered that Z. B. Sydelott be allowed One dollar & seventy five cents for services at the August Election, 1846 as clerk for days on file
- Issd No 144 E \$1.00 Ordered that Zerach Fairchild be allowed One dollar for services as clerk at a Special Election for a Justice of the peace
- Issd No 145 E \$1.75 Ordered that Wm. Mills be allowed One dollar & seventy five cents for serving as Judge at the August Election 1846 & returning Polls
- Issd No 146 E \$1.00 Ordered that Zerach Fairchild be allowed One dollar for serving as Clerk at April Election 1846.
- Issd No 147 E \$1.50 Ordered that Geo. W. Finch be allowed One dollar & fifty cents for returning polls for election in Armstrong,
- Issd No 148 E \$1.00 Ordered that Zerach Fairchild be allowed One dollar for services as clerk of election in Centre Township.
- Issd No 149 E \$20.00 Ordered that Joseph Wheeler be allowed Twenty dollars for services as Overseer of the poor to March session A. D. 1846
- Issd No 150 E \$3.75 Ordered that James McAlister be allowed Three dollars & seventy five cents for services as Judge of Elections, in Centre Township
- Issd No 151 E \$1.00 Ordered that Jacob Haff be allowed One dollar for serving as Judge of Elections in Union Township

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- Ordered that Wm. H. Chandler be allowed
 Issued Two dollars fifty cents for printing certificates for County
 Auditor to Township Trustees to be paid out of the Common School funds
 Ord No 152 $\$8.00$ Ordered that Wm. H. Chandler be
 Allowed Eight dollars for Advertising statements of
 Receipts and Expenditures for County Auditor.
 Ord No 153 $\$1.00$ Ordered that Miram J. Frazier
 be allowed One dollar viewing road in German Town
 Ship
 Ord No 154 $\$1.00$ Ordered that Jacob Dinger be allowed
 One dollar for viewing road in German Township
 Ord No 155 $\$1.75$ Ordered that Lemada Higginbotham
 be allowed One dollar and seventy five cents for viewing
 road in German & making return of said view
 Ord No 156 $\$0.50$ Ordered that W. H. Walker be
 Allowed fifty cents for Cash paid Thomas O
 Weir for work in Auditor setting stone pipe
 Ord No 157 $\$3.00$ Ordered that Edward Ingle
 be allowed Three dollars for services as Supervisor
 in Scott Township for 1845

It is now here Ordered that a Subpoena issue
 for Henry B. Moor Treasurer of Congressional
 Township No 8 South Range 11 West requiring
 said Treasurer to bring & produce to said board
 for their inspection the books vouchers and
 papers of said township

Road District
 No 14
 Centre Township
 Ordered that the S.W. cor of Sec 31 in
 Town 5 South of Range 10 West and the N.E. cor
 of the N.E. cor of Section 6 Town 6 South of
 Range 10 West be taken from Road District
 No 1 Centre Township and attached to
 Road District No 4 in said Township
 Ord No 158 $\$1.75$ Ordered that Joshua Bowles be
 Allowed One dollar & seventy five cents for services as
 Judge at the August Election A. D. 1846 in Pigeon Township

Boundary of
 Knights Council
 Changed
 Now here on the petition Richard Smith
 and other Citizens of Pigeon Township in the
 County of Vanderburgh State of Indiana and praying
 for a certain change in the boundary of said
 Township and the board after duly considering
 said petition & the matters & things therein - It is Ordered
 that the west half of Section No 21 in Town 6 South
 of Range No 10 West be added to Pigeon Township
 and that the boundary of Pigeon Township be so altered
 as to run around said tract of land

September Session A^d 1846

To the Hon. the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County.

The undersigned appointed by the board to view a road (formerly viewed by Messrs Martin Rogers & Marquis whose report was set aside) and to obviate a difficulty that occurred in consequence of said former view. would respectfully report - That we proceeded to view said road, and recommended that it run as follows namely, that the road as reviewed by the former Commissioners be the road until it runs to the middle of Wolf's land, thence running west between the land owned by Michael Wolf & Mrs. Bower seventeen rods, thence running South West to a Hickory tree marked on the tobacco road, marked under the old review

Jacob Danzger
 W. J. Kangerker
 Cannada Higginbotham

It is now here Ordered that said road be opened & kept in good repair
 Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 8 O'Clock

Lot Grawner First Proton.

Tuesday morning September 8th A^d 1846 the Board met pursuant to adjournment. When present as yesterday

It is now here Ordered that the Report of Martin Rogers, & Marquis. Viewers heretofore appointed by this board, - to view a road in Armstrong Township, which said view was set aside on the review of Michael Wolf, in consequence of said road injuring said Wolf by running through his land - be adapted by this board, and that it be recorded upon this record, and it is further Ordered, that said road be ^{according to law} opened, & kept in good repair.

Iss'd No 1596 \$3.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Saml. J. Jenkins be allowed three dollars for certifying Elections for vouchers now on file

Iss'd No 1608 \$16.⁴³/₁₀₀ Ordered that Saml. J. Jenkins be allowed sixteen dollars and forty three cents for books & Stationary for Clerk's records Office

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Issued No 161 E \$5.00 Ordered that Wm H. Chandler be allowed five dollars for Advertising General Election Notice for assize

Issued No 162 E \$100.00 Ordered that George Bates be Allowed One hundred dollars for keeping paupers to Sept 8th 1846

Issued No 163 E \$100.00 Ordered that George Bates be Allowed One hundred dollars for keeping paupers to 8th September a.d. 1846

Issued No 164 E \$50.00 Ordered that George Bates be Allowed Fifty dollars for keeping paupers to Sept 8th 1846

Issued No 165 E \$8.20 Ordered that Wm M Woolsey be Allowed eight dollars & twenty cents, for County Tax by him paid Nov a.d. 1845 which was improperly charged

W.M. Woolsey Copied It is now here Ordered that Wm M. Woolsey be allowed four dollars & forty four cents for state tax by him paid which sum was improperly charged on the tax duplicate and that the proper Certificate be made so as to enable said Woolsey to obtain said over payment of state tax from the State Treasury

Road District No 4 Perry Copied It is now here Ordered that the boundary of road No 4 Perry township be changed as follows viz running from the West corner of section No 14 in Township six south of range eleven west - south to the south west corner of section No 23 in Town 6 south of Range 11 west - thence east to the south east corner of the last named section - thence north to the north east corner of the south east quarter of said last named section

Issued No 166 E \$50.00 Ordered that Barney Royston former County Treasurer be Allowed Fifty dollars for part of a claim against the County for County tax by him paid, and accounted for twice.

Issued No 167 E \$25.00 Ordered that Barney Royston be former County Treasurer, be Allowed Twenty five dollars for part of a claim against the County for County tax by him paid, and accounted for twice.

Issued No 168 E \$87.10 Ordered that Barney Royston be Allowed Eighty dollars and eight seven cents for a claim held by him against the County for County tax by him paid and accounted for twice, as County Treasurer.

B Royton Copied Now here Barney Royston the former County Treasurer, produces to this board a claim of forty two dollars and eleven cents, exclusive of interest, for state tax by him twice accounted for, as such Treasurer, and

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The Board duly considering said Claim and the evidence upon which it is founded. Order that a proper Certificate be made out to the Auditor of State for the sum so Over paid by said

Resolⁿ No 169 & \$30.00 Ordered that Wm^o. Walker be allowed Thirty dollars for part of his bill for Auditing for county to September 7th 1846.

Resolⁿ No 170 & \$10.00 Ordered that Wm^o. Walker be allowed Ten dollars for part of his bill for Auditing for county to September 7th 1846.

Resolⁿ No 171 & \$14.⁰²/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm^o. Walker County Auditor be allowed Fourteen dollars and two cents for balance in full for audit. for County to Sept 7th 1846

Resolⁿ No 172 & \$1.⁶⁷/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm^o. Walker be allowed one dollar and sixty seven cents for cash paid for stationery for Auditors Office for bill on file

Resolⁿ No 173 & \$2.²⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that James McPherson be allowed Two dollars & twenty five cents for survey as Supervisor of road district No 6 Perry Township for A. D. 1845

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 O'Clock

J. P. Guinger Pres^t Pro^{tem}

Wednesday morning September 9th A. D. 1846 ^{at 9 o'clock} the board met pursuant to adjournment. When present as yesterday

C. Decker

Now here Christian Decker produces to the board. an Order passed by said board at the September Term A. D. 1844. ^{It appears that} wherein said Decker has purchased of the County of Vanderburgh. the Countys title to Lot One hundred and Seventy Six (176) in the Donation enlargement of Evansville and in consideration of which said Decker was to pay the sum of two hundred dollars ~~and~~ two annual payments with legal interest thereon from date. And now here the said Christian Decker produces also to this board the County Treasurers receipts for the full sum of principal and interest in compliance with the conditions of said Order. so as aforesaid made. And the board duly considering the matter and thing in relation to the sale of said Lot 176 in the Donation enlargement of Evansville. It is therefore now here Ordered by the Board

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of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana. that the County Agent, John A. Kendall he and he is hereby authorized directed and required to make to Christian Decker - for and in consideration of Two hundred dollars by him so as aforesaid paid, a quit Claim deed to lot 176 in the location Enlargement of Evansville.

Iss'd No 1746 \$1.00 Ordered that George S. Binter be allowed One dollar for poll tax by him paid on the duplicate of 1845 he being over age at the time it was assessed. It is now here Ordered that a certificate be issued to Geo. S. Binter for the sum of fifty cents State tax by him paid on the tax duplicate of 1845 he being then over 20 years of age at the time of the assessment

Reports of Wm. Martin, Rhodes Rogers, and John Marguis. made to the board of Commissioners at their March Session A. D. 1846 which report was not entered of record in consequence of the remonstrance of Michael Wolf & Others which subject of remonstrance having been removed by the view of Jacob Darger, H. J. Fargisher & Leammad Higginbottom. whose report was made to the board at its present term at the time of approving of which, the board adopted the following report & the view therein, & Ordered the recording thereof.

To the Honourable the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh, Pursuant of an Order of the Honourable Board hereunto returned, We the undersigned appointed by said Order, to view to view and lay out the road therein mentioned, have viewed and laid out the same and returne it as a road of public utility as follows. to wit; Beginning at a certain point on the road leading from Harmony to Boonville One quarter of a mile East of the West line of Section Eight in Town 5, south of range 11 West at a Water Oak line tree marked BB between the land of William Rogers and Nicholas Yager. running south near One mile and a quarter, thence Angling west One hundred and two rods through the land belonging to Michael Wolf where stands a white Oak and Hickory tree near together on the north side of the cross road. Given under our hands this 26th day of Jan 1846

Copied

Wm. Martin
Rhodes Rogers
John Marguis

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It is now here Ordered that said road be Opened & kept in repair according to Law

Issd No 175 E \$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Saml. J. Jenkins be Allowed Twenty dollars for En' Offices services as clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court to Jan 26th 1846

Ordered that the board adjourns until tomorrow morning at nine O'Clock

Wm. Greening Secy Proten

Thursday morning September 10th at 9 O'clock a.m. 1846, the board met pursuant to adjournment, when present as yesterday

Issd No 176 E \$2.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Martin Schroll be Allowed Two dollars & fifty cents for serving as inspector of Elections in Pigeon Township for 1846 & making return of said election

Issd No 177 E \$1.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. Schaudler be Allowed One dollar & fifty cents for Printing Notices to Stone Masons

Issd No 178 E \$100.00 Ordered that Wm. H. Walker County Auditor be Allowed One hundred dollars for part of bill for making tax duplicates for 1846.

Issd No 179 E \$100.00 Ordered that Wm. H. Walker be Allowed One hundred dollars for part of bill for making tax duplicates of 1846.

Issd No 180 E \$14.⁶³/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. H. Walker be Allowed fourteen dollars & sixty three cents in full for making the tax duplicate of 1846

It is now here Ordered that Asariah Mayhew be and he is hereby exempted from labour on the public Highway in the County of Vanderburgh. So long as he may labour under the bodily infirmity, with which he is now afflicted.

Issd No 181 E \$1.⁷⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that Thomas S. Houston be allowed One dollar & seventy five cents for services as Judge at the August Election A.D. 1846

Issd No 182 E \$12.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John A. Kendall County Agent, be Allowed Twelve dollars and fifty cents for one quarter salary as county agent, to September 30th 1846

Ordered that the delinquent list be published in a newspaper in this County, of general circulation, according to law.

Now here Wm M. Walker Sheriff of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana presents to this board his bill for ex officio services as such Sheriff in the words and figures, as follows, to wit;

"The Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County
To William M. Walker Sheriff of said County

For Ex' Officio services as Sheriff for 4 quarters	
Ending September 1 st 1846 - at \$100.00 per annum	\$100.00
By County Order heretofore made	30.00
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	70.00

Evansville Sep 9th 1846 " Ball. due

And the Board having duly considered said bill, and the things therein do now here reject it, on the grounds that this board is not informed of what extra services, said Sheriff has performed, but this board is now ready & willing to make a reasonable & sufficient compensation for any extra services that he may have done, as Sheriff of Vanderburgh County, upon his presenting to this board a bill of items of such extra services authenticated to the satisfaction of this board.

No 183 E $\frac{1.50}{1.700}$ Ordered that Joseph Schuer be allowed One dollar & fifty cents for services as Supervisor in road District No. 2 Armstrong Township for A. D. 1845

Now here R. W. Dunbar County Treasurer files with this board his quarterly report which said report is now here approved

No 193 E \$49 $\frac{400}{100}$ Ordered that the Auditor be authorized & required to issue an Order to the Central Pigeon Bridge Building Commission an Order on the County Treasurer for the balance of an Appropriation made by this board at its March Session A. D. 1845 for the purpose of assisting to build said bridge. And any Order conflicting with this is now here rescinded so far as it may conflict with the ^{meaning} intention of this Order

No 184 E \$1.00 Ordered that John Keller be allowed One dollar for repairing lock for Court house.

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock
Jas P. Granger Pres. J. Poston

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Friday Morning September 11th at Nine o'clock A.M. the board met pursuant to adjournment. When present as yesterday.

Now here Benoni Hinson Jr applies to be admitted into the state university free of charge for tuition &c according to the provisions of Article 1 Chapter 7 section 34 of the Revised Statutes of 1843.

It is now here ordered that Benoni Hinson Jr be and he is hereby selected by this board from the applications now on file to become a student in the Indiana University free of all charges of instruction and tuition.

Ordered that Wm M. Walker be Sheriff, be allowed Twenty five dollars and Sixty nine cents for his bill for dieting prisoners in County Jail to Sept 11th 1846 & for receiving and discharging said prisoners.

Now here it is ordered that the County Auditor be and he is hereby authorized to issue an order on the County Treasurer for the sum of nine dollars to James Seantlin so soon as the Sheriff shall be satisfied that Seantlin has put up stores in the Court room according to the understanding between said Seantlin and this board.

W. Simmons Exempt from Highway Labor

Now here on the representation of Hamilton Ford in relation to the bodily infirmity of William Simmons and it appearing to the satisfaction of this board that Wm Simmons is not a fit subject to be required to labour upon the Public Highway. It is therefore now here ordered that William Simmons be and he is hereby exempted from labour upon the Public Roads in the County of Vanderburgh.

Now here Henry B. Moor Treasurer of Congressional Township No 8 South of Range No 11 West appears before the board ^{on subpoena} and produces to this board the books and papers belonging to the Office of said Treasurer for the inspection of said board. And now here the said Moor moves the board for a dismissal of the proceeding against him as Treasurer as aforesaid & the board duly considering said motion & after hearing the arguments of counsel do &c &c where ever rule said motion. And the board proceeds to the investigation of the books of said Township Treasurer, and after a thorough examination of said books & the papers belonging to the Office of said Treasurer, the board is fully satisfied that said Moor has properly & legitimately

Ordered by Order 4408

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appropriated the funds of said Township, and he is therefore
now here discharged

Issued ^{Apr 1846} ~~Apr 1846~~ E \$118.⁷⁶ / ~~Apr 1846~~ ^{Apr 1846} \$36.²⁴ Ordered that Mr Mills & Jesse J. Lamb
be Allowed One hundred & fifty five dollars for work
on pigeon bridge to fulfill the Contract of Geo. W. Miller

Lamb & Mills' Bond & Christian Secker. Come and file with this board
to an indemnifying bond, against the Costs damages
County Board and Charges of any kind that said board may
be liable to on account of any suit or suits
being brought by the heirs or administrators of Geo.
W. Miller on account of said board having settled with
wills & Lamb who performed the conditions of the
Contract made by & between this board & Geo. W. Miller which
said bond is now on file

Iss'd No 187 E \$26.³⁰ / ¹⁰⁰ Ordered that E. W. Saunders be
Allowed Twenty six dollars & thirty cents for lumber
furnished the bridge over Wagnon Creek near Carpenter's Mill
& it is further Ordered that an Order passed at the
September Term 1844 appropriating fifty dollars to be expended
on said bridge upon which there is a balance undrawn
of some seventy dollars be recouped so far as relates to
said undrawn balance

No 194 E \$5.⁰⁰ / ¹⁰⁰ Ordered that the Auditor be Authorized
to issue an Order for five dollars on the Order of
said Mr M. Walker or soon as a certain job of work is done
to the ~~mill and~~ Court house & that said Walker is
appointed to have said work done

Iss'd No 444 E 7.⁸¹ / ¹⁰⁰ Ordered that the County Auditor is
fully Authorized & instructed to procure a sufficient
quantity of wood for the Courts & Jail & Office of the
County for the coming winter & that he have the same
sawed & split & piled in the wood house & that he be
Authorized to draw Orders for the payment of said wood
& the necessary expenses attending the same

Ordered that the County Auditor
be Authorized to issue to Hardy Edwards an Order for
thirteen dollars ^{& fifty cents} so soon as Benoni Stinson shall order
him or to do for work on the bridge over Wagnon
Creek in Perry Township

Iss'd No 188 E \$10.⁰⁰ Ordered that Geo. P. Grainger be
Allowed ten dollars for 5 days service as a member of the
County board at September session 1846

Iss'd No 189 E \$10.⁰⁰ / ¹⁰⁰ Ordered that John Butler be Allowed
Ten dollars for Official service as a member of the
County board at September session A.D. 1846

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Ord No 1908 \$20 - Ordered that W. H. Walker County Auditor be Allowed Twenty dollars for 3 months En Office services as Auditor to September 1st 1846

Ord No 1915 \$1.50/100 Ordered that W. H. Bell be Allowed five dollars & fifty cent for 2 Pieces of faint ruled post. Cap. for County Auditor

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in course

John P. Curtis
Wm P. Guinger - Pres. Order

In vacation

Iss'd

September 15th 1846 Issued a License to Henry Kerscheligan to vend foreign Merchandise in Vanderburgh County for the term of One year from the 1st Monday in June A.D. 1846 he having produced the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars.

September 18th 1846 Issued a License to Adam C. Pushee to vend foreign Merchandise for the term of One year from the first ~~2nd~~ date hereof he having produced the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

October 19th 1846 Issued a License to Messrs. Mahan to Exhibit a Circus for One day, they have produced to me the County Treasurers receipt for five dollars

Special September Session A. D. 1846

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County held at the Court House in said County on the nineteenth day of September A. D. 1846 in pursuance of a call made by the County Auditor to let the building of a stone pier under the bridge across Pigeon Creek on the road leading from Evansville to Princeton and for the purpose of considering such other business as may come before said board. When present Ezekiel Saunders, Ira P. Gouinger & John Curtis Esqrs. Members composing said County Board

No 2086 \$40.00 Ordered that Wm M. Walker said Sheriff be allowed forty dollars for Ex Officio for 3 quarters ending September, 1846

Ordered that Miss Sara Roberts be allowed to teach school in the east room in the Court House, provided she pay three dollars per month and does not interfere with the occupation of said room by the courts, whenever said room is required for their uses

Now here the board proceeds to open and examine the propositions for building a pier under the bridge over Pigeon Creek, on the road leading from Evansville to Princeton. And Richard J. Walker agrees to perform said job for three hundred dollars and Wm Whittlesey for two hundred and seventy five dollars. & in addition to building a pier Whittlesey binds himself to put up substantial wooden bents to secure said bridge from settling - on the removal of the old stone pier. And it is now then Ordered that Wm Whittlesey he and he is hereby employed to build said pier provided he shall on or before the 21st day of September A. D. 1846 file a bond for the true and faithful performance of said job to the acceptance of this board

Ordered that the board adjourn until Monday morning next at 10 O'clock A.M.

E. Saunders
Ira P. Gouinger

Stone Pier
under Pigeon
Bridge

In vacation

Robert Wrightgale is hereby appointed Supervisor of road district no 3 German Township for 1846 to serve until the next April election and until his successor is elected and qualified

Sept 24 1846

William H. Malster Sec

Special October Session A. D. 1846

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana held in pursuance of a call made by the County Auditor on the second day of October A. D. 1846, for the purpose of approving a bond for the fulfillment of a contract for building a pier under the bridge across Pigeon Creek on the road leading from Evansville to Princeton, when present Ezekiel Saunders and Ira P. Grainger Members composing said board.

It is now here Ordered that Jesse Jackson and John Nightengale be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners to procure materials and have the bridge across the Canal placed in good repair - viz the bridge on the road near hills and the bridge in Knight Township on the road leading from the mouth of Green river to Negley Mill. And it is further Ordered that the County Auditor be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to issue County Orders for the purpose of paying for the materials and repairs to said bridges as they may require them.

Repairs of Canal Bridges
Captured

Now here W. H. Stockwell appears before the board and makes complaint to the board of the board having at its last June session, and during his absence, raised his personal property assessment from \$4000 to \$10,000 dollars. and said Stockwell being duly sworn to answer such questions as might be asked by this board, and said Stockwell having answered the questions to the satisfaction of the board it is ^{therefore} Ordered that W. H. Stockwell's assessment of personal be corrected by reducing it from \$10,000 to \$5,000.

W. H. Stockwell

Ordered that Richard A. Walker be notified that this board had accepted his proposal to build a stone pier under the bridge across Pigeon Creek on the road leading to Princeton and that said ^{board} pier must on Monday October 5th A. D. 1846 at 10 o'clock in the morning, for the purpose of receiving a bond for the ~~purpose~~ of securing a fulfillment of the Contract.

Captured

Iss'd No 216 \$2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that E. Saunders be allowed two dollars for one day official services at the special Sept. session A. D. 1846

Iss'd No 217 \$2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be allowed two dollars for one day official services at the ^{Special} September session A. D. 1846

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Ord No 218 E. $\$2.00$ Ordered that John Burtis be Allowed
two dollars for One days Official Services at the Special
September Session 1846

Ord No 219 E. $\$2.00$ Ordered that E Saunders be Allowed
two dollars for One days Official Services at Special Oct
Session A.D. 1846

Ord No 220 E. $\$2.00$ Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be
Allowed two dollars for One day Official Services at
the Special September Session A.D. 1846

Ordered that the board adjourn
until Court in Course

E. Saunders
Ira P. Grainger

Special October Session A. D. 1846

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana began and held at the Court House in Evansville in said County, in pursuance of a call made by the County Auditor for the purpose of letting the contract of building a ^{stone} pier under the bridge across Pigeon Creek, on the road leading from Evansville to Princeton, when present, Ezekiel Saunders Ira P. Grainger and John Burtis Esq. Members of said Board

Stone Pier

Now here the board lets the building of a stone pier under the bridge ^{over Pigeon Creek} on the road leading from Evansville ^{to Princeton} to Princeton which said stone pier is to be built on the same plan ^{as} the old pier. The joints to be well broken and tied and the whole job to be finished in a good workman like manner and finished completed by the first of the first Monday in December A. D. 1846. for the sum of three hundred dollars. Said Walker to place under the bridge substantial wooden posts to prevent the bridge from settling free of extra charge.

No 212 E \$1.50
 Issued One dollar & fifty cents for Shingles furnished Court house roof.

Now here Richard Walker files his bond for the building of a stone pier under the bridge across Pigeon Creek on the road leading from Evansville to Princeton in the penal sum of Six hundred dollars with A. B. Blackhawk and John Walker as securities therein and the board duly considering said bond do now here approve the same

Issued No 213 E \$2.00
 Issued Two dollars for one day services at Special Oct Session A. D. 1846

Issued No 214 E \$2.00
 Issued Two dollars for one day services at Special Oct Session A. D. 1846

Issued No 215 E \$4.00
 Issued Four dollars for one day Official Services as County Commissioner at Special Oct ^{& September} Sessions 1846

P. Hansche

Ordered that Philip Rosoch be and he is hereby appointed for the purpose of inspecting from time to time the Stone pier under the bridge across Pigeon Creek on the

road leading from Evansville to Princeton during the
progress of the building of said pier
Ordered that the board adjourn until
Court in Coase

E. Saunders
John Y. Curtis
L. P. Granger

Special October Session A. D. 1846

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana begun and held at the Office of the County Auditor (the Circuit Court being in session) on Monday October 12th 1846 at 10 O'Clock (A.M.) in pursuance of a Call made by the County Auditor to pass such Orders as might be deemed necessary in relation to the bridges Over the Canal, and such other Orders as might be thought necessary for the immediate interest of the interest of the County When present Ira P. Goringes and Gabriel Saunders two of the members composing said board

Resolved No 305 & \$28.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Mr. Sheets Secy. be allowed Twenty eight dollars for books furnished the Clerk and recorder

J. Jackson +
J. Nightengates
Report on
Canal Bridge

Now here the Auditor produces to the board the Report of Jesse Jackson and John Nightengates Commissioners appointed for the purpose of repairing the canal bridge near Hulls and the the one near Knight Township on the green river road, which Report is in words & figures as follows to wit;

To the Hon the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, The undersig Commissioners appointed at your Special October Session A. D. 1846 for the purpose of procuring materials and having the canal bridges near Hulls & the bridge on the road leading from opposite the mouth of green river to Cezley mill, properly repaired beg leave to report.

That we did on the sixth day of October A. D. 1846 repair to said bridges, and duly examined the same, and upon such examination, decided, that said bridges are not worth repairing, as they are rotten from the foundation up, & we consider it would be a wash of money to attempt any repairs to said bridges. We therefore avail ourselves of this the earliest opportunity of informing your Hon. Board of the same

October 6th 1846

J. Jackson
John Nightengates

And on Motion to build said bridges the majority of the board could not agree

Resolved

No 300 & \$2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Ira P. Goringes be allowed two dollars for one days services at Special October Session A. D. 1846

Special October Session A. D. 1846

Order No 301 & \$2.00
 Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be Allowed Two Dollars
 for One day services at Special Oct Session A. D. 1846

Order No 302 & \$1.50/100
 Ordered that John Nightengale be Allowed
 One dollar & fifty cents for One day services as Special Commissioner
 to examine canal bridge

Order No 303 & \$1.50/100
 Ordered that Jesse Jackson be Allowed
 One dollar & fifty cents for One day services as Commissioner to examine
 the Canal bridge

Order No 304 & \$5.00/100
 Order that Wm. Shurt & Co be Allowed
 Five Dollars for a record of transfers for Auditor Office

Order No 55 commons \$5.00/100
 Ordered that Wm. H. Walker be Allowed
 Five Dollars for rowlett interest tables for County Auditor Office
 to be paid out of the common school funds
 Ordered that the board adjourn until next in course

E. Saunders
 J. P. Guinger

Issued to Sewell & Drum a License to vend foreign
 Merchandise for One year from the 13th day of October A. D. 1846.
 for the sum of Five Dollars paid to the County Treasurer
 Oct 13th 1846

October 14th A. D. 1846 James S. Patten having produced the County
 Treasurers Receipt for Ten Dollars & filed his bond according to law
 A License^{was} issued to him to keep a Grocery & retail Spirituous Liquors
 for the term of One year from the 14th October A. D. 1846

November 14th 1846
 Granted a Peddlers License to Samuel Beers
 to vend foreign merchandise for One year from the 14th day
 of November A. D. 1846. for the sum of Five Dollars paid to
 the County Treasurer whose receipt he has produced to me

Auditor's Office

Vanderburgh County October 20th 1846
 No. 8 Town & Range 11 West

It is hereby certified, That Christian Rackerfus did on this day purchase the Lot or South East quarter of the ~~South~~ East quarter of Section sixteen in Congressional township six South of Range eleven West containing thirty eight Acres and ninety three hundredths of an Acre, for the sum of One hundred & eighty four Dollars & seventy cents, and that he has paid to the School Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh, per receipts nos 96, 97, & 98. the sum of fifty four Dollars and seven cents, also the sum of nine Dollars and one cent for one years interest in advance on the residue, per receipt no 99, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum.

Now Therefore, Be It known, That the remaining balance of One hundred and twenty eight Dollars and seventy six cents be paid to the said School Commissioners or his Successor in office, at the expiration of twenty five years, from the date hereof, with seven per cent interest thereon payable annually in advance, the same being sold agreeably to the provisions of Art, 12 Chap. 13 of the Revised Statutes of 1843, that the said Christian Rackerfus his heirs or assigns, shall be entitled to a deed for said Lot above described.

William H. Walker Auditor of V. C.
 Bracket Mills T. C. V. C.,

Recorded Oct 24th 1846

W. H. W. auc.

Special October Session A. D. 1846

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana, legally called held at the Court House in Evansville, on the 26th day of October A. D. 1846, in pursuance of a Call made by the County Auditor for the purpose of meeting the Salt Well bridge when present Ira P. Granger & John Justice two of the members comprising said board

Ord No 306 E \$37.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Willard Confecte be allowed fifty dollars for one quarter rent of poor house from July to September 8th 1846

Ord No 307 E \$1.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Thomas E. Garvin be allowed one dollar for services as clerk at April election 1846

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock
Ira P. Granger Pro Pro

Tuesday Morning Morning, at nine o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

Ordered that the County Auditor be and he is hereby directed to address to Wm H. Chandler the amount due him for advertising the delinquent list of 1845 so soon as said Auditor shall be satisfied that said list is or will be properly advertised by said Chandler

It is now here Ordered that said proposals be received until the 6th day of November 1846 for building a bridge over the canal near the residence of Emmanuel Hull on the road leading from Evansville in Vanderburgh County to Newburgh in Warren County

Ord No 308 E \$75.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Nicholas Stele be allowed seventy five cents for services as supervisor of road district No 6 Armstrong Township for a. d. 1845

Ordered that George Stone be allowed one dollar for printing notices to Contractors for building a bridge over the canal

The board now here lets the building of a bridge across the canal on the road leading from Evansville to Newburgh, at a point where said road crosses the canal nearest the residence of Emmanuel Hull, to William Mills. And said Mills provides to for the sum of two hundred and fifteen dollars, said Mills to complete said bridge on or before the first of January, 1847. said Mills

Issued to be returned to the County Auditor

Wm H. Chandler

Special October Session A. G. 1846

to use the planks and railing of the old bridge in the construction of the proposed new bridge and to allow the County the same price therefore that he would have to pay for new lumber & materials of the said wills to have the balance of the old bridge. And now here said wills file with the board a contract for the building of said bridge & provides his bond ⁱⁿ for the sum of four hundred & thirty dollars for the faithful performance of the stipulations of said contract with John Newson as his security thereof & the board duly considering said bond and security. It is now here ordered that the same be & it is now here approved.

Issd No 309 E \$6.00/100 Ordered that Ira P. Granger be allowed six dollars for three day services as County Commissioner at the present term

Issd No 310 E \$6.00/100 Ordered that John Rurtis be allowed six dollars for three day services as County Commissioner at the present term

Ordered that the Court adjourn until Court in course

Ordered that the Order authorizing the receiving of sealed proposals, for building the bridge over the canal near Halls & the Order to young low & Sullivan for printing & advertising for said proposals be and they are hereby annulled & rescinded. Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in course

Ira P. Granger
John Rurtis

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At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana held in pursuance of a call made by the County Auditor on the nineteenth day of November A. D. 1826. at 10 O'clock of said day, for the purpose of receiving the saltwell pigeon bridge from Henry Hazzard the Successor of Sanford Knight Henry Hazzard the Contractor. When present Pa. P. Grainger Gabriel Saunders & John Burtis Esq. members of said Board.

Now then the Board proceeds to examine the Saltwell pigeon bridge and after a ~~public~~ ^{careful} examination do now here ^{accept} the same

- Ord. 338 E \$25⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Henry Hazzard be Allowed Twenty five dollars for building salt well bridge
- Ord. 339 E \$25⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Henry Hazzard be Allowed Twenty five dollars for building the saltwell pigeon bridge
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Special Order No. 1816

Book # 355 \$25.00 Ordered that Henry Haggard be allowed

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Ordered that the board adjourn until next month

2 members
John Smith
and Henry

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 year after either principal or interest has become due
 each day with said the said tract and all payments thereon
 make thereon, and the contract of sale shall be forfeited
 and revert to said George March for default for failure
 to pay said tract and due the 25th day of September

James Stanley
 Commissioner N.C.
 for (John McQueen) & George March and all other
 all my right title and interest in and to said tract and
 to John March in the within bond or certificate
 the 23rd day of December 1822 as witness my hand and
 seal at Greenville in presence of

John McQueen
 John McQueen
 State of Georgia
 Greenville County 3
 John McQueen a Justice of the Peace
 the above named George March personally appearing
 before me with Acknowledgment the above Acknowledgment to be
 returned and that the following should I have hereat per my
 hand and seal at Greenville in said County at the date above

written
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John McQueen & P. B. C.

Set my hand and affixed my official seal this 3rd day of December A.D. 1846

Johanna Hunch Seal

State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County }

This certifies that the above named John Hunch, whose name appears to the foregoing transfer, personally came before me and acknowledged that he signed and sealed said transfer and assignment for the uses and purposes therein named.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at Evansville in said County this 3rd day of December A.D. 1846
William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Recorded Dec 3rd 1846
W. H. Walker, Secy.

school certificate

No 16

George Hunch having on this day purchased the S.E. quarter of the S.E. quarter of section number sixteen being part of the school section belonging to Congressional Township number six South of Range number eleven West in Vanderburgh County Indiana for the sum of three hundred ^{thirty five} dollars of which he has paid ninety eight dollars and eighty two ^{1/2} cents being one fourth part of the purchase money and one year interest in advance on the residue of the principal which is two hundred and fifty one dollar and twenty five cents and payable in ten years from this date together with six per centum interest thereon annually in advance, and if full payment of said principal and interest be made within ten years from this date then the said George Hunch his assigns or representatives shall be intitled to a deed in fee simple for said tract in the name of said Township.

But on failure to pay said interest for any year or the residue of the principal for six months after either become due and also interest at the rate of one hundred per cent per annum after either principal or interest has been due sixty days until paid, the said tract and all payments thereon and this contract of sale shall be forfeited and revert to said Township for school purposes, witness my hand and seal this 25th day of September A.D. 1847

Nathan Rowley Seal
Commissioner V.C.

For value received I hereby assign transfer and set over all my right title and interest in the within obligation either in Law or equity to John Hunch this 23rd day of December A.D. 1842 In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal at Evansville date above written

In presence of
John R. Wilcox

George Hunch Seal

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County }
I John R. Wilcox a Justice of the Peace in and for

the County of ... do hereby certify that on the 26th day of December 1856 the above named George ... personally appeared before me and acknowledged the above assignment to be his voluntary act and deed.

Witness my hand and the seal of the County of ... at ... this 26th day of December 1856.

John R. Nichols, Clerk of the County of ...

It is the duty of the Clerk of the County of ... to receive and file all papers for the registration of mortgages and to issue certificates thereon. It is also his duty to issue certificates of acknowledgment of mortgages and to issue certificates of discharge thereon.

Witness my hand and the seal of the County of ... at ... this 26th day of December 1856.

John R. Nichols, Clerk of the County of ...

Received of ... the sum of ... Dollars for ...

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At a meeting of the board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana, began and held at the Court house in Evansville, on Monday the seventh day of December A.D. 1846 when present Ezekiel Gauley Ira P. Hoisinger and John Purto Esq members of said board,

Ord No 375 E \$50.00 Ordered that Willard Carpenter be allowed Fifty Dollars for one quarter rent of poor house in full to December 8th 1846

Ord No 376 E \$1.00 Ordered that Wm. Chandler be allowed One Dollar for Advertising Condemnation and Sale of bridges at the mouth of Pigeon Creek

Ord No 377 E \$11.09/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed Eleven Dollars and nine cents for part of his bill for keeping paupers to December 8th 1846

Ord No 378 E \$15.88/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed Fifteen Dollars & Eighty Eight cents for part of his bill for keeping paupers to December 8th 1846

Ord No 379 E \$223.03/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed Two hundred and twenty three dollars and three cents for his bill in full for keeping paupers for one quarter ending December 8th 1846

Ord No 380 E Now here R. W. Dunbar Treasurer of Vanderburgh County submits to the board his quarterly Report of the Amount and kind of funds by him received as such Treasurer "from the 7th day of ~~October~~ ^{September} to the 5th day of December A.D. 1846 both days included" which Report after being duly considered is now here approved by the board

readers quarterly Report

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 8 O'clock P.M.
E. Saunders, pr

Tuesday morning at 8 O'clock P.M. the board met pursuant to adjournment when the members were present as yesterday

Ord No 380 E \$50.00 Ordered that Samuel J. Jenkins be allowed Fifty Dollars for one Office Services as Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court, ending December 26th 1846 for 2 quarters

Ord No 381 E \$6.50 Ordered that M. C. Bell be allowed Six Dollars & fifty cents for Stationary for Clerk's Office

It is now here appearing to the satisfaction of the board that there was a mistake made by the board

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of Equalization in June 1846, in their not having reduced the valuation of the 17th of 1/2 of the 21st of Sec 29 in Town 6 South of Range No 10 West containing 36⁰⁰ Acres, listed to John J. Chandler. It is therefore Ordered that said valuation be reduced from 2668 dollars to 1330 dollars on the duplicate of 1846, and that the County Auditor be and he is hereby Authorized and required to make said correction on the duplicate for said year.

Ord No 3826 ✓ \$1.00 Ordered that Leroy Calvert be Allowed One dollar for returning Polls of an election held in Armstrong Township in August 1846

Saml J. Pinkens Clerk of the V. Circuit Court makes report of the fines assessed and collected in said Court as follows, Viz:

List of fines assessed at the September term A.D. 1846 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court, to wit:

State of Indiana	}	Fine	\$ 5.00
vs 3 Manning			
Matthew M. Cochran			

State of Indiana	}	Fine	\$ 3.00
vs 3 Manning			
Solomon Cooker			

State of Indiana	}	Fine	\$ 5.00
vs 3 Rob. G. G. G.			
Lynard N. Owen			

State of Indiana	}	Fine	\$ 5.00
vs 3 Storgensy			
Wellington B. Finco			

State of Indiana	}	Fine	\$ 5.00
vs 3 Contempit			
James Neal			

State of Indiana	}	Fine	\$ 3.00
vs 3 Manning			
James Parker			

List of fines received since my last Report

State vs Given Lamberts	Fine	1.00
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State vs James M. Hinson	"	1.00
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State vs William Jarred	"	1.00
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State vs John J. McBrackin	"	1.00
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State vs H. Hill	"	2.00
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State vs J. Taylor or A Taylor	"	2.00
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State vs John Hill	5.00
State vs James Neal	5.00
State vs John et Johnston	Balance
	<u>90.00</u>
	\$39.00

State of Indiana }
 Vanderburgh County }
 I Samuel J. Jenkins do solemnly swear that the foregoing contains a correct statement of the fines assessed by the Vanderburgh Circuit Court at its September term 1846 and also of the fines received by me since my last report to the extent of my knowledge and belief

Subscribed & sworn to before me
 the Auditor of said County the
 7th day of Decr 1846

Samuel J. Jenkins
 William H. Walker A.C.

- Ord. No 383E \$ 2.00 Ordered that Saml J Jenkins be allowed two dollars for certificates of Elections for J. P.
- Ord. No 384E \$ 4.00 Ordered that Saml J Jenkins be allowed four dollars for recording & indentures of Apprenticeship made by Cordeur of the person
- Ord. No 385E \$ 13.95 Ordered that Saml J Jenkins be allowed thirteen dollars and ninety five cents for Stationary for Clerk Recorder Office
- Ord. No 386E \$ 5.50 Ordered that Eaton & Hugg be allowed five dollars and fifty cents for making cases for Clerk of probate Court
- Ord. No 387E \$ 50.67 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed fifty dollars and sixty seven cents for Auditing for County for tide on file with Treasurer
- Ord. No 388E \$ 2.57 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed two dollars and fifty seven cents for Stationary for office
- Ord. No 389E \$ 25.00 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed twenty five dollars for En Office services as County Auditor to Novr 30th 1846 for one quarter
- Ord. No 390E \$ 11.85 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed eleven dollars and eighty five cents for Auditing work on Copy of last preceding Assessment roll
- Ord. No 391E \$ 1.00 Ordered that W. C. Saunders be allowed one dollar for carrying a man found dead near barnetts in Union Township
- Ord. No 392E \$ 20.00 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed twenty dollars for one quarter's ^{en office} services as Sheriff ending December 1st 1846

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock P.M.

E Saunders, Jr

Wednesday morning December 9th at nine o'clock P.M. the board met pursuant to adjournment with the members were all present as yesterday.

Ord No 393 E \$ 75⁰⁰ Ordered that Ira P. Graving be allowed seventy five cents for returning polls for an election held in Knight Township in 1846

Ord No 394 E \$ 2⁰⁰ Ordered that Geo. W. Boswell be allowed two dollars for two blank books for the county assessor

Ord No 395 E \$ 1⁵⁰ Ordered that Martin Miller be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for returning the polls for two elections in Knight Township

Ord No 396 E \$ 1⁵⁰ Ordered that Charles Knowles be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for making returns of two elections from Scott Township

Ord No 397 E \$ 1⁷⁵ Ordered that Michael McIntyer be allowed one dollar and seventy five cents for serving as Judge of an Election in 1846 and making returns thereof

Ord No 398 E \$ 1⁵⁰ Ordered that Thomas Agar be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for repairing plastering in Court house

Ord No 399 E \$ 96⁷⁵ Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order in favour of Richard A. Walker for part of the pay for building ^{and} Pigeon bridge for the sum of ninety six dollars and seventy five cents on the County Treasury for the three per cent fund in the County Treasury

Ord No 400 E \$ 50⁰⁰ Ordered that Richard A. Walker be allowed fifty dollars for building a stone pier under pigeon bridge

Ord No 401 E \$ 50⁰⁰ Ordered that Richard A. Walker be allowed fifty dollars for building a stone pier under Pigeon bridge

Ord No 402 E \$ 10⁰⁰ Ordered that Richard A. Walker be allowed ten dollars for building a stone pier under pigeon bridge

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Ord No 405 E \$ 10⁰⁰ Ordered that Richard A. Walker be allowed ten dollars for building a stone pier under pigeon bridge

Ord No 406 E \$ 13²⁵ Ordered that Richard A. Walker be allowed thirteen dollars and twenty five cents in full for building a stone pier under pigeon bridge

Ord No 407 E \$ 2⁰⁰ Ordered that W. Saunders be allowed two dollars for advertising coroners Inquest

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And No 408 E v \$1,000 Ordered that John Walker be allowed one dollar for attending the county board as a witness at the last March term

Now here John Sanson petition the board for the appointment of viewers to view and mark a certain private road leading from his farm in Scott Township, to the State road leading from Evansville to Princeton, the route to be on a line running due South, dividing the South West quarter of Section four town five South of range ten West, and on a line dividing the lands of Thomas Hennessy and John Peck's heirs, a distance of fifty seven rods. And now here Richard S. Browning and others come and file their remonstrance against granting a view of said road. And the board duly considering said petition and remonstrance, It is Ordered, that James Witherspoon Edmund Maidlow and Thomas Mclelland be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view and mark said road, and make report to this board at its next session

Now here Francis Smith petitions the board to appoint viewers to view and mark out a certain change in the road leading from Keylog Mill, to the mouth of green river, when said road crosses the N. W. quarter of section 26 in town 6 South of Range 10 West. And the board duly considering said petition and the things therein, now here appoint Lorin A. Kelsey, Orvil Kelsey and John Perry, to viewers to view and mark said change in said road, and make report to this board

And it is Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock

J Saunders, Sr

Thursday morning at nine o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment, when the members of said board were present as yesterday

It is now here Ordered that Mr Whittlesey, he and he is hereby notified to remove from the county property at ~~Stoughton~~ or Mechanicsville, and deliver the said property up to the County, forthwith. It is further Ordered that the County auditor draw off this Order and deliver it to the Sheriff of the County who is hereby Ordered to serve the same on said Whittlesey, and make the return thereof to the Court

December for January at 1846

From how clear it has been with the Board a satisfactory paper upon which there has been published the order of three hundred and twenty five dollars of unadvanced subscriptions.

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purchase for county

Book No 412

Book No 411

Book No 410

Book No 409

Bridge over the river

Democratic Party

December Session of the Court 1846
Commencing on Monday at nine o'clock
of the Court

Friday morning December 11th at nine o'clock the Court
met pursuant to adjournment when the petition was all
present at yesterday

Now this John Smith presents to the Court
a bill for \$2,900 which furnishes the confirmation of the
sale of the land for the purpose of paying the purchase
money to the County, on bond, at 40^{cts} dollar per dollar
and the Court duly considering said bill, and the thing
therein, ordered that the County Auditor be and he
to hereby authorize and request to cause Robert to
John Smith for the sum of two hundred and thirty
one dollar and fifty cents. In return to said Smith that
he will receive to said Auditor the above-mentioned bill, to the
effect that he will furnish the amount of said purchase
to the satisfaction of the said Auditor of the County

Ordered that the said Auditor of the County
three dollar and twenty five cents for attending to said
at three o'clock in the Court room in 1846
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Ordered that Edmund White be allowed
five cents for horse hire for carrying a return from
dead in return for same

Ordered that Auditor Keely be employed to
draw for the County a bill of the central prison bridge
to file in the office of the County Auditor
It is now here ordered that the County Auditor
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Ord No 4188 \$1000. Ordered that John Burtis be allowed ten dollars for official services as County Commissioner at the Decr term 1846

Ordered that the board adjourn until court in course

E. Saunders
John Burtis
L. P. Granger

License
December 19th 1846. James S. Mayo having produced the County Treasurers Receipt for the sum of five dollars & thereupon issued to him a License to vend foreign Merchandise in Vanderburgh County for the term of one year from the 19th day of December 1846.
Wm. H. Walker S. C.

License
December 27th 1846 Oscar Walker having produced to me the County Treasurers Receipt for the sum of five dollars, he is thereupon hereby authorized to vend foreign merchandise in the County of Vanderburgh for the term of one year from the 27th December 1846
William H. Walker S. C.

January 13th 1847 In Vacation

Deed
for
School Land

Whereas William Rogers assignee of Hiram Nelson of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana. having produced to me the Certificate of Cathaw Rowley School Commissioner of said County, by which it appears that Hiram Nelson Aforesaid, did on the thirtieth day of September One thousand eight hundred and thirty seven purchase of said School Commissioner the South half by the North East quarter of section number sixteen (Lot 4 on the Appraisals Plat) in Township number five South of Range number Eleven West containing Eighty Acres being part of the School Section belonging to said Congressional Township. and said William Rogers having also filed in my Office the School Commissioners receipt for the sum of One hundred and twenty dollars, the balance in full for the purchase of said tract of land, and he having demanded a deed for the same,

Therefore know ye that in Consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statutes in such case made and provided. I William H. Walker Auditor in and for the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana for and in the name of the Inhabitants of Congressional Township number five South of Range number Eleven West, in the County and State aforesaid, do give and grant the said South half of the North East quarter of section number sixteen (Lot 4 on the Appraisals Plat) in Township number five South of Range number Eleven West containing Eighty Acres, to the said William Rogers and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In witness whereof I William H. Walker as Auditor of said County, have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal at Evansville, in said County, on this thirteenth day of January A.D. 1847
William H. Walker
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Attest: Brackett Hills &c. &c.

State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } I Samuel Jenkins Recorder in and for said County do Certify that the Above named William H. Walker personally came before me and acknowledged that he executed the Above foregoing conveyance as & for his voluntary act and deed for the purposes therein mentioned

Given under my hand and seal at Evansville the 14th day of January A.D. 1847
Samuel Jenkins

Recorded January 14th 1847
W.H. Walker

Certificate of Purchase of School Land

Hiram Nelson, having this day purchased the South half of the North East quarter of Section Number sixteen (lot 1704 on the Appraisers Plat) being part of the School Section belonging to Congressional Township Number five South of Range Number Eleven West in the County of Vanderburgh Indiana for the sum of One hundred and Sixty dollars of which he has paid forty seven dollars and twenty cents being one fourth part of the purchase money, and one year interest in advance on the residue of the principal which is One hundred and twenty dollars and payable in ten years from this date together with six per centum interest thereon annually in advance, and if full payment of said principal and interest ~~thereon~~ be made within ten years from this date then the said Hiram Nelson his assigns or representative shall be entitled to a deed in fee simple for said tract in the name of said Township. But on failure to pay said interest for any year or the residue of the principal for six months after either become due, and also interest at the rate of One hundred for cent per annum after either principal or interest has been due sixty days, until the said tract and all payments theretofore made thereon and this contract of sale shall be forfeited and revert to said Township for school purposes. Witness my hand and seal this thirtieth day of September A D 1847

Mathew Rowley Seal
Commissioner V. C.

State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } ss

I do hereby Assign Over and transfer to William Rogers all of my right title interest and claim in and to the foregoing Certificate for value received. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 3rd day of March 1846

Hiram Nelson Seal

State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } ss

Personally appeared before me the undersigned Auditor in and for said County, Hiram Nelson whose name appears to the above assignment, and acknowledged that he signed and sealed the same for the use and purposes therein specified



In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville the 3rd day of March A D 1846. William H. Walker S. V. C.

Recorded January 13th 1847
W. H. Walker

Special Attorney General ed. 1847

1847

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Washington in the State of Indiana began and held at the Office of the County Auditor (in the Clerk's Office) the undersigned, George W. ... in presence of ... on Monday January 15, 1847, in pursuance of a call made by the County Auditor for the purpose of ... the ... a ... for the purpose of ... the ... or near ... the ... and ...

Now here it is ordered that the Board of Commissioners of the County of Washington be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to let a ... for the purpose of ... the ... and they are hereby authorized and empowered to let ... the ... for the purpose of ... the ...

And they are hereby authorized and empowered to let ... the ... for the purpose of ... the ... and they are hereby authorized and empowered to let ... the ... for the purpose of ... the ...

And the Auditor is authorized in the event of said contract ... the ... for the purpose of ... the ... and they are hereby authorized and empowered to let ... the ... for the purpose of ... the ...

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George W. ...
 Clerk of the Board
 of Commissioners
 of the County
 of Washington
 State of Indiana

Witness my hand and the seal of the County of Washington this 15th day of January 1847.

And they are hereby authorized and empowered to let ... the ... for the purpose of ... the ... and they are hereby authorized and empowered to let ... the ... for the purpose of ... the ...

Special Attorney General v. F. 1847

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December 10th 1846
John V. Perry }
Graville Key }

There has been such a failure of Francis & Key, of
the great over work in a town where the law between
the bank of the bank and the bank and the bank to
proceed and account

Book No 1451^e \$4.00/100
Ordered that the P. Perry be
allowed from dollar for 2 day official services of bank

Book No 1452^e \$4.00/100
Ordered that Robert Anderson be
allowed from dollar for 2 day official services of the

Book No 1453^e \$4.00/100
Ordered that John P. Perry be
allowed from dollar for 2 day official services at the present time

Book No 1454^e \$4.00/100
Ordered that dollar for drawing of bank bill
allowed with the bank bill

~~John V. Perry~~
~~Graville Key~~
The court has checked P. Perry and he has
given to give to the bank their bank
for the satisfaction of the bridge at Virginia
they are to give in the present sum of
three thousand three hundred and fifty dollars
with draft of the bank of their drawing thereon, &
the bank shall have charge of their bank book
and account provided that each bank be
filed in the office of the court within
the 25th of January 1847

Ordered that the bank account with
court in course
John V. Perry
Graville Key

In Vacation of the Board of Commissioners

January 20th 1847 John M. Quaid has this day

produced to me the County Treasurer's receipt for the sum of ten dollars and also filed his certified Affidavit with the proper officers of twenty four freeholders of the said Township and he having also filed his bond in the sum of ten hundred dollars with good and sufficient security I thereupon issued him a license to keep a Tavern in said Township in the County of Vanderburgh for the term of one year from the first day of November 1846 with the privilege to retail spirituous liquors

License

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January 23rd 1847

Joseph Thompson

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of road district of 2nd Parson Township to serve until the next April election and until your successor is elected and qualified

William H. Miller A.C.

Supervisor appointed

Copied by 2/22/67

Certificate of James Ross having this day purchased Lot number eleven (11) Purchase of a part of the school section belonging to Congressional School Land Township number five south of Range number ten east in Vanderburgh County Indiana and also known and designated as the North East quarter of the South West quarter of Section number sixteen in said Township containing forty acres more or less for the price of one hundred and twenty dollars - cents of which he has paid thirty five dollars and forty cents being one fourth part of the purchase money and also begun interest in advance on the residue of the principal which is thirty and dollars - cents and payable in ten years from this date together with six percent interest thereon annually in advance and if full payment of said principal and interest be made within ten years from this date then the said James Ross his assigns or legal representatives shall be entitled to a deed in fee simple for said tract of land in the name of said Township but on failure to pay said interest for one year or the residue of said principal for six months after it has become due and also interest at the rate of one hundred per centum per annum after either principal or interest has been due sixty days until paid said tract of land and all payments therefore made thereon and this contract of sale shall be forfeited and revert to

Recd of money for several purposes
within my hand and recd this eighth day of September
1841

John H. Newby
deputy Commissioner
of the State of New York
for value received of the funds assigned over and transferred to
the State of New York by the State of New York and assigned to
the interest and claim of me or to the interest and claim
of the State of New York and the State of New York
in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and seal at New York in the County of New York
this 10th day of February 1841
John H. Newby
deputy Commissioner

State of New York
County of Albany
I John H. Newby
do hereby certify that James W. D. (whose name
appears to the above foregoing transfer) personally came
before me, and read and acknowledged that he signed and sent the
same for the use and good purposes therein named.
In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
seal this 26th day of February 1841
John H. Newby
deputy Commissioner

Witness my hand and seal this 26th day of February 1841

James W. D.

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A session of the board of commissioners of the county of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana, began and held at the Court House in Evansville in said County, on the first Monday in March A.D. 1847, (it being the first day of said month) when present John Burtis Ira P. Granger and Ezekiel Saunders members of said board

- Issd No 483E \$50.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Willard Carpenter be allowed fifty dollars for one quarter rent of poor house to March 8th 1847
- Issd No 484E \$1.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Silas Stephens Sr be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for summoning a Jury for the coroner.
- Issd No 485E \$8.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Saml J. Centineo be allowed eight dollars for certificates of Elections
- Issd No 485E \$24.⁷⁹/₁₀₀ Ordered that Saml J. Centineo be allowed twenty four dollars & seventy nine cents for books & Stationery for clerks Office
- Issd No 486E \$135.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Geo. Bates be allowed one hundred & thirty five dollars for part of bill for keeping paupers to March 8th 1847
- Issd No 487E \$125.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Geo. Bates be allowed one hundred & twenty five dollars for keeping paupers to March 8th 1847
- Issd No 488E \$25.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Samuel J. Centineo be allowed twenty five dollars for Ex Officio services as Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court to March 26th 1847
- Issd No 489E \$0.⁷⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that M. Reuschler be allowed seventy five cents for one shovell & mending tongues for Court room
- Issd No 490E \$11.⁴⁸/₁₀₀ Ordered that William H. Walker be allowed eleven dollars & forty eight cents for cost paid for printing orders bridge notice. Wood & Stationery for office
- Issd No 491E \$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. H. Walker be allowed twenty dollars for Ex Officio services as Sheriff for 3 months ending March 1st 1847
- Issd No 492E \$10.⁸²/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. H. Walker be allowed ten dollars and eighty two cents for election notices & summoning jurors

It is now here ordered that the Auditor be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to draw warrants on the school commission for the sum of one hundred and four ⁰⁰/₁₀₀ dollars to be paid out of the different township funds. the same being the school Commission ^{of Auditor} one half of one percent on loans to March 1st 1847

Wm. H.

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Auditors Office Vanderburgh County
March 1st 1847

In obedience to the requisitions of the 8th Article of the 13th Article of the 13th Chapter of the Revised Statutes of 1843. The Auditor of Vanderburgh County Submits his Annual Report, in relation to the Congressional Township Funds of the County, and the Condition of the lands belonging to Common Schools.

Statement No 1 of the Whole of the Receipts and Expenditures on Account of said Funds with the total Amount of School Funds in Commissioners hands March 1st 1847

No 2 A Statement of the Condition of the Condition Funds of Town 4 South of Range 10 West

No 3 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Township 5 South of Range 10 West

No 4 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Township 6 South of Range 10 West

No 5 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Township 7 South of Range 10 West

No 6 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Township 4 South of Range 11 West

No 7 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Township 5 South of Range 11 West

No 8 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Township 6 South of Range 11 West

No 9 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Township 7 South of Range 11 West

No 10 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Township 8 South of Range 11 West

No 11 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Township 6 South of Range 9

No 12 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of ^{District} Township 7 South of Range 11 West

No 13 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of District 4 Township 6 South of Range 10 West

Statement No 1 of the Condition of the Whole of the receipts and expenditures on account of said Funds, with the total Amount of funds in the School Commissioners hands, on the 1st day of March 1847

Loans

Outstanding Loans on the 1st of March 1846

Loaned by Auditor from March 1st 1846 to March 1st 1847

Total Loans to March 1st 1847

Amount repaid by borrowers to March 1st 1847

Outstanding on loans March 1st 1847

11,021, 57
2,442, 00
14,063, 57
1,313, 76
\$12,749, 81

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Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Commissioners hands on March 1 st 1846	1,427.97
There has been received since & up to March 1 st 1847 as follows,	
Viz: From Purchases of School lands	404.32
From loans repaid by borrowers	1,313.76
From judgements on Coans (principal)	492.01
From forfeited recognizances	50.00
From incidental Receipts	25.00
From interest on Coans	1,176.84
From interest from purchasers	1107.17
From deposits of District Treasurers	67.43
Total Receipts	5,304.50

Disbursements

Loans of School funds to March 1 st 1847	2,442.00
Interest drawn by Township Treasurers	1,399.66
Accidental Expenditures	375.29
Total Disbursements	4,216.95

Leaving a balance in Commissioners hands on 1st March 1847 of 1,087.55

(if all the warrants drawn have been redeemed)

But warrants Nos 38, 45, & 50 for 113⁹⁵/₁₀₀ dollars are yet outstanding which makes the true balance in Commissioners hands on 1st March 1847 1200⁹⁴/₁₀₀ dollars

Statement No 2 Town 4 Range 10 West

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

From Dividend on Common Fund	4.73
Total Receipts	4.73

Disbursements

Drawn by Township Treasurers	4.73
Total Disbursements	4.73

Statement No 3 Town 5 S. Range 10 W

Loans

There was outstanding on loan March 1 st 1846 of the funds of this Township	403.48
Loaned by Auditor to March 1 st 1847	150.00
Total Loans	553.48
Refunded by borrowers	105.00
Amount outstanding on loan March 1st 1847	448.48

March 1827

Receipts & Disbursements

There was in Commencement hands March 1st 1826
 there has been received since to March 1st 1827 of
 follow viz: from above

105.00
32.45
39.80
66.16
6.46
17.83
1310.95

Disbursements
 from purchase of school lands
 from interest on loans
 from interest from purchase
 from Disbursements Receipts
 from Disbursements on common fund

150.00
19.24
25.87
119.81
1314.92

Disbursements
 of the funds of this township
 Disbursements
 Disbursements by township officers
 Disbursements

Statement of the 14th June 1827 Range 10th
 Disbursements

There was recd. by Disbursements March 1st 1826
 of the funds of this township
 Disbursements by Disbursements
 Disbursements

3109.00
243.00
3352.00
311.00
3041.00

Disbursements
 Disbursements by Disbursements
 Disbursements

125.19
311.00
144.64
21.50
34.75
1657.14

Disbursements
 Disbursements
 Disbursements
 Disbursements
 Disbursements

243.00
18.65
259.37
521.02
1136.12

Disbursements
 Disbursements
 Disbursements
 Disbursements
 Disbursements

March ledger of 1847

Statement of 5th closing range in West
 shown by
 others was calculating on base of the funds
 of the township
 drawn by Auditor to March 1st or 1847
 total drawn
 The funded by borrow to March 1st 1847
 Auditing on drawn March 1st or 1847

1145.46
965.00
1910.46
445.83
1444.63

Receipts & Disbursements

There was in communication made March 1st 1847 of the funds
 of the township
 there has been account since settlement to March 1st 1847 as
 follows, viz:
 drawn from drawn deposited by borrow
 from purchase of school lands
 from interest on drawn
 from interest from purchase
 from disbursements
 from disbursements on common fund
 total receipts

445.83
36.45
239.64
96.89
8.17
3.65
11317.73

Disbursements

Drawn of funds of the township
 drawn by township disbursements
 incidental disbursements
 total disbursements
 Balance in communication made March 1st 1847

11022.30
23.41
231.89
745.00
1295.43

Statement of 6th closing range 11

Receipts & Disbursements

There has been made of the funds of the township
 to March 1st or 1847 as follows viz
 from disbursements on common fund
 total receipts

5.73
5.73
5.73

Disbursements

drawn by township disbursements
 total disbursements

5.73
596.00
163.00
761.00
57.00

Statement of 7th closing range 11
 drawn
 drawn was calculating on drawn March 1st or 1847
 drawn by Auditor to March 1st 1847
 drawn on disbursements by borrow to March 1st or 1847

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Outstanding Loans on March 1 st 1847	\$711.00
Receipts & Disbursements	
Receipts	
There was in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1846	76.24
There has been received since Settlement 1. March 1 st 1847 as follows viz	
From Loans repaid by borrowers	50.00
From purchases of Land	120.00
From interest on Loans	39.27
From interest from purchases	49.88
From incidental receipts	6.00
From Common fund Dividend	15.65
Total receipts	\$357.04
Disbursements	
Loans of funds of this Township	165.00
Drawn by Township Treasurers	99.23
Incidental Expenses	3.72
Total disbursements	267.95
Balance in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1847	\$89.09

Statement of Town of South Range 11 West Loans

There was Outstanding on Loans of the funds of this Township on March 1 st 1846	639.80
Loaned by Auditor to March 1 st 1847	503.00
Total Loans	1142.80
Repaid by borrowers to March 1 st 1847	192.64
Outstanding on Loans March 1 st 1847	\$950.16

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts	
There was in Commissioners hands on March 1 st 1846	131.00
There has been received since to March 1 st 1847 as follows viz	
From Loans repaid by borrowers	192.64
From purchases of School Lands	200.00
From interest on Loans	249.60
From interest from purchases	107.05
From incidental receipts	6.65
From dividend on Common fund	10.24
Total receipts	\$897.18
Disbursements	
Loans of the funds of this Township	503.00
Drawn by Township Treasurers	253.82
Incidental Expenditures	37.67

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	Total Disbursements	794.49
Balance in Commissions hands March 1 st 1847		102.69

Statement of Iowa 7 Range 11 West

Loans

There was outstanding on Loans March 1st 1846 of the funds of this Township

Loans by Auditor since March 1st 1847

Total Loans

Loans refunded by borrowers
Outstanding Loans March 1st 1847

2,529.61
276.00
2,825.61
55.00
2,770.61

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Commissions hands on Settlement on March 1st 1846

There has been received since to March 1st 1847 as follows viz;

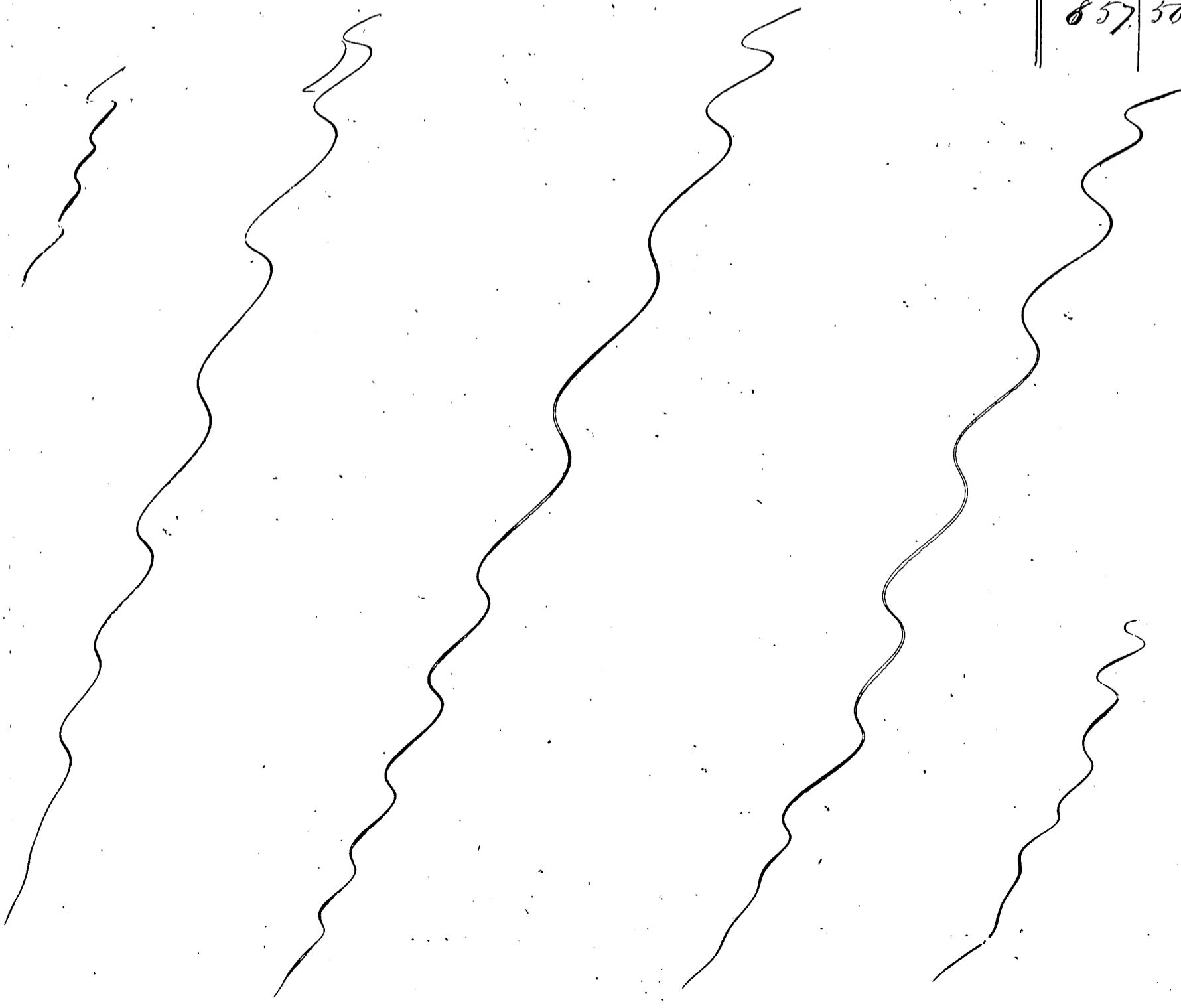
From Loans refunded by borrowers

From Interest on Loans

From Incidental receipts

From Dividend on Comm. fund,

334.67
55.00
203.02
259.00
5.87
857.56



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Disbursements	
Loans of funds of this Township	270.00
Town of Range 10 West	23.85
Drawn by Township Treasurers	421.22
Incidental Expenditures	22.34
Total Disbursements	743.41
Balance in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1847	114.15

Statement No. 10, Town 5 Range 11 West Receipts & Disbursements	
Receipts	
From Dividends on Common Funds	4.13
Disbursements	
Drawn by Township Treasurers	4.13

Statement No. 11, Town 6 Range 9 West Receipts & Disbursements	
Receipt	
There was in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1846 of the funds of this Township	4.79
Balance in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1847	4.79

Statement No. 12, School District 3 Town 7 Range West Receipts & Disbursements	
Receipts	
There was in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1846	30.82
There has been received since to March 1 st 1847	5.18
as follows viz;	
From Deposits Made by Township Treasurers	55.16
Balance in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1847	85.98

Statement No. 13, School District 4 Town 6 Range 10 West Receipts & Disbursements	
Receipts	
There was in Commissioners hands on Settlement March 1 st 1846	29.42
There has been received since to March 1 st 1847 as follows viz	
From Deposits by Township Treasurers	12.47
Leaving a balance in Com ^r hands March 1 st 1847	41.89

William H. Walker Secy.

The board having duly considered said report and the things therein do now here approve and accept the same.

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School Commission Office
Ft. Munderbough County, March 3rd 1847

To the Hon^{ble}
The Board of Commissioners of Munderbough County
Genl.lemen

In accordance with the Revised Statute
in such cases made and provided, the School Commission
of Munderbough County submits his Annual report
showing the Amounts of Cash on hand at last report
together with the Amounts of receipts and Expenditures
from March 3rd 1846 to the first Monday in March 1847

Receipts Dollars Cents

There was remaining in the Treasury at last Settlement the Amount of	1436	63
Amount received from March 3 rd 1846 to March 2 nd 1847	3872	74
	5309	37

Expenditures

There has been paid on Warrants from March 3 rd 1846 to March 2 nd 1847 the Amount of	4109	77
Balance remaining in Treasury March 2 nd 1847	1199	60

Respectfully Submitted
I Tracked Mills J. C. V. C.

The Board now have accept and approved said
Report and the thing therein

Now Here I send McCleuchan Esq a Justice of the
Peace and makes report of fines by him assessed
and collected to March the 1st 1847 as follows viz

To the honorable the Board of County Commissioners
of Munderbough County

The undersigned one of the
Justices of the Peace in and for the County of
Kent in said County reports the following list of all
the fines assessed and collected by him by virtue of
his office as such Justice within and during the
year next preceeding the day of the date of this report
to wit

State of Indiana
William Levety } Assault & Battery
vs. William Steel }

August the 31st 1846 the Amount of fines
assessed against the Defendant was \$7. and the same Amount

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paid to me by William Steels as his fine the 14th day of October 1846

State of Indiana }
79 } Assault and Battery.
William Steels }
Alexander Brown }

November 6th 1846 this case tried by jury and fined. William Steels in the sum of \$1.00 and acquitted. Alexander Brown, the amount paid to me by William Steels as his fine \$1.00 on the 22nd day of February 1847

State of Indiana }
79 } Contempt of Court
Thomas Donahue }

January the 23rd 1847 for Contempt of Court, he was fined in the sum of \$3.00 and committed to Common Jail. Fine paid to me by Sheriff as the fine that was assessed to Thomas Donahue by me

State of Indiana }
79 } For profane swearing
Thomas Donahue }

January 23rd 1847 for profane swearing in my presence, he was fined in the sum of \$5.00 and he committed to the County Jail and the fine paid to me by the Sheriff as the fine assessed to Thomas Donahue by me

State of Indiana }
Manderburgh County } c.p.

I Samuel McLeitchan the said Justice of the Peace solemnly Swear that the above is a true list of all the fines assessed and collected by me of any person whatever, by virtue of my office, as such Justice within and during the preceding year commencing with my office on April 1846 and ending on the first day of March 1847

Samuel McLeitchan (Seal)
Justice of the Peace

Sworn & subscribed before me at Evansville the 1st day of March 1847

William H. Walker A. D. C.

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Now here George W. Sharpe submits his report in relation to fines assessed & collected to March 1st 1847 as follows to wit:

To the honorable the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, the undersigned, one of the justices of the peace in and for the Township of Scott in said County, Reports the following list of all fines, assessed and collected by him, by virtue of his office, as such justice within and during the year next preceding the day of the date of this report, to wit: for an assault and battery March 20th 1846 a fine of three dollars assessed, collected June 20th 1846

Dated this 1st day of March 1847

George W. Sharpe Justice of the Peace

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County

I George W. Sharpe a justice of the peace in and for said County, Certify that the above is a true and complete list of all the fines and penalties assessed by me, or collected of any individual whatever, for the year ending March 1st 1847

Given under my hand and seal this 1st day of March 1847

George W. Sharpe Seal
Justice of the Peace

Subscribed before me at Evansville the 1st day of March a.d. 1847

William H. Wilson, J.P.C.

The Auditor of Vanderburgh County, in accordance with the Regulations of section 64 Article 3 of Chapter 13 of the Revised Statutes of 1843 submits to the County Commissioners the following Report of the Names of borrowers of the School Funds of said County.

Names of Borrowers

1	Shaw & Steger	175 00
2	Preston N. Brown	100 00
3	Mr. R. Hays	100 00
4	Darius Short	60 00
5	Wm. McLellan	175 00
6	James R. Kirkpatrick	100 00
15-9	Paul Mahlbly	175 00
8	John A. Morgan	300 00
11	Kenneth Schmitt	100 00
13	Daniel Stanfield	57 00
16	Thomas Gifford	300 00
17	Edward Engle	172 00
19	Geo. Hays	100 00

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20	Geo Maag	125.00
21	Geo P Walker	40.00
22	Alexander Forwell	150.00
23	Thomas R Harrison	150.00
24	Myrtle M Wheeler	100.00
217	Charles H Mc Johnston	140.00
30	Wm Linnville	55.00
168	George Skeels	172.00
194	Saml Benjamin	41.47
216	Charles H Mc Johnston	150.00
31	Gilas Stephens	200.00
32	A. M. Senow Balance	40.00
34	John J Walker	200.00
37	Joseph M Phelps	81.00
38	Henry Harwood	200.00
39	William G McDonell	150.00
42	Sebastian Kammich	100.00
43	John Hewson	160.00
44	Wm M + E P Elliott	130.00
45	Geo P Walker	50.00
155	Kirklock Mc Johnston	250.00
156	Joseph Laments	50.00
160	Chaplin + Probsy Trustees + C	250.00
163	C. M. Tyler	45.00
164	Stephens Schuer	290.00
174	Abel Sullivan	200.00
176	Samuel Clappett	119.00
195	George Reinhardt	97.00
198	John Gilman	150.00
211	William Wilbyard	100.00
47	C. M. Johnston	228.00
48	Hoyekiah Dukes	50.00
49	Let M G Garrett	220.00
186	Michael Ward	55.00
193	Samuel Kirkpatrick	75.00
166	Samuel Leidalone	200.00
203	C. M. M. Chadd	150.00
210	Philip Purgutz	100.00
223	Wm G Schuch	115.00
227	Payless Bennett	300.00
52	Heran Nelson	100.00
53	Francis Arroy Sr	158.00
54	Jacob Brown	50.00
55	Jesse Meison	50.00
177	William Wood	50.00
185	John Kerscher	78.00
192	William Rodwell	60.00

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219	Martin Schmale	200 00
164	Samuel C Maloon	100 00
226	John Ince	100 00
225	Joseph Fisher	60 00
56	Vinson & Grimes	23 73
57	Walter Beal (in Judgment)	200 00
58	George B. Magnon in do	200 00
175	Edward Hopkins	100 00
187	W. C. Saunders	51 99
214	Stephen Childs	53 00
215	Wm Taylor	85 00
220	Isaac Hutchinson	175 00
222	Wm. L. Elliott	100 00
228	John Stock	40 00
224	Joseph Fisher	50 00
60	Calvin Scallott (Sale of land by Rowley & Ince for balance)	91 00
61	James Holloway	150 00
62	Walter Collett (Sale of land by Rowley & Ince) balance	18 00
63	Barker & Barker	85 00
64	John Fickas	280 00
65	John M Blair	123 75
66	Jacob Mas	9 00
68	Sturtevant Jr	300 00
69	Ben. Allen	95 00
71	Charles Peasley	100 00
72	Wm. L. Walker	200 00
74	Wm. L. Barker	190 00
180	Wm. Wood	52 86
177	Edward Wheeler	300 00
201	Benedict Shaw	100 00
203	James Dolan	200 00
207	Trustees of St Pauls Church	276 00
183	Geo. B. Walker	100 00
162	John Erasmus	59 00

William H. Walker Secy

Resolved March 1st 1847

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow at nine o'clock

E. Saunders Pres

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- Tuesday Morning March 2nd 1847 The board met pursuant to adjournment, when the members were present as yesterday.
- Ord. No 493 E \$7.00/100 Ordered that John Walker be allowed seven dollars for removing drift from pigeon bridge
- Ord. No 494 E \$1.50/100 Ordered that James Scanlin & son be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for repairing the gutter on the Court house ere
- Ord. No 495 E \$1.00/100 Ordered that James S. Walker be allowed one dollar for services as clerk of Special ~~and~~ Election
- Ord. No 496 E \$1.50/100 Ordered that Martin Schmitt be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for services as judge at special election. Making returns there of
- Ord. No 497 E \$1.00/100 Ordered that Thomas M. Archer be allowed one dollar for services as judge at special election
- Ord. No 498 E \$1.00/100 Ordered that W. B. Sydeloff be allowed one dollar for services at special election as judge

Now here Edmund Maidlow James Wetterspoon and Thomas M. Cleland, the viewers heretofore appointed to view and mark out a certain private road therein required to view and file their report of a view by them made, in the words and figures as follow to wit:

"We the undersigned viewers, appointed by the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, at their December Term, 1846, to view and mark a private Road a distance of fifty seven Rods, beginning on a ~~point~~ on John Gansons Land, and running so as to divide for that distance, the South west quarter of section four, Town ship, five, South, Range Ten west, in a true South direction and dividing the lands of Thomas Kennessy, and the ^{late} John Peck's heirs. Respectfully Report, that on Friday the fifth day of February 1847, we met at John Engle, Engle, a Justice of the peace, of Scott Township, and by them being duly sworn, proceeded to the North west corner of the South west quarter of section four, Town five, South, Range Ten west, when we found a Rock (marked) placed there by the Surveyor of Vanderburgh County, to perpetuate said corner, at the center of said rock we set our compass due east, allowing for its variation six and a half degrees, and proceeded to run said line, and measure it with a four rod surveying chain eighty rods where we set in the ground a Cherry stake, about three inches diameter, from this stake we commenced to view and mark above described private road, by setting our compass due

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South, allowing the same variation as before, and measured about four chains, in which distance we set up two more stakes, directly in our line, then we struck the most westerly fence of Thomas Hennessey's farm, and the line run along said fence between six and seven chains, then we again placed in the ground a stake, and two more between that and the State Road, one of them directly on the edge of said road, and the distance from the first stake to the last mentioned one is exactly fifty seven rods.

Edmund Maidlaw
James Witherspoon
Thomas McClelland

The board duly considering said report, do now here appoint Edmund Maidlaw James Witherspoon and Thomas McClelland Esq. to assess the damages suffered by the Hennessey and John Peck's heirs, in consequence of said road being ^{marked} located through their lands, & it is ordered that they report to this board at its next session.

Now here on the petition of Joseph Peck and others freehold Citizens of Scott Township in the County of Vanderburgh for the appointment of viewers to view out a certain private road therein named. It is now here ordered that James Witherspoon Moses Barnes and Geo B. McClatchan be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view out and mark a route for a private road, leading from the Jan yard of Howe & Brown to intersect the State road leading from Evansville in Vanderburgh County, to Princeton in Gibson County, as follows, to wit; Commencing at the east corner of the aforesaid Jan yard, running thence west on the line dividing the lands of Howe & Brown & John Witherspoon, and continuing still west through the land of John Witherspoon, until it strikes the land of Grandison Witherspoon, thence north on a line dividing the lands of the said John & Grandison Witherspoon until it strikes the land of Carpenter, thence west on the line dividing the lands of Perry, Boswell, & Leathorn, to intersect the Evansville and Princeton road at or near the old Blacksmith Shop, north of James Perry's; - And that they report to this board at its next regular session.

Now here on the petition of John S. Terry and others Citizens of Knight Township for the appointment of viewers to lay out a certain private road, from the South East quarter of the North West quarter of section 14 in Township 7 South Range 10 West, at Mariah Woods residence, to intersect the County road at or near the

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 Mc Johnston in Knight Township. It is now here Ordered that Corroday Garrett, Ephraim Jan Auld Abraham Knight, do and they are hereby Appointed Viewers to view and mark out said road on the nearest and best ground according to the purpose of said petition, & report to this board at its next regular session

Road district No 6 Centre

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 Now here on the petition of Mr Clunskill and others for the formation of a new road district in Centre Township. It is Ordered that a new road district be formed and established as follows, to wit; Commencing at the North East corner of the South West quarter of section six in town six South of range two West, running thence west to the North West corner of section ^{in town 6, Range 11 West} ~~two~~, thence South to ~~section~~ ^{section} ~~two~~ ^{two} ~~South~~ ^{South} ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~middle~~ ^{middle} of section Eighteen, thence North to the place of beginning. And that said road district thus bounded shall be known and designated as road District No 6 Centre Township

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock
 E Saunders clerk

Wednesday morning March 3rd at nine o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment. when the members of said board were present as yesterday

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Now her John Inwood presents to the board the petition of Mr A. Chiron and other freeholders citizens of Centre Township for the appointment of viewers to view and mark out a certain ~~east~~ road or cart way leading from the South East corner of said John Inwoods land and running thence South and South easterly to the Petersburg State Road, in said Township. And sh the same time Andrew Erskin of the same Township files with the board a Remonstrance against granting a view of said road. And the board, duly considering the petition and Remonstrance and the thing in each. It is now here Ordered that Joshua W. Stephens Samuel Mc Clutchan and Thomas Hall be and they are hereby Appointed to view and mark out a road or cart way as follows; viz; commencing at the South East corner of John Inwoods land, and running thence in a South and South easterly direction to the Petersburg State Road in said Township. And that they make return of said view to this board at its next regular session

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Jud No 499 E \$12.50/100 Ordered that John A. Hixendale be allowed Twelve dollars and fifty cents for services as County Agent to March 1st 1845

Road vacated
by

It is now here Ordered that that part of the road leading from the Mouth of Green River to Cheyres Mill, crossing the South West corner of the North West quarter of section of section number 26 in town 6 South of Range 10 West, be and it is hereby vacated from the intersection of a certain change in said green river road, made on the report of John J. Long and Orull Kelsey to the board at its Special January Session to the South line of said quarter section

Jud No 500 E \$20.00 Ordered that Geo. W. Baswell County Assessor be allowed Twenty dollars for part of bill on file for assessing to March 3rd 1847

Jud No 501 E \$20.00/100 Ordered that Geo. W. Baswell be allowed Twenty dollars for part of bill on file for services as County Assessor to March 3rd 1847

Jud No 502 E \$15.00/100 Ordered that Geo. W. Baswell be allowed fifteen dollars for part of bill on file for services as County Assessor to March 3rd 1847

Jud No 503 E \$15.00/100 Ordered that Geo. W. Baswell be allowed fifteen dollars for part of bill on file for services as County Assessor to March 3rd 1847

Jud No 504 E \$5.00/100 Ordered that Geo. W. Baswell be allowed five dollars for part of bill on file for services as County Assessor to March 3rd 1847

Jud No 505 E \$0.75/100 Ordered that Joshua Jones be allowed seventy five cents for a poll tax by him paid on the tax duplicate of 1846. he being over age at the time of the assessment of the tax for said year

Daniel Woolsey Esq. one of the justices of pigeon Township makes Report to the board of the fines by him assessed and collected to March 1st 1847. in the words and figures following to wit:
16th March 1846

State of Indiana vs Smith Gank & William Savit } Assault & Battery fine \$2 each } fine paid over to County Treasurer } March 3rd 1847

State of Indiana vs George Stahl } Trespass March 17th 1846 fine of 1.50 } Committed to Jail

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State of Indiana }
 24 } The papers of March 1846 found 75 cuts
 } } made from the County Treasurer's records
 } } 3rd 1847
 State of Indiana }
 25 } Proceedings of the Court of Sessions March 3rd 1847
 } } found in the County Treasurer's records
 } } March 3rd 1847

State of Indiana }
 26 } Proceedings of the Court of Sessions March 3rd 1847
 } } found in the County Treasurer's records
 } } March 3rd 1847

State of Indiana }
 27 } The same as above
 } } found in the County Treasurer's records
 } } March 3rd 1847

State of Indiana }
 28 } Proceedings of the Court of Sessions March 3rd 1847
 } } found in the County Treasurer's records
 } } March 3rd 1847

State of Indiana }
 29 } Proceedings of the Court of Sessions March 3rd 1847
 } } found in the County Treasurer's records
 } } March 3rd 1847

State of Indiana }
 30 } Proceedings of the Court of Sessions March 3rd 1847
 } } found in the County Treasurer's records
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State of Indiana }
 31 } Proceedings of the Court of Sessions March 3rd 1847
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 } } March 3rd 1847

State of Indiana }
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 } } found in the County Treasurer's records
 } } March 3rd 1847


State of Indiana }
 33 } Proceedings of the Court of Sessions March 3rd 1847
 } } found in the County Treasurer's records
 } } March 3rd 1847

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State of Indiana } Assault & Battery, 8th Feb. 1847 fined 50
W. } cents. fine paid over to County Treasurer March
William M. Elliott } 300 1847

I do hereby certify the above and foregoing to
be a correct report of all the fines assessed and collected by
me since March 1846

Given under my hand and seal this 3rd day
of March 1847

David Woolsey 
Justice of the Peace

State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } 3rd Feb

This certifies that D. Woolsey Esq
appeared before me at Evansville in said county, & was duly
sworn to the above & foregoing certificate March 3rd 1847
William H. Walker A. C.

- And No 506 E of \$2,000 Ordered that John P. Henderson be allowed two dollars for $\frac{3}{4}$ of a cord of wood furnished the county.
- And No 507 E of \$5,000 Ordered that William H. Walker County Auditor be allowed twenty five dollars, for an office services for 3 months to March 1st 1847

To the Honorable the board of County Commissioners
of Vanderburgh County,

The undersigned one of the justices of the peace
in and for the township of Pigeon in said county reports
the following list of all the fines assessed and collected
by him by virtue of his office as such justice with in
and during the year next preceding the day of the date
of this report to wit;

State of Indiana } March 10th 1846
W. } Assault & Battery
Daniel S. Lane } fined three dollars paid Jan 12th 1847 \$3.00

State of Indiana }
W. } Assault & Battery March 10th 1846
Joshua Razo } fine one dollar paid October 19th 1846 \$1.00

State of Indiana } March the 11th 1846
W. } Assault & Battery fined one dollar
Elliott Barnes } Paid fine the 25th 1846 1.00

State of Indiana } Assault & Battery April 7th 1846
W. } Fined one dollar Paid
Charles E. Campbell } April the 7th 1846 \$1.00

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State of Indiana vs Charles Buckner Assault breaking April 7th 1846 fine one dollar paid April the 7th 1846 \$1.00

State of Indiana vs John Delipten Assault & Battery May 7th 1846 fine three dollars paid September the 28th 1846 \$3.00

State of Indiana vs James Millard Assault & Battery May the 24th 1846 fine three dollars repaid and Education issued \$3.00

State of Indiana vs Hamilton Wagon Assault & Battery August the 28th 1846 fine one dollar repaid \$1.00

State of Indiana vs John M. Stinson Assault & Battery August 20th 1846 fine one dollar paid September the 1st 1846 \$1.00

State of Indiana vs John Newhouse Assault & Battery Sept 4th 1846 fine three dollars paid November the 17th 1846 \$3.00

State of Indiana vs John M. King A breach of the peace Sept 11th 1846 fine one dollar not paid

State of Indiana vs Andrew Steal Assault & Battery November the 9th 1846 fine one dollar paid November the 9th 1846 \$1.00

State of Indiana vs John F. McEntee Assault & Battery January 30th 1847 not paid

State of Indiana vs Underburgh County of Bracket Mills the said justice of the peace do solemnly swear that the above is a true and complete list of all the fines assessed and collected by me of any person whatever by virtue of my office as such justice within and during the preceding year commencing on the second day of March A.D. 1846 and ending the day of the date of this report. Given under my hand and seal this March the 3rd 1847 Bracket Mills Seal

Given before me this 3rd day of March 1847 William H. Walker J.C.

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Now here Wm's Reagin files his report of fines by him assessed and collected to March 1st 1847 in the words and figures following to wit;

State of Indiana } Action of an assault and battery on 17th day of May 1846 stayed not paid.
vs }
James Milford }

State of Indiana } Action for contempt in Court 17th Day of May fine one dollar & paid the same
vs }
M. J. Sheppard }

State of Indiana } Action of an assault and battery on the body of George Fisher's child fine one dollar
vs }
Jacob Miller } paid

State of Indiana } Action of an assault & battery on Simon Gumber's child on 13th of July 1846 fine one dollar & paid
vs }
P. Farley }

State of Indiana } Action for profane swearing & swearing of perjury filed by James Hays December 6th 1846 fine one dollar
vs }
Thomas Challiners }

State of Indiana } Action of an assault & battery on the body of Thomas Steels on 12th day of January 1847 fine one dollar paid
vs }
William Hopkins }

State of Indiana }
Warrick County }
I Wm's Reagin a justice of the peace of and for township in the county aforesaid do hereby certify the above is a true statement of the fines assessed & collected by me since the first March 1846. Given under my hand and seal this 4th day of March 1847

Wm's Reagin
Justice of the peace
Given before me at Evansville the 3rd day of March 1847
H. W. Walker A. V. C.

Now here Prickett Mills Egg presents his report as overseer of the poor to March 1st 1847 and the Board do hereby considering said report accept and approve the same

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Road Tax Now here the board fixes the rate of taxation for Road purposes, for the year 1847, from the valuation of the taxable lands on the duplicate of 1846 at ten cents on each one hundred dollars thereof

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock
E Saunders Pres

Thursday Morning March 4th 1847 at nine o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday.

Ord No 509 E O of \$31.55/100 Ordered that B. Mills be allowed thirty one dollars and fifty five cents for services as overseer of the poor to March 1st 1847 per his report on file

IV. Knight } It is now here ordered that the County Treasurer be authorized & required to refund to Thomas Striugh a volunteer in the service of the said law 39/100 dollars County tax paid by him before the receipt of the act exempting volunteers from the payment of tax

Ordered that the County Auditor be authorized to issue orders to the Treasurer & County Auditor for 15^{31/100} dollars each being the amount of their one half of one percent on surplus Revenue Loans to March 1st 1847

Now here the County Auditor submits the following report of the condition of the surplus Revenue funds to 1st March a.d. 1847 "Auditor's office v.c. March 1st 1847

"In Obedience to the provisions of Article 7 Chapter 13 of the Revised Statutes of 1843. the Auditor of Vanderburgh County submits to the board of Commissioners, the following report of the condition of the Surplus Revenue Funds of said County, on the first Monday of March a.d. 1847

There was Outstanding on Loans on March 1 st 1846 of Surplus Revenue Funds	4,279.94
Loaned by Auditor to March 1 st 1847	400.00
Total Loans	4,679.94
Refunded by borrowers to March 1 st 1847	502.91
Outstanding on Loans March 1 st 1847	\$4,174.93

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And fifty cents to be expended on said bridge & highway
Which Order was made at the September Session 1846. (on
page 319) in and ^{the same} is hereby rescinded & annulled

Now here the Commissioners heretofore appointed
for the purpose of letting the Central pigeon bridge
make report, as follows, to wit;

To the Hon. Board of Commissioners of the
County of Vanderburgh.

The undersigned Commissioners
appointed at the Special January Session A.D. 1847 of the Board
of Commissioners, for the purpose of letting the job of completing
the the Central pigeon bridge. provided it could be let
for a sum not exceeding 369 dollars. has been to report
that they did, in pursuance of said Order. advertise and
let the job for three hundred and fifty dollars, to Gustavus
Copley, who is to complete said job by the first of
June 1847 in a good and workmanlike manner. The
undersigned required ^{a bond of said} Copley a bond for the
fulfillment of said contract, which is herewith submitted
for the approval of the board

Transmitted March 2nd 1847

Mathew Rowley }
William H. Miller } Commissioners

It is now here Ordered that Bracket Mills be and
he is hereby appointed to procure and deposit in the
Clerks Office of the County, the following Measures, viz;
One measure of one foot or twelve inches, English measure,
so called. Also one measure of three feet, or thirty six inches
as aforesaid; Also one half bushel measure for dry measure,
which shall contain one thousand and seventy-five and one
fifth solid inches; Also scales for the purpose of weighing
weights, and it is further Ordered that said Articles shall
be procured with as little delay as possible. And the County
Auditor is hereby authorized Ordered & instructed, so soon as
said Mills shall produce to him the certificate of the clerk of the
Circuit Court, that the above named Articles, have been deposited
in his office, to issue Orders, ^{to the persons entitled thereto} for the payment of the same.

Weights & Measures

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District No 1 Knight added

It is now here Ordered that the north half of the north
west quarter of section 27 in Town Six South Range ten west be
taken from road district No 3 in Knight Township, and
added to District No 1 in said Township
Ordered that the board adjourn until
tomorrow morning at nine o'clock

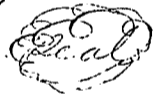
E. Saunders Pres

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It is now here ^{at the same session as 1847 of this board} Ordered that sealed proposals be received for building a ^{wooden} bridge over the bayou near Martin Thibault, the builder to furnish all the materials and furnish a plan to the board at said June session. Said bridge to be built above high water mark

Friday Morning ~~February~~ March 5th 1847 the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday "The Hon The board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh, Biglow Township dep^d Joseph Wheeler one of the justices of peace to submit the following report of the names of persons against whom fines have been assessed, together with the amount and cause thereof for the last twelve months preceeding the first day of March 1847. And also the names of persons paying, with the amount thereof

of State of Indiana
William Hughes: } Assault and battery fine \$20.00
 } Fine paid, by me paid over to Treasurer

This certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct list of fines by me assessed & collected as aforesaid
In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal at Evansville this 5th day of March 1847
Joseph Wheeler J. P. 

Subscribed & sworn before me at Evansville this 5th day of March 1847

William H. Walker J. P. C.

Ord No 512 E \$3.00/100 Ordered that Gustaves Copley be allowed three dollars for furnishing plan of bridge for the County of Vanderburgh to build a bridge over ~~Biglow~~ ^{Biglow} Creek near ~~Simmons~~ ^{Simmons} Ferry

Ord No 513 E \$14.12/100 Ordered that William M. Walker be allowed fourteen dollars and twelve cents for services rendered by the Sheriff ^{of County} at the special January term 1847 of the Vanderburgh Circuit

It is now here Ordered that William Wells be notified requested and required, to finish and complete the bridge over the canal on the road leading from ^{in Vanderburgh County} Evansville to Newburgh in Hancock County, ^{according to a copy of a contract made by him on the 28th day of October 1846} ~~March~~ ^{contracted with this board} to build and finish on or before the first day of ~~January~~ ^{January} 1847 on or before Wednesday March the tenth 1847

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It is now here Ordered that Nathan Rowley and Wm M Walker be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners to contract for the building of a good substantial wooden bridge across the bayou near Martins Stinson, on the road leading from Eansville to Henderson, said bridge to be erected above high water mark, and be completed with as little delay as possible, and that they report to this board at the next session ^{thereof} of this board

Ord No 514 E \$10.00/100 Ordered that Ira P. Graving be allowed ten dollars for 5 days Official services at March Term 1847

Ord No 515 E \$10.00/100 Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed ten dollars for 5 days Official services at the March Term 1847

Ord No 516 E \$10.00/100 Ordered that John Purdie be allowed ten dollars for 5 days Official services as County Commissioner at the March Term 1847

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in course

E Saunders
John Purdie
Ira P. Graving

March 30th 1847 Leasper Seafort having produced to me the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars, I thereupon issued to him a License to vend foreign Merchandise in the County of Vanderburgh for the term of one year from the date hereof.

William H. Walker A. C.

March 18th 1847 John A. Leavel having produced to me the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars, I thereupon issued to him a License to vend foreign Merchandise for one year from January 10th 1847

William H. Walker A. C.

Wauverburgh County March 5th 1847

The board of Commissioners of the County of Wauverburgh in the State of Indiana, having examined the Accounts and proceedings of the County Auditor and Treasurer of said County in relation to the Surplus Revenue fund - See leave to Report.

There was Outstanding on Loans on the 1 st of March 1846	4,279.94
Loaned by Auditor to March 1 st 1847	400.00
Total Loans to March 1 st 1847	4,679.94
Refunded by borrowers to March 1 st 1847	505.01
Outstanding on Loans on March 1 st 1847	\$4,174.93

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Treasurers hands March 1 st 1846	174.08
There has been received since to March 1 1847 as follows, viz:	
From Loans from borrowers	505.01
From interest on Loans	257.67
Total receipts to March 1 st 1847	936.76

Disbursements

Loaned to March 1 st 1847	400.00
Amount drawn by Township Treasurers	231.10
Casual Expenditures	50.29
Total disbursements to March 1 st 1847	681.39
Balance in Treasurers hands March 1 st 1847	\$255.37

The sum of 157⁶⁸/₁₀₀ dollars is supposed to be doubtful, the balance safe

J Saunders
J D Guinger
C M Curtis

Copied & mailed to the Auditor of State's Superintendent of C. S.

Sept 1st Edward Vane having furnished to
 the City Comptroller the necessary receipts for four dollars
 of merchandise received to him a license to vend foreign
 merchandise for one year from the first day of Sept
 A. D. 1847 in bank Comptroller's Office c. l. c.

Sept 7th 1847 Charles & Johnston having furnished to
 the City Comptroller the sum of four dollars
 of merchandise received to them a license to vend foreign merchandise
 for one year from the 2nd day of August 1847
 Office of the City Comptroller c. l. c.

Sept 8th John Parham's having furnished to me the
 City Comptroller's receipt for the sum of four dollars for
 a license to vend foreign merchandise in the City of New York
 a license to vend foreign merchandise in the City of New York
 for one year from the 1st day of December 1846
 Office of the City Comptroller c. l. c.

Sept 13th 1847 J. B. Smith having furnished to me the City
 Comptroller's receipt for four dollars in merchandise received to him
 a license to vend foreign merchandise for one year from
 the 15th day of April 1847 in the City of New York
 Office of the City Comptroller c. l. c.

Special April Session of 1847

As a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana be and hold at the Court House in said County, on Saturday April 3rd A.D. 1847, in pursuance of a Call made by the County Auditor, for the purpose of receiving the bridge over the Canal on the road leading from Evansville to Newburgh, and attending to such other urgent business deemed necessary by said Board.

The members of said Board being all present, to wit: Ezekiel Saunders, Jas P. Granger & John R. Egan they repaired to the bridge over the Canal, built by Mills per Contract and after a thorough examination of said bridge. It is now Ordered that said bridge be accepted by the County Board.

Resd No 611 & \$35.00/100 Ordered that G. Copley be Allowed ^{Twenty five} ~~Twenty~~ Dollars for part of Mills bill for building the bridge over the Canal

Resd No 612 & \$25.00/100 Ordered that G. Copley be Allowed Twenty five Dollars for part of M. Mills bill for building the bridge over the Canal

Resd No 613 & \$35.00/100 Ordered John W. Witz be Allowed ^{thirty five} ~~thirty~~ Dollars for the balance of Mills bill for building ^{bridge} ~~Canal~~ over the Canal

Resd No 614 & \$10.00/100 Ordered that Manson Warner be Allowed ten Dollars to be expended upon the ^{Princeton} road between Evansville & Pigrow Creek, at such points as are now impassable

Resignation of ^{Geo. W. Boswell} Assessor for ^{the} ~~the~~ consideration, his resignation, of the Office of County Assessor. And the Board duly considering said resignation do now here accept the same

Resd No 615 & \$37.12/100 Ordered that Geo W. Boswell be Allowed thirty seven dollars and twelve cents for his bill in full for labor as County Assessor ^{up} to the time of his resignation. per bill on file

Ordered that James S. Walker be and he is hereby appointed ^{for the County of Vanderburgh} County Assessor, to serve until the next general election, and until his successor is elected & qualified. And that he is authorized to enter upon the duties of said Office, so soon as he shall file a bond according to the ^{Provisions} ~~Provisions~~ ^{of the Statutes} Revised, of 1843, with Mr. A. Walker and Geo W. Walker as his securities therein

Resd No 616 & \$2.00/100 Ordered that Jas P. Granger be allowed two dollars for services as County Commissioner at the present term

Resd No 617 & \$3.00/100 Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed two dollars for official services at the Special April Session 1847.

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And the 18th of April 1847 Ordered that John Purts be allowed two dollars for one day Official Service as the Special April Session A.D. 1847

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in Course

By Saunders
John Purts
Leop Grainger

Not accepted
in Compliance
with the
Order
of the
Board

William Holston
I hereby appointed Supervisor of roads
for road district no 1 Centre Township for
the year 1847 to serve ^{until} April 1848 & until his successor
is elected & qualified.
William H. Walker J.P.C.

License

April 15th 1847 John M. Speer having produced to me the County
Treasurers receipt for ten dollars and filed his bond according
to law I thereupon issued to him a License to keep a Grocery
in the County of Vanderburgh for the term of one year
from the 13th day of April A.D. 1847 with a privilege to
retail Spirituous Liquors
William H. Walker J.P.C.

Constables
Bond

April 17th 1847 Salomon Cooker presented to me his
bond as Constable for Knight Township for A.D. 1847
with Congdon Garrett & Joel F. Sherwood as his
Security therein which Bond was approved and
I administered to said Constable the Official Oath
William H. Walker J.P.C.

License

April 17th 1847 John A. Morgan having produced to me the County
Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars I thereupon issued
to him a License to vend foreign Merchandise for one
year from the 20th day of March 1847

Special April Session A.D. 1847

At a called session of the board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana, began and held at the Court house in Evansville on Monday April 19th 1847 for the purpose of allowing Jones & Singer their first installment on the bridge over pigeon ^{Creek}, near Vincennes Ferry, according to contract & for the purpose of approving the action of the committee appointed to build the building of a bridge over the bayou at or near Martin Stewsons in Perry Township. When present

Issued No 6236 \$400.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Jones & Singer be allowed Four hundred dollars for part of his bill for building a bridge over pigeon Creek, near Vincennes ferry, according to Contract.

Issued No 6246 \$1.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Joshua Rowles be allowed one dollar for one day services as ^{clerk of a} special Election held in Perry Township, to elect a justice of the peace

Issued No 6256 \$3.⁹/₁₀₀ Ordered that W. M. Walker Sheriff, be allowed two dollars and ninety one cents for committing, detaining & discharging prisoners to April 9th 1847.

Issued No 6266 \$0.⁷⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be allowed seventy five cents for services as returning judge at the April Election 1847 in Knight Township

Now here Mathew Rowley & Wm Walker the Commissioners heretofore ^{appointed} for the purpose of building the building of a bridge over the bayou near Martin Stewson, ~~thereon they~~ report that they have let the job of repairing said bridge, instead of building a new one, to Wm Mills for the sum of Eighty dollars. This board, to pay for any flooring required for said bridge over and above one thousand feet, plane measure

Issued No 6276 \$2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed two dollars for official services as Commissioner at this term

Issued No 6286 \$2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be allowed two dollars for one day official services at the present term

Issued No 6296 \$2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John Purdie be allowed two dollars for one day official services at the present term

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court is come

E Saunders
John Purdie
Ira P Grainger

In vacation

of South Carolina who was duly elected amenable for the
 township at the Open Election last past. Brothers and Sisters
 as such amenable with other members and other
 as the Records therein which had been approved
 Auditor Office April 29th 1847
 William de Meville dated 25th

Mr. DeBart having presented to me the County
 Receipt for the sum of five dollars he is therefore
 hereby authorized to send for any merchandise in the
 of Merchandise for the term of one year from the 1st day
 of April 1847
 William de Meville A.C.

Deart John having presented to me the County
 Receipt for the sum of ten dollars he is authorized
 to draw all Merchandise to him to have Merchandise
 drawn to keep a Reserve in Cash for the term of
 one year from the 1st day of May 1847 with a
 privilege to make additions
 William de Meville
 May 1st 1847

Auditor Office 2nd C
 May 3rd 1847

William de Meville
 You are hereby authorized to draw on and for
 the District of Columbia for the year 1847 to
 draw with your pleasure to qualify
 William de Meville A.C.

Auditor Office 2nd C
 May 7th 1847

William de Meville
 You are hereby authorized to draw
 of me in and for the District of Columbia
 for the year 1847 and with pleasure to qualify
 William de Meville A.C.

Whereas Jesse Lane did on the 29th day of January 1847 file in the Office of the Auditor of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana, an application in writing verified by his oath from which it appears that said Jesse Lane was the owner by assignment of a Certificate of purchase given by Estabrook Towley as School Commissioner of said County for fractional section number sixteen in Township number seven South of Range number ten west being school land belonging to said Congressional Township and which certificate has been by said Lane lost as appears from the application aforesaid, and it further appears that Jesse Lane aforesaid has fully complied with the requisitions of the 19th section of Chapter 13 of the Revised Statutes of 1843, and that the said Lane having on this the 8th day of May 1847 in pursuance of the application and notice demanded a Certificate for the land so as aforesaid sold and it appearing from the books of the Office of said Auditor that there yet remains unpaid on the land mentioned in said Certificate of purchase the sum of five hundred and one dollar and eight and three quarters cents being the three quarters of the original purchase money, and that said Jesse Lane has faithfully paid up all interest due on said balance of 501 ¹⁸/₁₀₀ dollars, Therefore

It is hereby Certified that Jesse Lane assignee of Joseph Lane assignee of J. E. Goodsell assignee

of J. P. Cockran did on the 15th day of October 1836 purchase of the School Commission of ^{Vanderburgh} County fractional section fifteen in Township seven South of Range ten west for the sum of six hundred and sixty eight dollars and twenty five cents of which there has been paid to the School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County agreeably to law the sum of 106 ⁰⁰/₁₀₀ dollars & interest

Now therefore be it known that if the remaining balance of 501 ¹⁸/₁₀₀ dollars be paid to the School Commissioner of said County or his successor in office, in accordance with the law regulating the sales of school lands in October 1836 then the said Jesse Lane his heirs or assigns shall be entitled to receive a deed for said lot above described. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand as Auditor of the County of Vanderburgh this 8th day of May 1847

William H. Walker A. & C.
 For value received I Jesse Lane do hereby assign transfer and set over to Daniel Siskin Moses Siskin and David Siskin Jr all my right title and interest of in and to the above and foregoing certificate of purchase given under my hand and seal this 8th day of May 1847
 Jesse Lane *(Seal)*

State of Indiana
 Vanderburgh County
 I William H. Walker County Auditor of said do hereby Certify that the above named Jesse Lane this day

personally came before me and acknowledged the above assignment to be his voluntary act and deed for the purposes therein mentioned
Given under my hand and seal this 8th day of May A.D. 1847

William H. Walker Seal
County Auditor.

Recorded May 8th 1847
W. H. Walker Sec

Thomas Smith Esr

Copied May 29 1847

Es hereby Appointed Supervisor of Road District number 1 Centre Township for the year 1847 to serve until the 1st Monday in April 1848 & until his successor is qualified
Auditors Office May 29th 1847

William H. Walker A.C.

Jens Schmoll

Copied May 29 1847

Es hereby Appointed Supervisor of Road District no 7 Perry Township to serve for and during the term of one year from the 1st Monday in April 1847 and until his successor is qualified
May 29th 1847

W. H. Walker A.C.

On Complaint a notice was issued to the Sheriff to examine the South East quarter of the South West quarter of Sec 16 Town 6 Range 10 W & report if any person is committing trespass on said school land

June 4th 1847

W. H. Walker A.C.

For value received we Daniel Aikin Moses Aikin & David Aikin Jr do hereby assign transfer and set over to Perry Aikin all of our right title and interest of in & to the foregoing certificate of purchase Given under our hands and seals this 25th day of September A.D. 1830

Daniel Aikin Seal
Moses Aikin Seal
David Aikin Jr Seal

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County Sec Wm H Walker Auditor of said County do hereby certify that the above named Daniel Aikin Moses Aikin & David Aikin Jr this day personally came before me and acknowledged the above assignment to be his voluntary act and deed for the purposes therein mentioned Given under my hand and the

Official seal of the board of commissioners this 25th day of September 1830 Wm H Walker County Auditor By James S. Walker clerk

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James Jackson J. D. 1847

At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the County
 of Middleburg on the 14th of October, 1847, began with
 held at the Court House, in the City of Greenville, on
 the 14th day of June, 1847, (that being the first Monday
 in said month) when present Ben S. Hargis and John
 W. Smith Esq. One of the members comprising said County
 Board of Commissioners by the other members chosen who
 have here, Edmund Madison James Netherland
 and James McCallister Commissioners respectively of the
 said James McCallister of receiving the charges
 by the Board for the performance of receiving the charges
 from the farms of James Netherland, John P. Rogers,
 James, as ordered, made a sum and record the same
 as contained by the Board of record, and the following
 report, viz: "We the undersigned Officers of the Board
 of Commissioners of Middleburg County at their Board
 Session 1847, to have the charge delivered by James
 Netherland and John P. Rogers in compliance of a Senate
 Order being made and located through their Clerk
 (Charles Hubby Stephens) that on Saturday the 27th day of
 June, we met at John P. Rogers, a Justice of the Peace for
 said township, and by his being duly sworn proceeded
 to the above described farms first and agreed that
 the writ of the said Order should be issued that is
 in (viz) you first should be taken from the lands of
 James Netherland and the land from the lands of the
 late John P. Rogers from the land as before reported
 (viz) and the charge delivered by James Netherland
 in compliance of said Order, we value at three
 Dollars and fifty cents and allowed him a further
 sum of five Dollars as the expenses, in compliance with
 the act to more the same, and the charges, and by
 the late John P. Rogers here in compliance of said Order we
 value at two Dollars and thirty cents
 James Netherland
 Edmund Madison
 James McCallister
 The Board duly considering the foregoing report of James
 McCallister and the same, and it is ordered that said order
 be signed by the Board of Commissioners for the same,
 James Netherland, John P. Rogers, James Netherland
 and John P. Rogers, the same members in the
 Board of Commissioners as before reported by them in
 compliance of said Order, located, as ordered.

Now here Abram Knight & Ephraim Phor two of the Messrs. heretofore appointed, make report in words following, to wit;

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To the Honorable Board of Commissioners for the County of Vanderburgh, we the undersigned, Messrs. appointed by you to view and mark out a private Road from the South East quarter of the North West quarter of Section 27 1/2 in Township 27 1/2 South of Range 10 West at Mariash Woods residence, to intersect the road at or near Arthur McJohnstons in Knight Township, would report that they have viewed and laid out said road, as follows to wit, Commencing at South East corner of the above described tract of land, and running due north, on the line of said quarter section, until it intersect ^{the} road near Arthur McJohnstons all of which is patented

June 7th 1847.

Abram Knight
Ephraim Phor

The Board duly considering said report and the things therein it is ordered that the persons petitioning for said road be authorized to open the same & keep it in good repair, of the width of sixteen feet.

Now here Jesse Sackson Supervisor of road district No. 3 Knight Township for 1846 makes report, which said Supervisor which said report the board now here approves

Robert Wright Supervisor of road district No. 3 Knight Township for 1846 makes report as such Supervisor, which said report the board now here approves

Now here Nicholas Gyle Supervisor of road district No. 6 Armstrong Township for a. s. 1846 comes into Court & makes his report as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here John Jarvis Supervisor of road district No. 4 Perry Township for a. s. 1846. Comes into Court & makes his report as such Supervisor, which report is now here approved

Now here James Hill Supervisor of road district No. 6 in Perry Township for a. s. 1846. Comes into Court & makes his report as such Supervisor, which report is now here approved

Now here Edmund Maidlow Supervisor of road district No. 6 Scott Township for a. s. 1846 Comes into Court & makes his report as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

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Now here Charles Monroe, Supervisor of road district
 No 3 Scott Township for the year 1846. Comes into Court
 and makes his report as such Supervisor. which the board
 now here approves

Now here Simeon Long, Supervisor of road district
 No 4 Union Township for A. D. 1846. Comes into Court
 and makes his report as such Supervisor which
 is now here approved

Now here Supervisor of road district
 No 4 Armstrong for A. D. 1846. Comes into Court
 and makes his report as such Supervisor comes
 into Court and makes report, which is now here
 approved

Now here Michael Mintzer Supervisor of road district
 No 4 German Township for A. D. 1846. Comes into Court
 and makes his report as such Supervisor. which is
 now here approved

Now here Henry S. Harshy, Supervisor of road district No 4
 Scott Township for A. D. 1846. Comes into Court and
 makes his report as such Supervisor. which is now
 here approved

Now here Paul King, Supervisor of road district No 2
 Knight Township for A. D. 1846. Comes into Court and
 makes his report as such Supervisor. which is now
 here approved

Now here Hamilton Garrison Supervisor of road district
 No 3 Union Township for A. D. 1846. Comes into Court and
 makes his report as such Supervisor which is now
 here approved

Now here Marshall McMurran Supervisor of road district
 No 1 Centre Township for A. D. 1846. Comes into Court and
 makes his report as such Supervisor. which is now here
 approved

Now here Thomas McClellan Supervisor of road district No 1
 Scott Township for A. D. 1846. Comes into Court and
 makes his report as such Supervisor. which is now
 here approved.

Now here Mr Egle Supervisor of road district No 5 Scott Township for Ad 1846. Comes into Court and makes his report as such Supervisor which said report is now here approved

James Egle having produced to this board the Certificate of a Physician that his health has been bad for ten years & that he is now labouring under bodily infirmity. It is now here ordered that said James Egle be and he is hereby exempted and excused from road labour so long as such bodily infirmity may continue

Now here Henry Moll Supervisor of road district No 4 Centre Township for Ad 1846. Comes into Court and makes his report as such Supervisor which said report is now here approved

Now here Andrew Goodchalk Supervisor of road district No 2 in Goman Township for Ad 1846. Comes into Court and makes his report as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here Joseph H. Messick Supervisor of road district No 7 Perry Township for Ad 1846. Comes into Court and makes his report as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here Matthew Flannegan Supervisor of road district No 5 Centre Township for Ad 1846. Comes into Court and makes his report as such Supervisor which said report is now here approved

Issd No 11 F \$215.⁰⁰ Ordered that George Bates be Allowed two hundred and fifteen dollars for part of his bill for keeping paupers for one quarter ending June 8th 1847

Issd No 12 F \$35.⁰⁰ Ordered that Geo Bates be Allowed thirty five dollars his bill in full for keeping paupers for one quarter ending June 8th 1847

Issd No 13 F \$27.³³ Ordered that J. W. Dunbar be Allowed twenty seven dollars and twenty three cents for taking to June 1st 1847 furnished Treasury Office

Issd No 14 F \$1.⁵⁰ Ordered that Matthew Flannegan be Allowed one dollar and fifty cents for services as Supervisor in road district No 5 Centre Township for 1846

Issd No 15 F \$5.⁰⁰ Ordered that John A. Baker dole be Allowed five dollars for services repairing bands in road district No 2 Pigeon Township for 1846

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Now here The members of the County board, forming the 'Board of Commissioners' of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana. The County Assessor and Auditor being present. The County Auditor produces to said board the Abstract of property (Personal & Real) Assessed by the County Assessor of said County for the purposes of taxation for State County and road revenue for the year 1847. which Abstract was returned to the County Auditor on the 31st day of May A.D. 1847. And now here the County Commissioners Assessor and County Auditor are formed into a board of Equalization and proceed to the Examination of the said Abstract and to equalize the Assessment so as aforesaid made by adding to or deducting from said list of valuation such sums as may appear to them just and equitable, and to hear and determine the Complaints of any Owner of property or Poll listed. and decide upon and correct the same.

Ordered that the board of Equalization adjourn until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock

It is now here ordered that Jesse Jackson Supervisor of road district No 2 Pigeon Township for 1847. be and he is hereby authorized & instructed to pay John K. Kirtland former supervisor of said road district two dollars & sixty nine cents. Out of the road tax drawn by him from the County Treasury

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Ordered that the Supervisor of road district No 5 Perry Township for 1847. be instructed to pay Milo A. Danby the sum of seven dollars & eighty eight cents out of the road revenue that may come into his hand as such Supervisor. if he shall receive a sufficient sum.

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Ordered that Thomas Smith's Supervisor of road district No 1 Centre Township for 1847 be instructed to pay to M. McMurrian former Supervisor the sum of two dollars and six cents out of the road tax received by him as such Supervisor

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Issued to 16 7 #187 Ordered that Milo A. Danby be allowed one dollar & eighty seven cents for extra labour notifying hand in road district No 5 Perry Township for 1846

Issued No 17 3 #187 Ordered that Andrew Gottchalt be allowed one dollar & eighty seven cents for services as Supervisor of road district No 2 Perry Township for 1846

- Issd No 18 H \$1.50 Ordered that Frederick Stucola, Supervisor of road district No 1 German Township, be Allowed One dollar and fifty Cents for extra services as supervisor of roads for 1846
- Issd No 19 H \$3.00 Ordered that Henry Moll Supervisor of road district No 4 Centre Township for 1846 be Allowed three dollars for extra services on the roads
- Issd No 20 H \$7.12 Ordered that Hamilton Gerrard Supervisor of road district No 3 Union Township for 1846 be Allowed seven dollars & twelve Cents for extra services.
- Issd No 21 H \$2.25 Ordered that Wm. Doyle be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for extra services as Supervisor of road district No Scott
- Issd No 22 H \$2.25 Ordered that Thomas McEntee be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for extra services as Supervisor of road district No 1 Scott Township for A D 1846
- Issd No 23 H \$2.25 Ordered that Robert Wright be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for extra services as Supervisor of road district No 3 German for A D 1846
- Issd No 24 H \$2.25 Ordered that Charles Monroe be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for extra services as Supervisor of road district No 3 Scott for A D 1846
- Issd No 25 H \$2.25 Ordered that Henry F. Hornby be allowed two dollars, twenty five cents for extra services as Supervisor of road district No 4 Scott for A D 1846
- Issd No 26 H \$3.00 Ordered that John John Thelmer be allowed three dollars for extra services as Supervisor of road district No 5 Armstrong for A D 1846
- Issd No 27 H \$0.75 Ordered that John Davis be allowed seventy five cents for extra services as Supervisor of road district No 4 Perry for A D 1846
- Issd No 28 H \$1.37 Ordered that Samuel Kinyon be allowed one dollar & eight seven cents for extra services as Supervisor of road district No 2 Knight for 1846
- Issd No 29 H \$4.50 Ordered that Nicholas Gyle be allowed four dollars and fifty cents for extra services as Supervisor of road district No 6 Armstrong Township for 1846
- Issd No 30 H \$2.62 Ordered that Geo. M. Dowell be allowed two dollars and sixty two cents for extra services as Supervisor of road district No 4 Armstrong for 1846
- Issd No 31 H \$3.00 Ordered that Thomas Hall be allowed two dollars for extra services as ^{elector} Supervisor of road district No An Election held in April 1847 & May of the same year
- Issd No 32 H \$2.25 Ordered that Jesse Jackson be allowed two dollars & twenty five cents for extra services as Supervisor of roads in road district No 3 Knight Township

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- Assd. No 33 A. \$1.50 Ordered that James Wells be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for extra services as Supervisor of road district No 6 Perry Township for 1846
- Assd. No 34 A. \$3.00 Ordered that Edmund Maidlow be allowed three dollars for three days extra services as Supervisor of road district No 6 Scott Township
- Assd. No 35 A. \$2.25 Ordered that Michael Mützer be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for extra services as Supervisor of roads in district No 4 German Township for 1846
- Assd. No 36 A. \$2.00 Ordered that Robert Kightengale be allowed two dollars for two days extra services as Supervisor of Clerk and Judge of an election held in German Township for 1846
- Assd. No 37 A. \$1.00 Ordered that S. R. Hamill be allowed one dollar for services as Clerk of an Election in Pigeon Township in 1847
- Assd. No 38 A. \$2.00 Ordered that John Pettig be allowed two dollars for returning the polls of German Township in August & April last

Now here W. C. Saunders Supervisor of road district No 1 Perry Township for 1846 makes report to this board of his acts and doings as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here Milo A. Daily Supervisor of road district No 5 Perry Township for 1846 makes report to this board of his acts and doings as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here J. N. Kibbendale Supervisor of road district No 2 Pigeon Township for 1846 makes report to this board of his ^{acts} doings as such Supervisor, which report is now here approved

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow ~~evening~~ morning at eight o'clock.

E. Saunders Pres

Tuesday morning at 8 O'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

Now here Leannada Higginbotham Supervisor of Road District No 6 German Township for A. D. 1846, comes into Court and makes his report as such Supervisor which said report is now here approved

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Ordered that the Supervisor of Road District No 6 German Township for 1847; Pay Leannada Higginbotham the former supervisor, two dollars and fifty cents, out of the road tax. the said district

Now here John Sheller Supervisor of road district No 5 Armstrong Township for 1846, comes into Court and makes his report as such Supervisor. which report is now here accepted

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Now here Edmund Rogers and Medley Richey present to the board their petition for a certain change in that part of the road leading from Cynthiana to Columbus described as follows viz; "that it be extended eastward on the Louisville Road to the distance of fifteen Rods, and to be dividing line between Medley Richey & Edmund Rogers. thence along said line fifteen Rods until it intersects said road again" And the board duly considering said petition and the things ^{therein} It is Ordered that the petitioners be and they are hereby authorized to open said road according to the prayer of said petition

Now here Charles Pasaker or Pascher of German Township, applies to the board to be discharged from the liability to work on the public Roads & to pay a Poll and road tax.

And it being shown to the satisfaction of the board that said Charles Pasaker or Pascher is now labouring under a bodily infirmity of a serious nature. It is Ordered that he be hereby exempted from the payment of a Poll tax and Road tax, and from labour upon the public roads, in Vanderburgh County during the continuance of such disability.

Tuesday morning at 10 O'clock the board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment, when the members of said board were all present as yesterday

The board now proceeds to the examination of the Abstract of Polls & Property assessed for 1847

Ordered that the board of Equalization adjourn until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock to Saunders

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Now here Mr Ruston presents his petition for the purpose of obtaining a Tavern License to keep a Tavern in Centre Township for one year from 1st June 1847. Which the board after a due enunciation accept and Approve

Now here James Lealbert supervisor of road district No 1 Township for 1846. Comes into court & makes report of his acts and doing as such supervisor. Which report is here approved

Now here Messrs Witherpoon, Moses Barnes and George B McCutchan viewes heretofore appointed to view out a certain private road in Scott Township. Make their report as follows, to wit;

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Vanderburgh County. We the undersigned viewes appeared before George W. Sharp a Justice of the Peace of the said County of Vanderburgh on the 15th of May 1847, and duly sworn. then proceeded to premises to Home and Browns, and commenced at the East corner of said premises and measured fifty one Rods on the land of John Witherow to a stake on the dividing line, by the lands of John Witherow and Grandison Witherow, thence north fifty nine Rods, through the Harrow, thence continued to the corner until it strikes the land of Carpenter, thence west on the line dividing the lands of Grandison Witherow and Carpenter, Perry, Brumell, and Cathorn, until we intersect the Evansville and Vincennes Road on said line,

We therefore after viewing said premises deem it necessary for the said petitioner to have a private Road located upon the above described Route,

In testimony we have hereunto set our hands, and seals this day and year - Above written

Moses Witherpoon (Seal)
Moses Barnes (Seal)
George B. McCutchan (Seal)

And now here at the same time. Come Grandison Witherow and John Witherow, and file with the board a remonstrance against opening the road according to the view aforesaid. And the board duly considering the reports and remonstrance. It is now here ordered that the report aforesaid be adopted and approved and that William Palmer, Thomas Anderson and Moses Lealbert be and they are hereby appointed

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Commissioners to examine the road designated in the foregoing report, and report to this board at its March Session the damages sustained, by Grandison and John Matherow in consequence of the location of said private road upon the lands designated in said report, belonging to them

Now here John Edward Supervisor of Road district No. 1 Union Township for 1846. Comes into Court & makes report of his acts and doing as such Supervisor, which report is now here approved

Now here John Wrightgale Supervisor of road district No. 1 Pigeon Township for 1846. Comes into Court, and makes report of his acts and doing as such Supervisor and the board duly considering said report now here approve the same

Now here J. M. Stephens Esq. and Samuel McLeitchan and Thomas Hall Viewers heretofore appointed by an Order of this board to view a certain road therein named, come in to Court and make report, of their acts and doing, in the ends and figures following, to wit;

To the honorable the board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh. In pursuance of an Order of this honorable board herewith returned, we the undersigned, appointed by the said Order to view and lay out the road therein mentioned, have viewed and laid out the same, and return it as a road of great utility to John Inwood, and other citizens of Centre Township, as follows, to wit; Beginning at the South East Corner of John Inwoods land and running thence South one mile to two small Dogwoods and white Oak as we marked, and stepped it, thence S 40° E 80 paces, to the mouth of Muddy Branch, thence E 20° N 35 paces across the mouth of said Creek to the opposite Bank, thence S 70° E 120 paces, to the Petersburg road, which is respectfully submitted

Witness our hands this 29th day of March 1847

J. M. Stephens
Samuel McLeitchan
Thomas Hall

The Above hearings were taken with a pocket compass and may not be correct

J. M. Stephens
Samuel McLeitchan
Thomas Hall

Ordered that the petitioners Open the aforesaid road and keep the same in travelling Order

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Now hear Samuel McCutchan Supervisor of road district No 3 Centre Township for the year 1846. Comes into Court and makes report of his acts and proceedings as such Supervisor, which report is now approved

Now hear John S. Jerry Supervisor of road district No 1 Knight Township for a. d. 1846. Comes into Court and files his report as such Supervisor which report is now approved

Ord No 39 $\$1.42$ Ordered that D. D. Grimes be allowed one dollar and forty two cents, for a premium on nine pounds and a half of cocoons of silk produced under his immediate care

Ord No 40 $\$3.00$ Ordered that Saml. McCutchan be allowed three dollars for services as Judge of Elections in Centre Township,

Ord No 41 $\$1.00$ Ordered that Wm Whittlesy be allowed one dollar for 3 finger boards in Centre Township

Ord No 42 $\$2.50$ Ordered that John S. Jerry be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for services as Supervisor of roads in 1846 in district No 1 Knight Township

Ord No 43 $\$2.00$ Ordered that Charles Jones Supervisor of road district No. be allowed two dollars for services as Supervisor of roads in 1846

Ord No 44 $\$2.00$ Ordered that Saml. Keatwell be allowed two dollars, for services as Supervisor in road district No 1 Armstrong Township for 1846

Ord No 45 $\$5.25$ Ordered that Leannada Higgenbotham be allowed five dollars & twenty five cents for services as Supervisor for 1846, in road district No 6 German Township

Ord No 46 $\$2.50$ Ordered that Saml. J. Jenkins be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for recording indentures of paupers

Ord No 47 $\$5.00$ Ordered that Saml. J. Jenkins be allowed twenty five dollars for Ex Officio services as Clerk of the Circuit Court to June 26th 1847

Ord No 48 $\$25.00$ Ordered that W. H. Walker a. c. be allowed twenty five dollars for Ex Officio services as County Auditor to June 1st 1847

Ord No 49 $\$31.20$ Ordered that Saml. J. Jenkins be allowed thirty one dollars & twenty cents for cash paid for Stationery for Clerk & Recorder's Office

Ord No 50 $\$3.75$ Ordered that Saml. McCutchan be allowed three dollars & seventy five cents for services as Supervisor in Centre Township in 1846

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Ordered that Samuel McCutchan, be authorized to receive from the Supervisor of road district No 3 Centre Township for 1847, the sum of four dollars, which said McCutchan paid for a scraper for the use of said road district, and the present Supervisor is hereby authorized and required to pay said McCutchan the aforesaid sum, out of the road tax in his hands if he may receive an amount sufficient.

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Ord No 51 A \$3.00 Ordered that Martin Schmale be allowed three dollars for services as Inspector of Elections in 1847

Ord No 52 A \$25.00 Ordered that James J. Walker Assessor for 1847 be allowed twenty five dollars for part of his bill for assessing revenue for 1847

Ord No 53 A \$20.00 Ordered that James J. Walker be allowed twenty dollars for services as assessor for 1847

Now here Paul Orr and others, Citizens of Pigeon Scott and Centre Townships present to the board a petition praying for a public Highway leading from Burto Stone by way of the Chew Bridge across Pigeon Creek to the Old Whetston place or Ferry to the town of Evansville. The whole route to run as near the Old Arizonal track as may be found practicable, for the public benefit. And the board duly considering said petition, and the proof thereon It is Ordered that Edmund Maidlow, Andrew Enslin and Philip Hornbrook, be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view and mark a route for a road as contemplated by said petition.

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Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 O'clock

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Wednesday morning at nine o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

Now here S. W. Cochran supervisor of road district No 6 Knight Township for 1846. Comes into court & makes report of his act & doing as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here Robert W. Dunbar County Treasurer for the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana comes into court and files his report showing the appropriations of the Treasury for the year ending May 31st 1847, and showing also a balance remaining in the County Treasury at the end of the last financial year of the different funds of Three Thousand Six hundred and twenty six dollars and seventy three cents. And the board having duly examined said report, and counted the money in the County Treasury. Now here approve said report, and order that it be placed on file.

Now here R. W. Dunbar Treasurer of the County of Vanderburgh comes into court and files his quarterly report as such Treasurer & the board duly examining said report now here approve the same.

Now here Adam Fisher Supervisor of road district No 2 Union Township for 1846, comes into court & files a report of his act and doing as such Supervisor & the board duly considering said report & the thing therein now here approve the same

Now here R. W. Dunbar Treasurer makes and files with the County board an affidavit in relation to the funds in the County Treasury at time of settlement. It is now here ordered that said affidavit be placed on file

At ten o'clock Wednesday morning the Equalization board met pursuant to adjournment when all the members of said board were present as yesterday

Ordered that the Board of Equalization adjourn until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock

And do 1057 1/2⁰⁰ Ordine that J. H. Meuser's supervisor of road district No. Piny for 1846 be allowed 2⁰⁰ 1/2⁰⁰ dollars.

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- No 52 A \$1.00 Ordered that John Clarke be allowed one dollar for services as clerk at an Election in Centro Township in 1847
- Issd No 55 A \$20.00 Ordered that Wm M. Walker be allowed twenty dollars for his Office services as Sheriff of the County to June 7th 1847
- Issd No 56 A \$8.00 Ordered that Benoni Stinson be allowed Eight dollars for labor on bridge at Wagnons Creek
- Issd No 57 A \$3.00 Ordered that Hosea Giffin be allowed three dollars for Extra services as Supervisor to June 1 1846
- Issd No 58 A \$2.25 Ordered that Adam Fisher be allowed two dollars, and twenty five cents, for services as Supervisor of road district No 2 Union
- Issd No 59 A \$50.00 Ordered that W. Carpenter be allowed fifty dollars for 1 quarter cent of Poor house to June 8th 1847
- Issd No 60 A \$11.07 Ordered that W. H. Walker County Auditor be allowed eleven dollars and seven cents for Hays Cash paid for Stationary and making Maps.
- Issd No 61 A \$50.00 Ordered that W. H. Walker County Auditor be allowed fifty dollars for services as County Auditor to June 1847 pr bill filed
- Issd No 62 A \$43.34 Ordered that W. H. Walker County Auditor be allowed forty three dollars & thirty four cents for Auditing for County pr bill filed
- Issd No 64 A \$20.00 Ordered that Wm Mills be allowed twenty dollars for repairing the bayou bridge per contract
- Issd No 65 A \$20.00 Ordered that Wm Mills be allowed twenty dollars for repairing the bayou bridge per contract
- Issd No 66 A \$20.00 Ordered that Wm Mills be allowed twenty dollars for repairing the bayou bridge per contract
- Issd No 67 A \$10.00 Ordered that Wm Mills be allowed ten dollars for repairing the bayou bridge per contract
- Issd No 68 A \$10.00 Ordered that Wm Mills be allowed ten dollars for repairing the bayou bridge per contract

Now here Wm M. Walker One of the Commissioners heretofore Appointed to Contract for repairing the bayou bridge, near Martin Stinsons, Comes into Court and makes report, in words following, to wit;

To the Honourable the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County,

The Committee Appointed by this Board, to Contract for building a bridge, beg leave further to report, that in pursuance of the former report, William Mills, who took the contract for eight dollars

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has finished said work according to agreement
 Ennisville June 7th 1847

Wm. Walker

The Board duly considering said report and the things therein it is now here Ordered that the same be approved

Ordered that the board adjourns until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock

To Saunders Pres

Thursday Morning June 10th At nine o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

Thursday Morning at ten o'clock the board ^{of Equalization} met pursuant to adjournment, when the members composing said board were present as yesterday

The Board of Equalization proceeds to the examination of the List of Property & Polls Assessed & Valued by the County Assessor & make the following changes in the Valuations made by the Assessor for the purpose of making the valuations on the said list, more just & equitable, viz

S. C. Beate's list	changed from 00 valuation to	400
M. J. Gray list	do do 250 do to	300
J. W. Roffindick	do do 00 do to	100
J. Burkhardt	do do 1000 do to	2000
Rement & Vile	do do 10345 do to	20000
Charles Bates & Co	do do 150 do to	250
Coffitto Wm	do do 50 do to	100
Chandler W. H.	do do 250 do to	500
Quinn. C. H.	do do 00 do to	100
Griffith C. M.	do do 2500 do to	3000
John Smith	do do 150 do to	300
Kemper John	do do 00 do to	100
Laughlin A. H.	do do 8600 do to	12000
Laughlin James	do do 10000 do to	12000
Laycock S. S.	do do 300 do to	500
Malheur S. M.	do do 10500 do to	15000
Morcross W. A.	do do 00 do to	500
Carpenter Willard	Improvement on Lot 86, ^{annually} from 3000 to	1500
Parley S. W.	Improvement on Lot 85 raised from 750 to	1200
Hinson John M.	personal property from 2000 to	2500

Ordered that the Sheriff notify the foregoing persons of the changes made ^{in the lists} and that if they have any ~~other~~ Complaints to make in consequence thereof to appear before the board at the present session. And the board

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will hear and consider the same

Ordered that the Board of Equalization adjourn until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock
 & Saunders Pres

Issd No 69th \$12⁵⁰ Ordered that John A. Kirkendall be Allowed Twelve dollars and fifty cents, for one quarter service as County Agent to June 1st 1847

Issd No 70th \$1⁰⁰ Ordered that J. Gumberts be Allowed one dollar for services as Judge of an April Election held in Pigeon Township in 1847

Issd No 71st \$2⁰⁰ Ordered that Martin Stinson be Allowed Two dollars for repairs on the bayou bridge near his residence

Issd No 72nd \$3⁰⁰ Ordered that Wm. M. Walker be Allowed Three dollars for services as Commissioner letting the contract for building the bayou bridge

Issd No 73rd \$1⁰⁰ Ordered that J. M. McBriff be Allowed one dollar for services as Clerk at the last April Election held in Pigeon Township.

Issd No 74th \$5⁶³ Ordered that S. B. Carpenter be Allowed Five dollars & sixty three cents, for tax by him paid on school land not taxable

Ordered that a License issue to John Heinrich to vend foreign Merchandise for Vanderburgh County, for one year from the first day of June 1847, on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Ordered that a License issue to J. W. Reily to vend foreign Merchandise for the term of one year in the County of Vanderburgh, from June 1st 1847, on their producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Ordered that a License issue to John A. Leavelle to vend foreign Merchandise for the term of one year from the first ~~Monday~~ ^{day} in June 1847, on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

Ordered that a License issue to Decker & Stramer to vend foreign Merchandise in Vanderburgh County for the term of one year from the first day of June 1847 on their producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars &c

Ordered that a License issue to John M. App to vend foreign Merchandise for the term of one year from the first Monday in June 1847, in the County of Vanderburgh, on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

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Ordered that a license issued to Oliver Vadd
to vend foreign merchandize in Vanderburgh County
for the term of one year from the first day of June
1847 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt
for the sum of Five Dollars

Ordered that ^{a license copy to} John C. Hopkins to vend foreign
Merchandize in Vanderburgh County for the term of
one year from the first day of June 1847 on his
producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of
Five Dollars.

Ordered that a license issued to John H. Magke. Her
to vend foreign merchandize in the County of Vanderburgh
for the term of one year from the first day of June 1847 on
their producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of
Seven Dollars and fifty cents

Ordered that a license issued to J. H. Pollardick
to vend foreign merchandize in Vanderburgh County for
the term of one year from the first Monday in June 1847
on his production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum
of Five Dollars

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow
morning at nine o'clock E. Saunders Pres

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Today Morning June the Eleventh the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

Now her the County Auditor submits to the board to the board the statement of receipts and expenditure for the year 1846 ending on the 31st day of May 1847 which having duly considered it is now her ordered that it be approved by the board and that it be published according to law

The Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court produces to the board a report of the fines assessed at the Vanderburgh Circuit Court at its March Term 1847 and of the fines collected since the last report and the ^{board} duly considering said report now her approve the same

Friday Morning June the Eleventh the board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment when the members of said board were present as yesterday

John Burdank appears before said board pursuant to notice & being sworn answers such question as the board deems requisite and upon such examination it is considered that John Burdank's taxable property was properly valued by the County Appraiser at 1,000 dollars

Now her the board of Equalization changes the valuation of personal property entered to the following named persons as follows, viz;

David Aikin Esqr	raised from 400 to	1,400
Mass Aikin	" " 400 to	1,400
Daniel Aikin	" " 400 to	1,400

John Ho Maghee and Charles Vile owners of the firm of Bennett and Vile, appears before the Board, and complain that the lists of personal property as equalized by this board is higher than in value than justice and equity requires and upon duly considering their complaints the board finds their valuation as follows, viz;

John Ho Maghee & Co	as	12,000
Bennett & Vile	as	12,000

Ordered that the Board of Equalization adjourn until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock
J Saunders prest

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The board of County Commissioners, now proceed to the transaction of the regular business before the County board

Supervisor

Now here John Green Supervisor of road district No 4 Pigeon Township for 1846 makes report of his Act and Doing as such Supervisor which report the board now here approve

Constables Bond

Now here Edward Williamson produces his bond as Constable in and for Union Township in the penal sum of three hundred dollars with Nelson Hook and Samuel Williamson as his Sureties thereon. And the board duly considering said bond and Surety accept and approve the same

Constables Bond

Now here Herman Nelson Constable elect for Pigeon Township produces his bond as such Constable in the penal sum of One thousand dollars with Joseph P. Elliott and John R. McLean as his Sureties thereon. And the board duly considering said bond and security approve the same

Issd No 75 \$ 3 25 Ordered that David Aikens Jr be allowed three dollars and twenty five cents for services as supervisor of road district No 5 King Township for 1846

Issd No 76 \$ 1 00 Ordered that Edward Williamson be allowed one dollar for services as Constable at a coroners inquest in Union Township

Issd No 77 \$ 40 06 Ordered that Wm. H. Alder be allowed forty dollars and six cents for committing, detaining and discharging prisoners to June 12th 1847

Constables Bonds

Now here Joel H. Sherwood one of the Constables elected at the last April Election for Pigeon Township comes in to Court and produces his bond as such Constable in the penal sum of One thousand dollars with Isaac Hutchinson and Martin Schmall as his Sureties thereon, and the board duly considering said bond and Surety now here approve the same

License

Order that a License issue to Babcock Brothers to vend foreign Merchandise in the County of Vanderburgh for the term of One year from the first of June 1847 on their producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of seven dollar & fifty cents

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Now here the Board levies and fixes the taxes for the year 1847, as follows, to wit;

For the purposes of State Revenue at the rate of twenty five cents on each one hundred dollars of the value of all property entered for taxation in the general list of taxable. And twenty five cents on each Poll Subject by law to taxation. And that in addition to the above, ~~the Board~~ ^{the Board} levies and fixes the board levies and fines the following rates, viz: One cent for the Asylum of the Insane, one cent and five mills for a Deaf and Dumb Asylum, and one cent for the Education of the blind, on each and every one hundred dollars of the value of all property entered for taxation as aforesaid.

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And for purposes of County Revenue, for the County of Vanderburgh, for the year aforesaid, the Board ^{now raises} fixes the rates of taxation on all property entered and valued for taxation in the general list of taxable, as follows, viz: On each one hundred dollars valuation, at forty cents, and on each and every Poll Subject by law to taxation twenty five cents

It is now here Ordered: that the sum of Two hundred dollars be, and it is hereby Appropriated, out of the Revenue of the County, for the purpose of repairing the road leading from Evansville to ~~the~~ ^{to be extended} Princeton, ~~on that part of said road leading from Pigeon Creek to Evansville,~~ and it is further Ordered that Alanson Warner be, and he is hereby Appointed to superintend said repairs, to said road, and the County Auditor is Authorized & required to issue Orders on the Order of said Warner, ^{for the amount expended by him} for said repairs, as they ^{progress, or as they} ~~may~~ ^{may} be proper to draw said funds. And that he ^{report} ~~report~~ to this Board at its subsequent term. And it is understood that said Alanson Warner is to superintend said repairs free of charge to the County.

2000
Appropriated
to
Princeton Road

It is now here Ordered that the sum of Sixty Dollars be and it is hereby Appropriated, for the purpose of repairing the Logway and Bridge, near Carpenter's Mill at Pigeon Creek, on the Mount Vernon road. The Logway & bridge to be raised three feet above its present height, and completed in a good substantial workman like manner and it is further Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be Appointed to superintend the aforesaid Appropriation, with the understanding that said job is to be completed by subscription if said sum be not sufficient, without a further call upon the County and said sum is not to be used unless said job be certainly completed, and that the Auditor be authorized

60
near
Carpenter's Mill

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Appointments of
E. Saunders

and required to issue Orders to Ezeziel Saunders, to the amount of said Appropriation, on the Orders of said E. Saunders. And it is further Ordered that all Orders Appropriating funds on ~~the~~ Logway & bridge Afoused, whereon the funds have not been drawn be and the same are hereby Reversed and Annulled.

Contract with
Smith & Fairchild

Now from the board lets to Ira A. Fairchild & Thomas Smith Jr the building of wings to the Pigeon bridge on the Pointon Road. Said wings to be built to correspond with the present bridge in every particular, except that the sides for the support of the weatherboarding and roof, to be built with studding ^{placed} instead of 2 feet apart instead of the cross ties, or lattice work of the old bridge, said wings to project ten feet beyond the ends of the present bridge. - The ^{work on the} ends of the present bridge to be taken off, and placed upon the end of the bridge. After the wings have been added, and the whole to be done and completed in a good workmanlike manner to the satisfaction of the board, for the sum of eighty dollars & that Fairchild & Smith enter into a contract with this board without delay.

Issued No 78 A \$10.00 Ordered that Ezeziel Saunders be allowed Ten dollars for 5 days Official services at June Session 1847

Issued No 79 A \$10.00 Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be allowed Ten dollars for 5 days Official services at June Session 1847

Issued No 80 A \$10.00 Ordered that John Purdie be allowed Ten dollars for 5 days Official services at the June Session 1847

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in Course

E. Saunders
Ira P. Grainger
John Purdie

June Session of Equalization Board

Saturday Morning June 12th 1847 The members of the Equalization board met pursuant to adjournment when the members composing said board were present as yesterday

Now here the board fixes the valuation of property listed to the following named persons, who being notified have failed to appear before the board as follows, to wit;

John Beakes	from	00	-	to	100		\$ 100
J. H. Papandick	from	00		to			" 100
M. J. Bray	from	250		to			" 300
Charles Bates	do	150		to			" 250
Mr. Leffitt	"	50		to			" 100
W. H. Chandler	"	250		to			" 500
C. K. Drew	"	00		to			" 100
C. M. Griffith	"	2500		to			3000
John Goubr	"	150		to			300
Kunzer John	"	00		to			100
A. Laughlin	"	8600		to			12000
James Laughlin	"	10000		to			12000
S. J. Vayes	"	300		to			500
W. A. Norcross	"	00		to			500
J. W. Peely	Impruned	at lot 85		to	750		1200
John M. Stearn	from	2000		to			2500

Now here upon an examination of the following lists, the board now here make the changes therein as follows, viz;

Wm C. Blackburn	from	25	to	100
Robert Gray	from	100	to	250
Geo. Sharp	"	150	to	250
John Whitehead	"	1200	to	4000
J. H. Hasey	"	700	to	1400
Christopher Stouty	"	165	to	300
Patrick Keagen	"	25	to	150
Michael Mintzer	"	135	to	250

The board of Equalization having finished the examination of the Abstract of Property and Polls returned by the County assessor for the year 1847. It is considered that the foregoing alterations and corrections on said Abstract are necessary to make the valuation on said Abstract just and equitable

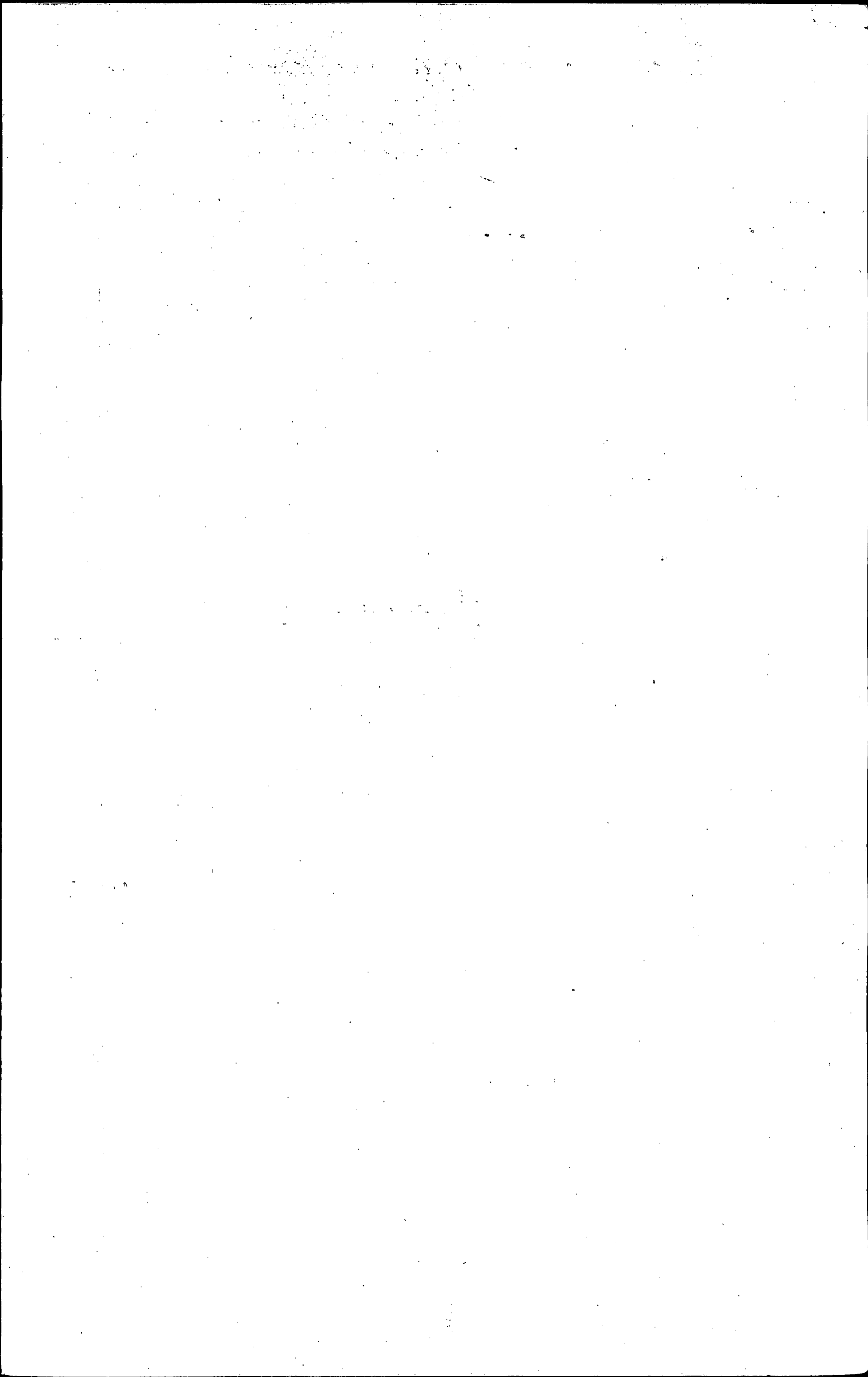
Resolved \$1.00 Ordered that E. Saunders be allowed two dollars for one days service as a member of the board of Equalization, at the June Term a 1847

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- Ord No 82 $\$2.00$ ordered that Ira P. Grainger be
 Allowed Two dollars for nine days services as a member of
 the board of Equalization at the June Term 1847.
- Ord No 83 $\$2.00$ Ordered that John Curtis be Allowed
 Two dollar for ~~two~~ nine days services as a member of the board
 of Equalization at the June session, 1847.
- Ord No 84 $\$12.00$ Ordered that James J. Walker County
 Assessor be Allowed Twelve dollars for his days services as
 a member of the board of Equalization at the June session
 A. D. 1847.
- Ord No 85 $\$12.00/100$ Ordered that William H. Walker
 County Auditor be Allowed Twelve dollars for his
 days services as a member of the board of Equalization
 at the June session A. D. 1847.

Ordered that the board of Equalization adjourn
 sine die

E. Saunders }
 Ira P. Grainger } County Commissioners
 John Curtis }
 James J. Walker County Assessor
 William H. Walker A. D. C.



Special June Session A.D. 1847

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana. began and held at the Court House in Evansville on Saturday January 12th at 11 o'clock P.M. 1847, in pursuance of a call made by the County Auditor. When present Ezekiel Saunders, Ira P. Granger and John Purts. Members composing said Board

Contract with J. Echols

And now here the board agreed with John Echols to purchase the thirty acre tract of land on the Princeton Road near Evansville, heretofore purchased by said Echols from Thomas Worth, for which tract of land the board agree to pay said Echols sixteen hundred dollars in the manner specified in the title Bond for said land, this day given by said Echols, to this Board; to which Bond reference is hereby made for full terms of said Contract,

Ordered that W. H. Chandler be allowed $\$5.00/100$ Five dollars for publishing a statement of receipts & Expenditures for 1847 for the County of Vanderburgh

Supervisor
Copies

Ordered that Moses Colvin be appointed Supervisor of road district No 2 Scott Township for 1847 to serve until the next April Election & until his successor is qualified

Supervisor
Copies

Ordered that Wm Barrage be appointed Supervisor of road district No 5 Scott Township for as long to serve until the next April Election & until his successor is qualified

Supervisor
Copies

Order that E. Saunders be appointed Supervisor of road district No 1 Perry Township for as long 1847 to serve until the next April Election and until his successor is qualified.

Ordered that the board adjourn until next in course

E. Saunders
John Purts
Ira P. Granger

Auditors Office June 12th 1847

Cincora Long

Supervisor
Copied

Is hereby appointed supervisor of roads in and for road district No 4 Cincora Township to serve until the next April Election and until his successor is qualified
Wm H. Walker A. C.

Auditors Office July 24th 1847

Hugh McLerany

Supervisor
Copied July 24 1847

Is hereby appointed supervisor of roads in and for road district No 4 Perry Township ^{the next April election until} to serve until his successor is qualified
Wm H. Walker A. C.

Auditors Office August 27th 1847

James Keel

Supervisor
Copied Aug 27th 1847

Is hereby appointed supervisor of roads in and for road district No 4 Perry Township to serve for one year from the first Monday in April 1847 and until his successor is qualified
William H. Walker A. C.

Special Term Session 1847

At a Special Session, of The board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana held at the Court House in Evansville on Monday June 28th 1847 at 11 o'clock P.M. in pursuance of a Call made by the County Auditor for the purpose of making an Allowance to Jones & Singer for labour done on the frame of a bridge to be built at Vincennes Ferry, on Tigeon Creek per Contract and for the purpose of transacting such other business deemed urgent by said board when present Ezekiel Saunders Ira P. Gounger and John Rust's Esq. members composing said County board

Ord. No 106 $\$100.00/100$ Ordered that Jones & Singer be allowed one hundred dollars for labour on bridge at Vincennes Ferry per Contract

Ord. No 107 $\$100.00/100$ Ordered that Jones & Singer be allowed one hundred dollars for labour on the bridge at Vincennes Ferry per Contract

Ord. No 108 $\$100.00/100$ Ordered that Jones & Singer be allowed one hundred dollars for labour on the bridge at Vincennes Ferry per Contract

Ord. No 109 $\$100.00/100$ Ordered that Jones & Singer be allowed one hundred dollars for labour on the bridge at Vincennes Ferry per Contract

Supervisors Report
Now here Jacob Dancer Supervisor of roads in and for road district No 5 German Township for 1846 files his report as such Supervisor. And the board approve the same

Ord. No 110 $\$3.00/100$ Ordered that Jacob Dancer be allowed three dollars for services as Supervisor of roads in road district No 5 German Township for 1846

Ord. No 111 $\$2.00/100$ Ordered that E. Saunders be allowed two dollars for one day Official Service as a member of the County board at Special Term Session 1847

Ord. No 112 $\$2.00/100$ Ordered that Ira P. Gounger be allowed two dollars for one day Official Service as a member of the County board at the Special Term Session 1847

Ord. No 113 $\$2.00/100$ Ordered that John Rust be allowed two dollars for one day Official Service as a member of the County board at the Special Term Session 1847

Ord. No 114 $\$2.50/100$ Ordered that Eaton & Hugg be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for furnishing materials and putting up shelving in Clerk's office

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court
in Course

E Saunders
J W Granger
John Purvis

Whereas John Verwaayen did on the twenty first day of
June A.D. 1847. produce to the undersigned William H. Parker
County Auditor, in and for the County of Vanderburgh in
the State of Indiana, the School Commissioner Receipts for
the sum of One hundred and fifty nine dollars and
thirteen cents, in full for the purchase of lot number one
The North East quarter of the North East quarter of section sixteen
in Township six South of Range number eleven West, said tract
being part of the section belonging to the Congressional
Township aforesaid, and whereas said tract of land having
been sold by the School Commissioner, and forfeited to the
Township for the non payment of interest due thereon
was duly advertised and offered for sale on the
nineteenth day September A.D. 1845. As provided
by the thirteenth Article of Chapter thirteen of the
Revised Statutes of 1843. and failed to sell for want of bidder

Therefore know ye, that in Consideration of the premises
and in Conformity with the Statutes in such Case
made and provided. I William H. Parker County
Auditor, in and for the County of Vanderburgh in
the State of Indiana aforesaid, for and in the name of
the Inhabitants of Congressional Township number
six, South of Range number eleven West, in the County
and State of Aforesaid, do give and grant the said
North East quarter of the North East quarter, of section
sixteen, in Township six South of Range eleven West,
to John Verwaayen, and his heirs and assigns
for ever



In witness whereof I William H. Parker County
Auditor for the County of Vanderburgh aforesaid
have hereunto set my hand and affixed my
Official Seal at Evansville the 1st day of July A.D.
1847.

witness
Bracket Mills S.C.V.C.
State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } S

William H. Parker A.C.

I Manuel S. Jenkins Recorder
in and for said County do hereby certify that the above

named William H. Walker personally came before me this day & acknowledged the foregoing to be his voluntary Act and deed

Given under my hand and seal at Edinville the 1st day of July A. D. 1847

James J. Jenkins Seal
By R. Jenkins Deft

Recorded July 7th 1847
Wm H. Walker ac

Auditors Office V. C.
July 8th 1847

Supervisor

Accepted # 124
July 9th 1847

John Bohol

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in and for road district No 3 in Pigeon Township for A. D. 1847 to serve until the next General Election and until your successor is qualified
William H. Walker A. C.

License

Issued a license to Henry Mitchell to vend foreign Merchandise in Vanderburgh County for the term of One year from and after the 17th day of July 1847, he having produced to me the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

July 17th 1847

Wm H. Walker A. C.

License

Issued a license to John A. Meller to vend foreign Merchandise in the County of Vanderburgh for One year from the 17th day of July A. D. 1847, he having produced the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

July 17th 1847

William H. Walker A. C.

License

Issued a license to Charles Bates to vend foreign Merchandise in Vanderburgh County for One year from the first Monday in June 1847 on the production of the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

July 28th 1847

William H. Walker A. C.

J

Pedlar's License

Issued a License to Michael Hauerrow & Co to vend foreign merchandize, ^{as a Pedlar} in the County of Vanderburgh for the term of one year from the end day of August 1847
Aug 2nd 1847
Wm H. Walker A. V. C.

Licence

Issued a License to M. Mintzer to keep a Tavern in German townships with a privilege to retail Spirituous Liquors for one year from the first day of July 1847
Aug 3rd 1847

Auditors Office V. C.
August 10th 1847

David. Stephens

Supervisor

Expire

You are hereby Appointed Supervisor of roads in and for road District No 6 Perry Township, for the year 1847, to serve until the next April election and until your Successor is qualified

William H. Walker A. V. C.

Supervisor

Issued a License to Valentine Kramer & Prother to vend foreign merchandize in this County one year from the 26th day of August 1847
Aug 25th 1847
Wm H. Walker A. V. C.

Auditors Office
Vanderburgh County Aug 19th 1847

No 2

Certif
for
School Land

It is hereby certified, that Henry Rackefus did on this day purchase of the School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County, at Evansville, the lot or north west quarter of the North East quarter of Section Sinteew, Township Six South of Range Number eleven west, containing ^{thirty} nine ^{sq} 1/100 acres, for the sum of 160 ⁷⁹ 1/100 dollars, of which there was paid to the School Commissioner 50 ³⁰ 1/100 dollars for interest due upon said lot at the time of said purchase, also 26 ²⁵ 1/100 dollars for one fourth of the principal on the purchase, and 5 ⁵⁰ 1/100 dollars for one year interest in advance on the residue.

Now Therefore Be It Known, That if the remaining balance of 78 ⁷⁵ 1/100 dollars be paid to the School Commissioner of said County or his Successor in Office or legal representative, at the expiration of twenty five years from the date hereof, with seven per cent interest thereon, payable annually in advance, the same being sold agreeably to the provisions of Art. 18, Chapter 13 of the Revised Statutes of 1843, then the said Henry Rackefus shall be entitled to receive a deed for said lot above described

William H. Walker A. V. C.
Pracker Mills I. C. V. C.

Recorded Aug 26th 1847
W. H. Walker are

Certif
for
School Land

James Moffett having this day purchased the South East quarter of the South West quarter of Section Number Twenty seven in Township Number five south of Range number ten west, in Vanderburgh County Indiana (it being a part of the East half of the South West quarter of said section number Twenty seven, which was by a decree of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court at their June Term in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and thirty nine, declared forfeited for the non payment of taxes, and the title thereto vested in the State of Indiana for school purposes in Vanderburgh County) for the sum of two hundred and thirty dollars, of which he has paid seventy dollars and eighty cents being one fourth part of the purchase money, and one year interest in advance on the residue of the principal, which is one hundred and eighty dollars and payable in ten years from this date, together with six percent interest thereon annually in advance, and if full payment of said principal and interest be made within ten years from this date then said James Moffett his assigns or representatives shall be entitled to a deed conveying all the right title interest and claim of the State of Indiana, as in or to said quarter quarter section of land, above described. But on failure to pay said interest for any year, or the residue of the said principal, for six months after

either become due, and also interest at the rate of one hundred per cent per annum after either principal or interest has been due sixty days, until paid, the said tract of land and all payments therefor made thereon, and the contract of sale shall be forfeited, and revert to said State of Indiana for School purposes in Vanderburgh County.

Witness my hand and seal this 14th day of December A.D. 1839
Chas. D. Bourne Seal
Acting School Commissioner V.C.

Recorded Aug 26th 1847

Read for School Land

Whereas James Moffitt did on the twenty eighth day of August A.D. 1847 produce to the undersigned, William H. Walker Auditor of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana a certificate of purchase in writing, in the words and figures, following, to wit;

"James Moffitt having this day purchased the South East quarter of the South West quarter of Section Number twenty seven in Township Number five, South of Range Number Tery West, in Vanderburgh County Indiana (it being a part of the East half of the South West quarter of said Section Number Twenty seven, which was by a decree of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court at their June Term 1838 the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & thirty nine declared forfeited for the non payment of taxes, and the title thereto vested in the State of Indiana for School purposes in Vanderburgh County,) for the sum of two hundred and forty dollars, of which he has paid seventy dollars and eighty cents, being one fourth part of the purchase money, and one year interest in advance on the residue of the principal which is one hundred and eighty dollars, and payable in ten years from this date together with six per cent interest thereon annually in advance, and if full payment of said principal and interest be made within ten years from this date, then the said James Moffitt his assigns or representatives shall be entitled to a deed conveying all the right title interest and claim of the State of Indiana of in or to said quarter quarter section of land above described.

But on failure to pay said interest for any year or the residue of the said principal for six months after either become due, and also interest at the rate of one hundred percent per annum after either principal or interest has been due sixty days until paid, the said tract of land, and all payments therefor made thereon and this contract of sale shall be forfeited, and revert to said State of Indiana for School purposes in Vanderburgh County.

Witness my hand and seal this 14th day of December A.D. 1839
Chas. D. Bourne Seal
Acting School Commissioner V.C.

Deed

And it appearing from the receipts of the School Commis-
 sioner of said County, that the said James Moffitt has paid and
 discharged the full amount of principal and interest due
 on the tract of land mentioned in said Certificate, and the
 said James Moffitt having demanded a deed for the tract
 of land mentioned in the Certificate aforesaid; Therefore
 This Indenture made this twenty eighth day of August A.D.
 1847 between William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh
 County, and in the State of Indiana, of the first part, and
 James Moffitt of the County and State aforesaid of the second
 part Witnesseth; That the said party of the first part, for and
 in consideration of the premises, and by virtue of the authority
 in him vested by the laws of the State of Indiana
 has granted bargained, and sold, and doth grant bargain
 sell and convey by these presents, to the said James Moffitt
 the following described tract or parcel of land, to wit;
 The South East quarter of the South West quarter of section
 Number Twenty Seven in Township five South of range
 ten West. In the district of lands subject to Sale at
 Vincennes Indiana.

To Have And To Hold; The said tract of land with the
 appurtenances thereto belonging to the said party of the
 second part, his heirs and assigns forever, in as full and
 ample a manner as the said Auditor of said County is
 empowered by law to convey the same



In testimony whereof The said William H. Walker
 Auditor of said County has hereunto set his hand
 and affixed his official seal, the day and year
 first above written

Witness Brackett & Co. v. l. c.

William H. Walker
 Auditor of Vanderburgh County

State of Indiana 5
 Vanderburgh County 3 1/3

I Samuel S. Jenkins Recorder in & for
 said County, do Certify that on this the 28th day of August
 A.D. 1847 the above named William H. Walker Auditor of
 Vanderburgh County, personally came before me and acknowledged
 the above & foregoing conveyance to be his voluntary act and
 deed

Given under my hand and seal at Councils this 28th day
 of August A.D. 1847

Samuel S. Jenkins Seal

Recorded Aug 28th 1847
 W. H. Walker Secy

Auditors Office
Vanderburgh County Aug 19th 1847

No 3

Certificate
for
School Land

It is hereby certified that Henry Sander did on this day purchase of the School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County the lot or North East quarter of North West quarter of Section Sixteen in Township Six South of Range Eleven West containing Forty Acres and thirty four hundredths of an Acre for the sum of 159⁴⁵/₁₀₀ dollars, of which there was paid to the School Commissioner 43⁴⁵/₁₀₀ dollars for back interest 5²⁵/₁₀₀ for 5 per cent damages on said lot prior to sale 24⁰⁰/₁₀₀ dollars advertising 26²⁵/₁₀₀ dollars for 1/4 of the principal sum due and 5⁵/₁₀₀ dollars for one years interest on the residue of the principal money on the purchase of the lot aforesaid

Now Therefore Be It Known That if the remaining balance of 78⁷⁵/₁₀₀ dollars be paid to the School Commissioner of said County, or his legal successor in Office at the expiration of twenty five years from the date hereof with seven per cent interest thereon payable Annually in advance the same being sold agreeably to the provisions of Art 18 Chapter 13 of the Revised Statutes of 1843 then the said Henry Sander shall be entitled to receive a deed for said lot above described

William H. Walker A. V. C.
Pracker Mills N. V. C.

Recorded August 30th 1847
Wm H. Walker Ave

State of Indiana Vanderburgh Co

This certifies that at an Election held in Congressional Township number five South of Range number ten West on the last Saturday in August A.D. 1847 John Purvis and George B. McLeitchan were duly elected Congressional Township Trustees. Wm. Warren to serve for the term of three years. John Purvis two years and Geo. B. McLeitchan one year from and after said election.

Wm. Warren
John Purvis
Geo. B. McLeitchan

William H. Walker A. V. C.
State of Indiana Vanderburgh Co

This certifies that at an Election held in Congressional Township number six South of Range ten West on the last Saturday in August A.D. 1847 James J. Walker was duly elected Congressional Trustee for said Township to serve for the term of three years from and after said Election.

William H. Walker A. V. C.
State of Indiana Vanderburgh County Co

This certifies that at an Election held in Congressional Township number six South of Range eleven West on the last Saturday in August A.D. 1847 James Steel was duly elected Congressional Township Trustee to serve for three years from and after said election.

James Steel

William H. Walker A. V. C.

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow
morning at 9 o'clock
Edw. Greiving Post P. O. Okla.

Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock the board met pursuant
to adjournment when present as yesterday

Register of School Lands in the County of Vanderburgh, forfeited on failure of the purchasers to pay the annual instalment due thereon which were offered for sale at the door of the Court house in said County in pursuance of legal notice, on the 25th day of January A.D. 1853

Names of former Owner	Ac of Sale	Acres	7 C 100	1/4 Dr	1/2 Dr	Quarter	Section	Lower Street	Range West	Amount of Principal	Amount of Interest due on 25 th of January, 1853	Amount of Special Assessments	Amount due on the 25 th of January, 1853	Lot No	Names of Purchasers
Francis H Scott *		40		1/4	1/2	1/4	16	5	10	142 50	23 07	8 32	176 17	4	Struck off to State for use of Public Funds
James Parkes		38	40	1/4	1/2	1/4	16	5	10	122 53	22 58	6 67	141 07		
Thomas Greel		40	25	1/8		1/4	16	5	10	120 75	23 76	4 23	148 52 92	14	Struck off to State
Wm Ingleton		39	05	1/4		1/4	16	6	11	75 00	10 43	4 24	93 90 65		Struck off to State
Joseph M Mc Dowell		40	-	1/8		1/4	16	7	11	123 75	23 35	7 35	144 155 94		Struck off to State
										\$565.53	\$111.38	\$33.84	\$5,907.16	75	

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County 13
 We the undersigned, School Commissioners and County Auditor in and for said County do hereby certify that the foregoing and amended Register of forfeited lands with the Accounts charged against the tracts separately, is true and correct, and that said tracts, were duly offered for sale, in pursuance of legal Public Notice, on the 25th day of January a. d. 1853

Intestimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and the county Auditor has affixed his official seal hereunto on this 25th day of January a. d. 1853
 Brackett Hills Clerk
 William H. Mc Dowell

Lot No 4. Sold to J. W. Meier private sale

a. d. 1853 at

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At a session of The board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, in the State of Indiana, began and held at the Court House in Evansville in said County on Monday the tenth day of September A.D. 1847 (being the first Monday in said month) when present Esquire Saunders Ira J. Gounger and John Burtis Esqrs Members comprising said board.

Now here it having been shown to the satisfaction of this board, that Thomas Anderson, a ^{Commissioner} ~~viewer~~ heretofore appointed by this board to assess the damages done by reason of the view, of a road from Howe & Brown's Tan Yard to intersect the State road ^{leading to Princeton} is not a resident of Vanderburgh County. It is therefore ordered that William Strallon be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner to act with Wm Palmer & Moses Seaborn two of the Commissioners appointed to assess the damages ^{directed} by reason of the ^{view} ~~view~~.

Ordered that the Supervisor, Matthew Martine of the road district No 3 German Township be authorized to pay Robert Nighthale four dollars out of the road tax in his hands as such Supervisor.

Decd No 169 \$ 7.00/100 Ordered that Dr Geo. P. Walker be allowed seven dollars for medical attendance upon prisoners in the County jail to Aug 15th 1847.

Decd No 170 \$ 1.00/100 Ordered that Robert Nighthale be allowed one dollar for serving as Inspector of Elections in August A.D. 1847 in German Township.

Decd No 171 \$ 0.75/100 Ordered that Robert Nighthale be allowed seventy five cents for returning polls of an Election held in August 1847, in German Township.

Now here on the petition of Joseph C. Barrett and others, citizens of Knight Township, to change the present course of the State road leading from Evansville to Newburgh as follows. To make such change as to place said road on the line dividing the North West quarter and South West quarter of section twenty five in Township six South of Range number ten West. to continue on said line as far as

the South East corner of Isaac Knight's fence, and thence in a South easterly direction until it intersects the old road. And the board duly considering said petition, and the things therein, and being satisfied the petitioners have complied with the law, in relation to the change of Highway. It is ordered that

Josiah A. Kilsey, Richard Jenkins and Mansour Warner be and they are hereby appointed viewers to ^{direct} view the ^{said} contemplated change and report to this board at its next session. And it is further ordered that said viewers be authorized to call to their aid the

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county surveyor.

It is now here ordered that John Nightengale and William Wood be and they are hereby appointed fence viewers for Pigeon Township, to serve for one year from and after the first Monday in April 1847, and until their successors are qualified.

Ordered that the north west quarter of section 31 in Township 21st South Range 11 West be taken from road district C1. & added to road district No. 6 in Perrytown Ship.

Ordered that the ^{county} Auditor be and he is hereby authorized to draw orders on the School Commissioner for the sum of one hundred and fifteen dollars and seventy five cents the amount of the percentage due the School Commissioner, on the September dividend 1847 at the rate of $\frac{1}{2}$ of one percent each on loans on which the interest had been received to Sept 1st 1847.

Now here the board select Charles Wheeler of the County of Vanderburgh, as a proper person to become a Student in the Indiana University, from said ^{County} free of all charges of instruction and tuition.

Now here Robert W. Dunbar Treasurer elect of Vanderburgh County, produces to the board his bond as such Treasurer, for the faithful performance of his duties as such Treasurer, in the words and figures following to wit;

Know all men by these presents that we Robert W. Dunbar George B. Walker Madison G. Pray Samuel S. Jenkins James G. Jones John Walsh Philip Decker Philip Stramer & Benjamin Moore are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the special sum of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars for the payment of which wele and truly to be made and done we do bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators and every of them jointly severly and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 6th day of September A. D. 1847

Whereas the above bound Robert W. Dunbar was on the first Monday in April A. D. 1847 duly elected County Treasurer of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana for the term of three years - Now the condition of the above obligation is such that if the said Robert W. Dunbar shall well and truly pay over according to law all monies which shall come into his hands (by virtue of his said office) for State County road, and other purposes & shall also well faithfully & promptly discharge all the duties of his said office of County Treasurer according to law then this obligation to be void and of none effect otherwise to be and

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remains in full force and virtue in Law

J. M. Dunbar Seal	John Walsh Seal
L. B. Walker Seal	Th. Decker Seal
M. S. Poy Seal	Th. Kramer Seal
Saml. J. Curtis Seal	B. Murrie Seal
Ja. G. Jones Seal	

The board duly considering said bond and the security therein
 It is Ordered that said bond be and the same is now
 here approved

Now here The County Treasurer of Vanderburgh
 County, produces to the board his bond for the faithful
 performance of his duties according to law in relation to the County Seminary Surplus
 Revenue Three percent Funds, Saline Funds Bank Tax Funds
 and all other Trust funds which may come into his
 hands by virtue of his said Office of County Treasurer,
 which said Bond is in the words & figures following to wit

"Know all men by these presents that we Robert W. Dunbar
 Christian Decker John H. Poffandick William Caldwell
 and Charles Harrington are held and firmly bound
 unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of Ten Thousand
 Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made
 and done we do bind ourselves our heirs executors and
 administrators and every of them jointly, severally and firmly by
 these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated this 6th
 day of September, A.D. 1847

Whereas the above bound Robert W. Dunbar
 was on the first Monday of August A.D. 1847 duly elected
 County Treasurer of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of
 Indiana for the term of three years— Now the conditions of
 the above obligation are such, that if the said Robert W.
 Dunbar shall well and faithfully perform the duties of
 his said Office (of County Treasurer) connected with the
 Surplus Revenue, County Seminary, Three per cent Saline
 and Bank Tax funds and all other Trust funds
 which may come into his hands by virtue of his
 said Office, belonging to said County, and shall also
 well and faithfully pay over to the persons entitled thereto
 all of said funds, and transfer to his successor in office
 all monies, books, and papers relating thereto, then the
 above obligation to be void and of non effect otherwise to
 be and remain in full force and virtue in Law

R. W. Dunbar Seal
 Christian Decker Seal
 J. H. Poffandick Seal
 W. Caldwell Seal
 Charles Harrington Seal

And the board duly considering said bond and the

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Security therein. It is now here ordered that the same be and it is now here approved & accepted by the board

J. M. Hume has produced to the board his quarterly report of the amount and kind of funds received at the County Treasury for the last quarter ending on the sixth day of September A.D. 1847 And the board duly examining said report It is now here ordered that said report be and the same is now here accepted and approved

Now here N. C. Merschelman and seventy five other citizens and freeholders of Samaco City and the 4th Enlargement ^{adjoining} the City of Evansville, produce to this board a petition ^{praying for a} grant to the Inhabitants of Samaco City and said fourth Enlargement an incorporation for the better regulation of the police of Samaco City. And they produce at the same time to the board the proceedings of a Public Meeting of the Citizens of said Samaco City and 4th Enlargement expressing a desire to become incorporated for the better regulation of the internal police of said town. And the board duly considering said petition. And being satisfied, from the Oaths of Henry C. Merschelman and John M. Speer two reputable free holders of said Samaco City, that two thirds of all the qualified voters residing within the limits of said Samaco City & 4th Enlargement (the limits proposed to be incorporated) have signed said petition, & that the persons whose names appear appended to said petition, did actually sign the same. It is therefore now here ordered that an incorporation be granted to the citizens of Samaco City & 4th Enlargement of said City. And an election be held at the District school house in the 4th Enlargement adjoining the City of Evansville on Monday the 9th day of September A.D. 1847, for the purpose of electing trustees of the incorporation of Samaco City. And it is further ordered that the requisite number of notices ^{of said election} be put up at the most public places in said Samaco City.

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Now here Nathan Rowley and William H. Walker Commissioners heretofore appointed to contract for the completion of Central Pigeon Bridge make report of their acts and doings as such Commissioners, which report is in the words and figures following to wit: "So the Hon. The board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County.

The undersigned Commissioners heretofore appointed to let the completing of the Central Pigeon bridge did as heretofore reported let the job to Gustavus Koopley, who finished the job aforesaid in a good substantial workman like manner to the satisfaction of the undersigned and we did at the time said job was completed examine & receive the bridge and pay the contract in exact pursuance of the order

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Ord No 187 H \$1.00/100 Ordered that Jeroh Fairfield be allowed one dollar for serving as clerk at an ~~election~~^{Spire} election 1847 in Centre Township

Ord No 188 H \$250.00/100 Ordered that Geo Bates be allowed Two hundred and fifty dollars for Keeping County poor for the months from 8 June 1847 to 8 September 1847

It is now here Ordered that the County Auditor be authorized to have the lists of delinquent ^{interea} lands for the year 1846 published at full length in some News paper having the greatest circulation in the County of Vanderburgh

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock
Trot Grainger

Tuesday Morning at 8 o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

Now here John Stoner makes application to the board to obtain an application signed by this board to the Trustees of the Asylum of Deaf & dumb for the purpose of getting his brother Daniel Stoner admitted into said institution. And the board satisfying themselves that said Dan^l Stoner is a proper person to be come a recipient of the benefits of said institution Order that said Application be signed as the law requires

Now here Thomas R. Smith produces to this board a bill for thirty dollars for timber cut by the Supervisor and by A. Warner in the repairs of the State road leading from Evansville to Meyers bridge over pigeon Creek. And the board after duly considering said bill

Ordered that Thomas R. Smith be allowed Twenty dollars for timber used in repairing State road between Evansville and Mechanicsville And that A. Warner draw for ten dollars as part of the appropriation heretofore made for the purpose of repairing said road

Ord No 189 H \$10.00/100 Ordered that Thomas R. Smith be allowed Ten dollars for timber cut from his land in the repair of the Princeton road in full for his bill of thirty as produced to this board

It is now here Ordered that Christian Decker be and he is hereby appointed pound keeper to keep and attend to the County pound for three years from and after the first Monday in June A.D. 1847

Ord No 190 H \$3.00/100 Ordered that Christian Decker be allowed three dollars for 2 years service as pound keeper

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- Ord No 191 A. \$25.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that said J Jenkins be allowed Twenty five dollars for ex officio services as Clerk of V.C.C. for 3 months ending Sept. 1st 1847
- Ord No 192 A. 25.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed Twenty five dollars for three months ^{ex officio} services as County Auditor upto September 1st 1847
- Ord No 193 A. \$3.⁷²/₁₀₀ Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed Three dollars and seventy two cents for cash paid for Stationary for Auditors Office
- Ord No 194 A. \$16.⁶³/₁₀₀ Ordered that said J Jenkins be allowed sixteen dollars & sixty three cents for cash paid by him for Stationary for Clerks Office per bill filed
- Ord No 195 A. \$4.⁷⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that W. H. Bell be allowed Four dollars and seventy five cents for Stationary for Clerk, Office per bill filed
- Ord No 196 A. \$18.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm Sheets be allowed Eighteen dollars for Tax Duplicate of 1847
- Ord No 197 A. \$116.⁸²/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm Sheets be allowed One hundred & sixteen dollars & sixty two cents for Stationary furnished Clerk, Recorder, and County Auditor per bill filed
- We the undersigned appointed as

Now here Andrew Erskine, Edmund Maidlow, and Philip Norumbrook, viewers appointed by this board for the purpose of viewing out a certain route for a road through Scotts Centre & Wright Pigeon Townships, come in to court and make report of their acts and doings, in the words & figures following to wit;

"We the undersigned appointed as viewers at the June Session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, to view and mark a route for a road leading from Purts Stone by way of the new Bridge across Pigeon creek at the old Whatstone place or ferry, to the Town of Evansville, the whole route to run as near the old Original track as may be found practicable for the public benefit. Respectful report,

That we met at John Ingles a Justice of the Peace for Scott Township on the 26th day of August 1847, and after being duly sworn proceeded to Purts Stone, on the Evansville and Princeton State road and after examining carefully various routes, with every necessary information pertaining thereto, we commenced at the Corporation limits of the Town of Evansville, on the Princeton and Evansville State road, and proceeded to view and mark out said county road as by order directed, to wit, by following said State road to where the Boonville and Snuggins road intersects it a few rods north of the Brick School house, thence with said Boonville road to an

Stephen Johnson of N. D. 1877

and west of the old road generally laid off to which our order
 are referred to the east line of a piece of land owned by Stephen Johnson
 and west of the old road generally laid off to which our order
 direct to us. There we record and marked a new road with a
 three foot width to the old range across the range with a much
 shorter distance than the old road, passing east of the farm belonging
 to the heirs of Stephen and continuing to an old field by the
 bridge, belonging to and called the last blagot tree (a Hickory)
 marked on the eastern side the width of base road by count
 of length to come on the eastern side of said Hickory. There to
 a stake, west of a distance also on the western side of the road,
 laid by same to be the most eastern boundary of the road,
 thence from said stake, to the bridge, following the distance between
 thence across said bridge to the opposite side, thence running
 east of the present road which has been changed west from the original
 road (as we are informed) by order of the Board of Commissioners,
 following our line with a three foot width marked to a field
 back to the corner by the heirs of Jo. Evans. Thence through said
 field proceeding clear to the west of a grassy part, thence through
 it till we again reach a part of the road changed as aforesaid.
 running as near the old original track as we could ascertain
 after following the road when we reached the old track and thence
 through a part of a field (belonging to John Stephens) to a stake
 marked on the side of the road, and thence running a bridge
 across turning again round the corner of every field, as if passing,
 first to the right and then to the left, then to the right and
 again to the left at right angles, the corner we have now reached
 there the field would be of much more public utility than
 the road changed as aforesaid, but not being able to form a
 decided opinion of the utility or expediency of it, we think
 it best to report the part of our view for your review
 separate and distinct.

The same continues our view from the small
 of the road by employing said road with said
 marked on the side of a larger tract which we marked
 with three notches, and a breadth being thence through
 an other field belonging as we are informed to the heirs
 of Lemuel Evans. And thence as we went through corner
 the old original road as we could ascertain, passing along
 on the right hand side of the house and grassy part
 striking through the present travelled road, between two marks
 located east of the house, thence a north
 direction passing through the eastern side of two of the
 plantation fields, on or near the original road, striking so
 we passed through an other field of the plantation,
 thence striking through the eastern side of it, and
 the present travelled road, at the north east corner.

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thence marking with a three notched stake to Mrs. Lynch's passing close on the east of his farm, thence marking to the west field of Mr. Haunegam, thence staking through a corner of said field, to his lane following it to the N. end, thence running on and passing through the corner of a piece of wood land field in on the farm belonging to the heirs of A. McDonald, thence along the western side of his farm past his gate, then entering his N. W. field and marking a post oak, thence through said field in a straight direction to the bridge, on the creek marking as we went along, thence to an old field known as the Mr. Ward field, thence through said field staking our view, thence marking to Levi Hooker's farm, thence through a corner of a small lot in front of his house, thence through two of J. Pontis's fields to a stake marked with three notches, staking as we passed thro, thence through the eastern part of the same farm passing through a corner of his garden to a large dead B. Oak a short distance south of his fence, staking as we went through, thence marking until we struck a lane dividing a farm known as the J. Ward place, thence along said lane to a stake marked with three notches, thence staking through the western field to a stake on the northern fence marked, thence through James Moffatt's lane, thence marking to Thomas Skeels, keeping close to his west fence, thence to George Sumner marking the whole route as we went as near the centre of the road as we could, thence along the east side of Sumner's farm, until we came to his N. E. field, thence staking through ~~the~~ said field close past the west side of his stable, then intersecting the Petersburg and Evansville state road, thence along said state road to the corner dividing the fields of Mr. Atchison and Penman, thence staking through said Penman's field into the Browning road, thence marking to A. Brown's lane, thence through said lane, thence marking on to Richard Pecks where our view crosses the Boonville and N. Harmony road, thence along the Browning road passing close on the west of Browning's Steam Mill, to John Puntis's on the Evansville and Princeton State road, endeavoring as far as possible throughout, the whole route to accord with the instructions laid down in your order, viz "To view as near the old original track as we found practicable for the public benefit"

Andrew Eskin
Edmund Mailow } Viewers
J. Hornbrook }

The board duly considering said report and the things therein, It is now here Ordered that said report be approved and accepted, and that the Superintendents of the districts through ^{which} said road passes, are ordered to open the same, as marked & staked out by said viewers

Now here Mr Whittlesey applies to this board, to have his son Azariah J. Whittlesey admitted as a student, free of all charges for instruction and tuition, into the Wabash Manual Labor College and Teachers Seminary, at or near Lawrenceville Indiana. And the board duly considering said application It is now here Ordered that Azariah J. Whittlesey be selected by this board as a proper person to become a student into the Wabash Manual Labor College and Teachers Seminary (at or near Lawrenceville Indiana) free of all charges for instruction or tuition

Now here John S. Terry County assessor elected at the last August election, produces to this board his bond which is in the words and figures following to wit

" Know all men by these presents that we John S. Terry John R. Wilson S. S. Saycock Samuel Orr & James Laughlin Jr are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana, in the penal sum of two thousand dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind our selves, our heirs executors, and administrators jointly, and severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated this seventh day of August 1847

The condition of the above obligation is such, that Whereas the above bounden John S. Terry has been duly elected to the Office of County assessor for the term of two years until his successor is elected and qualified, and now if the said John S. Terry shall do and perform all the duties which are now or may here after be required of him, and faithfully and impartially discharge all the duties of his said Office of County assessor according to Law then this obligation, to be void, else to be and remain in full force and virtue in law"

John S. Terry Seal
 John R. Wilson Seal
 S. S. Saycock Seal
 Samuel Orr Seal
 Jas Laughlin Jr Seal

And the board duly considering said Bond and the Security therein It is Ordered that said Bond be Accepted & approved

Ord No 199 & 4.00/100 Ordered that A. Erskine be allowed four dollars for timber cut off his land for to make a bridge across Muddy creek

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- Ord No 200 A \$4.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Paul J. Jenkins be Allowed
Four dollars for certificates of Elections for bill filed
- Ord No 201 A \$1.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm Wagner be Allowed
One dollar for services as judge at April Election 1847
- Ord No 202 A \$1.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm Wagner be Allowed
One dollar for services as judge at August Election 1847
in Perry Township
- Ord No 203 A \$1.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that A. H. Eaton be Allowed
One dollar for services as judge at August Election 1847 in
German Township
- Ord No 204 A \$0.⁷⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm Whittlesy be Allowed
Seventy five cents for maintaining polls of an election held in Centre
Township
- Ord No 205 A \$5.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that A. Erskine be Allowed
Five dollars for services as viewer in viewing the road from Burtis
Store to Evansville by way of the Whitston bridge
- Ord No 206 A \$5.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Edmund Maidlow be Allowed
Five dollars for services as viewer in viewing road from Burtis Store
by way of Lewisville Ferry bridge to Evansville
- Ord No 207 A \$5.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that F Hornbrook be Allowed
Five dollars for services as viewer in viewing a road from Burtis Store
by way of Lewisville Ferry bridge to Evansville
- Ord No 208 A \$2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm H. Erskine be Allowed
Two dollars for services as marker on the road viewed out by Erskine
Maidlow & Hornbrook

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning
at 8 O'clock
J. P. Guinger

Wednesday morning at eight o'clock the board
met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

It is now here ordered that John Echols the Sheriff
of Vanderburgh County, take possession of the ^{house} key & room
in the north easterly corner of the court house, the same, which
has heretofore been occupied by the County Treasurer

- Ord No 209 A \$7.⁴⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm M. Walker Sheriff be Allowed
Seven dollars and forty five cents for election notices.
- Ord No 210 A \$3.⁰⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm M. Walker be allowed
three dollars & five cents for jury foreman house &c for bill filed
- Ord No 211 A \$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm M. Walker Sheriff be Allowed
twenty dollars for En' Office fees as Sheriff for 3 months ending
Sept 1st 1847
- Ord No 212 A \$90.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm M. Walker Sheriff be Allowed
ninety dollars & fifty cents for receiving, dieting & discharging
prisoners to Aug 11th 1847

Ord No 213 $\$9.20/100$ Ordered that R.W. Dunbar County Treasurer be allowed nine dollars and twenty cents, ^{cash paid by petitioners} for printing and stationery for Treasurers Office

It is ~~now~~ Ordered that Sherman Fairchild be and he is hereby appointed a Constable for Centre Township ^{to serve} for one year from and after the first Monday in April A D 1847 & until his successor is qualified

Sherman Fairchild appears before the board with his bond as Constable of Centre Township for A D 1847 to serve for one year from and after the first Monday in April 1847 with John Lindsay & Thomas D Smith as his securities therein which said bond is now here accepted and approved

Ord No 214 $\$9.00/100$ Ordered that Wm H. Chandler & Co be allowed two dollars for advertising notice of Election

Ord No 218 $\$6.00/100$ Ordered that Wm H. Chandler & Co be allowed six dollars for Advertising notices of Coroners Inquests

Ord No 219 $\$1.00/100$ Ordered that Simon Williams be allowed one dollar for returning the polls from Armstrong Township of the August election 1847

Now here Mr Palmer Moses Colvin and William Stratton Commissioners heretofore appointed by this board, to assess the Damages sustained by John Witheron & others by reason of a certain private road being located to run through their lands, - Come before the board and make report in the words and figures following, to wit; "So the honorable the board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh

We the undersigned having been appointed by the Order herewith returned, to view the Roads mentioned in the said Order, do report, that being first duly sworn, we have in pursuance of said ^{order}, reviewed the said road, and have estimated the Damages, which will be sustained by said road being opened twenty five feet wide, and continued through the lands of the objectors, in the following proportions, to wit; John Witheron will sustain damage to the amount of eleven dollars, and Grandison Witheron, will sustain damage to the amount of four dollars, and further the said road will in our opinion be of utility

all which is respectfully submitted

William Palmer
Moses Colvin
William Stratton

September 7th 1847

Ordered that ^{said report be adopted & that} said private road, be opened according to law so soon as the ^{assessments} be paid by the petitioners for said road

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September Session of 1847

Ordered that an Appropriation be and it is hereby made of fifteen dollars, for the purpose of building a bridge over Middy branch, in road district No 3 Centre Township, said money to be drawn on the Order of the Supervisor of said road district so soon as the bridge is completely finished and the County Auditor is hereby authorized & required to draw an Order on the County Treasurer for said Appropriation on the Order of (K. Mc Johnston) said Supervisor.

Order

- Ord No 220th \$20.00/100 Ordered that Wm Mc Walker County Auditor be allowed Twenty dollars for part of bill for auditing for County to Sept 1st 1847 & making tax duplicates for 1847
- Ord No 221th \$20.00/100 Ordered that Wm Mc Walker County Auditor be allowed Twenty dollars for part of bill for auditing for County to Sept 1st 1847 & making Tax duplicates for 1847
- Ord No 222th \$50.00/100 Ordered that Wm Mc Walker County Auditor be allowed Fifty dollars for part of bill for auditing for County to Sept 1st 1847 & making Tax duplicates for 1847
- Ord No 223th \$50.00/100 Ordered that Wm Mc Walker County Auditor be allowed Fifty dollars for part of bill for auditing for County to Sept 1st 1847 & making Tax duplicates for 1847
- Ord No 224th \$112.15/100 Ordered that Wm Mc Walker County Auditor be allowed one hundred & twenty two dollars and fifteen cents, for auditing for County ^{to Sept 1st 1847} & making Tax duplicates of 1847

ordered that the board adjourning until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock J. P. Granger Pres

Thursday morning at nine o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment. when present as yesterday

It is now here ordered, that the County Agent John A. Kirkendall be and he is hereby authorized ordered and directed to bring suits forthwith on notes in his hands due, ^{& payable to Vanderburgh County.} and remaining unpaid, against the following persons to wit; one against S. S. Sargeant. one against Millard Carpenter Oliver Sadd & Madison J. Bray & one against E. J. Terry Charles Harrington and Charles S. Bourne, unless said individuals pay said notes in time to prevent suits as aforesaid

- Ord No 227th \$1.00/100 Ordered that Lewis Mentzer be allowed one dollar for services as judge at April Election 1846 in Centre Township
- Ord No 228th \$1.00/100 Ordered that Lewis Mentzer be allowed one dollar for services as judge at August Election 1847 in Centre Township

Issd No 2297 \$1.00/100 Ordered that Lewis Meitzger be allowed one dollar for services as judge at the April election 1847 in Centre Township

Issd No 2304 \$1.00/100 Ordered that John Belarke be allowed one dollar for services as clerk at August Election 1847 in Centre Township

Issd No 2317 \$12.50/100 Ordered that John A. Hittendall County Agent be allowed twelve dollars & fifty cents for 3 months services as county agent ending September 1st 1847

Now here it is Ordered that the County Agent be directed and required to deliver up to Charles Fingle & H. C. Herschelmann their three promissory notes dated March 25th 1838. One for one hundred dollars payable two years after ^{date}, one for one hundred dollars payable two years & a half from date, and one payable three years from date for fifty dollars. all payable to F. E. Goodsell & by him endorsed to J. H. Jones County agent, but it is hereby expressly understood that ~~that~~ the County has not received anything in payment of said notes, and that the said Fingle and Herschelmann shall before said notes are given up to them execute and deliver to the County agent a sufficient release of all their claims against the County, or County lots, of every nature whatever

Issd No 2324 \$1.50/100 Ordered that James Houston be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for returning polls for two elections held in Perry Township

It is now here Ordered that a new road district be formed in Scott Township to be bounded as follows to wit: ^{by a line} commencing at the South West Corner of Section Number sixteen in Township Number five South of Range ten west and running ~~thence~~ North to the North West corner of said Section sixteen, thence east to the N.E. corner of the N.W. qr of the N.W. qr of said Section sixteen thence north to the N.W. corner of the N.E. qr of the N.W. qr of Section nine in said town and range, thence East to the North East Corner of the North West quarter of Section ten in the same town and range, thence South to the South East Corner of the South West quarter of said Section ten, thence West to the South West Corner of last named Section, thence South to the South East Corner of Section sixteen aforesaid, thence West to the place of beginning. And said Road District bounded and established as aforesaid shall be known as Road District Number seven Scott Township. And it is further Ordered that Richard S. Browning be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor of road district No 7 Scott Township to serve for one year from the first Monday in April 1847, and until his successor is qualified

September Session A. D. 1847

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court
next Morning at Nine O'Clock

J. P. Granger, Post

Friday Morning September tenth the board met
pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

Order No 2337 \$50.00/100 Ordered that Willard Carpenter be
allowed fifty dollars for one quarter rent of poor
house to September 8th 1847

Now here the board sells to John S. Walker
lot number two hundred and nine in the donation
enlargement of the city of Evansville, for the sum, of
Five hundred and thirty dollars, one half to be paid
in hand, and the balance payable in twelve months from
date, to be secured by mortgage on said lot. And on the
payment of the said two hundred and sixty five dollars
in cash, and the execution of a note and mortgage,
to the County for two hundred and sixty five dollars
payable in twelve months from the date thereof.

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John N. Kikendall County Agent - So hereby Ordered Authorized
And instructed to make to John S. Walker his heirs
and assigns a special warranty for said lot number
two hundred and nine in the donation enlargement
of the city of Evansville. And the board now here Conf
irms all the Acts of the said John N. Kikendall in
reference to said conveyance, and hereby covenants
with the said Kikendall, to hold him harmless as to
any and all liability growing out of the aforesaid
Special Warranty

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Now here Cyrus Addison produces to this board the
Certificate of Dr. Wilson, from which it appears that
said Addison is an invalid. It is therefore hereby ordered
that Cyrus Addison he and he is hereby exempted from
labour upon the Highways in Vanderburgh County for
the year 1847

Order No 2347 \$10.00/100 Ordered that E. Saunders be Allowed
ten dollars for 5 days Official services as a member of the
County board at the September Session a. d. 1847

Order No 2357 \$10.00/100 Ordered that Ira S. Granger be Allowed
ten dollars for 5 days Official services as a member of the County
board at the September Session a. d. 1847

Order No 2367 \$10.00/100 Ordered that John Rustis be Allowed
ten dollars for 5 days Official services as a member of the
County board at the September Session a. d. 1847

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in course

J. P. Granger
John Rustis
E. Saunders

Wm. Jackson

Shant a decree to Johnson & Morgan to vend foreign merchandise for the term of one year from the thirtieth of September arising he having produced the County decision made for the sum of five dollars William W. Walker & Co

direction Office W. C. Application # 1827

David S. Brown

Now we hereby certify that the sum of five dollars has been paid by the applicant for the term of one year from the 29th day of August 1827 and that the same is to be paid to the County Treasurer by the assignee of John Searling William W. Walker & Co. etc.

Shant a decree to Adams to vend foreign merchandise in Waukesha County for the term of one year from the 18th day of September 1827 he having produced the County decision made for the sum of five dollars Oct 4th 1827

Wm. W. Walker & Co.

Special October Session A. S. 1847

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of Madison County held at the Court house in Elizaville in said County, on Monday October 14th 1847 at 10 O'clock A.M. in pursuance of a call made by the County Auditor, for the purpose of making an allowance to Jones & Singer on the Bridge at Sinnerwiler Ferry & for the purpose of attending to such other urgent business as may come before said board. When present E. Saunders and Ira F. Grainger two of the members composing said board.

Ord. No. 440 # $\$3.00/100$ John Burtis comes and takes his seat as a member of the board. Ordered that Simpson Blackburn be allowed three dollars for extra services as supervisor of roads in road district No. 2 Scott Township in 1846.

Ord. No. 333 # $\$400.00$ Ordered that Jones & Singer be allowed four hundred dollars for labour upon the bridge over Pigeon Creek at Sinnerwiler Ferry.

Ord. No. 337 # $\$2.00/100$ Ordered that E. Saunders be allowed two dollars for one days services at the Special September Session 1847.

Ord. No. 343 # $\$2.00/100$ Ordered that Ira F. Grainger be allowed two dollars for one days services at the Special Sept. Session 1847.

Ord. No. 338 # $\$2.00/100$ Ordered that John Burtis be allowed two dollars for one days services at the Special September Session 1847.

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in course

E. Saunders
Ira F. Grainger
John Burtis

Specimen Certificates of Birth

Ask a Specimen Certificate of the birth of an occurrence of
Middlerburgh County held at the Court house in Grinnelle
in said County, on ~~Monday~~ Friday morning at 10 o'clock
October 15th 1857, for the purpose of securing the birth of
children ever born, each in presence of a
Judge by the County Recorder. When present by the County
Recorder of the Recorder's office in
said town of Grinnelle, Iowa. Order that John Eckels be allowed
said ten dollars for part of his bill for helping persons
up to Oct 13th 1857 \$14.50 per

Book No 310 # 56 per
Order that John Eckels be allowed
for his bill for during
the absence of the Recorder to Oct 13th 1857
\$2.00 per
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for his bill for during
the absence of the Recorder to Oct 13th 1857
\$2.00 per

Book No 310 # 57 per
Order that John Eckels be allowed
for his bill for during
the absence of the Recorder to Oct 13th 1857
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for his bill for during
the absence of the Recorder to Oct 13th 1857
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Book No 310 # 58 per
Order that John Eckels be allowed
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the absence of the Recorder to Oct 13th 1857
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the absence of the Recorder to Oct 13th 1857
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Special October Session 1847

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana. begun and held at the Court house in Evansville on Tuesday October 26th 1847. at ten O'clock A.M. for the purpose of receiving the bridge over Pigeon Creek at Sinswiler Ferry. and attending any other urgent business that may come before said Board. when present Ezekiel Saunders Esq. P. Reinger & John Burt Members composing said board

Application of John Bishman

Now heretofore J. Battell applies to this board for a certificate for John Bishman of Vanderburgh County for the purpose of obtaining admission in to the Deaf & Dumb Asylum of Indiana. for his son Peter Bishman a deaf mute, aged 12 years in June 1847. and the board being satisfied that Peter Bishman is a suitable person to become a recipient of the benefits of said Institution, it is ordered that the board give the following Certificate for said John Bishman State of Indiana Vanderburgh County

Certificate of County Commissioners to John Bishman

This may certify that John Bishman of the County of Vanderburgh, has let forth to the undersigned County Commissioners of said County that he has a deaf and dumb son. named Peter whom he is desirous of having admitted into the Indiana Asylum for the instruction of the deaf & dumb but that he is unable to meet the expenses of his education. The undersigned having inquired into the circumstances of John Bishman, believe the statement to be true. and we hereby recommend his case to the favorable consideration of the Board of Trustees of the Institution above named

Refered

The members of the board having examined the bridge at Sinswiler Ferry built by Jones & Singer and satisfied that said bridge is built & completed according to contract and to the satisfaction of said board. It is therefore now here ordered that said bridge be and it is now here received by this board.

- Issd No 346 \$200.00/100 Ordered that Jones & Singer be allowed Two hundred dollars for building the bridge at Sinswiler Ferry
- Issd No 347 \$200.00/100 Ordered that Jones & Singer be allowed Two hundred dollars for building the bridge at Sinswiler Ferry

Ord No 348 of 320.60/100 Ordered that Jones & Singer be Allowed Three hundred and twenty ^{60/100} dollars in full for building the bridge at Simons Ferry

Now here W. H. Stockwell having shown to the satisfaction of this board that he is improperly assessed ^{charged} on the tax duplicate of 1847 in the value of his personal property. It is Ordered that W. H. Stockwells personal property be reduced on the tax duplicate of 1847 from 5000 to 2500 dollars

Ordered that the board adjourns until to morrow morning at nine o'clock.
Jas Grainger Pres

Wednesday morning at nine o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday. Ordered that forty dollars be and it is hereby appropriated out of the County Treasury to be applied to the completion of the bridge over wagons creek near carpenters mill. Said appropriation to be expended under the superintendance of Ezekiel Saunders & the County Auditor is hereby authorized & required to issue Orders as heretofore directed upon the Order of said Saunders as he may require said funds for the use of said bridge.

Ord No 354 of 135.24/100 Ordered that the City of Evansville be Allowed one hundred and thirty five dollars and fifty four cents for ^{the side-walks} paving in front of the public square belonging to the County of Vanderburgh

Ord No 355 Ordered that the County Auditor be and he is hereby Ordered & directed to loan the County Securities or funds, on the same terms & be governed in said loans by the law regulating ^{the issuing of} Drumpers Revenue & other Trust funds

Now here George B. Walker Offers for Lots 211 & the westerly half of 210 in the donation enlargement of Evansville the sum of seven hundred dollars one fourth of said sum payable on the first of December 1847 and the residue in one year from ^{and the board now here, accepts said offer} said first day of December. And upon the payment of the first installment of the aforesaid sum the County Agent is Authorized & directed to make a special Warrantee deed to said Geo B Walker and for said lots & take a mortgage on said lots to secure the balance ^{of said sum} with interest thereon.

It is now here Ordered that the board of trustees of the Wabash and Erie Canal be and they are hereby notified that in the County of Vanderburgh four State roads and one County road cross said ^{Market Street} Canal at different points and that the bridges erected over said Canal at said points have either become unsafe or impassable and it is

important that said Trustees should direct said bridges to be immediately erected, or repaired as may be necessary. According to the provisions of the 30th section of an Act Supplementary to an Act, to provide for the funded debt of the State of Indiana, and for the completion of the Wabash and Erie Canal to Evansville Approved February 19th 1846 - Approved January 27th 1847

And it is further ordered that this notice be published in the Evansville Journal and a copy of said paper be made to each of said Trustees

Ord No 352⁷ \$4.00/100 Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed four dollars for 2 day services at Special Act Term 1847

Ord No 353⁷ \$4.00/100 Ordered that Geo P Grainger be allowed four dollars for 2 day services at Special Act Term 1847

Ord No 354⁷ \$4.00/100 Ordered that John T Curtis be allowed four dollars for 2 day services at the Special Act Session 1847

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in course

John Curtis
E. Saunders
Geo P Grainger

Constable, November the 3rd 1847 James Sand produces his bond as Bond Constable for said year in the sum of three hundred dollars with Abraham DeCamp and Richard Ovale as his securities therein. which said bond I now here approve

William H. Walker Ave,

A Register of Sales of delinquent Land Mortgaged to Secure a Loan to the Common School Fund, made at the Court house door December 11th 1847

Name of Mortgagor	Amount of Principal Due	Amount of Interest Due	Penalty & Interest at 5 per Cent	Advertising Penalty	Total Amount Due
Wm McLeitchan on Loan No 5 Common School Fund	175.00	20.64	8.75	4.96	209.35

Sale of Delinquent Mortgaged Land.
 The following described tracts of land having become forfeited, on failure to pay the annual instalments of interest due on Mortgage No. 5 of the Common School Funds, belonging to Vanderburgh county in the State of Indiana, will be sold at the Court-House door in the said county, on the 11th day of December, A. D. 1847, for the payment of the principal, interest, damages and costs due on said mortgage at the time of said sale, to-wit: The South-East quarter of the North-East quarter of section number twenty-one, in township five, south of range ten West. Also, twenty acres to be taken of the North end of the East-half of the South-East quarter, of section twenty-one aforesaid. The whole amount due \$209.35 - 200 dollars. WM. H. WALKER, A. C. C. Oct. 19-61 - prs fee \$2.00.

A Register of Sales of delinquent Land Mortgaged to Secure Loan Number 5, belonging to the Common School Fund, made at the court house door in Evansville on the 11th day of December 1847 between ten o'clock A.M. and six o'clock P.M. of said day, after having been advertised according to law

Name of Mortgagor	Description of Land	Section	Town of	Range W	Acres	Acres	Amount of Principal on Loan	Amount of Interest on Loan	Advertising Penalty	5 per Cent Charge on Loan	Total Amount Due on Loan
Wm McLeitchan	1/2 E 1/4 of Sec 21	21	5	10	40	}	175.00	20.64	4.96	8.75	209.35
	Acres E 1/2 Sec 21	21	5	10	20						

No person bidding the full amount due aforesaid the same was struck off for the use of the Common School fund on the 11th day of December 1847

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands on this 11th day of December A.D. 1847

Bracket Mills S.C.V.C.
 William H. Walker A.C.

Recorded December 11th 1847
 William H. Walker A.C.

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a Statement of Sales of

Registers of Lands Mortgaged to Secure Loans of the different trust funds in the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana which were offered for sale on the forfeiture of the Mortgage Contracts on failure to pay the annual instalments of Interest due thereon on the 28th day of January A.D. 1848 between the hours of 10 O'clock A.M. & 6 O'clock P.M. at the Court house door, to wit;

Citizens of Mortgages	Acres of Loan	Acres	Woods	Dr	1/2 Dr	Quarter	Section	Town	Range	Tract	Amount of Principal on Loan	Interest due on Loan January 28 1848	5 p ct due on Loan January 28 1848	Advertising Penalty	Total due at time of sale January 28 1848
James J. Hogan	7	40	-	NE		17	7	11	100		49.95	7.50	88	158.33	
Daniel Stuckfield	13	80		NE		30	6	11	54		7.92	3.25	50	68.74	
Samuel C. Maloon	167	117	89	pr	E	SE	18	6	9	100	9.90	5.49	88	116.27	
Francis Amory jr	53	80		E	NE	27	6	11	158		14.73	8.64	1.30	182.67	
Francis Amory jr	68	100		W	SE										
and the north end of the				E	SE	22	6	11	300		34.87	16.74	2.67	354.28	
Samuel C. Maloon	166	127	90	W	SE	18	6	9	200		19.81	10.99	1.77	232.57	

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County 3/3

William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh
Prickett Hills I.C., V.C.

This certifies that the foregoing is a true copy of the Statement of a Sale of Lands Mortgaged to the different trust funds in Vanderburgh County, and which were duly advertised and offered for sale on the 28th day of January 1848.

William H. Walker A.V.C.

Recorded January 28th 1848
Wm H Walker Avo.

Mans of Purchases at
the Sale January 28th 1848

Struck off to State for use of C. S. F.
Redeemed by Dan Hinckley
116 27 Andrew Darling & Thos. E. Garrison
Redeemed by E. A. Corbit

Redeemed by E. A. Corbit
355.00 Andrew Darling & Thos. E. Garrison

of County

Common School Fund
Common School Fund
Common School Fund
Town 5 S. Range 11 West

Town 7 S. Range 11 West
Town 7 S. Range 10 West

Re Appraisement of School Land belonging to
 Congressional Township number five South of Range
 Number ten West

"Treasurers Office Town five Vanderburgh County
 November the 24th 1847. We the undersigned Trustees of Town
 five South of Range ten West After examining the unsold
 and forfeited lands on the twenty fifth day of November
 1847 that do belong to Congressional Township no five
 South of Range ten West did Appraise the different

lots to wit;		Sec 16 T 5 R 10 W 10	per acre
Lot No 1	35 - 10 - 10	at	150 per Acre
Lot No 2	35 - 10 - 10	at	175 per Acre
Lot No 3	35 - 10 - 10	at	125 per Acre
Lot No 4	35 - 10 - 10	at	200 per Acre
Lot No 5	35 - 10 - 10	at	175 per Acre
Lot No 6	35 - 10 - 10	at	200 per Acre
Lot No 7	35 - 10 - 10	at	300 per Acre

We also Appraised the forfeited lots of School lands
 in Section seven 28 in T 5 R 10 West to wit;

Lot no 1 containing 20 Acres at 50 per Acre

Lot no 2 containing 20 Acres at 50 per Acre

Lot no 3 containing 20 Acres at 50 per Acre

These three lots join and come to the Petersburg Road about
 six miles from Evansville

William Warren seal Trustees
 George B. McCutchan seal

6000

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120 5.50

December Session A.D. 1847

At a session of the board of commissioners of Vanderburgh County, in the State of Indiana, began and held at the Court, in said County, on Monday December the sixthth at 10 O'clock A.M. When present Chief Saunders Ira S. Gainger and John Purvis Members composing said board

Now here the county Auditor lays before the board Order for the certificate and return of the Trustees of Congressional Township Sale of Number five South of Range ten West in Vanderburgh County, Indiana, of reappraisement of common school and Congressional Township lands in said Township. And the board being satisfied that the requirements of the law have been substantially complied with, It is therefore hereby ordered that the ^{lands} reappraised as aforesaid be sold according to the law now in force, regulating the sale of Congressional Township, and Common School lands

- Ord No 3794 \$100.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. Chandler be allowed one hundred dollars for advertising delinquent list for 1846
- Ord No 3804 \$16.⁴²/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. Chandler be allowed sixteen dollars and forty two cents, for advertising delinquent list for a.o. 1846
- Ord No 3813 \$35.⁵⁸/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. Chandler be allowed thirty five dollars & fifty eight cents for advertising delinquent list for 1846 & notice to Board of Trustees of Wabash & Erie Canal
- Ord No 3827 \$30.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Geo. Bates be allowed thirty dollars for part of his bill for keeping paupers to Dec 8th 1847 for 1 quarter
- Ord No 3834 \$220.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Geo. Bates be allowed two hundred and twenty dollars for ^{keeping paupers for} 1st quarter ending Dec 8th 1847
- Ord No 3847 \$48.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that B. Mills be allowed eight dollars for part of bill furnishing weights & Measures for County
- Ord No 3854 \$8.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that B. Mills be allowed eight dollars for procuring weights & Measures for County
- Ord No 3864 \$7.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that B. Mills be allowed seven dollars for part of bill for procuring weights & Measures for County
- Ord No 3874 \$7.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that B. Mills be allowed seven dollars for part of bill for procuring weights & Measures for County
- Ord No 3884 \$2.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that B. Mills be allowed two dollars & fifty cents for balance in full of bill for procuring weights & Measures for County

December Session 1847

Ord No 389⁴ \$57¹⁰⁰ Ordered that Sarah Sister be Allowed five dollars and seventy cents for stationery furnished clerks of the Milledgeburgh Circuit Court

Now here this board having been (advised) (or informed) that the Trustees of the State University at Bloomington will in addition to the two students received from the County under the provisions of the 34th section of the 7th chapter of the Revised Statutes of 1843. receive a student in the law department of said institution free of all charge of instruction or tuition, therefore It is ordered that Lewis C. Stinson, be and he is hereby selected by this board as such student, provided said trustees have adopted a rule by which he can be received into said institution in addition to the two students heretofore selected by this board

Now here this board did at its Special October Session 1847 bargain with George B. Walker, and sell to him Lots No 211 & the North westerly half of Lot No 210 in the donation Enlargement of Evansville, for the sum of seven hundred dollars one fourth of which sum said Walker agreed to pay in hand and the other three fourths of said sum at the expiration of twelve months, which sum is to be secured by a mortgage upon the premises aforesaid. And this board also here confirms said sale, so as aforesaid made, and the County Agent John A. Kirkendall is hereby Authorized Ordered, and directed to make and execute to said George B. Walker, a deed for lots No 211 and the North westerly half of Lot No 210 in the donation Enlargement of Evansville warranting to him ^{the County of Milledgeburgh &} against all persons claim by from through or under said ^{holding the said County Agent} County, and take from him, a mortgage upon said lots for the sum of five hundred and twenty five dollars with interest thereon from date, so soon as said George B. Walker shall produce to him this order, and pay one hundred and seventy five dollars ^{& the board} the one fourth of the purchase money of said lots, ^{confirming said sale his place as such agent hereinafter}

Ord No 390⁴ \$2⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles Knowles be Allowed two dollars for returning the poll of two elections in 1847 held in Scott Township

Ord No 391⁴ \$1⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Geo S. Schnee be Allowed one dollar and fifty cents for returning polls of two elections held in Centro Township in 1847

Ord No 392⁴ \$1⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Simon Williams be Allowed One dollar for returning the poll of a justices election held in Armstrong Township in 1847

Ord No 393⁴ \$1⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Barney Leedy be Allowed One dollar for services as judge of an election held in Centro Township in 1847

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock P.M.

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December Session A. D. 1847.

Tuesday Morning Dec 7th at 10 o'clock P.M. the board met pursuant to adjournment. when present as yesterday.

Ord. No 394 \$ 13.00/100 Ordered that William H. Walker be allowed three dollars and ~~forty~~ ^{for cash paid} seven cents, for blank book and stationery for office.

Ord. No 395 \$ 13.50/100 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed three dollars & fifty cents for ^{cash paid for} ~~stationery~~ and splitting cord for the County.

Now here the County Treasurer submits to the board his ^{quarterly} report as such. showing the amount and kind of funds received by him, for three months preceding which report being duly considered is now here approved.

Now here the Clerk of the Wundersburgh circuit lays before the the report of the Grand Jury in relation to the Constitution of the County Jail with the Order of the Circuit ^{Court} thereon - annexed - which is now here ordered to be filed.

Ord. No 396 \$ 25.00/100 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed twenty five dollars for Ex. Office services for three months ending Dec 1st 1846 as County Auditor.

Ord. No 397 \$ 31.80/100 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed thirty one dollars and eighty cents for his percentage to December 1st 1847 on loans of Seminary funds.

Ord. No 398 \$ 15.24/100 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed fifteen dollars and thirty four cents for 1/2 of 1 Percent ^{et} due him on loans upon which interest has been paid to Dec 1st 1847, surplus Revenue.

Ord. No 399 \$ 15.00/100 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed fifteen dollars for part of his bill for services as County Auditor to Dec 1st 1847.

Ord. No 400 \$ 2.00/100 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed two dollars for part of his bill for services as County Auditor to Dec 1st 1847.

Ord. No 401 \$ 50.20/100 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed fifty dollars and twenty cents for bill in full to Dec 1st 1847 for Auditing for County.

Ord. No 402 \$ 12.24/100 Ordered that James S. Walker be allowed twelve dollars & twenty four cents for copying the last preceding assessment roll.

It is now here ordered that a bridge be built, at the road leading from Coville to Henderson Ferry, at or near J. R. ^{residence} ~~Henderson~~ ^{Henderson}, when the Log way heretofore built by said Henderson now crosses ~~at~~ a ravine on said road. and now here Wm. Hills proposes to build said bridge, 80 feet long,

fourteen feet wide, resting upon two posts, and four
 round posts with the beams twelve feet high, and furnish
 all the materials, and perform the job by the first of March
 next for the sum of one hundred dollars, the work to be
 done by a good workman like manner, and to the acceptance
 of this board, the timber to be all white oak of the best quality
 and also the planks to cover said bridge, of ^{the same material}
 Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow
 morning at ten o'clock P.M.

Wm. P. Granger

Wednesday morning at ten o'clock the board met
 pursuant to adjournment, when present as yesterday

- Issd No 405 \$ 50.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that W. Carpenter be allowed
 fifty dollars for 1 quarter rent of poor house to
 December 8th 1847
- Issd No 406 \$ 35.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Saml. J. Jenkins be allowed
 twenty five dollars for 3 months Ex Office services to
 December 30th 1847 as Clerk of V.C.B.
- Issd No 407 \$ 4.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Saml. J. Jenkins be
 allowed four dollars and fifty cents ^{Cash paid} for stationery for Clerk
 office
- Issd No 408 \$ 2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Saml. J. Jenkins be
 allowed two dollars for certifying Elections P.P. Armstrong &
 Pigeon Township
- Issd No 409 \$ 1.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Saml. J. Jenkins
 be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for recording 3 indentures
 of Apprenticeship

It is now here ordered that John
 A. Kirkendall County Agent, be and he is hereby
 ordered and directed to make to Charles Hornum
 a good and sufficient deed in full simple for
 Lot Number two hundred and twelve, in the
 Donation enlargement of Eminville and the board
 now here confirms the acts of said Kirkendall
 herein, and holds him harmless upon his contract
 aforesaid.

Ordered that an appropriation of thirty dollars
 be and it is hereby made to Silas Stephens, to
 be expended upon the abutments at each end
 of the bridge at Sinner's Ferry, and it is ^{understood}
 that the bridge is to be completed, and rendered
 in order so as to enable the travelling community
 to cross said bridge with safety with teams &c

December Session A. D. 1847

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 10 O'clock P.M.

Geo P Granger

Monday Morning at ten O'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment ^{who present as yesterday} Ordered that George Bates be Allowed twelve dollars for 8 cords of wood for the County.

Ord No 410 1/2 \$12.00/100

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It is now here ordered that James Lockhart John Mitchel and Brackett Dills Esqs be and they are hereby appointed ^{a committee} to prepare the best and most economical plan ^{of specifications} for a jail, and ^{that} said committee report ^{the} information ^{by them} prepared in relation to the best mode for building a jail. ^{at} ^{the} ^{request} ^{of} ^{the} ^{board}

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It is now here ordered that John Knight and John M. Stinson be and they are hereby appointed a committee to repair the bridge over the bayou near the residence of John M. Stinson on the road leading from Evansville to the ^{junction} ^{opposite} ^{the} ^{mouth} ^{of} ^{the} ^{river} ^{by} way of ^{the} ^{old} ^{place}. and the County Auditor is hereby authorized ordered and directed to issue orders to said committee as the work progresses for labour and materials used on and about said bridge. and that said committee ⁱⁿ ^{order} ^{to} report to this board at its next session

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Now here the board having provided and caused to be placed in the Clerks of Vanderburgh county the weights and measures, and seals for sealing weights and measures, as required by the provisions of Chapter 63, of the Revised Statute of 1843, ^{therefore} the County Auditor is hereby required, and directed to give the notice required by said chapter #63

It is now here ordered that James S. Walker be and he is hereby appointed by this board to examine into the title and condition of the lots that once belonged to the county of Vanderburgh and report ^{to} ^{the} ^{board} the result of such investigation

Ord No 411 1/2 \$8.00/100

Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be Allowed Eight dollars for 4 days service as County Commissioner at the present term

Ord No 412 1/2 \$8.00/100

Ordered that Geo P. Granger be Allowed Eight dollars for 4 days service as County Commissioner at the present term

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Sub No 413 J. \$8.00/100 Ordered that John Purts be allowed eight dollars for 4 day services as County Commissioner at the present session

Ordered that the board adjourn until court in course

Wm Greiner
E. Saunders
John Purts

George Schultzy having produced the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Five dollars a license was issued to him to vend foreign Merchandise for one year from the tenth day of December A.D. 1847 in Waukesha County
Wm Walker A.C.

Special December Session A. G. 1847

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana began and held at the Court House in Evansville in pursuance of a call made by the County Auditor on Monday December 20th A. D. 1847 for the purpose of taking measures for securing the Salt Well Pigeon bridge and acting upon any ~~other~~ other matters which may come before said board, of all urgent nature ^{where} ~~where~~ present Ira P. Granger & John Curtis Esq, Members composing said board,

Ordered that the board adjourns until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock

Ordered that M. P. Jones and Thomas Gifford be and they are hereby ordered and directed to cable the Salt Well bridge, so as to keep the same in its present position, until the water falls, & they are authorized to procure hands and means to drift that may come against said bridge, if in their opinion the bridge may become undamaged by said drift coming in contact with its ~~ends~~

Resd No 539 H \$ 50 Ordered that John Stratton be allowed fifty cents for cash by him paid for a skiff to carry the board to the Pigeon Salt Well bridge

Resd No 579 H \$ 4⁰⁰ Ordered that Ira P. Granger be allowed four dollars for two days services at the present session

Resd No 578 H \$ 4⁰⁰ Ordered that John Curtis be allowed four dollars for two days services at the present session

Ordered that the board adjourns until ~~next~~ in course

Ira P. Granger
John Curtis

Andrew Crawford having produced to me the
County Treasurer's receipt for the sum of five dollars &
thereupon issued him a license to vend foreign merchandize for
one year from December 31st 1847

Wm. H. Walker A. V. C.

Michael Herschelmann

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You are hereby appointed
Supervisor of road district No. 6 Germania Township
for a 2^d 1847 to remain until the next April election
and until your successor is qualified

January 27th 1848

William H. Walker A. V. C.

I issued a license to Ebenezer Mallock to vend foreign
merchandize in the County of Vanderburgh for one year
from the 1st November A. D. 1847. he having produced the County
Treasurer's receipt for the sum of five dollars

January 27th 1848

William H. Walker A. V. C.

William Triflow having this day purchased the South
West quarter of the South West quarter of Section number
Sixteen (Lot No 13 on the plat) being part of the school
section belonging to Congressional Township number six South
of Range number eleven West in Vanderburgh County for the sum
of one hundred and sixteen dollars of which he has paid
thirty four dollars and twenty two cents being and first
part of the purchase money, and one year interest in
advance on the residue of the purchase which is eighty seven
dollars, and payable in ten years from this date together
with five per centum interest thereon annually in advance, and
if full payment of said principal, and interest be made
within ten years from this date, then the said William
Triflow, his assigns or representatives shall be entitled to
a deed in fee simple for said tract in the name of said
Township. But on failure to pay said interest for any
year, or the residue of the principal for six months
after either becomes due, and also interest at the rate of
one hundred per cent per annum after either principal
or interest has become due sixty days ~~until~~ paid, the
said tract and all payments thereon made thereon, and
this contract of sale shall be forfeited, and revert to the
said Township for school purposes, witness my hand
and seal this 25th day of September A. D. 1847

Nathan Rowley Seal
Commissioner V. C.

For a valuable consideration I do hereby Assign
Over and transfer unto George Deffenbacher All my right
title interest and claim to the within described piece
of land

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and seal this fifth day of May in
the year 1838
Wm Traylor Seal

The State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } 3 Sub

Before me Mr. C. Rowley School
Commissioner of the County aforesaid personally
appeared William Traylor and he acknowledged the above
assignment to be his voluntary act, and deed for the
purposes therein mentioned

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and seal this 5th day of May 1838
C. Rowley School Commr

Recorded Feb 7th 1848
W. H. Walker Ave.

No 14

Auditors Office
Vanderburgh County February 1st 1848

It is hereby certified, that Crawford Bell did on
the 1st day of February 1848 purchase of the School Commissioner
of Vanderburgh County, the Lot or South East quarter of the South
West quarter of section sixteen, in township six South of range
ten West containing forty acres, for the sum of four
hundred, and forty six dollars and forty cents, of which
he has paid the School Commissioner of Vanderburgh
County agreeably to law, as per receipts on file the sum
of one hundred, and eleven dollars, and sixty five cents
Also the sum of twenty three dollars, and forty five cents
interest in advance for one year on the residue

Now Therefore Be It Known, That if the remaining
balance of 334⁹⁵/₁₀₀ dollars, be paid to said Commissioner
or his Successor in Office at the expiration of twenty five
years, from the date hereof with seven percent interest
thereon, annually in advance, the same being sold agreeably
to the provisions of Article 13 Chapter 13 of the Revised Statutes of
of 1843, then the said Crawford Bell, shall be entitled to receive
a deed for said lot or tract above described

William H. Walker, A. W. C.
Bracket Mills School Commr V. C.

Recorded Feb 7th 1848
W. H. Walker Ave.

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Auditors Office
Munderburgh County, February 9th 1848

It is hereby certified that Martin Hattenbach did on the 2nd day of February A.D. 1848, purchase of the school commissioners of Munderburgh County the lot or lots next quarter of the South West quarter of section Number fifteen, in township six, south of Range Number seven West containing thirty nine acres and five one hundredths of an acre for the sum of one hundred and thirty one dollars, of which he has paid the school commissioners of Munderburgh County, agreeably to law, as per receipt on file thirty three dollars. Also the sum of six dollars and eighty six cents for one year interest in advance on the residue.

Now therefore It is known that if the remaining balance of ninety eight dollars he paid to said school commissioners or his successor in office at the expiration of twenty five years, from the date hereof with seven per cent interest thereon payable annually in advance, the same being sold agreeably to the provisions of Article 13 Chapter 13 of the Revised Statutes of 1843 then the said Martin Hattenbach shall be entitled to receive a deed for said lot above described.

William H. Walker A. V. C.
Bracket Mills School Com. V. C.

Recorded February 9th 1848
William H. Walker A. V. C.

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At a Session of the board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana. began and held at the Court House in Evansville, in said County on the first Monday in March A. D. 1848 (it being the sixth day of said month) when present Ezekiel Saunders Ira B. Brainerd, and John P. Dierks Esq Members comprising said Board

Ord. No 4847. \$20.⁰⁰ Ordered that Joseph W. Miller Esq be allowed Twenty dollars for 20 days services as Overseer of the poor to March 1st 1848

Cherles
Report of
Fines

now has Samuel J. Hankins Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court submits a list of fines assessed at the September Term ¹⁸⁴⁷ of said Court, also of all the fines by him collected since the last report as follows to wit;

" A List of fines assessed at the September Term A. D. 1847 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

State of Indiana }
vs. A. B. } Fine \$50.00
John C. Robinson }

State of Indiana }
vs. A. B. } Fine \$4.00
John M. Stinson }

State of Indiana }
vs. G. Larceny } Fine .01
Christopher Kaufman }

State of Indiana }
vs. Peter Larceny } Fine 25.00
Henry Irvine }

State of Indiana }
vs. } Fine 15.00
John F. McIntyre }

A List of fines collected since my last report to wit

State of Indiana }
vs. } Fine 9.00
Joseph Messick }

March Session A.D. 1848

State of Indiana vs J. J. B. Joseph Tupperman } Fine 01

State of Indiana vs R. H. B. Lewis H. Drew } Fine 5.00

State of Indiana vs W. Saremy } Fine 5.00
Dawson Jones }

State of Indiana vs W. Saremy } Fine 5.00
Morgan Herard }

State of Indiana vs J. J. B. John M. Stinson } Fine 4.00

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County } of Samuel J. Jenkins
do I solemnly swear that the above and foregoing
contains a correct statement of the fines assessed
at of the September Term A.D. 1847
of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court, and also of the
fines received by me since my last report according
to the best of my knowledge
Samuel J. Jenkins

Subscribed & sworn
before me at Evansville March 6th 1848
Wm. H. Walter Ave

John Capple No 4194 now here John Capple applies to this
board and complains that he has been assessed
and improperly charged, with a poll tax in
the year 1846, where he has paid, and he moves
the board for relief, he being near sixty years of age.
And the board duly ^{considering} said complaint and after having
examined said John Capple under oath. It is Ordered
that the County Auditor issue an Order on the County Treasurer
to John Capple for the amount paid by him as poll tax
assessed for 1846

Issd No 485 H \$1.25/100 Ordered that John M. Stinson be
Allowed One dollar & twenty five cents for repairs
on layon bridge

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See No 1186 \$ 11.00/100 Order that large sheet in Albany

See No 1187 \$ 11.00/100 Contract that Mr. Smith to Co in Albany

See No 1188 \$ 11.19/50/100 Order that Mr. Smith & Co in Albany

See No 1189 \$ 11.20/100 Order that Mr. Smith & Co in Albany

See No 1190 \$ 11.21/100 Order that Mr. Smith & Co in Albany

See No 1191 \$ 11.22/100 Order that Mr. Smith & Co in Albany

See No 1192 \$ 11.23/100 Order that Mr. Smith & Co in Albany

See No 1193 \$ 11.24/100 Order that Mr. Smith & Co in Albany

See No 1194 \$ 11.25/100 Order that Mr. Smith & Co in Albany

See No 1195 \$ 11.26/100 Order that Mr. Smith & Co in Albany

See No 1196 \$ 11.27/100 Order that Mr. Smith & Co in Albany

See No 1197 \$ 11.28/100 Order that Mr. Smith & Co in Albany

See No 1198 \$ 11.29/100 Order that Mr. Smith & Co in Albany

See No 1199 \$ 11.30/100 Order that Mr. Smith & Co in Albany

See No 1200 \$ 11.31/100 Order that Mr. Smith & Co in Albany

See No 1201 \$ 11.32/100 Order that Mr. Smith & Co in Albany

See No 1202 \$ 11.33/100 Order that Mr. Smith & Co in Albany

See No 1203 \$ 11.34/100 Order that Mr. Smith & Co in Albany

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- Ind No 493rd \$16.⁹⁹/₁₀₀ Ordered that Griffen Stephen be allowed sixteen dollars and ninety nine cents for rails & labour on ^{the road} bridge at ^{& men} Simmies Ferry
- Ind No 494th \$2.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Silas Stephens be allowed two dollars and fifty cents money expended on the bridge at Simmies Ferry
- Ind No 495th \$1.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Joseph Wheeler be allowed one dollar for service as ~~judge~~ ^{clerk} at justice election
- Ind No 496th \$1.⁷⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that Joseph P. Elliott be allowed ~~one~~ ⁷⁵/₁₀₀ dollar ^{& 75} for service as Inspector of Elections in Pigeon Township at a Justice Election & making return of said election

Now here Maason Warner Commissioner heretofore appointed to expend an Appropriation of two hundred dollars made by this board to be expended by said Commissioner on the Princeton road between Evansville & the Pigeon Bridge. Comes into Court & makes report & files the vouchers taken by him for labour and materials furnished for said road showing that he has expended said sum as directed by said board. which after examining this board affirms as also the acts of said Warner as such Commissioner

- Ind No 497th \$4.²⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charbonnet Alley be allowed four dollars & twenty five cents for making steps for County Jail & furnishing materials
- Ind No 498th \$5.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. Stewart Esq be allowed five dollars & fifty cents for service as Overseer of the poor for Knight Township to March 1st 1848

Now here Daniel Woolsey Esq a Justice of the Peace for Pigeon Township. files his report of sums assigned & collected to March 1st 1848 as follows to wit:

State of Indiana } Assault & Battery April 7th 1847
 vs }
 Abner Bishop } fine 50 paid to County Treasurer
 19th August 1847

State of Indiana } Prob. Gains Fine \$15.00 7th April
 vs } 1847 Morrow 50 cents & Hill \$10.00
 Mrs. Gains James Morrow } Morrow & Hill fines paid. & Gains
 & Richard Neill } committed to jail & afterwards
 13th of Gains fine paid making
 in \$23.50 cents paid which amount
 was paid the County Treasurer the 19th
 of August 1847

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State of Indiana
Admitted 19th August 1829
Three dollar paid to said county
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Just Commr do hereby certify that the above is correct list of all the fines collected and collected by me since the 3rd March 1871. J. Stewart Clerk

Justice of the Peace

The Court being convened for the purpose of the above do now here by report the following reports

You have Mr William R. Jordan Esq a Justice of the Peace in and for the County of Middlesex

Since the first day of January 1871 you have collected and reported to the Court the following fines in all the fines imposed and levied to report to them the following facts

That the following fines were imposed and levied to report to them the following facts

Collected by them for the year 1871

March 27th 1871

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March Session 1848

Assembly commencing at nine o'clock the board met by unanimous adjournment when present as yesterday

- Issd No 499 F \$2.00/100 Ordered that Geo B Walker be allowed two dollars for professional services rendered the prisoners in the county jail
- Issd No 500 F \$1.00/100 Ordered that La Schlamp be allowed one dollar for services as judge at a justices election held in Pigeon Township
- Issd No 501 F \$1.60/100 Ordered that A. Hammer be allowed one dollar and sixty cents for amount paid John Burkack for rails for the Princeton road
- Issd No 502 F \$2.75/100 Ordered that Jesse Jackson be allowed two dollars and seventy five cents for cash paid for labor on Princeton road
- Issd No 503 F \$22.12/100 Ordered that John Echols Sheriff be allowed twenty two dollars & twelve cents for dieting prisoners to March 1st 1848
- Issd No 504 F \$11.68/100 Ordered that John Echols Sheriff be allowed eleven dollars & sixty eight cents for dieting prisoners in county Jail
- Issd No 505 F \$40.00/100 Ordered that John Echols Sheriff be allowed forty dollars for 2 quarters ^{the Office} ^{per diem} as Sheriff of Vanderburgh County ending February 21st 1848
- Issd No 506 F \$4.00/100 Ordered that John Echols Sheriff be allowed four dollars for advertising prisoners
- Issd No 507 F \$1.12/100 Ordered that John Echols be allowed one dollar and twelve cents for giving notice of elections in Pigeon Township

Now here James S. Walker a Justice of the Peace in and for Pigeon Township Vanderburgh County makes his report of fines by him assessed and collected to March 1st 1848 as follows, to wit

A schedule of the fines that appear to have not have been reported by W. Reagin Esq. reported by James S. Walker a Justice of the Peace, and successors of the said W. Reagin

State of Indiana
 2/3 Marrant issued by Strooley Esq
 3/ Paul fine \$8.00 None fine \$10.00 Cohen
 3/ Marrant issued by Strooley Esq
 Jacob Paul Wm Lohman & Michael Row
 Pauls fine appears to have been paid to Esq Reagin

State of Indiana
 Wm Assault & Walter } Marrant issued by W. Strooley Esq. Not Guilty
 John Miller }

March Session. A.D. 1818

State of Indiana }
vs }
Thomas McGregory } Fine 3.00

State of Indiana }
vs }
Crawford McGregory } Fine 3.00
paid to Treasurer \$3.04

State of Indiana }
vs }
Daniel Davis & } Fine \$1.00
Melinda Davis }

State of Indiana }
vs }
Christian Wagner } Fine \$2.00

I have had no case of the above kind James I. Walker

The board after having examined James I. Walker Esq. under oath. Approve of the foregoing report.

Secd No 508 \$ 10.00/100 Ordered that John G. Terry be allowed ten dollars, for part of bill for Assessing County

Secd No 509 \$ 10.00/100 Ordered that John G. Terry be allowed ten dollars, for part of bill for Assessing County, per bill filed

Secd No 510 \$ 10.00/100 Ordered that John G. Terry be allowed ten dollars for part of bill for Assessing County, per bill filed

Secd No 511 \$ 10.00/100 Ordered that John G. Terry be allowed ten dollars for part of bill for Assessing County, per bill on file

Secd No 512 \$ 6.00/100 Ordered that John G. Terry be allowed six dollars for part of bill for Assessing County, per bill on file

Secd No 513 \$ 7.25/100 Ordered that John G. Terry be allowed seven dollars, and twenty five cents, for bill for Assessing Revenue, per bill on file

copied Now here William Wagner, and two or three other citizens of Perry Township, in the county of Vanderburgh. petition this board for the appointment of viewers to view and mark out a certain course, private way or road, beginning at a certain point on the land of George Sharron, running thence in an easterly direction, through the land of ...

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William Carpenter in section 18 Town 6 south of range 11 west. thence through the land of Henry Rizer, thence to intersect the county road leading from Evansville to the Perry County line on the direction to Mount Vernon. to intersect said county road, at or near the house of John Hays in said Township of Perry. And the board do hereby considering said petition. It is Ordered that Henry Rizer, James Houston & Ira Evans be and they are hereby appointed to view said road and make report thereon to this board at its next session

(Rem)

Now Henry James J. Walker who was heretofore appointed by this board to examine into the condition of the lots in Evansville, belonging to the County of Vanderburgh. And make report to this board the result of such examination, comes into court and submits his report in the words and figures following, to wit;

To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County
 The undersigned having been appointed by your Honors to examine into the title & condition of the lots, in the city of Evansville, belonging to the County, would respectfully report that all the donation enlargements of said city of Evansville, was sold to Vanderburgh County, part by Jones & Evans for five hundred dollars, and part by Hugh Mc Gary for five hundred dollars, and the deeds from them to Vanderburgh County, are recorded in Record Book A at pages 36 & and said deeds are on file in the Auditor's Office of said County.

I find that lots No 155, 156, 157, 1/4 of 171, 1/2 of 172, 213, 214, 215 & 220 (now belong to the County)

The following lots appear to be County property, but improperly sold, for taxes, namely 1/4 of 171 & 1/2 of 172 were sold for State & County taxes, for 1821 to James M. Newman, and were assessed as the property of an unknown owner, and certificate & deed were made, to Daniel O. Tool & recorded in Record Book C, at page 9, said lots said lots were sold by Daniel O. Tool to Francis Amory junior, and the deed recorded in record book E, at page 339, the same lots were sold by Francis Amory junior to Francis Amory, and the deed recorded in Record Book F, at page 306 to whom they are now assessed, on the tax duplicate in the Auditor's Office. Lot 195 was sold by the collector for State and County taxes for the year 1822, as the property of a non residents owner, to R. M. Evans, and the certificate from the collector, recorded in record book 19, at page 100 & sold by R. M. Evans to Arthur Hawkins, and the

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deed recorded in record book B at page 218 sold by Arthur Hawkins to Elizabeth Sullivan & the deed recorded in record book B at page 327 said lot was next sold as the property of Elizabeth Sullivan on execution by the Sheriff of Milledenburgh County, to Robert James and the Sheriff's deed recorded in record book C at page 63. And is now assessed to Robert James on the tax duplicate of 1847 in the Auditor's Office of this County.

Lot No 196 was sold by the collector of State & County taxes assessed for the year 1822 as the property of a Non resident Owner to R. M. Evans. And a Collector's Certificate for said lot is recorded in record book B at page 97 And sold by R. M. Evans to Arthur Hawkins. And the deed recorded in record book B at page 218. And sold by Arthur Hawkins to Elizabeth Sullivan. And the deed recorded in record book B at page 327. And sold by Elizabeth Sullivan to Nathan Rowley. And the deed recorded in Record book H at page 413. and is assessed on the tax duplicate of 1847 to said Nathan Rowley. 1/3 of lot 219 was sold to H. Slicht for State & County taxes. and for which he has a deed from the County Auditor. the said lot appears to have been sold by the County to H. E. Goodell and was then released to the County by him. And 2/3 sold by him to Herschelman who paid the taxes for it. but never paid the County part for said lot, nor received a deed from the County. after paying the taxes for several years. Herschelman refused to pay the taxes any longer, and said lot was as the property of said Herschelman sold to H. Slicht for the taxes. And a deed was made to H. Slicht by the County Auditor.

Lot No 240 was sold by the collector of State and County Taxes for the year 1829 to R. M. Evans for 5 cents and the Certificate recorded in record book D at page 7 and sold by R. M. Evans to Nathan Rowley and the deed recorded in record book B at page 294. And sold by Nathan Rowley to R. M. Evans. and the deed recorded in record book G at page 115. & sold by R. M. Evans to Charles Sim. & the deeds recorded in record book C at page 338. All the rest of the lots appear to have been sold at different times by the County Commissioners. and deeded by the County Agent.

Respectfully Submitted

Amos J. Walter

The Board after duly considering said report and the things therein ordered that the same be & it is hereby accepted & approved

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Issd Apr 5th 1848 \$25.00/100 Ordered that James S. Malter be Allowed twenty five dollars for examining the title to the County Lots in the city of Evansville

Issd Apr 5th 1848 \$50.00/100 Ordered that Meland Carpenter be Allowed fifty dollars for rent of poor house to March 8th 1848

Now here Richard Jenkins A. Warner & Josiah A. Kelsey Viewers heretofore appointed to view a portion of the road leading from Evansville to Newburgh come into court and report as follows, to wit

"To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of Warrickburgh County

The undersigned do report that in pursuance of the Order of the Honorable Board herewith returned, we having been first duly sworn according to law have viewed the ground when the road mentioned in the said Order is proposed to be run, and are of opinion that that the said Road should be so changed as to run through the center of the West half of section 25 Town Six South of Range Ten west about 35 Chains, to the North East corner of Isaac Haight's farm, thence in a South easterly direction, until it intersects the old Road on Joseph Barnes' Land, and when so changed that it will be on as good or better ground than, where the road now runs, and that in changing said road, the distance will not be increased

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All of which is Respectfully submitted

Witness our hands this 7th day of March 1848

R. Jenkins
A. Warner
Josiah A. Kelsey } Viewers

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The board now here accepts & approves said report, & the Supervisors are hereby Ordered to open said road & keep the same in repair according to law

Now here Pracker Mills a justice of the peace in and for Pigeon Township makes report of fines by him assessed and collected to March 7th 1848 as follows to wit

"To the honorable the Board of Commissioners of Warrickburgh County

The undersigned one of the justices of the peace in and for the township of Pigeon in said County reports the following list of all the fines assessed and collected by him by virtue of his office as such justice, within and during the year next preceeding the date of this report, to wit

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State of Indiana
 vs. Catharine Deal } Security of the peace. bond over and
 vs. Adam Deal } sent to jail

State of Indiana
 vs. Emmanuel Hill } Assault & Battery. fined April 2nd 1847 2,00
 How paid over

State of Indiana
 vs. Emmanuel Hill } Spoken the 2nd 1847
 Security of the peace
 discharged

State of Indiana
 vs. George W. Powell } April 26th 1847
 Assault & Battery
 fined and paid over 3,00

State of Indiana
 vs. Andrew Hawbold } fine the 5th 1847
 Assault & Battery
 fine and paid over 1,00

State of Indiana
 I Prickett Mills, a Justice of the Peace do solemnly swear that the above is a true and complete list of the fines assessed and collected by me or any persons in what manner by virtue of my office as such Justice within and during the preceding year commencing on the first Monday in March in 1847 and including the day of the date of this report being the first Monday of March 1848
 Given & subscribed this 7th day of March 1848 before me
 W. H. Walker, C. J.
 Prickett Mills, C. J.
 Justice of the Peace

Now here the County Auditor submits his Annual Report in relation to the condition of the School Funds of the County in the words and figures following, to wit;

Auditors Office
Wanderburgh County March 1st 1848

To the Board of Commissioners of Wanderburgh County
In Obedience to the provisions of Article 8 Chapter 13 of the Revised Statute of 1843. The Auditor of Wanderburgh County submits his Annual Report in Relation to the Congressional Township Funds of the County
Art 1 A Statement of the whole of the receipts and Disbursements on Account of said Funds with the total Amount of School Funds in the Commissioners hands on the 1st day of March 1848

Art 2 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 4 South of Range 10 West

Art 3 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 5 South of Range 10 West

Art 4 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 6 South of Range 10 West

Art 5 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 7 South of Range 10 West

Art 6 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 4 South of Range 11 West

Art 7 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 5 South of Range 11 West

Art 8 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 6 South of Range 11 West

Art 9 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 7 South of Range 11 West

Art 10 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 8 South of Range 11 West

Art 11 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 6 South of Range 9 West

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Apr 12 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of District No 4 in Town 6 South of Range 10 West

Apr 13 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of District No 3 in Town 7 South of Range 11 West

Apr 14 A Statement of the Condition of the Common School Funds

Apr 1 A Statement of the ^{Condition of the} Receipts & Disbursements of the whole of the School Funds of Vanderburgh County with the total amount in the School Commissioners hands on the 1st day of March 1848

Loans

There was outstanding on Loans March 1st 1847 of this Fund

Loaned by Auditor from March 1st 1847 to March 1st 1848

Amount refunded by borrowers to March 1st 1848
Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1848

12,284.80
1,681.00
13,965.80
1,343.00
12,622.80

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in commissioners hands March 1st 1847
There has been received since & up to March 1st 1848 as follows to wit

From Principal from Purchase of school land
From Loans refunded by borrowers
From Interest on Loans
From Interest from Purchases
From Incidental receipts
From Deposits by school district Treasurers

10,871.30
470.09
1,343.00
863.59
1,163.69
263.04
17.18
5,208.14

Disbursements

Loans to March 1st 1848
Interest drawn by Township Treasurers
Incidental Expenditures
Interest drawn by school districts

Total disbursements to March 1st 1848

Balance in commissioners hands March 1st 1848

1,681.00
767.42
569.26
133.20
3,150.88
2,057.24

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No 2 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Township 4 South of Range 10 West

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Received from dividends on common school funds of March & September dividends 1847

8	77
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8	77

Total Receipts

Disbursements

Drawn by Township Treasurer to March 1st 1848 of this fund

8	77
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8	77

Total disbursements

No 3 A Statement of the Condition of Township 5 South of Range 10 West

Loans

The Amount outstanding on Loans on March 1st 1847 of the funds of this Township was

590	47
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590	47

Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1848

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Commissioners hands of the funds of this Township March 1st 1847

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The Amount received since and up to March 1st 1848 is as follows to wit

From Interest from Purchases of school land	21	35
From Interest on loans	46	58
From common school dividends	10	53
<hr/>		Total Receipts
	79	12

Disbursements

The Amount drawn by Township Treasurer	44	78
Incidental Expenditures	12	03
<hr/>		Total disbursements
	56	81

Balance in Commissioners hands March 1st 1848

22	31
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No 4 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 6 South of Range 10 West

Loans

There was outstanding on Loans March 1st 1847 of the funds of this Township

3	197	00
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Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1848

4	50	00
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Total Loans

3	647	00
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Loans repaid by borrowers to March 1st 1848

3	95	00
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Outstanding Loans March 1st 1848

3	252	00
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Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Balance in Commissioners hands March 1st 1847

4	56
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There has been received since March 1st 1848 as follows. Viz;

From Loans repaid by borrowers	395,00
From Interest on Loans	299,48
From Interest on Lands	629,41
From Common School Fund	64,46
From Miscellaneous sources	64,79
From Principal on school lands	106,84
Total Receipts	1,672,51

Disbursements

Loans of funds of this Township	450,00
Account drawn by Township Treasurers	342,40
Incidental Expenditures	46,29
Total Disbursements	838,69
Balance in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1848	833,82

No 5 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 7 South of Range 10 West

Loans

There was Outstanding on Loans of the Funds of this Township March 1 st 1847	1,443,00
Loaned by Auditor to March 1 st 1848	231,00
Total Loans	1,674,00
Repaid by borrowers to March 1 st 1848	200,00
Outstanding on Loans March 1 st 1848	1,474,00

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Balance in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1847	295,43
There has been received since & up to 1 st March 1 st 1848 of the funds of this Township as follows to wit;	
From Loans repaid by borrowers	200,00
From Principal from Purchases of lands	40,00
From Interest on Loans	88,63
From Interest from Purchases	39,93
From Common School dividends	12,76
From Miscellaneous sources	135,19
Total Receipts	811,94

Disbursements

Loans of the funds of this Township	231,00
Incidental disbursements	154,73
Total Disbursements	385,73
Balance in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1848	426,21

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No 6 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of
Town 4 South of Range 11 West

Receipts & Expenditures

Receipts

Amount received of the funds of this Township as follows to wit; from dividends on Crime Fund	8.71
Total receipts	8.71

Disbursements

Amount drawn by Township Treasurer	8.71
Total disbursements	8.71

No 7 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town
5 South of Range 11 West

Loans

Outstanding loans March 1 st 1848	411.00
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Receipts & Expenditures

Receipts

Balance in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1847	89.09
There has been received since to March 1 st 1848	
As follows. viz;	
From Interest on Loans	52.39
From Interest from Purchases of Land	26.88
From Dividend on Common Fund	28.70
From Miscellaneous sources	9.94
Total receipts	207.00

Disbursements

Amount drawn by Township Treasurer	93.60
Incidental disbursements	11.95
Total disbursements	105.55
Balance in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1848	101.45

No 8 A Statement of the Condition of the funds
of Town 6 South Range 11 West

Loans

There was Outstanding on loans of this funds of this Township March 1 st 1847	1.108.87
Loaned by Auditor to March 1 st 1848	270.00
Total Loans	1.378.87

Refunded by Borrowers

Outstanding on loans March 1 st 1848	83.15
Total	2,215.72

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Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Commissioners hands of the funds of this Township March 1st 1847 99.05
 There has been received since to March 1st 1848, as follows viz

From Loans refunded by borrowers	83.15
From Purchases of school lands	273.72
From Interest on loans	50.83
From Interest from interest from Purchases of land	278.34
From dividends on Common Funds	17.48
From Miscellaneous sources	21.69
Total receipts	824.26

Disbursements

Loans of funds of this Township	220.00
Amount drawn by Township Treasurers	309.08
Incidental disbursements	59.44
Balance in Com	588.52
Total disbursements	588.52
Balance in Commissioners hands March 1 st 1848	235.74

No 9 A Statement of the condition of the Funds of Town 7 South of Range 11 West

Loans

There was outstanding on loans of the funds of this Township March 1st 1847 2,461.61
 Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1848 ~~395.00~~
Total loans 2,856.61

Amount refunded by borrowers	345.00
Outstanding on loan March 1 st 1848	2,511.61

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Commissioners hands on settlement March 1st 1847 114.15
 There has been received since to March 1st 1848 as follows, viz

From loans refunded by borrowers	345.00
From Interest on loans	165.61
From incidental receipts	141.20
From Interest from Purchases	19.46
From Common school dividends	10.40
Total receipts	795.77

Disbursements

Loans of the funds of this Township	395.00
Amount drawn by Township Treasurers	153.28
Incidental disbursements	27.98
Total disbursements	276.26

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No 10 A Statement of the condition of the funds of
Town 8 South of Range 11 West

Receipts & Disbursements
Receipts

From dividends on common ^{Stock} funds 6. | 80

Total Receipts 6. | 80

Disbursements

Amount drawn by Township Treasurer 6. | 80

Total Disbursements 6. | 80

No 11 Statement of the condition of the funds of
Township 6 South of range 9 west

Receipts & Disbursements
Receipts

There was in Commissioners hands of the funds
of this Township March 1st 1847 4. | 79

Total Receipts 4. | 79

Disbursements

Balance in Commissioners hands March 1st 1848 0. | 00

Total Disbursements 4. | 79

No 12 A Statement of the condition of the funds
of District 4 Town 6 South Range 10 West

Receipts & Disbursements
Receipts

There was in Commissioners hands March 1st 1847
of this funds 41. | 69

There has been received since March 1st 1848 of
follows viz
From Deposites of District Treasurer 11. | 65

Total Receipts 53. | 34

Disbursements

Amount drawn by Treasurer 41. | 69

Total Disbursements 41. | 69

Balance in Commissioners hands March 1st 1848 11. | 65

No 13 A Statement of the condition of School District
No 3. Town 7 South of Range 11 West

Receipts & Disbursements
Receipts

There was in Commissioners hands on the first
of March 1847 of this fund 85. | 98

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There has been received since to March 1st 1848

Total receipts

5, 53

91, 57

Disbursements

Amount drawn by Township Treasurers

91, 57

Total disbursements

91, 57

As 14 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds
belonging to Common Schools

Loans

There was in Loans outstanding on the first
of March 1847 of this fund

2, 803, 00

Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1848

385, 00

Total Loans

3, 188, 00

Refunded by borrowers to March 1st 1848

350, 00

Outstanding on Loan March 1st 1848

2, 838, 00

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Commissioners hands of this fund
on March 1st 1847

177, 04

There has been received since to March 1st 1848

as follows, to viz,

From Loans refunded by borrowers

350, 00

From Principal from Loans

21, 73

From Interest on Loans

232, 99

From Interest from Purchases

17, 10

From Miscellaneous sources

10, 12

Total Receipts

808, 98

Disbursements

Loans of the Common School funds

385, 00

Distributed to Townships

176, 32

Incidental disbursements

46, 14

Total disbursements

607, 96

Balance in Commissioners hands March 1st 1848

201, 02

Which is respectfully submitted

William H. Walker

Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Ordered that the board adjourn until
 tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock
 J. S. Spang - Trust

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The Tuesday Morning at nine o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment, when present as yesterday.

- Ord. No 516 $\$40.00/100$ Ordered that B Mills be Allowed Fifty dollars for services as Censurer of the poor for Pigeon Township per bill on file. to March 1st 1848
- Ord. No 517 $\$1.00/100$ Ordered that Martin Schriole be Allowed One dollar for services as judge of an election for justice in Pigeon Township in December 1847
- Ord. No 518 $\$1.50/100$ Ordered that Saml. J. Kacy be Allowed One dollar and fifty cents for viewing change in the State road leading to Newburgh
- Ord. No 519 $\$1.50/100$ Ordered that Richard Jenkins be Allowed One dollar and fifty cents for services as road viewer in Knight Township in 1848
- Ord. No 520 $\$1.50/100$ Ordered that Alanson Warner be Allowed One dollar & fifty cents for services as road viewer in Knight Township in 1848
- Ord. No 521 $\$1.00/100$ Ordered that John Highmeyer be Allowed One dollar for services as Commissioner to examine bridge in Pigeon Township over the upper Cayuga
- Ord. No 522 $\$1.00/100$ Ordered that John M. Hinison be Allowed One dollar for services as Commissioner to examine the lower bridge in Pigeon Township.
- Ord. No 523 $\$26.50/100$ Ordered that Jones & Sifford be Allowed Twenty six dollars & fifty cents for materials & labour for the purpose of saving the salt well bridge during the high water.
- Ord. No 524 $\$1.50/100$ Ordered that William Whittlesy be Allowed One dollar and fifty cents for services as surveyor in a view to change State road in Knight Township

now here On the petition of S. D. Stoddard and other citizens of Samaras City in Pigeon Township Vanderburgh County Indiana. It is Ordered that an additional justice of the peace ^{for Pigeon Township} to reside in Samaras City ^{be elected} at the election to be holden ^{in the county} ~~in the township~~ on the first Monday in April ~~next~~ ¹⁸⁴⁸

now here R. M. Doolan submits his quarterly report which is now per approved

now here the School Commission of Vanderburgh County submits his Annual Report showing the amount of school funds in his hand on March 1st 1848 as follows to wit

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School Commissioners Office Vanderburgh County March 6th 1848

To the Hon The Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County Gentlemen

In accordance with the revised Statute in such cases made, and provided, the School Commissioners of Vanderburgh County submit his Annual report together with the Account of receipts and expenditures from March the 3rd 1847 to March the 6th 1848

Receipts

There was remaining in School the Treasury at last settlement the amount of \$1,091.68 Amount received from March 2nd 1847 to March 6th 1848 is \$4,118.30

Expenditures

There has been paid on warrants from March the 2nd 1847 the amount of \$5,209.98

Balance Remaining in Treasury March 6th 1848 \$3,152.71

Respectfully Submitted Brackett Mills S.C.V.C.

The board after duly considering said report the same is now here approved

Now here John J. Chandler Esqr comes before the board, and represents, to this board that Messrs, and W. H. Chandler are jointly indebted to the County Seminary fund on a certain note drawn in favor of John Chandler, Treasurer of the Seminary Trustees, which said Chandler, assumed the payment of, for Anna Clark, upon certain conditions endorsed upon the back of said note, and that in accordance with the conditions aforesaid he had tendered the interest and tax ~~and taxes~~ due upon said note. And the Officers having charge of said Seminary note, refused to renew the same, in accordance with the conditions referred herein, and ~~therefore~~ ^{that the} said Chandler, was thereupon said upon said note and the county failed to obtain judgement upon said obligation since which time he contends he is not liable for interest upon said note, but is willing to execute a note with sufficient ~~personal~~ ^{the amount of} security for the principal of said note, and pay the same with ~~the~~ interest as is legally charged

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upon loans of money ^{provided that he} ~~may~~ ^{may have the use of} ~~at his~~ ^{will the same} ~~expense~~ ^{of the} ~~may~~ ^{be} ~~called~~ ^{may} ~~in~~ ^{be} ~~for~~ ^{for} ~~seminary~~ ^{seminary} ~~purposes~~ ^{purposes}. And it is ordered that the Auditor be and he is hereby authorized to receive from their hands an obligation upon the said conditions according to said understanding

It is now here Ordered that Thomas E. Garrison be And he is hereby Appointed County Agent for the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana to serve for three years from the first Monday in March 1848. And It is understood by and between the said Thomas E. Garrison and the board of Commissioners that for the sum of Fifty dollars per annum payable quarterly, the said T. E. Garrison in addition to the performance of the duties of County Agent ~~is to act~~ ^{act} as Council to the board of County Commissioners. when said County board may require legal advice. Also to act as legal adviser to the County Treasurer, County Auditor & County Assessor. & also to write ^{all} such legal instruments as may be legally required of said board of County Commissioners, and to examine such Bonds agreements & articles of writing (when the board may wish) as may be submitted to the County board for its approval, and give his opinion thereon

Ordered that the board adjourn until to Tomorrow morning at nine o'clock

Wm. P. Gray. - Post

Thursday Morning of 1848 the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

Issd No 525 H \$35.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John Echols be allowed Thirty five dollars for cash paid for the apprehension of Wm. Coonertion, who broke jail on the first of March 1848

Issd No 526 H \$11.²⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that A. Haischild be allowed One ²⁵/₁₀₀ dollar for commissioning a jury for the Coroner at an inquest held in Centre Township in March 1848



Issd No 527 H \$13.⁹⁹/₁₀₀ Ordered that Edward H. De Gar ¹⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Mo, thirteen dollars and ninety cents, ¹⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Irons for Cash paid for Hand Cuffs for prisoners

Now here Thomas E. Garrison, County Agent comes into Court and files his bond with Samuel Orr as his security, therein in the word & figures following to wit: To wit: I know all given by their presence that we Thomas E. Garrison and Samuel Orr are held, and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of one Thousand

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dollar for the payment of which well, and truly to be made, and done we bind ourselves our heirs executors & Administrators jointly, severally, firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated at Evansville this 9th day of March A. D. 1848

Now the condition of the above obligation is such, that if the above bonded Thomas E. Garvin shall faithfully, honestly & diligently perform the duties and discharge the trusts committed to him as the County Agent of Vanderburgh County, in the State aforesaid, and shall well & truly account to the proper persons for all money, bonds, notes & mortgages, which may come to his hands by virtue of said office, then this obligation to be null & void, otherwise to be and remain in full force & virtue

Thomas E. Garvin 
Samuel Orr 

The board duly considering said bond it is now here Accepted & Approved

Ind No 528th \$4,90⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that William H. Walker are be Allowed Four dollars and ninety cents, for cash paid for Stationary for Auditors Office

Ind No 529th \$101,66⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that William H. Walker are be Allowed One hundred & One dollar & sixty six cents for Auditing for County per bill filed

Now here Willard Carpenter rents to the County Commissioners the poor house property, now in the occupancy of said County, for the term of One year and seven months, according to the following agreement, to wit;

Agreement
with
Mr Carpenter
for
Rent of
Poor House

This Agreement made and entered into, by and between the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, in the State of Indiana, and Willard Carpenter of said County & State, witnesseth, that for and in consideration of the sum of One hundred and twenty five dollars, per annum payable by said County Commissioners, to Willard Carpenter, quarterly yearly, at and on the expiration, of every quarter of a year said Carpenter agrees to rent to said County of Vanderburgh Twenty Acres of land situate lying, and being, to the north of, and adjoining the lands of Emanuel Hall, on the Boonville road, being the same premises now occupied by the County of Vanderburgh as a county poor house, with the buildings erected thereon, for the term of one year and seven months, commencing, on the 8th day of June 1848, and ending on the 8th day of January 1850, and it is agreed by

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Said Carpenter that he (the said Carpenter) is to place the said twenty acres, under a good and sufficient fence, and it is understood, by and between the parties, that the keeper of said poor house is to have the privilege to cut take and carry from said twenty acres, and also from the land of said Carpenter adjoining said twenty ^{acres}, any and all timber necessary for fire wood for said County poor house, said Carpenter reserves the right to designate the kind of wood, provided, the wood thus designated shall be suitable for fire wood

The witnesses whereof the said parties have hereunto set their hands, and seals this 7th day of March 1848

It is understood that said property, is to be delivered up to said Carpenter, in as good repair as when the County first rented the same, the natural wear and tear, and accidents from fire, and all unavoidable accidents, only excepted.

E Saunders Seal
John Burtis Seal
Ira P. Granger Seal

County Commis

Willard Carpenter Seal

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow at eight o'clock
Ira P. Granger Pres

For day morning March 10th at 8 o'clock when present as on yesterday

Ind 530

Ordered that George Bates be allowed three dollars and fifty cents for 2 cords of wood furnished the County in March 1848

Copies

Now here Charles Sims represents to this board that he the said Sims, owns, and is in possession, of lot number two hundred, and forty, in the location E. Long street of Evansville, and that the County of Vanderburgh appears to have owned said lot, and that there is no evidence of record, of the County, ever having deeded said lot & for the purpose of confirming his title to said lot he is willing to pay said County the sum of One hundred and thirty dollars, for a quit claim deed for said lot from said County, and the board duly considering said proposal, It is now here Ordered - that in consideration of the payment of said sum of One hundred and thirty dollars, to the County Agent of Vanderburgh County, the said County Agent Thomas E. Garvin is hereby Ordered authorized, and

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directed to make a quit claim deed to Charles Simm for lot number two hundred and forty dollars in the donation enlargement of Evansville, so soon as said Simm pay him the said sum of one hundred and thirty dollars, and all the acts of the said Thomas E. Garmon of in and concerning the conveyance of said lot no 240. to Charles Simm under this order, are hereby confirmed by this board.

William Mills comes into court, and proposes to build an apron to the bridge over the ravine near John F. Shinson's residence, ^{to be supported by an additional ~~width~~ ^{width} of about} 20 feet long, and of the same width of the bridge, ^{and} furnish all materials necessary, to the acceptance and approval of this board, for the sum of twelve dollars, and the board duly considering said proposal it is ordered that said it be accepted by this board, and said Mills is now here authorized and directed to complete said apron to said bridge in accordance with said propositions without delay, said Mills is to have the privilege to take the timber necessary, from the old bayou bridge, in building the said apron.

Ind No 531 $\$1.92/100$ Ordered that Clairborn Money be allowed one dollar and ninety two cents for mending hole in County Jail.

Ind No 532 $\$1.00/100$ Ordered that Wm Mills be allowed one dollar for services as judge of an election in Perry Township on 3rd of August 1846.

Now here Nathan Rowley produces to this board his account as school commissioner of Vanderburgh ^{County} from March 1835 to September 1843, which account charges, that the County of Vanderburgh is still indebted to N. Rowley in the sum of $1612.26/100$ dollars, and after hearing the arguments of Counsel, it is ordered that the further examination of the case be deferred until tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock, at which time the board will hold a special session for the purpose.

Ind No 533 $\$1.50/100$ Ordered that N. Rowley be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for surveying and making estimate of work & embankment of the bayou.

Ind No 534 $\$2.00/100$ Ordered that Wm H. Hall be allowed two dollars for services surveying the embankment at the bayou.

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Ind No 535 A \$1.25/100 Ordered that Warner Hetchels be Allowed one dollar and twenty five cents for buggy hire for Rowley Malster

Ind No 536 A \$3.00/100 Ordered that P Mornebrooke be Allowed Three dollars for services as Visiter of the County to March 1st 1848

Ind No 537 A \$1.50/100 Ordered that Robert Parrett be Allowed one dollar and fifty cents for services as Visiter of the County poor house for the year ending March 1st 1848

Now here Samuel McCutchan Esq a Justice of the peace for Centre Township comes into Court, and makes report as follows

"To the honorable the board of County Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, the undersigned one of the Justices of the Peace, in and for the Township of Centre, in said County report the following List of all the fines assessed, and collected by him by virtue of his Office as such Justice, within and during the year next preceeding the day of the date of this report, to wit,

State of Indiana July 1st 1847
 W. Assault & Battery
 John Ashpole } five one dollar paid \$1.00

State of Indiana August 5th 1847
 W. Assault & Battery
 Irafton Whitlow } fined three dollars cash paid 3.00
 Cornelius Jackson

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County Let
 I Samuel McCutchan the said Justice of the peace do solemnly swear, that the above is a true and complete List of all the fines assessed, and collected by me of any person whatsoever, by virtue of my Office as such Justice within and during the preceeding year commencing on the first Monday of March 1847 and ending on the day of the date of this report

Subscribed and sworn to Samuel McCutchan
 this the 10th day of March 1848
 before me

The board duly considering said report and the things therein It is now here Ordered that said report be Accepted & Approved

Samuel McCutchan produce to the board the report of fines assessed, and collected by him within the County, which the board after duly examining is

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you have the notice of the County fair house
Phillip Minkwitz which is not correct and
make out part in the words appearing following:
of the house like the County Commission

of Washington County. The the undersigned notice by you
of the County fair house we have to report
that we have notice the house there during our absence
and would state that we have found the house
in good order and the inmates seem to be well
and for. We would further state that at this time there
are four female, two adult male, and one minor male
in the house at this time. Nothing we all been
all of which is perfectly satisfactory
E. Minkwitz
Noted 28th

the land duly considering said report as now
has accepted & approved

- Jan 538 \$ 100.00/100 Order that John Echols be allowed
one hundred dollars for part payment in the purchase
of 30 acres of land for a poor house
- Jan 539 \$ 100.00/100 Order that John Echols be allowed
one hundred dollars for part payment of purchase
of 30 acres of land to erect a County poor house on
- Jan 540 \$ 34.79/100 Order that John Echols be allowed
thirty four dollars and seventy nine cents for part of
the purchase money for a County poor house
- Jan 541 \$ 100.00/100 Order that John Echols be allowed
one hundred dollars for part of the purchase money
for the purchase for a County poor house
- Jan 542 \$ 100.00/100 Order that John Echols be allowed
one hundred dollars for part of the purchase money
for the purchase for a County poor house
- Jan 543 \$ 100.00/100 Order that John Echols be allowed
one hundred dollars for part of the purchase money for
the purchase for a County poor house
- Jan 544 \$ 150.00/100 Order that John Echols be allowed
fifty dollars for part of the purchase money for the
purchase for a County poor house
- Jan 545 \$ 50.00/100 Order that John Echols be
allowed four hundred dollars for part of the purchase
money for the purchase for a County poor house
- Jan 546 \$ 315.00/100 Order that John Echols be allowed
three hundred and fifteen dollars and twenty cents
for the purchase of the purchase for a County poor
house for the County poor in face

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Now here Nathan Rowley & William M. Walker come in to Court and make report of the measurement and estimate of embankment, required to fill up the bayou near Martin Stinsons in the words and figures following, to wit;

"The the undersigned having been appointed by the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, to make an estimate of the expense of making an embankment across the Bayou below Evansville. They leave to submit the following report, that agreeably to their directions, they have made an examination, and measurement, which they believe will approximate near to the truth, and that according to our estimate there will be 7684 cubic yards of embankment which at 12 cents per yard will amount to \$922.08 to which add thirty dollars for clearing and make ditch, will amount to \$952.08. all of which is respectfully submitted
Evansville March 10th 1848

Nathan Rowley

It is now here ordered that Robert Parrott for Commissioners district number one, and Charles Fairchild for Commissioners district no 2 and John M. Blair for Commissioners district no 3 be, and they are hereby appointed, visitors of the County Asylum, ^{for the poor} of the County of Vanderburgh, in the State of Indiana, for one year ending, March 1st 1849

Ordered that sealed proposals be received until the first Monday in May 1848. ^{for making} an embankment, at the bayou near Martin Stinsons residence in Perry Township. ^{the bids for} said work to be based upon estimates exhibited in the report made by Nathan Rowley & W. M. Walker, made to this board at the present March Session

- Issd No 547 \$ 10.00 Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed ten dollars, for 5 days services as County Commissioner at the March Session 1848
- Issd No 548 \$ 10.00 Ordered that Ira S. Sprague be allowed ten dollars, for 5 days services as County Commissioner at the March Session 1848
- Issd No 549 \$ 10.00 Ordered that John Rust be allowed ten dollars for 5 days services as County Commissioner at the March Session 1848

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in Course
E. Saunders
I. S. Sprague
John Rust

Special March Session 1848

At a special session of The Board of Commissioners of Waukesha County, begun and held in pursuance of a call made by the County Auditor, on the 11th day of March 1848 (said day being Saturday) for the purpose of acting upon the account of Nathan Rowley, former School Commissioner of said County, for services rendered by him as such Commissioner, when present Ezekiel Saunders, Ira P. Grainger and John P. Egg, Voluntary Commissioners of said County Board

Now here Nathan Rowley former School Commissioner of Waukesha County, appears before this board, and moves the board to consider his bill, as exhibited to the board on yesterday, and placed upon the file of this board, which bill purports to be for services rendered as School Commissioner of said County by Nathan Rowley, and the board now here returns the bill for further consideration, of the account exhibited by Nathan Rowley, for services rendered as School Commissioner of Waukesha County aforesaid. And after hearing the arguments of Counsel, touching said account, and duly considering the matter, and things therein, the board refuses to allow the same, or any part thereof, from which decision said Rowley prays an appeal

Independent taken & papers

- Ord No 550^H \$25.00/100 Ordered that Marcus Sherwood be allowed twenty five dollars for balance on the purchase of three premises for a county Asylum
- Ord No 551^H \$1.00/100 Ordered that Virginia Bowles be allowed one dollar for services as clerk at an election in Pigeon Township Dec 23 1848

Now here Thomas E. Garrine Egg County Agent files with this board his report, which ^{report} is now here approved and accepted by this board

Now here the board contracts with John Spitzer and Charles Kingle for building a bridge over the bayou near the residence of John M. Stinson in Pigeon Township, to be similar in dimensions to the old bridge with a little variation in the size of the string pieces, & with one additional string piece. Said bridge is to be finished by the first of June 1848, per agreement on file signed by the members of this board said Spitzer & Kingle, and now here Spitzer and Kingle file their bond with Benj. Merri & David Woodsey as their securities, for the faithful completion of said contract in the penal sum of one hundred dollars, which bond is now here accepted & approved

Copies

- Ord No 552^H \$2.00/100 Ordered that Ezekiel ^{Saunders} be allowed two dollars for 1 day services, as County Commissioner at the special March session 1848

Issd No 553 7 1/2. 700 Order That Ira P. Granger be Allowed
Two dollars for one day services as county commissioner at
the Special March session 1848

Issd No 554 7 2. 700 Ordered that John Burt be Allowed Two
dollars for one day services as county commissioner at the
Special March session 1848

Now here John M. Stinson and John Fitzgibbe be
And they are hereby Appointed Commissioners, to superintend
Copied the building of a bridge over the bayou near John M. Stinson's
own residence. Said Commissioners are to inspect the timbers
and materials, designed for said bridge & to see that said
materials are furnished ^{of the bridge construction} agreeably with the contract made with
Epstein & Kingle

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in course

J. P. Granger
John Burt
E. Saunders

In Vacation of

Register of School Lands in Congressional Township No 5 South of Range No 10 West Sold by the County Auditor and School Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, Indiana (in pursuance of public notice, on the 14th day of March 1848

Number of Lots	Description of Land	Section	Town	Range	Acres	Wtd	Amount of Assessment of Township	Amount of Sale	Name of Purchaser
No 2	N. W. cor. N. E. q. r.	16	5	10	39.03		68.30	107.00	Charles H. McJohnston
" 3	N. E. q. r. N. W. q. r.	"	"	"	40.20		66.30	73.00	Charles H. McJohnston
" 7	S. N. q. r. N. E. q. r.	"	"	"	39.03		68.30	105.00	Charles H. McJohnston
" 9	N. E. q. r. S. E. q. r.	"	"	"	37.41		46.33	70.00	Charles Collins
" 10	N. W. q. r. S. E. q. r.	"	"	"	39.44		48.88	95.00	Charles H. McJohnston
" 12	N. W. q. r. S. W. q. r.	"	"	"	40.00		120.00	194.00	Peter Heber
* " 15	S. N. q. r. S. E. q. r.	"	"	"	39.44		78.88	120.00	Adam Korb *
Common School Lands									
Stk 1	1/2 of East 1/2 of N. E. q. r.	28	5	10	20		100.00	101.00	William McWhorter
" 2	1/2 of N. E. q. r. of E. 1/2 of N. E. q. r.	28	5	10	20		100.00	141.00	Josiah Garrison & James McWhorter
" 3	3/4 of 1/2 of E. 1/2 of N. E. q. r.	28	5	10	20		100.00	100.00	Richard McJohnston

William H. Walker S. C. C.
13 Hills S. C. C.

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } 3

I William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County do hereby Certify that the several tracts or lots of school lands in the foregoing register contain, were duly advertised by publication in the Evansville Journal a public newspaper of general circulation printed and published the County of Vanderburgh a foreword and by posting up notices of said sale at the Court house door in said County and in three of the most public places in the Township where the land is situate, for sixty days prior to the 14th day of March aforesaid.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 16th day of March A.D. 1848

William H. Walker
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Auditors Office W.C.
March 23rd 1848

John Adam Keller, having produced the County Treasurers receipt for ten dollars & filed his bond with John Stower as his securities in the sum of five hundred dollars. I thereupon issued him a license to keep a Grocery & retail Spirituous Liquors, in Vanderburgh County for one year from 1st day of March 1848
William H. Walker A.C.

Whereas Peter Hibner has paid the sum of one hundred and ninety four dollars to the School Commissioners of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana, in full for the lot or North West quarter of the South West quarter of section number sixteen in Township number five South of range number ten West containing forty acres now known as, that in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statute in such case made, and provided I William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County, for and in the name of the Inhabitants of Congressional Township number five South of range number ten West, do give and grant said North West quarter of the South West quarter of section number sixteen in Township number five South of range number ten West to the said Peter Hibner, and to his heirs and assigns forever
In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the 15th day of March 1848
William H. Walker Seal
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Witness
Bracket Mills

School Commissioners of Vanderburgh County
State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County

I James T. Walker a Justice of the Peace in and for the County of Vanderburgh State of Indiana, do hereby certify that the within named William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County, personally came before me, and acknowledged that he signed and sealed the within Instrument as his voluntary act & deed for the uses & purposes therein mentioned

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal at the City of Evansville this 17th day of March A.D. 1848

James T. Walker Seal
Justice of the Peace

Recorded March 23rd 1848
W. H. Walker A.C.

In vacation March 1848

Thomas Cuyet You are hereby appointed
Supervisor of road district No 3 Centre Township
for A. 1848. to serve for one year from, and
after the first Monday in April 1848

April 5th 1848

William H. Walter
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Thomas Hall, Constable elect, for Pigeon
Township, for A. 1848. has this day produced
to me his Certificate of Election and Bond
which Bond is in the penal sum of Five Hundred
dollars with Francis A. Sisco John R. McLeon and
Jael C. Mills as his security therein which bond
is approved

April 5th 1848

William H. Walter
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Charles Bates, a Constable elected for
Pigeon Township, in the County of Vanderburgh
at the election held on the first Monday in April
A. 1848 has this day produced to me his Bonds as
such Constable, with John Ward, and George Bates
as his surties therein. which Bond I now here
approve

April 7th 1848

William H. Walter
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Joseph J. Walton who was elected at
the April Election 1848 a Constable in and
for Bryan Township, has this day produced
to me his bond as such Constable, with George
B. Wayson and Joshua Leavis as his
security therein. which bond is now here
approved

William H. Walter
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Wm. P. Kelley, Constable elect for 1848, for
Perry Township, produced his bond ^{for 300} on this
day to me with M. N. Atherton & M. A. Dawley as his
security. which bond I approved.

April 10th 1848

William H. Walter
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

In vacation

Whereas Charles H. McJohnston has paid the sum of three hundred, and eighty dollars, to the School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County, in the State of Indiana, in full for the Lot or North West quarter of the North East quarter, and the North East quarter of the North West quarter, and the South West quarter of the North East quarter, and the North West quarter of the South East quarter, of Section Number sixteen in Township Number five South of Range Number ten West, containing in all one hundred, and fifty seven Acres, and Seventy, One hundredths of an Acre

Now Know ye, that in Consideration of the premises and in Conformity with the Statute, in such Case made and provided, I William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County, for and in the name of the Inhabitants of Congressional Township Number five South of Range Number ten West do give, and grant said North West quarter of the North East quarter, and North East quarter of North West quarter, and South West quarter of North East quarter + North West quarter of South East quarter, of Section Number sixteen in Township Number five South of Range Number ten West containing One hundred and fifty seven Acres + Seventy One hundredths of an Acre, to Charles H. McJohnston, and to his heirs, and assigns forever



Witness my hand and seal at Evansville in said County on this 15th day of March 1848
 William H. Walker
 Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Witness
 Bracket Mills

School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County

State of Indiana }
 Vanderburgh County } 3/17

I James J. Walker a Justice of the Peace in and for the County and State aforesaid do hereby Certify that the within named William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County, personally appeared before me, and acknowledged that he signed and sealed the foregoing indenture for the uses, and purposes therein mentioned, and as his voluntary Act and deed
 In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and seal at the City of Evansville this 17th day of March A.D. 1848

James J. Walker Justice of the Peace

Recorded April 8th 1848
 William H. Walker att.

In vacation

No 2

Auditors Office
Wanderburgh County April 7th 1848

It is hereby certified that Joshua Davidson did on the 14th day of March A.D. 1848 purchase of the School Commissioners of Wanderburgh County at Evansville the Lot or South half of the North half of the East half of the North East quarter of Section Number twenty eight in Township Number five South of Range Number ten West containing twenty Acres for the sum of One hundred and forty One dollar of which he has paid the sum of 42 ⁸⁸/₁₀₀ dollars, being one fourth of the original purchase money, and one year interest in advance on the residue Now Therefore Be It Known, That if the said Joshua Davidson, his heirs or assigns shall pay the remaining 105 ⁰⁰/₁₀₀ dollars at the expiration of twenty five years from the 14th day of March aforesaid, with seven per cent interest thereon annually in advance, then the said Joshua Davidson shall be entitled to receive a deed for said lot above described

William H. Walker
Auditor of Wanderburgh County
Bracket Mills S. C. V. C.

Recorded April 8th 1848

William H. Walker Ave

No 3

Auditors Office
Wanderburgh County April 7th 1848

It is hereby certified that Kinlocke McJohnston and Samuel McCutchan did on the 14th day of March 1848 purchase of the School Commissioners of Wanderburgh County at Evansville the Lot or North half of the South half of the East half of the North East quarter of Section Number twenty eight in Township five South of Range ten West, containing twenty Acres for the sum of One hundred dollars, of which there has been paid to said School Commissioners, the sum of thirty dollars, and twenty five cents, being one fourth of the original purchase money, and one year interest in advance on the residue

Now Therefore Be It Known, that if the remaining balance of seventy five dollars be paid to said School Commissioners, or his Successor in Office at the expiration of twenty five years from the date of said Sale, with seven per cent interest, payable annually thereon in advance, then the said McJohnston & McCutchan or their heirs or assigns shall be entitled to a deed for said lot above described

William H. Walker Auditor Auditor of Wanderburgh County
Bracket Mills S. C. V. C.

Recorded April 8th 1848

W. H. Walker Ave

In vacation

No 9

Auditors Office
Wanderburgh County April 7th 1848

It is hereby certified that Charles Collins, did on the 14th day of March a. d. 1848 purchase of the School Commissioners of Wanderburgh County, at Evansville the lot or North East quarter of the South East quarter of Section sixteen in Town five South of range ten West containing thirty seven acres, and forty one hundredths of an acre, for the sum of seventy dollars, of which there has been paid to said School Commissioners the sum of twenty one dollars, and eighteen cents, being one fourth of the original purchase money, and one year interest in advance on the residue.

Now Therefore be it known, that if the remaining balance of fifty two dollars, and fifty cents be paid to said School Commissioners, or his Successor in Office at the expiration of twenty five years from the day of said Sale with seven per centum interest thereon payable annually in advance, then the said Charles Collins, his heirs or assigns, shall be entitled to receive a deed for said lot above described

William H. Walker
Auditor of Wanderburgh County
Bracket Mills S. C. V. C.

Recorded April 11th 1848
W. H. Walker A. C.

X No 15

Auditors Office
Wanderburgh County April 7th 1848

It is hereby certified, that Adam Korb, did on the 14th day of March 1848 purchase, of the School Commissioners of Wanderburgh County, at Evansville the lot or South West quarter of South East quarter of Section sixteen in Township five South of range ten West containing thirty nine acres, and forty four hundredths of an acre, for the sum of one hundred, and twenty dollars, of which he has paid to the School Commissioners, the sum of forty four dollars, and eighty cents, being one fourth of the original purchase money, and one year interest in advance on the residue.

Now Therefore know ye, that if the remaining balance of eighty (80) dollars be paid to said School Commissioners, or his Successor in Office, at the expiration of Twenty five years from said day of Sale with seven per cent interest thereon payable annually in advance, then the said Adam, his heirs or assigns will be entitled to receive a deed, for said lot above described

William H. Walker
Auditor of Wanderburgh County
Bracket Mills S. C. V. C.

Recorded April 11th 1848
W. H. Walker A. C.

On Vacation

Whereas on the 25th day of March A.D. 1839 Andrew Erskine purchased of the School Commissioners of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana, the lot or North half, of the North half of the East half of the North East quarter of section number twenty eight, in township number five, South of range number ten West, in the County aforesaid containing twenty acres of land (The same being land forfeited to the State of Indiana for the non payment of taxes due thereon, and sold by said Commissioners in pursuance of the school law) for the sum of one hundred and five dollars, of which sum said Erskine paid at the time of said purchase one fourth, and also one years interest on the remaining three fourths in advance.

And Whereas on the 25th day of March 1843 the said Erskine failed and refused to pay the annual interest due on said lot or tract, nor did said Erskine pay or offer to pay the same at the expiration of six months from the time the same became due, nor at any other time, whereby the same became forfeited to the State of Indiana.

And Whereas on the 25th day of November 1848 the Trustees of Congressional Township number five South of Range ten West, reappraised said tract, and filed ~~the same~~ and filed said reappraisement in the Office of the County Auditor, and the Auditor thereupon recorded said reappraisement upon the records of the proceedings of the board of Commissioners, in Book "4" at Page "447" and caused said land to be advertised, by publication in the Evansville Journal, a public newspaper printed, and published in said County, and also by posting up notices of the sale of said land, at the door of the Court house, in said County, and in three of the most public places, in the township where the land is situated, at least sixty days before said sale.

And Whereas on the day mentioned in said notices and in pursuance thereof, the Auditor and School Commissioners, commenced said sale and William Acheson did then and there, offer and bid the sum of one hundred and one dollar, for the lot or North half of the North half of the East half of the North East quarter of section number twenty eight in township number five South of range ten West, containing twenty acres, and said sum being more than the appraised value of said lot, and said Acheson being the highest and best bidder, the said lot was struck off, and sold to him for said sum.


In Vocation

And Whereas on the 27th day of March 1848 William Acheson produced to me the School Commissioners receipt for the sum of one hundred, and one dollar, in full for the purchase of the lot heretofore mentioned, and described,

Therefore I now say, that in consideration of the sum of one hundred, and one dollar, paid as aforesaid to the School Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and in conformity with the Statute in such case made, and provided I William H. Walker as Auditor of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana, do give, and grant the North half of the North half of the East half of the North East quarter of Section Number twenty eight in Township number five South of Range Number ten West containing twenty acres, to William Acheson, his heirs, and assigns forever, in as full complete, and ample a manner as the said Auditor of said County is empowered by law to convey the same




In witness whereof I William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County have hereunto set my hand and seal as well as the seal of the board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 7th day of April A.D. 1848

William H. Walker 
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

attest Brackett Hills I.C. V.C.

Recorded April 11th 1848
State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County

I James J. Walker a Justice of the Peace in and for the County and State aforesaid do hereby certify that the abovesaid William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County, personally came before me and acknowledged that he signed, and sealed the above and within indenture for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, at the City of Evansville this 7th day of April A.D. 1848

James J. Walker 
Justice of the Peace

Recorded April 10th 1848
Wm. H. Walker Ave.

In Recitation

David Cregley, having this day purchased Lot number three (3) being a part of the school section belonging to Congressional Township number six south of Range number ten west in Vanderburgh County, Indiana, and also known, and designated as the North East quarter of the North West quarter of section number sixteen in said Township containing thirty nine and $\frac{9}{100}$ hds. Acres more or less, for the sum of One hundred and thirty nine dollars seventy five, and a half cents. Of which he has paid forty one dollar and twenty two cents being one fourth part of the purchase money and one year interest in advance, on the residue of the principal which is one hundred, and four dollars and eighty two cents, and payable in two years from this date, together with six percent interest thereon annually in advance, and if full payment of said principal and interest be made within ten years from this date, then the said David Cregley, his assigns or legal representatives shall be entitled to a deed in fee simple to said tract of land in the name of said Township. But on failure to pay said interest for any year or the residue of said principal for six months after either of them become due, and also interest at the rate of one hundred per cent per annum after either principal or interest has been due sixty days, until paid, the said tract of land, and all payments therefore made thereon, and this contract of sale shall be forfeited, and reverts to said Township for school purposes.

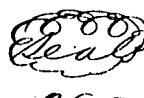
Witness my hand and seal this 14th day of December 1839

Recorded April 12th 1848
W. H. Walker Ave

Charles S. Pourn 
Acting School Comm. V.C.

Horace Proderworth having this day purchased Lot number five (5) being a part of the school section belonging to Congressional Township number six south of Range number ten west in Vanderburgh County Indiana, and also known as the South West quarter of the North West quarter of section number sixteen in said Township, containing thirty nine, and $\frac{92}{100}$ hds. Acres more or less, for the sum of three hundred & ninety nine dollars, and twenty cents, of which he has paid one hundred & seventeen dollars, and twenty six cents, being one fourth part of the purchase money, and one year interest in advance on the residue of the principal, which is two hundred & ninety nine dollars, and forty cents, and payable

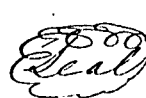
in Ten years from this date, together with six per centum
thereon, Annually in advance, and if full payment of said
principal and interest be made within Ten years from this
date, then the said Horace Woodworth his assigns, or representatives
shall be entitled to a deed in fee simple for said tract in the
Name of said Township. But on failure to pay said interest
for any year or the residue of said principal for six months
after either become due, and also interest at the rate of one
hundred per cent per annum after either principal or interest
has been due sixty days until paid, the said tract of land, and
all payments thereon, made thereon, and this contract of sale
shall be forfeited, and reverts to said Township for school purposes.

Witness My hand and seal this 14th day of December A.D. 1839
Chas. D. Bourne 
Acting School Comm. V.C.

January 1st 1842
I do Assign all my Right to the within Article to
David Cregley

Horace Woodworth

The State of Indiana
Wanderburgh County } Personally appeared before me
Nathan Rowley School Commissioner of said County Horace
Woodworth, and acknowledged the above Assignments to be
his voluntary act and deed given under my hand and seal this 9th day
of May 1842

N. Rowley S. C. V. C. 

Recorded April 12th 1848
Wm. H. Walker A. C.

* David Cregley having purchased Lot Number six (6)
being a part of the school section belonging to Congressional
Township Number six, South of Range Number Ten west in
Wanderburgh County, Indiana, and also known and designated
as the North East quarter of the North East quarter of section
Number sixteen in said Township containing thirty nine, and
⁹²/₁₀₀ acres more or less for sum of three hundred, and fifty nine
dollars and 28 cents, of which he has paid one hundred
& five dollars, and ninety nine cents, being one fourth part
of the purchase money, and one year interest in advance
on the residue of the principal, which is two hundred &
sixty nine dollars, and forty six cents, and payable in Ten
years from this date, together with six per centum interest
thereon, Annually in advance, and if full payment of
said principal, and interest be made within Ten years
from this date, the said David Cregley his assigns or
legal representatives shall be entitled to a deed in fee simple

for said tract in the name of said township. But in
 facture to pay said interest for any year, or the residue
 of said principal for his months after other become due,
 that also interest at the rate of one hundred per cent
 per annum after other principal or interest has been due
 fifty days with said tract of land with all payments
 therefore made thereon, and this contract shall be perfect
 and nearly to the said township for the said purpose

Record April 12th 1839
 William H. Miller
 Acting Sheriff


Know all men by these presents that said sheriff of
 Washington County Indiana having this day purchased
 the said tract of land with said quarter of section
 number sixteen (16) containing forty acres,
 being part of the school section belonging to Congress
 township number seven first of Adams County Ind. in
 said fifth line dollar, and only cent. of which he has
 paid one hundred, and four dollar, and nearly cent, being
 one fourth part of said purchase money, and one year
 interest on the residue, and the residue, in the year from the
 date, together with his percentage interest thereon (payable)

and interest, he made within ten years from this date
 then the said said sheriff, his assigns or representatives shall
 be entitled to a deed in fee simple for said tract in the name
 of said township, but on failure to pay said interest for
 one year, or the residue of said principal for any day
 after or the become due the said tract and all payments
 thereon made thereon, and this contract of sale shall be
 forfeited and given to the said township for school purposes
 unless paid and less than 25th day of December 1836

Record April 12th 1838
 Wm H. Miller
 Sheriff

Know all men by these presents that said sheriff of
 Washington County Indiana having this day purchased the said
 tract of land with said quarter of section number
 sixteen (16) containing forty acres being
 part of the school section belonging to Congress
 township number seven first in Adams County
 Ind. in said fifth line dollar, and only cent. of which he has
 paid one hundred, and four dollar, and nearly cent, being
 one fourth part of said purchase money, and one year
 interest on the residue, and the residue, in the year from the
 date, together with his percentage interest thereon (payable)

of four hundred dollars of which he has paid one hundred and eighty four dollars, being one fourth part of such purchase money, and one year interest on the residue of the principal which is three hundred dollars, and payable in ten years, from this date, together with six per centum interest thereon annually in advance, and if full payment of said principal, and interest be made within ten years from this date, then the said David Stogley his assigns or representatives shall be entitled to receive a deed in fee simple for said tract in the name of said Township, but on failure to pay said interest for any year, or the residue of the principal for sixty days after either become due, the said tract and all payments thereon made thereon, and this Contract of Sale shall be forfeited and revert to said Township for school purposes. Witness my hand, and seal this 28th day of November 1836

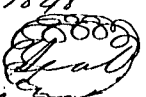
Nathan Rowley Commissioner 

Recorded April 12th 1848
 W. H. Walker A. C.

Whereas David Stogley has paid the sum of one hundred and four dollars and eighty four cents, to the School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana, in full for the principal for the Lot or North East quarter of the North West quarter of section Number fifteen in Township Number Six South of Range ten West, containing thirty nine acres, and ninety three one hundredths of an acre, Now Therefore Be It Remembered that in consideration of the premises, and in conformity with the Statute in such case made and provided, I William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County, for and in the name of the Inhabitants of Congressional Township number five, South of range number ten West, do give and grant said North East quarter of the North West quarter of section number fifteen in Township number six, South of Range number ten West, to the said David Stogley, and to his heirs and assigns forever.



In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal on this 12th day of April 1848

William H. Walker 
 Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Witness Bracket Mills
 School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County
 State of Indiana
 Vanderburgh County

J. James J. Walker a Justice of the Peace

in, and for the County, and State aforesaid do hereby
 Certify that the within named William H. Walker
 personally came before me, and acknowledged that
 as Auditor of Vanderburgh County, he signed, and
 sealed the within deed for the uses, and purposes therein
 mentioned

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand,
 and seal at the City of Evansville, this 12th day of April
 1848

James J. Walker (Seal)
 Justice of the Peace

Recorded April 12th 1848
 Wm. H. Walker A.C.

Wm. Grygby has this day produced a bond
 conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties
 as Constable of Prigion Township for the year 1848
 in the sum of five hundred dollars, with B. D. Byrdell
 B. F. Miller & Ebenezer Sutton as his securities therein
 which bond is here approved
 April 15th 1848 Wm. H. Walker A.C.

April 25th 1848 Wm. Strapp this day produced
 his bond as Constable for Prigion Township
 for 1848 in the penal sum of five hundred dollars
 with Robert Gibson and Adam Wilson as his
 security therein, which bond was approved
 William H. Walker A.C.

May 1st 1848 S. W. Gihlers having this day
 produced to me the County Treasurers receipt
 for the sum of five dollars, he thereupon secured
 a license to retail foreign merchandise for the
 term of one year from the 1st day of May 1st 1848
 William H. Walker A.C.

May 1st 1848 Jacob Loehr having produced to
 me the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of
 ten dollars, and filed his bond according to law
 he issued a license to him to keep a Tavern
 in Centre Township, with a privilege to retail Spirituous
 Liquors for one year from the date hereof
 Wm. H. Walker A.C.

Special May Session A.D. 1848

At a Special session of the board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County called and convened at the Court House in Evansville, in said County, on the first day of May A.D. 1848, for the purpose of letting the Contract of making an embankment or dirt bridge at the point where the road leading from Evansville to Henderson Ferry ^{When Present & Sampley Ira P. Humberger & John Burtis} crosses the bayou, members of said board.

Now here the Sheriff appears before the board, and serves a writ of injunction upon said board sued out by Patrick Lyon and Paul Syle, to restrain the board from letting the contract for filling up the bayou near Martin Stinsons, where the road leading from Evansville to Henderson ferry crosses the same

- Issd No 701 F \$107.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Spikes & Kingle be allowed one hundred and seven dollars for part of the appropriation for building the bridge near John M. Stinsons
- Issd No 702 F \$15.⁵⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that R. W. Humber be allowed fifteen dollars and fifty five cents for ^{comp. paid for} Stationary for Treasurers office to Feb 28th 1848
- Issd No 703 F \$3.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Green Gloue and Sullivan be allowed three dollars for advertising contract for filling up the bayou
- Issd No 704 F \$1.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Martin Stinson be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge at the April Election 1848
- Issd No 705 F \$2.²⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that J. Echols be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for commissioning three jurors for the March Term 1848 of the V.C.C.
- Issd No 706 F \$1.³¹/₁₀₀ Ordered that J. Echols be allowed one dollar and thirty one cents for making steps in jail yard
- Issd No 707 F \$7.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that J. Echols be allowed seven dollars for dieting Mr Cornelius to ~~7th~~ April 1st 1848
- Issd No 708 F \$4.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that J. Echols be allowed four dollars for notices of Election in different townships
- Issd No 709 F \$3.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that J. P. Elliott be allowed three dollars for services as Inspector of Election at the April Election A.D. 1848
- Issd No 710 F \$1.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that S. T. Sanford be allowed one dollar for services as Clerk at the April Election A.D. 1848
- Issd No 711 F \$25.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm Mills be allowed twenty five dollars for part of contract for building a bridge over the ravine near J. B. Stinsons

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Issd No 712 H \$25.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm Mills be allowed twenty five dollars for part pay for building a bridge near John W. Stinsons

Issd No 713 H \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm Mills be allowed ten dollars for part of the pay for building a bridge near John W. Stinsons

Issd No 714 H \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm Mills be allowed ten dollars for part of the pay for building a bridge near John W. Stinsons

Issd No 715 H \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm Mills be allowed ten dollars for part of the pay for building a bridge near J. W. Stinsons

Issd No 716 H \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm Mills be allowed ten dollars for part of the pay for building a bridge near J. W. Stinsons

Issd No 717 H \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm Mills be allowed ten dollars for part of the pay for building a bridge near J. W. Stinsons

Issd No 718 H \$12.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm Mills be allowed twelve dollars for pay in full for building a bridge near J. W. Stinsons

Issd No 719 H \$2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed two dollars for one days services as a member of the county board at the present March Session A.D. 1848

Issd No 720 H \$2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be allowed two dollars for one day services as a member of the County board at the March session A.D. 1848

Issd No 721 H \$2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John Rustis be allowed ~~six~~ two dollars for one day services as a member of the County board at the May Session A.D. 1848

Copied Ordered that Nathan Rowley and Wm M. Walter be and they are hereby appointed to ascertain ^{by measurement} the depth and length of a ditch necessary at that part of the ^{lower} bayou called the back bone, to carry off the surplus water in case of an embankment being made on said bayou. ^{and that they report to this board at the next term thereof near Martin Stinsons}

Copied Ordered that Willard Carpenter be and he is hereby appointed by this board for the purpose of obtaining subscriptions ^{to be} for the purpose of digging a ditch through the back bone ^{in the bayou} on the bayou to carry off the surplus water towards the lower end ^{of the bayou} of the bayou. ^{and that he report to this board at the next term thereof}
ordered that the board adjourn sine die
Ira P. Grainger
John Rustis

Auditors Office N.C.
May 22nd 1848

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Simeon Long is hereby appointed Supervisor of Road District No 4 Union Township to serve for one year from the first Monday in April 1848 and until a successor is elected & qualified
William H. Walker A.C.

Auditors Office N.C.
May 23rd 1848

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Reinhardt Yobel is hereby appointed Supervisor of road district No 2 German Township to serve for one year from the first Monday in April 1848 & until his successor is elected & qualified
William H. Walker A.C.

June Session A. D. 1848

At a session of the board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana, held at the Court House in Evansville on the first Monday in June A. D. 1848 (being the fifth day thereof) when present, Ezekiel Jacobless, Ira P. Grainger and John Purdie Esq. Members composing said County board

Now here Valentin Scheite and other citizens of German Township Vanderburgh County, present their petition to this board, praying the appointment of viewers to view, and mark a private road in said Township near Sticks farm on his land in section number twenty nine, at a black oak marked "B" thence through Daniel Earley land, thence through Christian Dormans land in section No 28, ending at a white oak tree marked "E" at the County road running to Evansville, and the board, duly considering said petition, and having the same publically read in open court it is ordered that N. Higgenbotham Nicholas Long and Anthony Kepling be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view out and mark a private road in German Township aforesaid according to the prayer of said petition & that they report to this board at this or the next term thereof

Now here Sarah Fairchild and other citizens of Centre Township, present to this board their petition praying the appointment of viewers to view and mark a route for a private road ^{from the residence} of Lewis B. Day in said Township, running thence south westerly to intersect the line between A. S. Taylor and Sylvester Boardman, thence west on said line to the State road leading from Evansville to Princeton. And the said petition being ^{accompanied} with the proper Affidavit, & the same having been publically read before said board, it is ordered that Samuel McClutcher Joshua Stephens and John Inwood be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view and mark a route for said road according to the prayer of said petition, & that they report to this board at the present or next session of the same

Monday Morning June 5th 1848 (being the first Monday in said month) the board of County Commissioners to wit, E. Jacobless, Ira P. Grainger and John Purdie Esq. Members composing said board, John J. Terry County Assessor and William H. Walker County Auditor, convened at

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the Court house in said County, and formed themselves into the board of equalization, for the purpose of hearing, and examining into any complaints of any person charged with a poll on the assessment of said County, returned by the Assessor of said County for the year 1848. And now here the County Auditor produces to said board the Assessment roll for the year 1848. And the board after the appointment of Egeel Saunders Esq. President thereof proceeded to the examination of the same

Edward J. Williamson presents his bond as Constable of Union Township, with said Williamson and Wilson Shook as his security thereon, which said bond is now here approved

Thomas D. Smith Supervisor of road district No 1 Centre Township for a year presents his Report, which is now here approved

Sam M. Donald Supervisor of road district No 5 Armstrong Township for a year, submits his report as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Henry Sedley Supervisor of road district No 1 German Township for a year 1847, submits his report, as such supervisor, which report is now here approved

Henry New Supervisor of road district No 4 German Township for a year 1847, submits his report, to this board, as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

George Longline Supervisor of road No 4 Centre Township for A. D. 1847, submits his report to this board as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Richard Langfor Supervisor of road district No 4 Scott Township for a year 1847, submits his report to this board as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Philip J. Myer Supervisor of road district No 6 German Township for A. D. 1847, submits his report to this board as such Supervisor, which report is now here approved

Thomas Piggott Supervisor of road district No 1 Scott Township for a year 1847, submits his report to this board as such Supervisor, which report is now here approved

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Matthew Washline Supervisor of road district No 3 German Township for A. D. 1847 submits his report to this board as such supervisor which report is now here approved

Richard Downing Supervisor of road district No 7 Scott Township for A. D. 1847 submits his report to this board as such supervisor which report is now here approved

Anthony Smith Supervisor of road district No 2 Centre Township for A. D. 1847 submits his report to this board as such supervisor which report is now here approved

Charles Soustringer Supervisor of road district No 2 German Township for A. D. 1847 submits his report to this board as such supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here John Hall a Justice of the peace in & for Knight Township for A. D. 1847 files his annual report as Overseer of the poor which report is now here approved

Ordered that a license issue to Mr. Ruston to keep a tavern in Centre Township for one year, ^{from 1st of June A. D. 1848} on his production of the County Treasurers receipts for the sum of ten dollars and filing his bond according to law

Ord. No 25 G. \$3.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Anthony Smith be allowed three dollars for 4 days extra services as Supervisor of road district No 2 Centre Township for A. D. 1847

Ord. No 26 G. \$3.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles Soustringer be allowed three dollars for 4 days services as Supervisor of road district No 2 German Township for A. D. 1847

Ord. No 27 G. \$1.¹²/₁₀₀ Ordered that Richard Downing be allowed one dollar & twelve cents for 1/2 days services as Supervisor of road No 7 Scott Township for A. D. 1847

Ord. No 28 G. \$4.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Matthew Washline be allowed four dollars & fifty cents for 6 days services as Supervisor of road district No 3 German Township for A. D. 1847

Ord. No 29 G. \$3.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Thomas Pizget be allowed three dollars for services as Supervisor of road district No 1 Scott for A. D. 1847

- Ord. No 30th \$3.45/100 Ordered that Richard Langford be allowed three dollars and seventy five cents for services as supervisor of road district No 4 Scott Township for a.s. 1847
- Ord. No 31th \$1.50/100 Ordered that George Song be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for 2 days services as supervisor of road district No 2 Centro Township for a.s. 1847
- Ord. No 32th \$2.25/100 Ordered that Philip J. Meyers Supervisor of road district No 6 German Township for a.s. 1847 be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents
- Ord. No 33th \$2.50/100 Ordered that Saml. McDonald be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for services as supervisor of road district No 5 Armstrong Township for a.s. 1847
- Ord. No 34th \$1.50/100 Ordered that Thomas D. Smith be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for 2 day services as supervisor of road district No 1 Centro Township for a.s. 1847
- Ord. No 35th \$2.60/100 Ordered that John Keim be allowed two dollars and sixty two cents for services as supervisor of road district No 4 German Township
- Ord. No 36th \$1.50/100 Ordered that Simeon Song be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for 2 day services as supervisor of road district No 4 union Township for a.s. 1847
- Ord. No 37th \$3.45/100 Ordered that Henry Sedley be allowed three dollars & seventy five cents for services as supervisor of road district No 1 German Township for a.s. 1847
- Ord. No 38th \$6.00/100 Ordered that Saml. Williamson be allowed six dollars for making a coffin for Mrs See a pauper in a.s. 1842
- Ord. No 39th \$3.00/100 Ordered that Jesse Jackson be allowed three dollars for services as supervisor of road district No 2 Pigeon Township for a.s. 1847
- Ord. No 40th \$10.00/100 Ordered that M. H. Attention be allowed ten dollars for labour upon the ^{bridge} highway over a quarry creek in Perry Township
- Ord. No 41th \$2.00/100 Ordered that John Neal be allowed two dollars for services as overseer of the poor in Knight Township for a.s. 1847
- Ord. No 42th \$1.50/100 Ordered that James J. Walker be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for acknowledging indentures for County Poor

Now here Simeon Song Supervisor of road district No 4 union Township for a.s. 1847 submits his report as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Edgar Drake Supervisor of road district No 4 Pigeon Township for 1847 submits his report to this board which report is now here approved

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Ord No 43 by \$3.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Edgar Dault be allowed three dollars for services as supervisor of road district No 4 Pigeon Township for a.d. 1847

It is now here Ordered that the Supervisor of road District No 4 Pigeon Township for a.d. 1848. he and he is hereby authorized & required to pay Edgar Dault the former supervisor, three dollars out of the road tax belonging to said road district

The Supervisor of road district No 2 Pigeon Township for a.d. 1848 is hereby Ordered to pay Jesse Jackson the former supervisor twenty five dollars out of the road tax that may come into his hands

Ord No 44 by \$2.²⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that E. Saunders be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for services as supervisor of road district No 1 Perry Township for a.d. 1847

Ezekiel Saunders Supervisor of road district No 1 Perry Township for a.d. 1847. Submits his report to this board which report is now here Approved

Milo A. Dawley Supervisor of road district No 5 Perry Township for a.d. 1847. Submits his report to this board as such Supervisor which report is now here Approved

The Supervisor of road district No 5 Perry Township for a.d. 1848 is hereby Ordered to pay Milo A. Dawley five dollars and twelve cents ~~for~~ out of the road tax that may come into his hands for said year

Ordered that Saml. Carlisle he and he is hereby appointed Supervisor of road district No 3 Knight Township for a.d. 1848

Ord No 45 by \$18.⁸⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Saml. Jenkins be allowed Eighteen dollars for Books & Stationery for Clerks & Records Office per bill on file

Ord No 46 by \$25.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Saml. Jenkins be allowed Twenty five dollars for 3 month Ex Officio services to June 26th 1848 as Clerk of the W.C.C.

Ord No 47 by \$25.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. McMurtrie be allowed twenty five dollars for 3 months Ex Officio services to Jan 1st 1848 as County Auditor

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- Ord. No 48 $\$20.00/100$ Ordered that John Eckels Sheriff be Allowed Twenty dollars for 3 months Ex Officio Revenor to May 20th 1848
- Ord. No 49 $\$6.00/100$ Ordered that Saml. I Jenkins be Allowed Six dollars for certificate of Elections. & per bill on file
- Ord. No 50 $\$3.50/100$ Ordered that Crawford Bell be Allowed Three dollars & fifty cents for 1 ream of paper for Clerk
- Ord. No 51 $\$2.25/100$ Ordered that Milo A. Sawly be Allowed two dollars & twenty five cents for Revenor as Supt of road district No 5 Perry Township for A.D. 1847
- Ord. No 52 $\$0.75/100$ Ordered that Lin P. Grainger be Allowed Seventy five cents for returning Polls of an Election held in Knight Township in April A.D. 1848

Ordered that the board of Equalizers adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock

E Saunders Pres

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock

Will Guinger

Tuesday Morning June 6th the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday. Also the board of Equalization met at same time ^{of the members} & were present as a matter of course here Wilson Shool Egg a justice of the peace in and for Union Township, in presence to this board that unavoidably he failed to make his report of fines assessed & collected for breaches of the penal laws, on the first Monday in March 1848 and produces to this board said report and also produce the County Treasurers receipt for shewing that said fines have been paid into the County Treasury. And the board duly considering said report, and the ~~statements~~ & the statements of said Shook in relation to the same. It is ordered that said report be and it is hereby approved, and placed on file in the Office of the County Auditor

- Ord. No 53 $\$2.25/100$ Ordered that H. Higginbotham be Allowed two dollars & twenty five cents for 2 day Survey rendered in the assessment of taxes in German Township
- Ord. No 54 $\$10.00/100$ Ordered that John S. Terry county assessor be allowed ten dollars for services as County assessor for 1848

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- Ind No 55 y \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed ten dollars for services rendered assessing revenue for A.D. 1848
- Ind No 56 y \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed ten dollars for services rendered assessing revenue for A.D. 1848
- Ind No 57 y \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed ten dollars for services rendered assessing the revenue for A.D. 1848
- Ind No 58 y \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed ten dollars for services rendered assessing the revenue for A.D. 1848
- Ind No 59 y \$5.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed five dollars for services rendered assessing the revenue of A.D. 1848
- Ind No 60 y \$5.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed five dollars for services rendered assessing the revenue for A.D. 1848
- Ind No 61 y \$5.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed five dollars for services rendered assessing the revenue for A.D. 1848
- Ind No 62 y \$2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed two dollars for assessing revenue for A.D. 1848
- Ind No 63 y \$2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed two dollars for assessing revenue for A.D. 1848
- Ind No 64 y \$2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed two dollars for assessing revenue for A.D. 1848
- Ind No 65 y \$2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed two dollars for assessing revenue for A.D. 1848
- Ind No 66 y \$2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed two dollars for assessing revenue for A.D. 1848
- Ind No 67 y \$1.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for balance in full for assessing revenue of A.D. 1848
- Ind No 68 y \$7.⁸¹/₁₀₀ Ordered that John Echols be allowed seven dollars & eighty one cents for dieting said Cobling a prisoner in County Jail
- Ind No 69 y \$34.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. H. Hattery be allowed thirty four dollars for stationery for the Auditors office for which he paid as per bill filed
- Ind No 70 y \$2.²⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that Thomas Bowen be allowed two dollars & twenty five cents for services as Supervisor of district No 3 Scott for 1847
Thomas Bowen Supervisor of road district No 3 Scott Township for A.D. 1847 files with this board his report which report is now here approved

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John Bohol produces his report as Supervisor of road district No. 3 Knight Township for 1847 which report is now here approved

Now here Simon Richey Supervisor of road district No. 2 Armstrong Township for 1847 produces to this board his report as such supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here the Commissioners heretofore appointed by the Legislature of the State of Indiana for the purpose of viewing and marking a route for a state road leading from Perryville in Posey County to Michael Mintzes residence in German Township Vanderburgh County Indiana submit to this board their report of said view in the words and figures following to wit;

"To the Honorable the Commission of the Common Pleas Court for the County of Vanderburgh - Term 1848

In Conformity to an Act of the Legislature of the State of Indiana entitled an Act for the location of a State Road leading from Perryville, Posey County, to Michael Mintzes in Vanderburgh County, then intersecting the road leading from Evansville to Cynthiana Posey County. We the undersigned having been appointed by the Legislature to view, and locate said road do make the following report, to wit; that after having met at the time and place designated by law and after being qualified according to law, We did proceed to view, and with the assistance of the Surveyor of Posey County, to locate ^{said} [road], in the following manner as seen by a certified copy of the Surveyors notes herewith shown, to wit;

Commencing in the vicinity of Perryville where the webbs ferry road (so called) intersects the state road leading from New Harmony Posey County to Cynthiana Posey County, from thence South 8 Chains and 12 links. thence N 89 1/2 W 10"

50 "	to the Centre of main, and Mulberry Streets,		
thence S 4 1/4 W 19 Chains and 89 links			
" " South 16 16	" " 20	" "	
S 38 1/4 E 8	" " 39	" "	
S 3/4 E 13	" " 90	" "	to the first
Mile post	80	00	
1st mile post no witness.			
From thence S 3/4 E	8 Chains and 50 links		
" " S 52 3/4 E 9	" " 56	" "	
" " S 56 E 8	" " 67	" "	
" " S 61 1/4 E 5	" " 88	" "	

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"	"	S 67 1/2	E 12	"	"	50	"
"	"	S 1 1/4	E 4	"	"	50	"
"	"	S 64	E 21	"	"	80	"
"	"	S 64	E 4	"	"	00	"
"	"	S 1/2	E 6	"	"	59	Making 2 miles
						80	

2nd Mile Post Witnessed by ash 10 W 1/2 N 66
 Sugartree 20 S 5 1/2 W 1/3 from thence S 7 1/2 E
 7 chains and 65 links

from thence S 7 1/2 E 7 chains and 65 links							
"	"	S 40	E 10	"	"	00	"
"	"	S 46	E 13	"	"	70	"
"	"	South	18	"	"	50	"
"	"	S 27 1/2	E 12	"	"	00	"
"	"	East	8	"	"	60	"
"	"	S 46 1/2	E 9	"	"	55	Making
3 Miles	Total			80		00	to the

3rd Mile Post Witnessed by Hickory 10 W 47 E 41 W oak
 24 S 12 W 53 from thence S 46 1/4 E 2 chains and 58 links

"	"	S 52 1/2	E 9	"	"	83	"
"	"	S 73 1/4	E 4	"	"	57	"
"	"	S 77	E 15	"	"	00	"
"	"	S 81	E 13	"	"	8	"
"	"	S 85	E 10	"	"	68	"
"	"	N 85	E 24	"	"	46	"
						80	00

Making total

4th Mile Post Witnessed by Dogwood 10 W 6 E 55
 from thence N 85 E 1 chain and 40 links

"	"	S 52	E 6	"	"	20	"
"	"	S 12 1/2	E 33	"	"	50	"
"	"	S 47 1/2	E 17	"	"	50	"
"	"	S 55 3/4	E 13	"	"	50	"
"	"	S 61 1/2	E 6	"	"	50	Making a
Total of						80	00 to the

5th Mile Post Witnessed by red sand S 23 1/2 W 66.
 from thence S 37 1/2 E 6 chains and 8 links

"	"	S 1/2	W 8	"	"	36	"
"	"	S 20 1/2	E 2	"	"	00	"
"	"	S 62	E 8	"	"	32	"
"	"	S 46 1/2	E 4	"	"	89	"
"	"	S 1 1/4	W 14	"	"	70	"
"	"	S 1	E 4	"	"	14	"
"	"	S 60	E 10	"	"	85	"
"	"	S 46	E 3	"	"	07	"
"	"	N 56 3/4	E 4	"	"	38	"
"	"	N 78 1/4	E 11	"	"	80	"
"	"	East	1	"	"	48	"
						80	00

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Total 80 Chains and 00 links to the ^{Making a}
 6 Mile Post Witness by Dogwood 6 N 24 E 65
 Poplar 20 S 44 E 58

from thence East 13 chains and 28 links

"	"	S	84	E	4	"	"	28	"
"	"	S	71 ³ / ₄	E	8	"	"	40	"
"	"	S	67 ¹ / ₄	E	11	"	"	43	"
"	"	S	57 ¹ / ₂	E	5	"	"	50	"
"	"	S	50 ¹ / ₂	E	11	"	"	8	"
"	"	S	64 ¹ / ₄	E	6	"	"	90	"
"	"	N	78	E	8	"	"	75	"
"	"	S	86 ¹ / ₂	E	5	"	"	50	"
"	"	S	77 ¹ / ₂	E	4	"	"	88	"
Making a Total			80					00	

Making a Total 80 to the
 7th Mile Post Witnessed by W. Oak 18 N 6¹/₂ W 50 from ~~thence~~
 from thence S 77¹/₂ E 4 chains and 28 links

"	"	S	42 ³ / ₄	E	3	"	"	90	"
"	"	S	18 ¹ / ₂	E	9	"	"	28	"
"	"	S	44	E	15	"	"	94	"
"	"	S	65	E	10	"	"	94	"
"	"	S	71	E	5	"	"	34	"
"	"	S	38 ¹ / ₂	E	7	"	"	92	"
"	"	S	59	E	5	"	"	58	" to the

County line making total distance in Forey County
 7 miles. 63 Chains and 18 links. Thence south along said
 line 16 Chains, and 82 links. Making Total of 80 chains
 to the 8th Mile Post. No witness trees. Thence south on county
 line 10 Chains 95 links. Total distance on county line
 27 Chains 77 links

from thence	S	34 ¹ / ₄	E	7	Chains	00	links
"	"	S	9 ¹ / ₂	E	9	"	15
"	"	S	27	E	9	"	67
"	"	S	31 ¹ / ₂	E	8	"	47
"	"	S	21	E	2	"	95
"	"	S	6 ¹ / ₂	E	9	"	66
"	"	S	11 ¹ / ₂	E	12	"	36
"	"	S	62 ¹ / ₄	E	9	"	22
"	"	S	70 ¹ / ₄	E	0	"	57
Making a Total of			80				00

Making a Total of 80 to the
 9th Mile Post Witnessed by W. Oak 22 S 56¹/₂ W 72
 B. Green 10 N 50 E 76

from thence South	70 ¹ / ₄	E	5	Chains	90	links
"	S	55 ³ / ₄	E	7	"	88
"	S	27 ¹ / ₂	E	12	"	40
"	S	20 ¹ / ₂	E	5	"	98
"	S	32 ¹ / ₂	E	15	"	23
"	S	42 ¹ / ₂	E	9	"	71

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from thence south 85 E 4 Chains 60 links
 " " N 80 1/2 E 9 " 15 "
 " " S 85 1/2 E 5 " 92 "
 " " S 55 1/4 E 3 " 16 " making a
 Total of 80 00 to the
 10th Mile Post Witnessed by Jack Oak 8 N 40 E 43
 " " 6 S 58 W 55

From thence S 55 1/4 E 4 Chains 43 links
 " " N 83 1/2 E 1 " 00 "
 " " N 43 E 1 " 50 "
 " " N 37 E 4 " 50 "
 " " N 21 1/2 E 4 " 67 "
 " " N 89 1/2 E 6 " 00 "
 " " S 65 1/2 E 6 " 66 "
 " " S 44 1/4 E 5 " 65 "
 " " S 19 1/2 E 13 " 95 "
 " " S 54 E 5 " 10 "
 " " N 46 E 8 " 56 "
 " " S 27 E 8 " 47 " to the line between
 German and Armstrong Township

Thence S 54 E 6 Chains 95 links
 " S 65 E 2 " 26 " Making a
 Total of 80 00 to the
 11th Mile Post Witnessed by W Oak 18 N 1/2 W 13 (or 83)
 " " 22 N 22 E 105

From thence S 65 E 13 Chains 60 links
 " " S 56 1/2 E 18 " 45 "
 " " N 52 1/2 E 6 " 5 " ✓
 " " S 88 E 5 " 48 "
 " " S 63 1/2 E 6 " 28 "
 " " S 39 E 6 " 49 "
 " " S 27 1/2 E 11 " 40 "
 " " S 42 E 11 " 95 " Making a
 Total of 80 00 to the

12th Mile Post no witness trees

From thence S 29 1/2 E 3 Chains 55 links
 " " S 21 1/2 E 20 " 92 "
 " " S 45 1/2 E 15 " 68 "
 " " S 27 E 5 " 44 "
 " " S 47 1/2 W 26 " 45 "
 " " S 52 E 7 " 33 " Making a
 Total of 80 00 to the

13th Mile Post Witnessed by A Oak 20 N 18 E 43
 " " 20 N 58 1/2 E 89

From thence S 52 E 10 Chains 62 links
 " " S 13 1/2 E 4 " 30 " to the road leading

from Evansville to Cynthiana at Michael Mintzes farm
Total distance in Vanderburgh County 5 miles 3 chains 97
links

Survey attested by Wm J. Phillips Sur. P. C.
All of which matters are respectfully submitted this 25th
day of March 1848

Moses Endecott
James Haines
Michael Mintzes

The following are charges for the above survey Wm J.
Phillips Surveyor 3³/₄ days Joseph Davis and Wm Eudi-
cott Chainmen 3¹/₂ days each at 1.00 per day Joseph Endecott
and Anson 3¹/₂ days at 1.00 per day

It is now here on the reading
and filing the said report It is ordered that the
said be and it is hereby approved. And the Surveyors
of the district through which said State road passes
are hereby authorized to open the same according to law

Issd Apr 1 1848 \$3.00/100 Ordered that Michael Mintzes be
allowed three dollars, for 3 day service as Commission-
ers locating State road from Perryville to Michael
Mintzes

Issd Apr 1 1848 \$3.00/100 Ordered that James Haines be allowed
three dollars for 3 days service as Commissioner in locating
the State road from Perryville in Perry County to Michael
Mintzes in Vanderburgh County

Issd Apr 3 1848 \$2.50/100 Ordered that Moses Endecott be
allowed two dollars + fifty cents for 2¹/₂ day service in
the location of the State road from Perryville to Michael
Mintzes

Issd Apr 4 1848 \$1.75/100 Ordered that Wm Eudicott be
allowed one dollar + seventy five cents for services as
Chainman in the location of the State road from Perry-
ville to Michael Mintzes

Issd Apr 5 1848 \$1.75/100 Ordered that Joseph Davis be allowed
one dollar + seventy five cents for services as Chainman
in locating State road from Perryville to M. Mintzes

~~Ordered that Wm J. Phillips be allowed
one dollar and eighty eight cents for services as surveyor
of State road from Perryville to M. Mintzes~~

Issd Apr 11 1848 \$1.75/100 Ordered that Joseph Endicott be
allowed one dollar, and seventy five cents for services as
surveyor locating State road from Perryville to Michael
Mintzes

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Sept 27th 48 \$1.50/100 Ordered that John Colburn be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for 2 day services as supervisor of road district No 2 Perry Township for 1847

Sept 27th 48 \$3.00/100 Ordered that Ephraim Phar be allowed three dollars for 4 day services as supervisor of road district No 1 Knight Township for 1847

When James Houston and Henry Rizer two of the viewers heretofore appointed by an order of this board to view and mark out a certain private road therein named. Submit their report of the said view in the words and figures following to wit; which said report after being publically read in open court was ordered to be recorded

"To The Honourable the board of commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana In Pursuance of an Order of this Honourable board herewith returned. The one undersigned appointed by the said order to view and mark out the road therein mentioned we have viewed and marked out the certain private road & returned it as a road of public utility as follows

To wit; Beginning at a certain post or mark marked with a letter "H" on it, on or near the land of George Shivers. Thence running in an easterly direction through the land of Willard Carpenter in section 18 Township No (6) South of Range No 11 West. thence through the land of Henry Rizer in section 7 and 18 Township No. South Range 11 West. Thence in a southerly direction through section 18, in said Township & range, and did to wit intersect the County road near the house of William Wagnon in said Township of Perry. To which we marked a Black Gunns face with a letter "H" on it, on the County road leading from Evansville to the Perry County line on the Direction to Mount Vernon

June 5th 1848

James Houston

Henry Rizer

Road Viewers

And the board duly considering said report. It is now here ordered that the Petition for said road be and they are hereby authorized and directed to open the same thirty feet in width

Ephraim Phar supervisor of road district No 1 Knight Township for 1847 submits his report as such supervisor to this board, which report is now here approved

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Ord. No 79 1/2 \$250.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that George Bates be allowed two hundred and fifty dollars for keeping paupers for 3 months ~~from~~ June 8th 1848

Ord. No 80 1/2 \$1.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that James Moriston be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for returning polls from German Township

Ordered that the board of equalizers adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock

Ordered that the board of equalizers adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock

E Saunders
Jra P Grainger

Wednesday Morning June 7th 1848 the board met pursuant to adjournment when all the members of said board were present as yesterday

The board of Equalization also met pursuant to adjournment when all the members composing said board were present as yesterday, which report is now here approved

Now here Wm^l Stephens produces to this board his report as supervisor for road district No 3 Knight Township for 1847 which report is now here approved

Now here John M. Blair supervisor of road district No 1 Union Township for 1847 produces to this board his report as such supervisor, which report is now here approved

It is now here Ordered that James Storms be and he is hereby Appointed Inspector of Elections for Union Township for A.D. 1848

It is now here Ordered that John M. Blair be and he is hereby Appointed supervisor of road district No 1 Union Township for A.D. 1848

Now here Joseph Fisher supervisor of road district No 4 German township for 1847 files his report as such supervisor which report is now here approved

Ord. No 81 1/2 \$1.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm^l Stephens be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for 2 days wages as supervisor of road district No 3 Knight Township for 1847

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Jud No 82 $\$2.25/100$ Ordered that Joseph Fisher be allowed two dollars, and twenty five cents for 3 days services as supervisor of road district No 4 German Township for 1847

Chief Ordered that the Supervisor of road district No 3 Knight Township for 1847 pay W H Stephens three dollars out of the road tax that may come into his hands

Jud No 83 $\$91.49/100$ Ordered that William H. Walker County Auditor be allowed sixty one dollars, and forty nine cents for Auditing for the County for 3 months ending May 31st 1848

Now here Saml. J. Jenkins Clerk of the Circuit Court produces to the board a report of fines assessed at the March Term ^{as 1848} of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court and also the fines by him received since ~~his last report~~ ^{his last report} as follows to wit;

"A List of fines assessed at the March Term as 1848 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

State of Indiana	}	Fine	\$5.00
vs $\frac{1}{2}$ Huff his horse to run			
William Stroud			

State of Indiana	}	Fine	\$4.00
vs $\frac{1}{2}$ Violating entry law			
Noah Humphrey			

State of Indiana	}	Fine	\$5.00
vs $\frac{1}{2}$ Running horse race			
William Richardson			

State of Indiana	}	Fine	\$5.00
vs $\frac{1}{2}$ Saf his horse to run			
Benjamin Freelon			

State of Indiana	}	Fine	\$5.00
vs $\frac{1}{2}$ Saf his horse to run			
William Horseholder			

State of Indiana	}	Fine	\$5.00
vs $\frac{1}{2}$ Riding horse race			
Smith Garrett			

State of Indiana	}	Fine	\$5.00
vs $\frac{1}{2}$ Riding horse race			
Theodore Wright			

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State of Indiana }
 vs } Riding Horse Race } Fine } \$5,00
 Francis McGlass }

State of Indiana }
 vs } M. Sareny } Fine } \$5,00
 William Cornelius }

State of Indiana }
 vs } Ganzing } Fine } \$5,00
 Abraham Humberts }

State of Indiana }
 vs } Contempt } Fine } \$5,00
 David Aitkin }

State of Indiana }
 vs } Ret Spts } Fine } \$2,00
 Jacob Sayer }

A List of fines received by me since my last Report

State vs	J. Messick	Fine	\$2,00
" "	J. L. Tappan	"	.01
" "	G. K. Drew	"	5,00
" "	D. Jones	"	5,00
" "	M. Gerard	"	5,00
" "	J. M. Stinson	"	5,00
" "	David Aitkin	"	5,00

State of Indiana }
 Vanderburgh County }
 Samuel J. Jenkins being
 duly sworn, deposes and says that the above and
 foregoing contains a true statement of the fines
 assessed at the March term 1848 of the Vanderburgh
 Circuit Court & of the fines received by me since my last
 Report to the best of my knowledge & belief.
 Samuel J. Jenkins

Subscribed & sworn
 before me at Evansville
 June 27th 1848
 Wm. H. Walker Ave,

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Now here George McBruehl Supervisor of road district No. 4 Armstrong Township ^{for 2d 1847} submits his report to this board as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here Lewis Schroll Supervisor of road district No. 4 Perry Township for A. D. 1847 submits his report to this board as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here A. P. Hutchinson appears before the board of Equalization and complains to this board that he is charged with 400⁰⁰ improvements upon his farm in Wright Township where he now resides & that said ^{charge for} improvements was on a Steam Mill which he sold in 1847 and the same was removed from the premises and from this county. And he petitions the board for deduction in his tax list on the duplicate of said 400⁰⁰ to be taken from the ^{value of} improvement on part of Sec 28. charged to said Hutchinson. And the board duly considering said said complaint. It is now here ordered that the value of four hundred ^{dollars} be deducted from the improvements on A. Eyr. Eyr. of section No 28 in Town South of Range 1011 and that the County Auditor make the proper correction upon the two duplicates for 1848

Now here Wm. Olmsted Jr produces to this board the Certificate of doctor Morgan to the effect that Wm. Olmsted aforesaid labours under a bodily infirmity which renders him incapable of the performance of hard labour. And the board duly considering the case of Wm. Olmsted Jr. It is ordered that Wm. Olmsted Jr be and he is hereby exempted from the performance of labour upon the public Highway in the County of Vanderburgh in consequence of ^{his} labours under a bodily infirmity

Now here Nathan Rowley and William M. Walker Esqr Commissioners heretofore appointed to survey & make a report of the necessary ditching, required to drain the bogow, and prevent damages to persons owning land upon the borders of said bogow, from inundation in case of filling up said bogow at the point where the Henderson road crosses said bogow. which report is now here approved

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- Ord. No 84 \$7.00/100 Ordered that Matt. Walker be allowed seven dollars for services rendered surveying the bogow
- Ord. No 85 \$7.00/100 Ordered that Nathan Rowley be allowed seven dollars for services rendered surveying the bogow
- Ord. No 86 \$2.50/100 Ordered that P. Murray be allowed two dollars & fifty cents for surveying to Rowley & Walker.
- Ord. No 87 \$1.00/100 Ordered that Paul Lytle be allowed one dollar for 1 days work ^{assisting Murray & Walker} surveying the bogow
- Ord. No 88 \$2.25/100 Ordered that Geo. Mc. Dougle be allowed two dollars & twenty five cents for services as supervisor of road district No 4 Armstrong Township
- Ord. No 89 \$1.00/100 Ordered that Cassimer Schlaup be allowed one dollar for services as judge at April Election A.D. 1848
- Ord. No 90 \$1.00/100 Ordered that Samuel Mc. Leitch be allowed one dollar for services as clerk at April election A.D. 1848
- Ord. No 91 \$0.75/100 Ordered that Lewis Schinall supervisor of road district No 4 Perry Township for 1847 be allowed seventy five cents
- Ord. No 92 \$1.50/100 Ordered that James Keel be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for services as supervisor of road district No 4 Perry Township for 1847

Now here Henry Miller supervisor of road district No 4 Knight Township for A.D. 1847 submits his report as such supervisor which report is now here approved.

Ord. No 93 \$1.50/100 Ordered that Henry Miller be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for 2 days services as supervisor of roads for 1847 in and for road district No 4 Knight Township

The County Treasurer submits to the board his annual report and the board after duly considering ^{said report} approved of the same

James Keel supervisor of road district No 4 Perry Township for A.D. 1847 submits his report to this board, which report is now here approved

Ordered that the board of Equalization adjourn until tomorrow at 9 O'Clock
E. Saunders

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine O'Clock
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Thursday Morning June 8th 1848 the board met pursuant to adjournment when all the members of said board were present as yesterday.

Thursday Morning June 8th 1848 the board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment when the members composing said board were all present.

Samuel Kingdon Supervisor of road district No 2 Knight Township for A. D. 1847 submits his report to this board as such supervisor which report is now approved.

Ord No 94th \$2.25/100 Ordered that Samuel Kingdon be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for services as supervisor for A. D. 1847 in and for road district No 2 Knight Township.

Ord No 95th \$1.00/100 Ordered that John Clark be allowed one dollar for services as Judge of an election in Centro Township.

Now here the County Auditor submits his Annual report of the receipts & expenditures of the County for one year ending May 31st 1848 which report is now approved. And it is ordered that said report be published in a weekly newspaper & in that one published in the City of Evansville that will publish the same for the least price.

Now here Leannaga Higgins, Thomas Anthony Hoefling and Nicholas Long, viewers appointed at a previous day of the present term of this board come into Court and produce a report of their view in the words & figures following to wit;

To the Honourable Commissioners of V. C.

We the persons appointed by the within Order of Court to view and lay out the road therein mentioned having first been duly sworn according to law do Report that in pursuance of the said order we have viewed laid out, and returned for private use the following road: viz Beginning at a black Oak tree marked "B" in section No 29 thence south easterly course through David Earley's land thence through Christown Gorman's land in section No 28 ending at a white Oak tree marked "E" on the Evansville Road witness our hands this 7th

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Canada ^{his} Higginbotham
Master

Anthony Hoefling
Nicholas Long

The said ~~petition~~ having been publically read, and the board duly considering the same. It is now here ordered that said report be approved, and that ^{for said road} the petitioners, he and they are hereby authorized to open the said road in width

and ordered that Wm. M. Galter be paid for 17th of 100 dollars for his percentage on trust funds he and it is hereby approved

Now here Kimlocke McJohnston Supervisor of road District No 3 Centre Township for a 1847 submits to this board his report which report is now here approved

[#] ^{copy of 24.19} The Supervisor of road district No 3 Centre Township for 1848 is here ordered to ^{allow} ~~pay~~ to St. M. McJohnston four dollars and a quarter day on the roads in road district No 3 Centre Township for a 1847
and ordered that Kimlocke McJohnston be allowed four dollars for services as supervisor of road district No 3 Centre Township for a 1847

Now here the Board of Equalization proceeds to examine the Assessment returns of property & Polls assessed for the year 1848

Ordered that the board of Equalization Adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock
E Saunders

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock
H. P. Grainger

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Friday Morning June 9 the board met pursuant to adjournment when the members of said board ~~met pursuant to adj~~ were present as yesterday. And also the board of equalization met pursuant to adjournment when all the members of said board were present as yesterday.

Bates
Bond
Now here George Bates submits his bond for the faithful performance of his duties as keeper of the County poor house, for the term of one year and seven months ^{from June 8th 1848} with Thomas R. Smith and William Bates as his security therein. And it appears that Wm Bates name is not appended to said bond. It is therefore Ordered that said bond be and it is hereby approved by this board provided said Wm Bates signs the same

Ordered that sealed proposals be received by this board, on the fourth Monday in June A.D. 1848 for making a dirt embankment in the lower bayou near Martin Stinsons residence, at a point in said bayou where the road leading from Evansville to Henderson ^{about} ~~crosses~~ ^{crosses} the same. said embankment to be ~~about~~ ^{about} 90 feet ^{wide} at the base, and 30 feet at the top, and sufficiently raised so that the top of the embankment will be ~~at least~~ ^{at least} four feet above high water mark ^{of Feb 1848}. And it is further Ordered that sealed proposals ~~will~~ be received at the same time, for ditching the said bayou, so as completely to drain the same. said ditch to be dug at a point on the bayou called the backbone, at least ^{5³⁰/₁₀₀} ~~at least~~ feet in depth, and and six feet in width ^{at the bottom} through out. the excavation required supposed to be 420³ cubic yards.

It is now here Ordered that sealed proposals be received by this board on the fourth Monday in June A.D. 1848 for making and burning for the County two hundred thousand merchantable bricks said bricks to be made on the County property near Evansville, at the old residence of John Echols.

Now here John S. Maidlow Supervisor of road district No 6 Scott Township for A.D. 1847. Submits to this board his report as such Supervisor. which report is now here approved

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Issd No 97th \$3,00/100 Ordered that John S. Maidlow be allowed three dollars for services as supervisor of road district No 6 Scott Township for a.s. 1847

It is now here Ordered that thirty dollars be and it is hereby appropriated for the purpose of building a bridge on the Princeton road, near Charles Knowles residence in Scott Township, and that the same be issued to John Potts Esqr. who is hereby authorized to expend said sum upon said bridge

It is now here Ordered that fifteen dollars be appropriated to repair the road leading from Evansville to the salt well Pigeon bridge to be expended by the supervisor of road district No 4 Pigeon Township, also Ten dollars for the repairs of the road leading from the salt well bridge to Mills, also the sum of Twenty four dollars for the purpose of repairing the road from the salt well bridge to the foot of the hill on the New Harmony road, although the distance of three quarters of a mile, all of which ^{sums} are to be expended, as set forth in this order under the superintendance of Frederick Kramer Supervisor of road district No 4 Pigeon Township.

It is now here Ordered that an appropriation be and it is hereby made of twenty dollars for the purpose of repairing the logway on the road leading from Evansville to Newburgh, near the residence of John S. Jerry in Straight Township, said sum to be expended under the superintendance of John S. Jerry Coroner & Kelley Supervisor of road district No 1 Straight Township

Issd No 98th \$50,00/100 Ordered that Willard Carpenter be allowed Fifty dollars for 1 quarter rent of poor house ending June 8th 1848

It is hereby Ordered that Wm. Whittles, be and he is hereby Appointed County Surveyor for Vanderburgh County for the term of three years, from and after the first Monday in June A.D. 1848, and that he files his bond according to Law

Now here said Mr. Cutchan, John Inwood, and J. M. Stephen Viewers appointed to lay out a private road from Lewis B. Dags residence to the Princeton State road, make report of of such view, which report is passed over to the next term of this board.

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Revenue
of 1848

It is now here ordered that the Revenue for the year 1848 be levied and fixed by this board as follows, to wit; For State purposes the board levies and fixes the Taxes for said year at Twenty five cents on each one hundred dollars valuation of all property entered for taxation in the general lists of taxable, and at seventy five cents on each Poll subject by law to taxation, And one cent and seven and one half mills for the Indiana Hospital for the Insane And two cents and two and one half mills for the Deaf and Dumb Asylum, And one cent for the education of the Blind

And for the purposes of County Revenue the board now here levies, and fixes the taxes as follows to wit; Thirty eight cents on each one hundred dollars valuation of all property entered for taxation in the general lists of taxable, And one dollar on each, and every poll subject by law to taxation,

And for road purposes the board now levies and fixes the rate of taxation at ten cents on each one hundred dollars valuation of all lands subject by law to pay ~~road~~ taxes for road purposes

Ordered by that the Sheriff be required to notify Madison J. Pray, Robert Barnes, George Bates, Abraham Gumberts, Gutt Lebb, Kollenburgh, Oliver Sadd, Dan Morgan and Thomas Worth that the board of equalizers have made a change in their taxable personal personals, by adding to the same such amount as to them appeared just and reasonable, and if they have any cause of complaint to appear before said board, and make their complaints, and the board will hear and determine said complaints

See ch^o 99 by \$9.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed nine dollars & sixty cents for auditing for county per bill on file

See ch^o 100 by \$1.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that D. D. Grooms be allowed one dollar for services as Judge of an Election in German Township

See ch^o 101 by \$1.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles Keller be allowed one dollar for opening jail door & for the Sheriff

See ch^o 102 by \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Ezequiel Saunders be allowed ten dollars for ^{official} 5 days services at the June Session A. D. 1848

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Ord No 103 G \$10.00/100 Ordered that Ira P. Granger be allowed ten dollars for 5 days official services at the June session A.D. 1848

Ord No 104 G \$10.00/100 Ordered that John Curtis be allowed ten dollars for 5 days official services at the June session A.D. 1848
E Saunders

Ordered that the board of equalization adjourn until tomorrow at nine o'clock.

Ordered the County board adjourn until court in course
Ira P. Granger Pres
E Saunders
John Curtis

Saturday morning June 10th 1848 the board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment

Now when Dr. David Morgan appeared before the board and being sworn to answer such questions as may be asked by the board touching his personal property, satisfied the board that his list should not be changed from the amount returned by the County Assessor, and Thomas North, and Madison J. Biny, being examined under oath, the board allows their valuation of personals to stand as returned by the Assessor. And after examining the following named persons' lists, the board considers that it is ~~correct~~ just and equitable to make the following changes, to wit;

Robert Barnes	from \$12,000 to \$14,000	increase	\$2,000
John J. Nolley	200 to 500		300
George Bates	from 200 to 500	increase	300
Gottlieb Kollenberg	300 to 1,000	"	700
Sadd Oliver	7,500 to 10,000		2,500
George M. Sharp	175 to 400		225
Pichey Simson	1,300 to 2,400		1,100
Erskine Andrew	430 to 800		370
Leonty Christopher	500 to 1,000		500
Charles F. Mc Johnston	680 to 1,000		320
J. A. Staser	1,085 to 1,500		415
J. Le Stacey	390 to 800		510

And it is ordered that the Auditor be authorized and required to ~~pay~~ make the aforesaid changes upon the tax duplicate of 1848.

Ord No 105 G \$2.00/100 Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed two dollars for services as a member of the board of equalization at June session 1848

Ord No 106 G \$2.00/100 Ordered that Ira P. Granger be allowed two dollars for services as a member of the board of equalization at June session 1848

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Ord No 107^{ly} \$2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John Purdie be Allowed
two dollars for one day services as a member of the board of
equalization at the June Session 1848

Ord No 108^{ly} \$12.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that William H. Walker be
Allowed twelve dollars for 6 day services as a member of
the board of equalization at the June session A.D. 1848

Ord No 109^{ly} \$12.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John S. Terry be Allowed
twelve dollars for 6 six day services as a member of the board
of equalization at the June session A.D. 1848

Ordered that the board of Equalization adjourn sine die

John Purdie

E. Saunders

Wm. P. Granger

William H. Walker County Auditor

John S. Terry Assessor
of N. C.

Special June Session A D 1848

At a special session of the board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County held at the Court House in Evansville in said county on Monday Morning June 26th 1848, at 10 o'clock A.M. called for the purpose of letting the contract of filling up the Bayou near Martin Stinsons residence, for ditching said Bayou to carry off the surplus water for the purpose of contracting for making two hundred thousand bricks and transacting such other business as the County board may deem urgent. when present Ezekiel Saunders John Burtis and Ira P. Grainger Esqs Members composing said board

now here John M. Stinson and John Nightengale Commissioners heretofore appointed, to examine the timbers for the upper Bayou Bridge and to receive said bridge when completed. make the following Report

"The undersigned Commissioners appointed by the County Commissioners, to inspect and receive the bridge over the upper Bayou to be built by Spiker & Kinkle would report

That we have examined the timbers placed in said bridge both before and after the same was completed, and we are perfectly satisfied that said bridge has been finished according to the contract with said Spiker & Kinkle, and we have accordingly received the same"

Evansville June 24th 1848

John M. Stinson
John Nightengale

The board duly considering said report, and the things therein, It is ordered that the same be approved

No 136 \$ 3.00/100 Ordered that John M. Stinson be allowed three dollars for services as Commissioner to examine & receive the upper Bayou Bridge

No 137 \$ 3.00/100 Ordered that John Nightengale be allowed three dollars for services as Commissioner to examine the Bayou bridge

No 138 \$ 25.00/100 Ordered that Spiker & Kinkle be allowed twenty five dollars for building a bridge over the upper Bayou

No 139 \$ 25.00/100 Ordered that Spiker & Kinkle be allowed twenty five dollars for building a bridge over the upper Bayou

No 140 \$ 25.00/100 Ordered that Spiker & Kinkle be allowed twenty five dollars for building a bridge over the upper Bayou

Book No 141 \$ 125.00/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 142 \$ 110.00/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 143 \$ 110.00/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 144 \$ 110.00/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 145 \$ 110.00/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 146 \$ 110.00/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 147 \$ 110.00/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 148 \$ 110.00/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 149 \$ 110.00/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 150 \$ 116.39/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 151 \$ 110.00/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 152 \$ 137.42/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 153 \$ 110.00/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 154 \$ 110.00/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 155 \$ 146.25/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 156 \$ 117.50/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 157 \$ 117.50/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 158 \$ 117.50/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 159 \$ 117.50/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 160 \$ 117.50/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 161 \$ 117.50/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 162 \$ 117.50/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

Book No 163 \$ 117.50/100 Order that 1/2 ton of granite for building a bridge over the upper bay

It is Order here to build that the company has
be said he is hereby authorized and directed to carry
out the 195 in the mentioned circumstances of course by

deeds of release to Mrs Elizabeth Sullivan, and her assigns upon the delivering to him of the note of John J. Chandler Abraham Gumbert and William H. Chandler for the sum of fifty dollars payable 12 months from date with 6 per cent interest from date

Now here upon the petition of James Steel and others It is Ordered that Road district No 7 Perry Township be changed, so as to embrace within ~~the~~ limits in addition to the territory within said road district, the north half of Section No 19 and the south half of Section No 18 in Town C South of Range 11 West Also the N.W. 1/4 of the N.W. 1/4 of Sec No 23 in the same Town & Range. And it is further ordered that the board of Road district No 7 be and they are hereby Authorized to work the New Mount Vernon road from the east line of district No 7 to the New Harmony road near James Steel's residence

Joshua Ferguson supervisor of road district No 5 Centre Township for 1847 files his report as such supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here the board proceeds to open the proposals to burn and make two hundred thousand good merchantable brick. And Thomas D. Smith's proposition being the lowest and best offer, It is Ordered that the Contract for making and burning 200,000 good merchantable brick at the former residence of John Echols on the Princeton road near Evansville be entered into with Thomas D. Smith and that said Smith file his bond in the special sum of five hundred & forty dollars with George Bates and Charles Bates as his securities therein said brick to be ready for delivery on or before the 1st day of November 1848. Ordered that Paul Morgan be allowed two dollars for professional services rendered James Carr on the 9th day of June 1848

brd No 158

Now here Thomas D. Smith files his bond as above and the board approves said bond

Now here on the reading and filing the petition for building a bridge over the Bayou near Martin Stinsons in place of filling up said bayou with dirt and ditching the same, Ira P. Grainger proposes to erect a wooden bridge over said bayou in accordance with with said petition. And upon

said motion being put the same was overruled by the board

Now here Oliver Ladd whose personal property was raised by the board of Equalization from ^{7,500} 10,000. Appears before the board and complains that he was absent from the county at the letting of said board of equalization, and could not appear before said board, and wishes to have his amount reduced to the same as given in by him to the County Assessor and the board, after examining said Ladd under oath, It is Ordered, that his list of personal property be reduced from 10,000 to 7,500.

No. 159 \$ 2.00/100 Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be Allowed two dollars for one day official services as a member of the County board at the Special Term session 1848

No. 160 \$ 2.00/100 Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be Allowed two dollars for one day services as county Commissioner at the same session A.D. 1848

No. 161 \$ 2.00/100 Ordered that John Purvis be Allowed two dollars for one day services at the Special Term session A.D. 1848

Now here upon the reading of the foregoing order in relation to building a wooden bridge over the Bayou as contemplated by the petitions filed at the present term of this board, the board decided that the proposition was not put nor vote taken by this board, as stated in said order. Whereupon Ira P. Grainger made a motion to contract for the building of a temporary bridge over the bayou near Martin Stinsons residence, which motion the board rejected. Whereupon Ira P. Grainger made a ^{second} motion to the board for building a good substantial wooden bridge over said Bayou, with stone pillars to support the same, & upon taking the vote on the latter motion the board overruled the same, and assigned the following reasons for overruling said motions, first because the motion for building said bridges were made after reading the Minutes and the motion for adjournment, and was therefore out of order. Secondly, because ~~at~~ this session was not called for the purpose of building a bridge over the Bayou near Martin Stinsons, and therefore it is not in order for the County board to act upon said motion.

John Purvis moved the board to let the building of a stone culvert & making an embankment over the Bayou, near the residence of Martin Stinsons, which

Motion was carried, by Ezekiel Saunders and John Bartis
 voting for the same. Wm. P. Granger at the same time expressing
 his disapproval of said motion.

Ordered that the board adjourn sine die

H. W. Granger
 E. Saunders

John Bartis

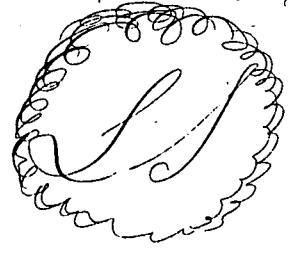
Auditor Office V.C.

August 1848

A. D. Taylor is appointed Supervisor of road district number
 2 Centre Township for A.D. 1848 to terminate the April Election
 1849, and until his successor is elected & qualified

Whereas Henry Sander of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana has produced to me the certificate of (William H. Walker, Auditor of said County) the County Auditor and School Commissioner of said County by which it appears that Henry Sander aforesaid did on the 19th day of August A.D. 1847 purchase of said School Commissioner the North East quarter of the North West quarter of Section Sixteen, in Township Six South of Range Eleven West, containing forty Acres, and thirty four hundredths of an Acre, (for the sum of 159.⁴⁵/₁₀₀) of the School Section belonging to said Congressional Township, and the said Henry Sander, having this day filed in my Office the School Commissioners receipt for seventy eight dollars, and seventy five cents, the balance in full for the purchase of said tract of land, and having demanded a deed for the same.

Therefore Know Ye, That in consideration of the premises, and in conformity with the Statute in such Case made, provided, I William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County, Aforesaid, for and in the name of the Inhabitants of Congressional Township, Number Six (6) South of Range Eleven (11) West, in said County of Vanderburgh, do give and grant the said North East quarter of the North West quarter of Section Sixteen, in Township Six South of Range Eleven West containing forty Acres, and thirty four hundredths, of an Acre, to the said Henry Sander, his heirs, and Assigns forever



In witness Whereof I William H. Walker Auditor of said Vanderburgh County have hereunto set my hand, and Official Seal at Evansville, on this 15th day of August A.D. 1848
William H. Walker

Attest
Pracket Mills S. C. V. G. Auditor of Vanderburgh County

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County ss
I James J. Walker a Justice of the Peace in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that the Above named William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County, personally appeared before me, and acknowledged that he signed, and sealed the within and foregoing indenture for the uses and purposes therein mentioned

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and seal this 15th day of August 1848

James J. Walker (Sd) Justice of the Peace

Recorded Aug 16th 1848
Wm H Walker ACO

September
~~June~~ Session A. D. 1848

At a session of the board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana, begun and held at the Court in Evansville in said County, on the first Monday of September a. d. 1848 (being the 4th day of said month) when present Ezekiel Saunders and John Burtis, and Michael P. Jones Esq the newly elected member, came forward, produce his Credentials, and took his seat as a member of said board.

Now here on motion John Burtis Esq is duly appointed President of this board for the ensuing year

Jud No 186 $\$ 3.75/100$ Ordered that Joseph Spoon be allowed three ^{75/100} dollars for services as supervisor for 1847 in road district No 6 Armstrong Township

It is now here ordered that Joseph Spoons report as Supervisor of road district No 6 Armstrong Township for 1847 be and it is hereby approved

Jud No 187 $\$ 250.00/100$ Ordered that Geo. Bates be allowed two hundred and fifty dollars for keeping paupers for 3 months ending September 8th 1848

Now here upon the presenting reading and filing the petition of D. L. Grimes and twelve others, Citizens of German township for the Appointment of Viewers to view out and mark a road for a certain private road or Cartway leading from Nicholas Rockenmire's house in said Township through the south east quarter of section 3 in Town 6 South of Range 11 West, to intersect the County road near John Steels. It is ordered that David D. Grimes, Reuben Hopkins, and Robert Nightengale be, and they are hereby appointed to view and mark said road, according to the prayer of said petition, and report their proceeding to this board, at the next regular term thereof.

Now Here upon the petition of Levi Hooker and others citizens of Centre Township, to change the boundary of road districts No 3 and 5 in said township. Ordered that sections 34, 35, and 36, and the south half of sections 25, 26 and 27, and the $1/2$ ^{of the} N. W. ^{of the} section 27, all in Town 5 South of Range 10 West be taken from road district No 3, and added to road district No 5 in Centre Township aforesaid. And that the boundary of district No 5 aforesaid be changed so as to include within the limits of said district the sections aforesaid

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Ordered that George Bates be allowed ~~two hundred~~ ^{fifty} dollars for keeping ~~prisoners~~ ^{prisoners} from ~~the~~ ^{the} month ending ~~September 15th 1848~~

Copied Now here it is ordered that Geo. O. Brian be and he is hereby exempted from work upon the public roads in this County in consequence of a bodily infirmity.

- Issd No 188 \$ $\$1.00/100$ Ordered that Jm Holloway be allowed one dollar for summoning a jury for a coroner's inquest
- Issd No 189 \$ $\$28.75/100$ Ordered that John Echols be allowed twenty eight dollars and seventy five cents for dieting prisoners in the county jail
- Issd No 190 \$ $\$27.50/100$ Ordered that John Echols be allowed twenty seven dollars and fifty cents for dieting prisoners in the County jail
- Issd No 191 \$ $\$1.31/100$ Ordered that John Echols be allowed one dollar and ~~thirty~~ ^{thirty} ~~two~~ ^{two} cents for dieting prisoners in county jail
- Issd No 192 \$ $\$4.69/100$ Ordered that John Echols be allowed four dollars and sixty eight cents for dieting prisoners in the County jail
- Issd No 193 \$ $\$7.12/100$ Ordered that John Echols be allowed seven dollars and twelve cents for bedding furnished for the County jail
- Issd No 194 \$ $\$20.00/100$ Ordered that John Echols be allowed twenty dollars for Ex Officio services as Sheriff to 20th August 1848
- Issd No 195 \$ $\$25.00/100$ Ordered that William H. Walker Ave. twenty five dollars for Ex Officio services as Auditor to September 1st 1848
- Issd No 196 \$ $102.49/100$ Ordered that Wm H. Walker Ave. be allowed one hundred, and two dollars, and forty nine cents for Auditing for the County to Sept 1st 1848
- Issd No 197 \$ $\$2.50/100$ Ordered that Simon Williams be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for serving as Inspector ^{of Elections} in Armstrong Township & repairing the ballott box
- Issd No 198 \$ $\$2.00/100$ Ordered that C. Schlamp be allowed two dollars for services as judge at the August election 1848
- Issd No 199 \$ $\$2.00/100$ Ordered that R. W. Dunbar be allowed two dollars for services as Clerk of August election 1848
- Issd No 200 \$ $\$2.00/100$ Ordered that G. W. B. Aydelott be two dollars for services as Clerk of Elections in August 1848 in Pigeon Township
- Issd No 201 \$ $\$2.50/100$ Ordered that Joshua Bowles be allowed two dollars & fifty cent for serving as Inspector of August Election in Pigeon Township for assessing & returning polls for the same

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Said No 202 \$ 2.00/100 Ordered that Joseph P. Elliott be Allowed two dollars for services as judge at the August Election 1848 in Pigeon Township

Said No 203 \$ 5.00/100 Ordered that Dr. Geo. B. Walker be Allowed five dollars for professional services rendered prisoner in the county jail.

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow Morning at Nine O'clock

John Burtis Smith

Tuesday morning September 5th the board met pursuant to adjournment when the members thereof were present as yesterday.

Now here on the reading and filing the petition of James H. Jones and others freehold citizens of Pigeon Township, for the Appointment of Viewers, to view and Mark out the following route for roads as follows viz

To Commence at the Centre of Centre Street, in the fourth enlargement of Evansville (commonly called Texas) and extending in a line to the point at which it would meet the north western line of Elm Street, in the City of Evansville, if the last mentioned lines were extended directly a sufficient distance, and thence on a direct line to the points at which the Centre lines of Division & Second Streets in said City meet, - said road to be sixty feet in width. Also a highway sixty feet in width the Centre line of which to be the Centre of Division Street aforesaid, extending directly from its present north Eastern termination, parallel with Vine Street in said City, until it strikes the north boundary line of fractional Section 30, Town & Range 10 West, and thence East on the last mentioned line, and the line dividing sections 20 & 29 until it intersects the State road leading from Evansville, to Princeton. And the board duly considering said petition and the things therein set forth, It is now here Ordered that Matthew W. Foster Charles Harrington, and Wm. H. Miller, be, and they are hereby appointed Viewers, to view out & mark the route for said roads in accordance with the prayer of said petition, and report to this board at its next session.

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Ordered that the list of delinquent lands, to be sold in January 1848 be published for four weeks successively in the at full length in the newspaper having the greatest circulation in this county. And it is further ^{Ordered} that said list be published in the Evansville ^{Weekly} Journal.

The Viewers heretofore appointed to view out and mark a private road in Centro Township, running from the residence of Lewis B. Day to the Princeton State road. Present their report as follows to wit
To the Honourable the Board of Commissioners of the county of Vanderburgh

In pursuance of an Order of this Honourable Board herewith returned, we the undersigned appointed by the said Order to view and lay out the road therein mentioned have viewed and laid out the same and returned said road [of] private utility, as follows, to wit; Commencing at the residence of Lewis B. Day, thence South to South line of the North half of section No 29 in Town 5 South of Range two West, thence West to the State road running from Evansville to Princeton Along the beforementioned line which is respectfully submitted
Witness Our hands this 9th day of June 1848

Samuel M. Clatcham
John Inwood
J. H. Stephens

The foregoing report having been publicly ^{in open court} read, and the board duly considering the matter contained therein, it is Ordered, that the petitioners for said road, be and they are hereby authorized to open said road and keep the same in repair to the width of twenty feet.

Ordered that Eighty dollars be and it is hereby appropriated to be expended by S. S. Almsted Supervisor of road district No 2 Pigeon Township for 1848, upon the State road leading from Evansville ^{to} Pigeon Creek, near Angley Mill. And said Supervisor is hereby Ordered to report to this board, the manner in which this appropriation is applied by him, at the time he makes his Annual Report to this board.

Ordered that twelve dollars be appropriated, ^{by this board out of the county Treasury} to be expended upon the State road leading from Evansville to Princeton, in road district No 2 Scott Township, and that the Supervisor Moses Barnes expend said sum to the best advantage to said road.

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- Issd No 204^{ly} \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm^o Walker Ave
 be allowed ten dollars for making duplicate of 1848
 Issd No 205^{ly} \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm^o Walker A.V.C.
 be allowed ten dollars for making duplicate of 1848
 Issd No 206^{ly} \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm^o Walker A.V.C.
 be allowed ten dollars for making tax duplicate of 1848
 Issd No 207^{ly} \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm^o Walker A.V.C.
 be allowed ten dollars for making tax duplicate of 1848
 Issd No 208^{ly} \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm^o Walker be allowed
 ten dollars for making the tax duplicate of 1848
 Issd No 209^{ly} \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm^o Walker A.V.C. be
 allowed ten dollars for making the tax duplicate of 1848
 Issd No 210^{ly} \$25.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm^o Walker A.V.C. be
 allowed twenty five dollars for making tax duplicate of
 1848
 Issd No 211^{ly} \$25.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm^o Walker A.V.C. be
 allowed twenty five dollars for making tax duplicate of 1848
 Issd No 212^{ly} \$25.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm^o Walker A.V.C. be allowed
 twenty five dollars for making tax duplicate of 1848
 Issd No 213^{ly} \$25.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm^o Walker A.V.C. be allowed
 twenty five dollars for making tax duplicate of 1848
 Issd No 214^{ly} \$100.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm^o Walker A.V.C.
 be allowed one hundred dollars for making tax duplicate of 1848
 Issd No 215^{ly} \$5.⁴⁹/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm^o Walker A.V.C. be allowed
 five dollars and forty nine cents for making tax duplicate of 1848

Ordered that the board adjourns until tomorrow
 morning morning at 9 o'clock

John Curtis, President

Wednesday at 9 o'clock the board met pursuant to the adjournment
 when the members of said board, ~~met pursuant to adjournment~~ ^{were present as yesterday}

Now here ~~was~~ the petition of Wesley Richey, and others
 citizens of Armstrong Township for the appointment of viewers
 to view out and mark a route for a private road, in
 said Township commencing on the East line of the southwest
 quarter, of the south west quarter of section 8 in Township five south
 of Range eleven west, running thence north to the corner of
 said quarter quarter, thence East on the line until it intersects
 the Brownville road near Wesley Richey, said petition having
 been publically read before ~~the~~ board, and the board duly
 considering the things therein, It is Ordered that Charles
 Martin, Edwin Rogers, and Saml McDonald, be and they are
 hereby appointed viewers, to view and mark said route according
 to the prayer of said petitioners, and report to this board, their
 proceedings, at the next term thereof.

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Now here the Treasurer of Vanderburgh County submits his quarterly Report. which report is now here approved

Ord. No 236 $\$74.50/100$ Ordered that Baker & Garvin be Allowed ~~fifty~~ seven dollars, and fifty cents, for part of their bill for professional services rendered the County board

Ord. No 217 $\$25.00/100$ Ordered that Baker & Garvin be allowed twenty five dollars for professional services rendered the County board

Ord. No 218 $\$25.00/100$ Ordered that Baker & Garvin be allowed twenty five dollars for professional services rendered the County board per file on file

It is now here Ordered that the prosecuting Attorney be and he is hereby Authorized to procure blank recognizances and such other blanks as he may be required to have by notice of his office. ^{the cost of} such blank not to exceed eight dollars, which sum is now here appropriated, to pay for said blanks.

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow Morning at 9 O'Clock

John Curtis Clerk

Thursday Morning at nine o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when the members thereof were present as yesterday

Now here Nathan Rowley appears before this board, and represents to the board that he is the owner of Lot No. 196 in the Donation Enlargement of Evansville. and that said lot was once the property of the County, and that his title to said lot is imperfect. And for the purpose of removing said imperfection, he proposes to pay to the County the sum of eighty dollars in three months from this date (viz Sept 7th 1848) with six percent ^{per annum} interest thereon from date. And the board duly considering said proposal and the matters and things connected therewith

It is now here Ordered that Thomas E. Garvin Esq County Agent for the County of Vanderburgh, be and he is hereby Authorized ^{Ordered} and instructed, to make a special warrant deed to Nathan Rowley conveying to him ^{all of} the interest of said County of in or to, said lot, No 196 in the donation Enlargement of Evansville, so soon as said Rowley shall pay said County Agent said sum of money and the board will hold said County Agent harmless, ~~therein~~ in the premises

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- Ind No 219 \$ $\$6.32/100$ Ordered that Willard Carpenter be Allowed six dollars and thirty two cents for tax of 1847 paid by him, ^{for S.B. Campbell} on school land in Knight Township
- Ind No 220 \$ $\$1.00/100$ Ordered that Martin Stinson be Allowed one dollar for serving as judge at an election in May 1848 in Perry Township
- Ind No 221 \$ $\$1.00/100$ Ordered that Martin Stinson be Allowed one dollar for serving as judge at the August Election 1848 in Perry Township
- Ind No 222 \$ $\$31.25/100$ Ordered that Willard Carpenter be Allowed thirty one dollars and twenty five cents for one quarters rent of poor house ending September 8 1848

Now when Thomas E. Garrison, the County Agent of Vanderburgh County submits his report as such Agent to this board in the words and figures following to wit;

"To the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County Indiana

The undersigned County Agent of said County ~~reports~~ Respectfully reports that in pursuance of an Order of the Board aforesaid, he has executed to Charles Siow a release of all the interest & title of said Board, and of said County, in and to Lot No 240 D.E. and has received from said Siow in cash the sum of 130, which amt has been duly paid over as appears by vouchers here with filed, and that he has also executed to Elizabeth Sullivan a release of the interest of said Board, and of said County, in and to Lot No 195 in the location enlargement aforesaid, and has taken in payment therefor the joint note of John S. Chandler & Amos H. Chandler for the sum of \$50 payable twelve months from 18th day of July 1848 with interest from date. And that he has received from Willard Carpenter the sum of fifty dollars on judgement in favour County Agen. in Vanderburgh Circuit Court, and that he has rec^d from J.M. Stockwell the sum of \$900, as appears from the vouchers herewith presented. All of which is respectfully submitted for Confirmation

Thos E Garrison
Co. Agent

And the board duly considering said report and the things therein. It is ordered that the same be and it is ~~Approved~~ ^{Confirmed} and Approved

- Ind No 223 \$ $\$5.50/100$ Ordered that Wm H. Walker be Allowed five dollars & fifty cents, for cash paid Hans Selyel for blank book for assessor

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Ord No 224 \$8.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Henry B. Moor be allowed eight dollars for making coffins ^{and grave cloths} for pauper ⁱⁿ Union Township

It is now here Ordered that the following taxes shall be and they are hereby levied and fixed for the year 1848
For each caravan, manager, or other collection of animals, and for each show of any figures, and for each Circus or theatre, rope, or wire dancing, or flight of hand, exhibited for reward
~~And~~ ^{now here} the board fixes the taxes at twenty five dollars per day

Ord No 225 \$2.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Geo L. Schuer be allowed two dollars and ^{twenty five} cents for services as Inspector of Elections in Centre Township for 1848

Ord No 226 \$0.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that James J. Walker be allowed fifty cents for acknowledging 2 indentures for Overseer of the poor

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine O'clock

John P. Smith

Friday morning nine o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when the members thereof were present as yesterday

Ord No 227 \$3.⁷⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that C. Bell be allowed three ⁷⁵/₁₀₀ dollars for man of paper for Clerk's Office

Ord No 228 \$9.¹⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Saml. J. Jenkins be allowed nine dollars and ten cents for press for Circuit Court & paper galls and sand for Clerk's office

Ord No 229 \$5.⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Saml. J. Jenkins be allowed five dollars and fifty cents for recording deeds & indentures ^{& certifying election per bill filed}

Ord No 230 \$25.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Saml. J. Jenkins be allowed twenty five dollars for Ex Officio services as Clerk V.C.C. to Sept 26th 1848

Where Philip Rousch produces to this board a bill for timber taken from his land in road district No 4 Pigeon Township for the use of the roads in said district. And the board ~~after~~ ^{after} duly examining said bill. Order that Robert Smith Thomas Gifford and John Gaech. be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners to assess the value of the timber taken by the supervisor of road district No 4 Pigeon from the land of Philip Rousch for the use of the road leading from Samaras City to the Central Pigeon bridge and that they report to this board at its next term

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Now here the board lets to Christian Decker the job of building two Stone Abutments to support the contemplated bridge over the Bayou near the residence of Martin Stinson and also the wing walls to said bridge for the sum of two dollars, and eight ^{sevens} and one half cents per perch of twenty four and one half ^{solid} feet, said Decker to furnish all the materials necessary for said work, - The stone to be good and substantial and to be layed in good lime mortar, the front or outer edge of the stone to be hammer dressed, and in the wing walls above ground the outer edge of the stone to be hammer dressed on both sides. And the said Christian Decker agrees with this board to excavate the ~~the~~ ground for the foundation of the said abutments and wing wall. At the rate of six and one fourth cents per cubic yard, all of said work to be finished in a good and workmanlike manner, and to the acceptance and approval of Michael P. Jones Esq one of the members of this board, who is now here appointed to superintend and direct the said work and to examine and approve of the materials used in said work, and ~~the work~~ ^{the work} to be created according to a plan of said work on file in the Office of the County Auditor, and it is now here ordered that Christian Decker be, and he is hereby authorized to draw pay on the aforesaid job, as the same progresses, at any time before said job is completed, said sums to be drawn upon estimates of the work made by M. P. Jones the superintendent, who is hereby ordered, to give to said Decker orders on the County Auditor for such sums as he may find said Decker entitled to receive, and the County Auditor is hereby authorized ordered, and directed to issue orders upon the County Treasurer to Christian Decker or his assigns, for the sums allowed said Decker by said superintendent, said work to be completed on or before the first Monday in December A. D. 1848.

Now here Christian Decker enters into an agreement ^{with this board,} for the building the abutments & wing walls of a contemplated bridge over the Bayou near Martin Stinsons residence, on the road leading to Hendersons Ferry from Evansville. And said Decker ^{at the same time} submits to this board his bond, in the penal sum of twelve hundred dollars with Philip Decker as his security, therefor, for the faithfully performance of the stipulations of said agreement, and the board duly considering said bond it is ordered that the same be, and it is now here approved.

It is now here Ordered that Michael P. Jones Esq be and he is hereby Appointed to advertise for sealed proposals for building a bridge over the Bayou on the road leading from Evansville to Henderson and near the residence of Martin Stinson

Now here the Rev Charles E. Lord produces to this board the petition of Sundry Citizens of Vanderburgh County, Praying this board to take such action as they may deem necessary for the purpose of furthering as speedily as possible the establishment of a county ^{in the County of Vanderburgh} Seminary. And at the same time said Lord proposes to this board to furnish the sum of eleven hundred and fifty two dollars and fifty cents and add the same to the Seminary funds ^{to be furnished in 3 months from this date} to be used for Seminary purposes. Provided the County board will insure him the sum of one hundred and eighty two dollars per Annum for a period of ten years, said sum to be paid Annually in advance.

And the board duly considering said proposal and the matter touching the same. It is now here Ordered that this board approves and accepts said proposal. And agrees to take such action as may be necessary to ensure the Rev Chas E Lord the said sum of 182 dollars per Annum in advance Annually for the period of ten years. ^{from the date of the receipt of said \$1152 50} Out of the interest arising from the Seminary loans, provided said Lord complies with the aforesaid proposal on his part

- Ord No 231 \$5.00/100 Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be Allowed five dollars for part of his Official services at September Term 1848
- Ord No 232 \$5.00/100 Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders Esq be Allowed five dollars for his Official services at the September Term 1848
- Ord No 233 \$10.00/100 Ordered Michael P. Jones Esq be Allowed ten dollars for Official services at the September Term 1848
- Ord No 234 \$4.00/100 Ordered that John Purts Esq be Allowed four dollars for 3 days Official services at the Septer Term 1848
- Ord No 235 \$6.00/100 Ordered that John Purts Esq be Allowed six dollars for 5 days Official services at the Septer 1848

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in Course

John Purts
& Saunders
M P Jones

Special September Session 1848

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana began and held at the Court house in Evansville in said County - in pursuance of a Call made by the County Auditor, on the twenty second day of September A.D. 1848 at 10 O'clock P.M. for the purpose of letting the contract for building a lattice wooden bridge over the bayou near the residence of Martin Stinson, on the road leading from Evansville, to Henderson Ferry, and for the purpose of planing or weatherboarding up the ends of the Central Pigeon bridge, to defend the said bridge from exposure to the weather, and to act upon such other business that the board may think urgent, when present Michael P. Jones and John Runt's Egr. two of the members of said board

Now here the board proceeds to open the proposals for building a lattice wooden bridge over the bayou near Martin Stinson's residence. And Charles St. Singer proposes to build the said bridge according to the plan and specifications on file - which were made filed on September 12 1848. - for the sum of Eight hundred and fifty dollars and furnish all the materials, and ~~do~~ ^{do} and finish said bridge, according to the directions of M. P. Jones Egr who is hereby appointed to superintend, and direct said work. Said bridge is to be finished and completed according to said plan, on or before the first day of January A.D. 1849. Said Singer to draw from time to time the amount of two thirds of the work done at the time of estimating the same, on said job, which estimates are to be made by M. P. Jones the Superintendent, whose certificate of the amount to be drawn by said Singer, at the different periods, shall be a sufficient voucher to authorize the County Auditor to draw Orders on the County Treasurer, for the sums allowed by said Superintendent. Charles St. Singer proposes to the board, to give his bond in the special sum of Seventeen hundred dollars, payable to said County board, with James Laughlin as his security therefor for the faithful performance of the aforesaid work on his part, which bond and security the board now here approves, provided the same be filed without delay in the Office of the County Auditor,

And

Ordered that Michael P. Jones be Allowed two dollars for 1 day Official Service at the Special Sept. Session A.D. 1848

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Ordered that John Curtis be allowed two dollars for one day official services at the Special September Session A.D. 1848

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in Course

Wm. H. Govey
John Curtis

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Whereas John Hauselman of Vanderburgh County Indiana Assignee of John Henrich Assignee of George Henrich, did on the thirteenth day of October A.D. 1848 produce to me William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County aforesaid, the certificate of purchase of Catharine Rowley School Commissioner of said County, by which it appears that George Henrich aforesaid did on the twenty fifth day of September A.D. 1837 purchase of said School Commissioner the South East quarter of the South East quarter of Section Number sixteen in Township Six South of Range Number Eleven West (being part of the School Section belonging to Congressional Township Number Six in Range Eleven West) for the sum of three hundred, and thirty five dollars one fourth payable in hand, and the residue at the expiration of ten years from and after the day of the date of said certificate,

And Whereas the said John Hauselman has filed in my Office the receipt of the School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County aforesaid for the full amount of the residue of the principal and money principal, and interest due on said tract of land, and demanded a deed for said tract,

Therefore know ye, that in consideration of the premises, and in conformity with the Statute in such case made and provided I William H. Walker Auditor of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana, for and in the name of the Inhabitants of Congressional Township Number Six South of Range Number Eleven West in the County, and State aforesaid do give and grant the said South East quarter of the South East quarter of Section Number sixteen in Township Number Six South of Range Number Eleven West, to the said John Hauselman and to his heirs and assigns forever

In witness whereof I William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County, Indiana have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Evansville in said County on this 13th day of October A.D. 1848
William H. Walker
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Witness Bracket Mills J. C. V. C.

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County ss

I Bracket Mills a Justice of the Peace in and for pigeon Township in said County, certify that on the 13th day of October A.D. 1848 the above named William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County personally appeared before me and acknowledged the above and foregoing indenture to be his voluntary act and deed for the purposes herein mentioned

Given under my hand, and seal at the City of Evansville this the day and ^{date} above written

Bracket Mills Seal

Justice of the Peace

Recorded Oct 13th 1848

W. H. Walker att.

Special October Session A.D. 1848

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, in the State of Indiana, began and held at the Court House in Evansville in said County, on the 16th day of October A.D. 1848 at 10 O'Clock A.M. for the purpose of examining, ~~and receiving~~ the Title of bricks made by Geo. Bates, and receiving the same, and for the purpose of attending to such other business deemed necessary for the public good, when present Ezekiel Saunders, Michael P. Jones, and John Burtis Esqrs. Members composing said board.

- Said No 375 Is. \$10.⁰⁰/100 Ordered that John Echols ^{Sheriff of V.C.} be allowed Ten dollars for dicting Adam Deal in the County jail from Sept 5th to Oct 5th 1848.
- Said No 376 Is. \$12.⁰⁰/100 Ordered that John Echols Sheriff of V.C. be allowed Twelve dollars for receiving dicting and discharging B. M. Gillespie in the County jail
- Said No 377 Is. \$9.⁴⁴/100 Ordered that John Echols Sheriff of V.C. be Allowed Nine dollars and forty four cents for dicting John Sockhart in the County jail and receiving & discharging the said Sockhart
- Said No 378 Is. \$2.⁷⁵/100 Ordered that John Echols Sheriff of V.C. be Allowed two dollars & seventy five cents for repairs of ~~public Prison~~ ^{public Prison}
- Said No 379 Is. \$10.⁰⁰/100 Ordered that Jacob Schaffner be allowed ten dollars for ^{services} apprehending & convicting B. M. Gillespie a horse thief
- Said No 380 Is. \$10.⁰⁰/100 Ordered that Jacob Schaffner be allowed ten dollars for ^{services} apprehending & convicting B. M. Gillespie a horse thief
- Said No 381 Is. \$10.⁰⁰/100 Ordered that Jacob Schaffner be allowed ten dollars for services in the apprehension & conviction of B. M. Gillespie a horse thief
- Said No 382 Is. \$5.⁰⁰/100 Ordered that Jacob Schaffner be allowed five dollars for services in the apprehension & conviction of B. M. Gillespie a horse thief
- Said No 383 Is. \$5.⁰⁰/100 Ordered that Jacob Schaffner be allowed five dollars for services in the apprehension & conviction of B. M. Gillespie a horse thief
- Said No 384 Is. \$8.⁰⁷/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed Eight dollars and seven cents for making Poll Books for the Presidential Election of 1848
- Said No 385 Is. \$43.²⁰/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed forty three dollars & twenty cents, for lumber to cover brick kiln on the County property
- Said No 386 Is. \$300.⁰⁰/100 Ordered that Geo Bates be allowed three hundred dollars for making 281 thousand bricks for County

for the uses and purposes therein named



In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year last above written

William H. Walter,
Auditor V.C.

Recorded Nov 30th 1868
H. H. Walter Ave

December Session A.D. 1848

At a Session of the board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County Indiana began and held at the Court House in Evansville, on Monday December the fourth (being the first Monday in said month) ^{in the year 1848} when present Ezekiel Saunders Michael P. Jones and John Purvis Esqs members of said board

- Ord. No 4500 \$150.⁰⁰/100 Ordered that Wm. H. Chandler & Co be allowed one hundred and fifty dollars for printing delinquent list for the County for 1848 & advertising Sheriffs notices
- Ord. No 4517 \$8.⁰⁰/100 Ordered that Wm. H. Chandler & Co be allowed eight dollars for printing for the County per bill filed
- Ord. No 4522 \$3.⁷⁵/100 Ordered that E. B. Clark be allowed three dollars and seventy five cents for repairing bridge
- Ord. No 4539 \$38.⁰⁰/100 Ordered that Thomas E. Gavin County Agent be allowed thirty eight dollars for 9 months services as agent of Vanderburgh County & for paying 40 cents in change & ten cents postage on letters
- Ord. No 4544 \$6.⁰⁰/100 Ordered that Robert Wrightgate be allowed six dollars for serving as Inspector of three elections held in German Township & making returns of the same
- Ord. No 4559 \$1.⁷⁵/100 Ordered that John Clark be allowed one dollar and seventy five cents for serving as judge of an election in Centro Township & making returns of the same in 1848
- Ord. No 4564 \$2.⁰⁰/100 Ordered that James Houston be allowed two dollars for serving as Inspector of an election held in Perry Township in Novr 1848 & making returns thereof
- Ord. No 4579 \$2.⁰⁰/100 Ordered that James Steel be allowed two dollars for serving as Clerk of an election held in Perry Township in Novr 1848 & judge of an other election in said year
- Ord. No 4584 \$3.³¹/100 Ordered that John Echols be allowed three dollars & thirty one cents for summing up names to Septs Term 1848
- Ord. No 4599 \$3.⁷⁵/100 Ordered that John Echols be allowed three dollars and seventy five cents for dieting prisoners in the County jail
- Ord. No 4604 \$58.³⁷/100 Ordered that John Echols be allowed fifty eight dollars and thirty seven cents for dieting prisoners in County jail to Decr 4th 1848

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- Said No 461 \$37.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that George Bates be Allowed thirty seven dollars for part of his bill for Keeping paupers to December 8th 1848
- Said No 462 \$213.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that George Bates be Allowed two hundred and thirteen dollars for Keeping paupers to December 6th 1848

Now here Thomas E. Garvin County Agent makes a report to this board of his acts and doing as such Agent which report is now here Approved

Now here John Miller applies to the board for a certificate of inability to work upon the ^{public} roads. & produces evidence of his disability to perform labour. and the board duly considering said evidence. and being satisfied that said John Miller is labouring under a bodily infirmity it is Ordered that said John Miller be exempted from working upon the public Highways so long as he may labour under said disability

- Said No 463 \$1.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that George Ruston be Allowed One dollar for notifying Geo Bates of the death of Matthew Koles a pauper in Centre Township
- Said No 464 \$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John Echols be Allowed Twenty dollars for Ex Officio Services as Sheriff of V. C. to Apr 20th 1848
- Said No 465 \$25.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Isaac J. Jenkins be Allowed twenty five dollars for Ex Officio Services as Clerk of the V. C. to Dec 26th 1848
- Said No 466 \$25.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm H. Walker be Allowed twenty five dollars for 3 months Ex Officio Services as County Auditor to Dec 1st 1848

Now here D. D. Gaines and Reuben Hopkins two of the Viewers heretofore Appointed, to view a certain private road in German Township, come into Court & make the Report of said View in words and figures following to wit;

"To the Hon^{ble} Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh. In pursuance of an Order of this Honorable Board herewith returned me the undersigned appointed by the said Order to view and lay out a road therein mentioned having been duly sworn according to law have viewed and laid out the same and returned it as a road of Public utility as follows, to wit; beginning at the S. East cr of section 3 S. 6 South of range 11 W. running an east course about a quarter of a mile intersecting the county road at or near John Nail's, which is respectfully submitted

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this 4th of December 1848

D. D. Grimes
Reuben Hopkins.

The board duly considering said report. It is Ordered that said report be and it is now here approved and accepted. and that the petitioners be and they are hereby authorized to open the ~~same~~ road therein named. & keep the same in repair

Now here R. M. Sumner County Treasurer produces to this board his quarterly report. which report is now here accepted and approved

- Issd ⁴⁷⁴ \$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Gieger be Allowed twenty dollars for part of his bill for work on bridge near Martin Stinson
- Issd ⁴⁷⁵ \$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Gieger be Allowed twenty dollars for part of his bill for work on the bridge near Martin Stinson
- Issd ⁴⁷⁶ \$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Gieger be Allowed twenty dollars for part of his bill for work on the bridge near Martin Stinson
- Issd ⁴⁷⁷ \$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Gieger be Allowed twenty dollars for part of his bill for work on the bridge near Martin Stinson
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- Issd ⁴⁸¹ \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Gieger be Allowed ten dollars for work on bridge near Martin Stinson
- Issd ⁴⁸² \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Gieger be Allowed ten dollars for work on bridge near Martin Stinson
- Issd ⁴⁸³ \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Gieger be Allowed ten dollars for work on bridge near Martin Stinson
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- Issd ⁴⁸⁶ \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Gieger be Allowed ten dollars for work on bridge near Martin Stinson
- Issd ⁴⁸⁷ \$9.⁸⁷/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Gieger be Allowed nine dollars and eighty seven cents for work on bridge near Martin Stinson
- Issd ⁴⁸⁸ \$4.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm. H. Philips be Allowed four dollars for surveying state road from Poseyville, ^{for Perry County} to Michael Mintzgers.

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- Ord. No. 4799 \$3.00/100 Ordered that Vincent B. Gould be allowed three dollars for 2 cords of wood for County
- Ord. No. 4800 \$3.00/100 Ordered that Wm Whittlesy be allowed three dollars for services as road viewer & survey on road
- Ord. No. 4814 \$3.25/100 Ordered that Wm Parker be allowed three dollars and twenty five cents for keeping a pauper 13 days in Union Township
- Ord. No. 4824 \$7.75/100 Ordered that C. Bell be allowed seven dollars and seventy five cents for 2 Reams of ruled foolscap for County
- Ord. No. 4833 \$7.50/100 Ordered that Arthur Hawkins be allowed seven dollars and fifty cents for 5 cords of wood for the County
- Ord. No. 4844 \$12.00/100 Ordered that Harro & Delzell be allowed twelve dollars for 12 quires of blank County Orders
- Ord. No. 4854 \$1.50/100 Ordered that R. W. Dumbor be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for serving as Clerk at the poor election as 1848 in Pigeon Township
- Ord. No. 4864 \$4.00/100 Ordered that Geo Bates be allowed four dollars for burying John Smith a pauper

Now here Charles Harrington M. W. Foster and Wm Whittlesy Viewers heretofore appointed by this board, produce to the board their report of a view by them made in the words and figures following, to wit:

To the Hon Board of Commissioners of Randolph County Gentlemen

The undersigned Viewers appointed by your Hon board at its session in September last past to view and locate certain roads therein designated by your Order on the petition of James G. Jones and others beg leave to Report that according to said Order we did proceed to the premises mentioned in the same, and after viewing the same do say that in our opinions said roads or highways are necessary to wit Beginning at the South East end of Centre Street in the fourth enlargement of Evansville (commonly called Texas) and running from thence South 26" East twelve Chains and fifty links, to division Street opposite the North westerly termination of Second Street, in the original plan of Evansville, and also again beginning at the North Easterly termination of division Street, and continuing the course of said street about North 51° 15' East twenty eight Chains, to the north line of fractional number thirty, and thence East along said North line of said fractional section number thirty, and the north line of section number twenty nine thirteen Chains, and fifty links to the state road leading

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from Evansville to Princeton
Dated December 4th 1848

Charles Harrington
M. W. Foster
Wm. Whittlesey

Now her the Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court files
his Report as follows to wit
"A List of fines assessed at the November Term a. d. 1848
of said Court

State vs James Laughlin	Contempt	Fine	\$ 3,00
State vs John G Hopkins	Contempt	Fine	3,00
State vs David G Clifford	A. W. P.	Fine	1,00
State vs Balcan M. Gillespie	G. Sarceny	Fine	30,00
State vs Samuel Collins	Per Sarceny	Fine	1,00
State vs Henry Onyett	Malicious Trespass	Fine	1,00
State vs John Lockhart	Grand Sarceny	Fine	10,00
State vs Philip Superbrand	Illegal Voting	Fine	5,00
State vs Beniah Short	Rape	Fine	2,00
State vs Edward Gaultrey	Violating Estray Law	Fine	2,50

A List of fines received since my last report

State of Indiana			
vs } suffering his horse to run	}	Fine	\$5,00
William Korscholde			
State of Indiana			
vs } suffering his horse to run	}	Fine	\$5,00
Benjamin Freeborn			
State of Indiana			
vs } suffering his horse to run	}	Fine	\$5,00
William Richardson			
State of Indiana			
vs } suffering his horse to run	}	Fine	\$5,00
William Garner			
State of Indiana			
vs } suffering his horse to run	}	Fine	\$5,00
Theodore Wright			
State of Indiana			
vs } suffering his horse to run	}	Fine	\$5,00
Francis Glass			
State of Indiana			
vs } violating Estray laws	}	Fine	\$6,00
Abrah Hamphrey			

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State of Indiana			
vs } A & B	} Fine		\$1.00
Samuel G. Clifford	}		

State of Indiana			
vs } Pet Sarceny	} Fine		\$1.00
Samuel Collins	}		

State of Indiana			
vs } Rape	} Fine		\$2.00
Beriah Short	}		

State of Indiana
 Vanderburgh County }
 I Samuel J Jenkins Clerk of
 the Vanderburgh Circuit Court do solemnly swear, that the
 above and foregoing is a true account of the fines assessed
 at the September term 1848 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court
 and also of the fines received by me since my last report
 subscribed & sworn to before me the
 Auditor of Vanderburgh County this 2^d day of }
 December 1848. } Samuel J. Jenkins
 William H. Walker }
 A. & C. }

The board duly considering the foregoing reports approve & accept the same

now here Wm H. Walker produces his bond as County Auditor for the faithful performance of his duty in connection with the trust funds under his control in the words and figures following, to wit;

" Know all men by these presents that we William H. Walker George B. Walker John J. Walker Richard Jenkins Madison J. May Bernard Chas. Emanuel Hull, John H. Bofaudick, Christian Decker & John Hewson, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars current money of the United States for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated on this 20th day of November 1848

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana shall faithfully discharge the duties of his said Office connected with the surplus Revenue County Seminary three per cent Salines and Bank Tax Funds so long

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as he may continue in said Office. And transfer over to his Successor in Office all and singular the Bonds Mortgages Books and Papers relating thereto. then this obligation to be void otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in law

The order approving this bond recorded. See order on Page 566 W. H. Walker assent.

William H. Walker Seal
G. B. Walker Seal
John J. Walker Seal
R. Jenkins Seal
M. J. Bray Seal
R. Murro Seal
E. Hull Seal
J. H. Bofaudick Seal
Christian Decker Seal
John Hewson Seal

The board duly Consider said bond and the Securities therein. It is now here accepted and Approved

Now here William H. Walker County Auditor of Vanderburgh County produces his bond for the faithful discharge of the duties of said office in the words and figures following, to wit:

"Know all men by these presents that We William H. Walker George B. Walker, and John J. Walker of Vanderburgh County Indiana are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the special sum of two thousand dollars current money of the united States of America for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs executors, and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated on this 20th day of November A.D. 1848

The Condition of the Above obligation is such that if the Above bounden William H. Walker who was elected County Auditor of Vanderburgh County Indiana on the first Monday in August A.D. 1848 to serve for five years from & after the first Monday in March next ensuing shall faithfully discharge the duties of his office as such Auditor, for and during the term thereof or so long as he may continue to exercise the duties of said office, in all things according to Law then this obligation to be void otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue

William H. Walker Seal
G. B. Walker Seal
John J. Walker Seal

The board duly considering said bond, and the thing therein Approve and accept the same

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Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock

John Burtis Print.

Tuesday morning Dec 5th at ten o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment, when present as yesterday

Ind. Ct. No 487 G \$3.⁰⁰/100 Ordered that Silas Stephens be allowed three dollars for bridging a hollow on county road per bill filed

Ind. Ct. No 488 G \$23.²⁵/100 Ordered that Philip Strong be allowed twenty three dollars and twenty five cents for rails and labour upon the county road, per bill filed

Ind. Ct. No 489 \$2.²⁷/100 Ordered that Thomas Hall be allowed two dollars and twenty seven cents for summoning coroner jury & witnesses for 2 inquests

Now here upon the presenting the reading and filing the petition of H. M. Seeds and other citizens of Armstrong Township for the appointment of viewers to view and locate a certain private road therein designated, ~~and~~ the board being satisfied that the necessary proceedings have been duly had in the premises, It is ordered that Samuel McDonald Charles Martin and Edward Rogers, he and they are hereby appointed viewers to view and locate the road designated therein as follows, to wit; Beginning at the North East Corner of the South West quarter of the South East quarter of Section No 8 Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West running from thence East to the East line of said Section No 8 thence North along said Section line until it intersects the Boonville road near the residence of Wesley Richey in Armstrong Township and that they report to this board at the next session thereof

Ind. Ct. No 490 G \$18.¹⁷/100 Ordered that William H. Walker be allowed eighteen dollars and seventeen cents for cash by him paid for press & cutting seal of County board, and sawing and splitting wood & stationery for County per bill filed

John Ouzet having produced to this board satisfactory evidence of his ^{temporary} permanent bodily infirmity & disability to work or perform any kind of labour, and petitions at the same time for such relief as the board is authorized to grant under the statute. It is therefore hereby ordered that John Ouzet be, and he is hereby exempted from toll ~~and~~ road tax, ^{of labour upon the public roads in Vanderburgh County} so long as he may labour under his present bodily infirmity

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- Ord. No 491 $\$3.00/100$ Ordered that Charles Knowles be Allowed three dollars for services as ~~judge~~^{Inspector} of elections in Scott Township in 1848
- Ord. No 492 $\$1.00$ Ordered that Wm Hillgard be Allowed one dollar for services as judge of an election held in Scott Township in November a. d. 1848
- Ord. No 493 $\$1.50/100$ Ordered that A Young be Allowed one dollar and fifty cents for services as clerk at the August and November elections 1848 in Centro Township
- Ord. No 494 $\$1.00$ Ordered that Wm Rodwell be Allowed one dollar for services as judge at the August election 1848 in Scott Township
- Ord. No 495 $\$20.00/100$ Ordered that Charles C. Singer be Allowed twenty dollars for work on bridge near Martin Stinsons
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- Ord. No 502 $\$10.00/100$ Ordered that Charles C. Singer be Allowed ten dollars for work on bridge near Martin Stinsons
- Ord. No 503 $\$10.00/100$ Ordered that Charles C. Singer be Allowed ~~ten~~^{ten} dollars and thirteen cents for ^{work on} bridge near Martin Stinsons
- Ord. No 504 $\$1.00/100$ Ordered that Edward Hawley be Allowed one dollar for whitewashing Office in court house
- Ord. No 505 $\$3.00/100$ Ordered that Jacob J. Jenkins be Allowed three dollars for ^{making} ~~press~~ for clerks Office
- Ord. No 506 $\$1.50/100$ Ordered that Wm H. Walker be Allowed one dollar ^{and fifty cents} for clerking at the November election in 1848 in Pigeon Township
- Ord. No 507 $\$10.57/100$ Ordered that Wm H. Walker be Allowed ten dollars + fifty seven cents for his $\frac{1}{2}$ of one per cent to Decr 1848 on $148.08/100$ interest received of Surplus Revenue Fund
- Ord. No 508 $\$17.15/100$ Ordered that Wm H. Walker be Allowed seventeen dollars, and fifteen cents for his 1 per cent on County Revenue interest to Decr 1st 1848

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Ind. No 509 y \$1.50/100 Ordered that J. P. Elliott be Allowed one dollar and fifty cents for serving as judge at ^{the} November election a. s. 1848

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock

John Curtis, President

The Tuesday morning Dec 6th the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday

Ind. No. 510 y \$100.00/100 Ordered that William H. Walker be Allowed one hundred dollars for auditing for County per bill on file

Ind. No 511 y \$21.70/100 Ordered that William H. Walker be Allowed twenty one dollars and seventy cents for Auditing for County per bill filed

Ind. No 512 y \$1.00/100 Ordered that G. W. Walker be Allowed one dollar for medical attendance upon prisoners in County paid per bill on file

Ind. No 513 y \$31.25/100 Ordered that William Carpenter be Allowed thirty one dollars and twenty five cents for 3 months rent of poor house to December 8th 1848

Ind. No 514 y \$1.50/100 Ordered that Joseph Berriage be Allowed one dollar and fifty cents for working roads 2 days for a. s. 1848 in Scott Township

Now here John Ingle Jr presents to this board a petition in relation to the proper place for erecting over pigeon Creek near the mouth, a wooden bridge, signed by R. M. Sumner & others, which said petition after being publicly read before the board is ordered to be placed on file

Now here on the petition of Nathan Rowley Esq former School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County, It is Ordered that the charges against said Rowley for fees retained by him as such School Commissioner, and his claims for services as such Commissioner against the County of Vanderburgh, or against the school funds of said County, be referred to two persons for investigation and settlement; whose duty it shall be to decide upon the amount due said Rowley as such School Commissioner for percentage and charges, from the County & the school funds, and the amount due to the school funds from said Rowley, for fees by him retained from the school funds of said County; And James Esq, James Esq is to act on the part of st. Rowley and Conrad Poston Esq is appointed to act for the County of Vanderburgh, and it is understood if said parties cannot agree, they are to choose a third person, who shall ~~be~~ ^{be} ~~consulted~~ with James and Poston decide upon the matter aforesaid; & it is ordered that they Report to this board at the next term thereof

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- Issd No 515 G \$6.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Robert Barnes be Allowed six dollars for trees ~~by him~~ taken from his land in Centro Township for the ^{use of the} ~~use of the~~ roads
- Issd No 516 G \$1.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that McMillis be Allowed one dollar for cutting away the timber from the ends of the Saltwell bridge
- Issd No 517 G \$3.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Martin Miller be Allowed three dollars for ~~three~~ ~~days~~ for services as Inspector of elections in Knight Township.
- Issd No 518 G \$130.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Willard Carpenter be Allowed One hundred and thirty dollars in full of all demand by him of Any kind or nature against the County, per bill filed

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It is now here Ordered that James G Jones Mr McWalker and Mr Whittley ^{they} ^{are} hereby Appointed Commissioners to survey and mark the location of the State Road leading from Evansville to Princeton as changed by a petition of Amos Clark dated May 6th 1833, and filed at the May Term of the County Board in said year, and that they make Report to this board at the next term thereof of the result of said survey

Now here William McWalker County Auditor of Vanderburgh County produces to this board his bond for the faithful discharge of his duties as such Auditor connected with the several trust funds of this County, in the words and figures following, to wit;

"Know All Men by these presents that we William McWalker George B. Walker John S. Walker Richard Jenkins Madison J. Bray Barnard Curro John H. Bofandick Christian Decker & John Newson, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars current money of the united States for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated on this 20th day of November A. D. 1848

The Condition of the Above Obligation is such, that if the above bounden William McWalker Auditor of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana, shall faithfully discharge the duties of his said Office connected with the surplus Revenue County Seminary three per cent Saline Bank Tax and Common School Funds so long as he may continue in said office, and transfer over to his successor in Office, all and singular the Bonds Mortgages Books and papers, relating thereto, then this Obligation to be void, otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in law

William McWalker
G. B. Walker
John S. Walker
R. Jenkins
M. J. Bray
Barnard Curro
J. H. Bofandick
Christian Decker
John Newson

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The board duly Considering said bond and the things therein It is now here Accepted and Approved, and the Order approving the bond recorded on pages 560 & 561 is recorded, and said Walker is not to be held liable on said bond in any particular, and is at liberty to ^{take} said bond off of file and destroy the same

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock

Wm. B. Curtis, President

Thursday morning at nine o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment, when present as yesterday

Now here the board proceeds to Consider the petition of J. Hutchins and others, praying the County board to have ^{a pavement made} ~~the County~~ ~~lot~~ ~~between~~ Main Street towards Locust Street, in front or along the side of the County lots, on the east side of Third Street. And the board duly Considering said petition and the things therein,

It is now here ordered that John J. Walker be and he is hereby appointed by this board, to have a pavement ^{laid} ~~made~~ from Main Street to the Alley in the rear of the County lots between Main and Locust Street, and along the ^{upper} side of Third Street, said pavement to be ^{laid} with good merchantable bricks, and at a time that will insure said pavement to escape ~~the~~ injury from freezing weather

Ord No 519 $\$1.60/100$ Ordered that James Scantlin & Sons be allowed one dollar and sixty cents for ten pipes & elbow for Court house

Ord No 520 $\$2.00/100$ Ordered that Wm. Wagoner be allowed two dollars for services as judge elections held in Perry Township in April 1848

Ord No 521 $\$1.00/100$ Ordered that Saml. McDonald be allowed one dollar for serving as judge Clerk at Presidential election in 1848

Ord No 522 $\$100.00/100$ Ordered that the President & Trustees of the County Library be allowed one hundred dollars for ten per cent on the sales of County lots

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- Issd No 526 $\$100.00/100$ Ordered that the President & Trustees of the County Library be Allowed one hundred dollars for ten per cent on the Sale of County Lots
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It is now here ordered that John Echols be and he is hereby Appointed to have a survey made (by Mr. M. Walker and William Whittlesey) of the County remaining lots, and it is further ordered that said Echols be and he is Authorized to have a good board fence placed around said lot of ground, said survey and fencing to be made under the superintendance of Michael P. Jones, one of the Members of this board

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock

John Curtis Pres.

- Friday morning at nine o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment, when present as yesterday
- Issd No 532 $\$2.00/100$ Ordered that Joshua Bowles be Allowed two dollars for services as Inspector of elections in Novr 1848 in Pigeon Township
- Issd No 533 $\$1.50/100$ Ordered that C. Schlamp be Allowed one dollar & fifty cents for serving as judge at the Novr election 1848 in Pigeon Township
- Issd No 534 $\$100.00/100$ Ordered that C. Becker be Allowed one hundred dollars for work on abutment & wing walls for the bridge near Martin Steinsons
- Issd No 535 $\$100.00/100$ Ordered that C. Becker be Allowed one hundred dollars for work on the abutments for the bridge near Martin Steinsons

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Ind No 536 by \$100.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Le Decker be Allowed one hundred dollars for work on abutments for the bridge near Martin Stinsons

Now here Mr Mills proposes to this board for the sum of sixty dollars to repair the bridge over the gut near John P Stinsons residence in Perry Township, to place a keel under the ~~end~~^{middle} of said bridge, resting upon the rock foundation, to use the present wood sill and cap and furnish new parts for said keel sufficiently long to reach from the rock to a proper height to raise the bridge to its former position, said job to be completed by the tenth day of January 1849, unless prevented by the interference of high water from the Ohio River, and the board now here appoints Mr P Jones to examine said job when completed. And the County Auditor is hereby ordered to issue to Mr Mills the said sixty dollars on the production to him, of the order of said Jones

Correct Now here It is ordered that Emanuel Hall be and he is hereby appointed a Constable for Pigeon Township to serve until the next April elections, and that he file his bond according to law

It is now here ordered that Michael P Jones he and he is hereby appointed by this board to let and superintend the contract of weatherboarding the central Pigeon bridge and he is hereby authorized to receive said job when completed. And it is further ordered that the County Auditor be and he is hereby authorized ordered and instructed to issue orders to the contractor for said job when so ordered by said Jones

Ind No 537 by \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that E Saunders be Allowed ten dollars for 5 days official services as County Commissioner at the present term of said board

Ind No 538 by \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Michael P Jones be Allowed ten dollars for 5 days services as County Commissioner at the present term of the County board

Ind No 539 by \$5.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John Burtis be Allowed five dollars for ^{part of} 5 days services as County Commissioner at the present term of the County board

Ind No 540 by \$5.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John Burtis be Allowed five dollars for ^{part of} 5 days services as a member of the County board at the present term

ordered that the board adjourn until Court is over

MP Jones
E Saunders
John Burtis

Special December Session AD 1848

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, in the State of Indiana began and held at the Court House in Evansville, in said County on Saturday, December 9th AD 1848 at ten o'clock a.m., in pursuance of a call made by the County Auditor for the purpose of letting the mason work of a County Asylum for the Poor, where present Ezekiel Saunders, Michael P Jones and John Purvis Esqrs members, composing said County Board

Now here the board lets to James E. Pittman the mason work of a building for the Asylum for the County Poor on the premises lately purchased by the County, of John White. Said Pittman agrees with this board to do and complete the mason or brick work of said building for the sum of three dollars and fifteen cents for one thousand ^{bricks}, and furnish all the materials except the bricks, the window and door sills and caps. said work to finished and completed on or before the first day of August AD 1849

Ord. No 541	\$3. ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀	Ordered that the board adjourn
Ord. No 542	\$2. ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀	Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed two dollars for one days services at the present session
Ord. No 543	\$2. ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀	Ordered that Michael P. Jones be allowed two dollars for one days services at the present session
Ord. No 544	\$2. ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀	Ordered that John Purvis be allowed two dollars for one days services as County Commissioner at the present term

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in Course

John Purvis Per.
E. Saunders
M. Jones

Special January Session A.D. 1849

At a Special Session of the board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana, began and held at the Court House in Evansville on Friday January 12th at 12 o'clock M. in pursuance to a call made by the County Auditor for the purpose of passing the bridge near Martin Stinsons, when present Ezekiel Saunders, Michael P. Jones and John Curtis Esq. members composing said County board

Now here the board having examined the bridge near M. Stinsons, built by Charles St. Singer, it is considered that said bridge is finished set up & completed, according to the Contract made by this board with said Singer & It is Ordered that said bridge be received by this board

- Issued No 574 \$100.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Singer be Allowed One hundred dollars for building the bridge near Martin Stinsons
- Issued No 575 \$50.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Singer be Allowed fifty dollars for building the bridge near M Stinsons
- Issued No 576 \$50.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Singer be Allowed fifty dollars for building the bridge near M Stinsons
- Issued No 577 \$25.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Singer be Allowed twenty five dollars for building the bridge near M Stinsons
- Issued No 578 \$25.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Singer be Allowed twenty five dollars for building the bridge near M Stinsons
- Issued No 579 \$25.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Singer be Allowed twenty five dollars for building the bridge near M Stinsons
- Issued No 580 \$25.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Singer be Allowed twenty five dollars for building the bridge near M Stinsons
- Issued No 581 \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Singer be Allowed ten dollars for building the bridge near M Stinsons
- Issued No 582 \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Singer be Allowed ten dollars for building the bridge near M Stinsons
- Issued No 583 \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Singer be Allowed ten dollars for building the bridge near M Stinsons
- Issued No 584 \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Singer be Allowed ten dollars for building the bridge near M Stinsons
- Issued No 585 \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Singer be Allowed ten dollars for building the bridge near M Stinsons
- Issued No 586 \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Singer be Allowed ten dollars for building the bridge near M Stinsons
- Issued No 587 \$15.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Charles St. Singer be Allowed fifteen dollars and thirteen cents ^{in full} for building the bridge near M. Stinsons
- Issued No 588 \$6.⁰⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that Samuel S. Jenkins be allowed six dollars and five cents recording mortgage for Stationary for County

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Issued No 589 \$ 26.⁴⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that James J. Walker be Allowed twenty six dollars and forty cents for Assessors Abstract for 1849

Issued No 590 \$ 34.⁰³/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm H. Walker a/c. be Allowed thirty four dollars and three cents for Auditing for County to January 8th 1849 for bill filed

Issued No 591 \$ 4.⁹⁹/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm H. Walker be Allowed four dollars and ninety nine cents for Cash paid for County for bill filed

Issued No 592 \$ 25.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Wm H. Walker a/c. be Allowed twenty five dollars for 1 yr Ex Officio services as County Auditor to March 1st 1849 for bill filed

Issued No 593 \$ 2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that A. Saunders be Allowed two dollars for one days services at the present term

Issued No 594 \$ 2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that M. P. Jones be Allowed two dollars for one days services at the present term

Issued No 595 \$ 2.⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John R. Curtis be Allowed two dollars for one days services at the present term

Ordered that the board adjourn *sim die*
John R. Curtis
E. Saunders
M. P. Jones

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On Vacation January 16th 1849

No 14

Town 5 Range 10 West

Auditors Office Vanderburgh County

November 25th 1848

It is hereby certified that John Oysterman did on this day purchase the lot or South East quarter of the South West quarter of section number fifteen in Congressional Township number five South of Range number Ten West containing forty Acres and twenty five hundredths of an acre for the sum of one hundred and seventy five dollars and that he has paid to the School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County fifty four dollars and sixteen cents as part of the principal upon the said lot also thirty one dollars and seventy nine cents for back interest and eight dollars and forty one cents damages due thereon and five dollars and sixty four cents for one years interest in advance on the residue of the principal reference being had to the receipts on file in the office of the County Auditor of said County will more fully show

Now therefore be it known that if the remaining eighty dollars and sixty four cents be paid to the School Commissioner or his successor in said office at or before the expiration of twenty five years from the date hereof with seven per cent per annum interest thereon annually in advance then the said John Oysterman his heirs or assigns shall be entitled to a deed for said lot above described

William H. Walker Auditor of C.

Bracket Mills S. C. V. C.

Recorded Jan'y 16th 1849

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Special January Session A.D. 1849

At a special session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana began and held at the Court house in the City of Evansville on Thursday January 25th 1849 at 11 O'clock AM in pursuance of a call made by the County Auditor for the purpose of taking unto consideration the propriety of doing something to preserve the bridge over the Bayou near Martin Stinsons which has fallen down by one of the abutments sinking when John Burtis Ezekiel Saunders and Michael P. Jones Esqs members composing said Board were present.

Ordered that Michael P. Jones be and he is hereby appointed by this board to raise up the bridge across the bayou near Martin Stinson above high water mark if the same can be done according to his estimation and if said bridge cannot be raised he is authorized to take the same to pieces.

Issued 5969. Ordered that John Burtis be allowed two dollars for one day service at the present term

Issued 5979. \$2⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed two dollars for one days service at the present term

Issued 5989. \$2⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Michael P. Jones be allowed two dollars for one day service at the present term

Ordered that the board do now adjourn sine die

J. Burtis
E. Saunders
M. P. Jones

March Session AD 1849

At a session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana began and held at the Court house in Evansville in said County on the first Monday in March 1849 (it being the 5th day of said month) when the following persons were present, ^{John Burdick} Ezekiel Samuels and Michael B. Jones two of the members composing said board.

The Auditor of Vanderburgh County in accordance with the requirements of section No 64 in Article No 3 of Chapter Thirteen of the Revised Statutes of 1843 submits to the County Commissioners the following report of the names of the borrowers of the School funds of said County.

No	Names of Borrowers	Amount	No	Names of Borrowers	Amount
		\$ cts			\$ cts
1	Shaver & Slager	175 00	55	Jesse Henson	100 00
2	Preston H Brown	100 00	56	Wivian D Grimes	71 00
4	Buriah Short	60 00	57	Walter Beal	200 00
5	William Mc Culcheon	100 00	58	George B. Wagner	200 00
6	James R Kirkpatrick	100 00	59	John Mc Cutcheon	200 00
7	James J Hogan	100 00	62	Strother Catlet	120 00
8	John A Morgan	300 00	63	Barker & Barker	85 00
11	Conrad Schmudt	100 00	64	John Fickas	280 00
13	Daniel Hanfield	57 00	65	John M Blair	123 75
16	Thomas Gifford	300 00	66	Jacob Baas	55 00
17	Edward Ingle	172 00	67	Joshua Rose	100 00
19	George Haag	100 00	68	J. Amory Jr	300 00
20	George Haage	125 00	71	Charles Beyley	71 00
21	George B. Walker	400 00	72	William M Walker	200 00
24	Mark H Wheeler	100 00	74	Wm & J Barker	190 00
30	William Linswiler	35 00	75	William E Wood	16 40
31	Silas Stephens	200 00	78	Joseph Huey	43 38
37	Joseph H Phelps	81 00	79	John Kratz	100 00
38	Henry Harwood	200 00	83	Lezer Betty	5 00
39	William G. McDowell	150 00	85	Charles Hancock	66 67
42	Sebastian Hennich	100 00	88	George Dousemen	50 00
43	John Hewson	160 00	89	William Boyer	100 00
45	George B. Walker	50 00	93	Edward Burtis	120 00
47	A. Mc Johnson	258 00	95	Edmunda Fields	100 00
48	Hezebrah Dukes	50 00	96	George A Kinney	75 00
49	G & J. M. C Garret	220 00	97	David Thomas	75 00
52	Hiram Nelson	100 00	98	Allen H. Eaton	150 00
53	J. Amory Jr	158 00	104	Jacob Giesler	65 00
54	Jacob Iron	50 00	106	Thomas Gifford	300 00

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Report of the Names of the borrowers of the School funds of Vanderburgh County Continued

No	Names of Borrowers	Amount		No	Names of Borrowers	Amount	
		\$	cts			\$	cts
106	Millard Carpenter	300	00	188	William G Yanders	61	41
107	John Lunday	33	33	189	William Moffet	75	00
119	John A App	66	00	190	W. E Saunders	200	00
122	Amos Clark & E Hopkins	50	32	191	James Mill	66	00
123	Wagner & Tyler	44	26	193	Samuel Kirkpatrick	75	00
124	Miller & Wagner	170	71	195	George Burkhardt	97	00
125	Olmsted & Olmsted	44	43	194	Samuel Benjamin	41	27
126	Wagner & Miller	14	25	196	Henry Miller	65	00
127	Benoni Stinson & Stephens	41	19	197	Edward E Wheeler	300	00
128	James G. Jones	100	90	198	John Gillman	150	00
131	Orvet & Loomis	78	32	199	Joseph P. Elliott	130	00
132	Knigle & Greder	35	31	200	Joseph P. Elliott	100	00
133	Wagner & Miller	176	53	201	Benedict Shaver	100	00
135	Bourne & Walker	70	05	202	James Dolen	200	00
138	Trafton & Bowley	183	72	203	George W. M Chadd	250	00
139	Trafton & Bowley	79	86	205	William Taylor	85	00
140	Wm Hillyard & John Shanklin	85	00	206	Trustees of St Pauls Church	150	00
141	Walker & Deter	50	00	207	Trustees of St Pauls Church	276	00
142	Bowley & Trafton	248	11	209	Matthew Hammezen	66	00
145	J. J. & W. H. Chandler	356	69	210	Philip Bergmity	100	00
148	Orvet & Loomis	62	66	211	William Hillyard	100	00
149	Zimmerman & Warrick	34	59	212	John Walsh	75	00
153	John M Blair	29	68	213	Christ Sower	100	00
155	Kenloch Mc Johnson	250	00	220	Isaac Hutchinson	175	00
156	Joseph Sencents	50	00	221	Isaac Hutchinson	300	00
157	Joseph Lechner Jr	100	00	222	William N Elliott	100	00
159	Joel Matthy	175	00	223	William B Schenck	115	00
161	Benah Fairchild	30	51	224	Joseph Fisher	50	00
162	John Irskim	59	00	225	Joseph Fisher	65	00
164	Stephens & Schmie	290	00	226	John Inwood	100	00
168	George Skeels	172	00	227	Baylep Bennet	300	00
174	Abel Sullivan	200	00	228	John Stock	40	00
175	Edward Hopkins	100	00	229	Benah Fairchild	60	00
176	Samuel Maffet	119	00	230	Winston B Gould	100	00
177	William Wood	50	00	231	William N Elliott	225	00
179	Hiram Hopkins	200	00	232	Harvey L Calloway	81	00
180	Wm Wood	52	86	233	John Darling	125	00
182	Elliott & Dennison	58	84	234	Lewis Sours	55	00
185	John Brechler	78	00	235	Jeremiah Wyatt	65	00
186	Michael Wava	55	00	236	Thomas White Wheeler	100	00
187	William G Saunders	64	41	237	James Steele	300	00

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Report of names of the borrower of the School funds of Vanderburg County Kentucky Continued

No	Names of Borrowers	Amount	No	Names of Borrowers	Amount
		\$ cts			\$ cts
238	John Meyle	100 00	269	Wm H H Olds	50 00
239	George Walter	115 00	270	Jacob Reinhardt	58 00
240	Stephen Childs	25 00	271	W H & J J. Chandler	556 69
242	John Meher	75 00	272	Francis Asinch	150 00
243	George B. Walker	500 00	273	Joseph Grimm Senr	60 00
245	George B. Walker	200 00	274	James Parvint E De Garmo	200 00
247	Anthony Setzler	160 00	275	Onyet & Bement	169 88
248	Benjamin P. Hugg	125 00	276	Sebastian Flemish	112 00
249	Trustees of German M.E. Church	250 00	277	Joseph Wheeler	150 00
250	Gylwester Boardmen	140 00	278	James B Boardmen	100 00
251	Alexander Powel	225 00	279	Ezekiel Saunders	120 00
252	Abraham P. Hultherrn	150 00	280	John Martin	100 00
253	Abel Sullivan	86 00	281	James Taylor	55 00
254	Mugh Mc Crary	60 00	282	Charles Keenckel	100 00
255	William Mc Crary	60 00	283	Charles Keenckel	150 00
256	Matthews H. Atherton	100 00	284	George B. Walker	300 00
257	Thomas Hall	150 00	285	John J. Walker	300 00
258	John Krazy	200 00	286	John Muzzy	100 00
260	Charles Linn	240 00	287	John Cruck	200 00
261	John Henson	161 00	288	B. P. Hugg & M. J. Bray	254 00
262	Emanuel Hull	290 00	289	Thomas Mc Alpin	135 00
263	Christen Limbzech	169 00	290	Thomas Mc Alpin	62 00
264	John Taylor	153 00	291	Jacob Bonn	90 00
265	Wm M Elliott	200 00	292	Martin Schmoll	200 00
266	James W. King	200 00	293	Isaac Leavins	60 00
267	Daniel Morgan	160 00			
268	Daniel Morgan	140 00			

Respectfully submitted March 5th 1849

Wm H Walker A.C.
By James J. Walker deputy A.C.

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Now here the County Auditor submits his annual report in relation to the condition of the school funds of the County in the words and figures following to wit

Auditors office Vanderburgh County March 1st 1849

To the board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

In obedience to the provisions of Article No 8 in Chapter No 13. of the revised Statutes of 1843 the Auditor of Vanderburgh County submits his annual report in relation to the Congressional Township funds of the County

No 1 A State of the whole of the receipts and disbursement on account of said fund with the total amount of school funds in the Commissioners hands on the first day of March A.D. 1849

No 2 A Statement of the condition of the funds of Town 4 South of Range 10 West

No 3 A Statement of the condition of the funds of Town 5 South of Range 10 West

No 4 A Statement of the condition of the funds of Town 6 South of Range 10 West

No 5 A Statement of the condition of the funds of Town 7 South of Range 10 West

No 6 A Statement of the condition of the funds of Town 4 South of Range 11 West

No 7 A Statement of the condition of the funds of Town 5 South of Range 11 West

No 8 A Statement of the condition of the funds of Town 6 South of Range 11 West

No 9 A Statement of the condition of the funds of Town 7 South of Range 11 West

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No 10 A statement of the condition of the funds of Town 8 South of Range 11 West

No 11 A statement of the condition of the funds of Town 6 South of Range 9 West

No 12 A statement of the condition of the funds of District No 4 Town 6 South of Range 10 West

No 13 A statement of the condition of the funds of district No 4 Town 6 South of Range 11 West

No 14 A statement of the condition of the Common School fund

No 1 A statement of the whole of the receipts and disbursements on account of said funds with the total amount of school funds in the school commissioners hands on the first day of March A.D. 1849

Loans

There was outstanding March 1st 1848			\$12,622	80
Loaned by Auditor from March 1st 1848 to March 1st 1849			3,114	00
Total Loans			15,736	80
Amount refunded by Borrowers to March 1st 1849	1,662	07		
Out standing on Loans March 1st 1849	14,074	73	15,736	80

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Commissioners hands on the 1st day of March A.D. 1848			2,057	26
There has been received since and up to March 1st 1849 as follows to wit				
From principal from purchasers of school lands	1,258	97		
From Loans refunded by Borrowers	1,662	07		
From Interest on Loans	878	56		
From Interest from Purchasers	358	63		
From Incidental Receipts	101	57		
From deposits by school district Treasurers	156	34	4,416	14
			6,473	40

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Disbursements

Amount of Receipts brought over			6473	40
Loans to March 1st 1849	3114	00		
Interest drawn by Township Treasurer	1457	13		
Incidental Expenditures	625	99		
Interest drawn by District Treasurers	196	78	5393	90
Balance in school commissioners hands March 1st 1849			1079	50

No 2. A statement of the condition of the funds of Township No 4 South of Range 10 West

Receipts and Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Commissioners hands of the funds of this Township March 1st 1848				75
Received from dividends on Common School fund	3	95	3	95
Total Receipts			4	70

Disbursements

Amount Drawn by Township Treasurer to March 1st 1849	3	95		3	95
Balance in school commissioners hands				75	

No 3. A statement of the condition of the funds of Township 5 South of Range 10 West

Loans

There was outstanding on Loans March 1st 1848 of the funds of this Township				418	47
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1849			765	00	
Total Loans			1183	47	
Loans refunded by Borrowers to March 1st 1849	150	00	150	00	
Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1849			1033	47	

Receipts and Disbursements

Receipts

There was in school commissioners hands of the funds of this Township March 1st 1848				92	31
Loans refunded by Borrowers	150	00			
From principal from purchase of Lands	614	00			
From Interest on Loans	106	38			
From Interest from Purchases	98	64			
From Common School dividend	28	21			
From Miscellaneous Sources	8	41	1003	64	
Total Receipts			1027	95	

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Amount of Receipts brought forward
Disbursements

Loans of funds of this Township
 Incidental Expenditures
 Bal in school commissioner hands March 1st 1849

		1027	95
765	00		
117	01	882	01
		145	94

No 4 A statement of the condition of the funds of Town 6 South of Range 10 West

Loans

There was outstanding on Loans March 1st 1848 of the funds of this Township
 Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1849
Total Loans

Loans refunded by Borrowers to March 1st 1849
 Outstanding Loans March 1st 1849

		3252	00
		434	00
		3686	00
574	00	574	00
		3112	00

Receipts and Disbursements

Receipts
 Balance in Commissioners hands March 1st 1848
 There has been received to March 1st 1849 as follows

From Loans refunded by Borrowers
 From Interest on Loans
 From Interest from Purchases
 From Common School fund dividends
Total Receipts

		833	82
574	00		
155	65		
21	56		
83	60		
834	81	834	81

Disbursements

Loans of the funds of this Township
 Incidental Disbursements
Total Disbursements

Balance in School Commissioner hands }
 March 1st 1849 }

434	00		
924	56		
1358	56	1358	56
		310	07

No 5 A statement of the condition of the funds of Town 7 South of Range 10 West

Loans

There was outstanding on Loans March 1st 1848 of the funds of this Township
 Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1849
Total Loans

		1474	00
		296	00
		1970	00

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Receipts and Disbursements

<u>Receipts</u>			
Balance in Commissioners hands March 1st 1848			426 21
There has been received of this fund to March 1st 1849 as follows to wit			
From principal from purchases of land	216	55	
From Interest on Loans	172	76	
From Interest from Purchasers	73	88	
From Common school dividend	5	48	
From Miscellaneous sources	81	12	
Total Receipts	379	79	379 79
<u>Disbursements</u>			
Loans of the funds of this Township	496	00	
Undrawn Interest loaned by Auditor	161	00	
Incidental Disbursements	91	42	
Total Disbursements	748	42	748 42
Balance in School Commissioners hands March 1st 1849			57 38

No 6 A statement of the condition of the funds of Town 4 Range 11 West

Receipts and Disbursements

<u>Receipts</u>			
There has been received of the funds of this Township as follows to wit			
From Common School fund	12	36	12 36
<u>Disbursements</u>			
Amount drawn by Township Treasurer	12	36	12 36

No 7 A statement of the condition of the funds of Town 5 South of Range 11 West.

<u>Loans</u>			
Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1848			711 00
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1849			190 00
Total Loans			901 00
Refunded by Borrower to March 1st 1849			164 00
Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1849			736 89

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Receipts and Disbursements

<u>Receipts</u>			
There was in Commissioners hands of this fund March 1st 1848			101 45
From loans refunded by borrowers	164	11	
From Interest on Loans	70	41	
From Interest from Purchases	19	50	
From Common School fund dividend	46	87	
Total Receipts	300	89	300 89
			402 34

<u>Disbursements</u>			
Loans of the funds of this Township	190	00	
Incidental Disbursements	144	78	
Total Disbursements	334	78	334 78
Balance in school loans hands March 1st 1849			67 56

No. 8 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 6 South of Range 11 West

<u>Loans</u>			
There was outstanding on Loans March 1st 1848 loaned by Andrew to March 1st 1849			1245 72
Total Loans			410 00
Refunded by Borrower to March 1st 1849			1653 72
Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1849			185 00
			1470 72

Receipts and Disbursements

<u>Receipts</u>			
Balance in Commissioner hands March 1st 1848			235 74
There has been received since March 1st 1848 as follows			
From Loans refunded by borrowers	120	00	
From Purchasers of School lands	188	74	
From Interest on Loans	72	04	
From Interest from purchasers of land	53	81	
From Dividends on Common School funds	24	22	
Total Receipts	458	83	458 83
			694 57

<u>Disbursements</u>			
Loans of funds of this Township	410	00	
Incidental Disbursements	194	01	
Total Disbursements	604	01	604 01
Balance in Commissioners hands March 1st 1848			90 56

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No 9 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 7 South of Range 11 West

Loans

There was outstanding on Loans March 1st 1848 of this fund
Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1849

250 00
250 00

Receipts and Disbursements

Receipts

There was in School Commissioners hands March 1st 1848
From Interest on Loans.
From Interest from Purchases
From Common School Dividends
Total Receipts

		219 51
165 04		
9 86		
13 57		
188 47	188 47	
	407 98	

Disbursements

Incidental Expenditures
Balance in school commissioners hands March 1st 1849

308 02	308 02
	99 96

No 10 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 8 Range 11 West

Receipts and Disbursements

Receipts

From Dividends from Com School fund

8 84

Disbursements

Amount drawn by Township Treasurer

8 84

No 11 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 6 Range 9 West

Receipts and Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Commissioners hands March 1st 1848 of the funds of this Township
Balance in Commissioner hands March 1st 1849

4 79	4 79
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No 12 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of District 4 Town 6 Range 10

Receipts

There was in school comm hands March 1st 1848
Deposites by Township Treasurer
Balance in school commissioner hands March 1st 1849

	11 65
33 47	33 47
	45 12

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No 13 A Statement of the condition of the funds of districts No 4 Town to South of Range 11 West

Receipts

Amount of funds belonging to this district since March 1st 1848 and in comms hands March 1st 1849

23 80

No 14 A Statement of the condition of the Common School fund

Loans

There was outstanding on Loans March 1st 1848 of this fund
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1849

819 00

3088 00
819 00

Total Loans

3907 00

Refunded by Borrowers to March 1st 1849
Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1849

590 00
3317 00

Receipts and Disbursements

Receipts

There was in commissioners hands of this fund March 1st 1848

201 02

There has been received since, to March 1st 1849 as follows viz

From Loans refunded by Borrowers
From Principal from Loans
From Interest on Loans
From Interest from Purchases
From Miscellaneous sources
Total Receipts

450 00
355 00
146 54
29 73
85 58
1066 85

1066 85

Disbursements

Loans of the Common School fund
Incidental Disbursements & Townships Disbursements
Total Disbursements

819 00
215 50
1034 50

1034 50

Balance in commissioners hands March 1st 1849

233 37

All of which is respectfully submitted
Wm H Walker A, V, C
By James T Walker deputy A, V, C

Now here this report is approved by the Board

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Now here the school commissioner submits his annual report showing the amount of school funds in his hands as follows to wit

School Commissioners Office

Vanderburgh County March 5th 1849

To the Hon the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County Gentlemen

In accordance with the Revised Statutes in such cases made and provided the school commissioner of Vanderburgh County submits his annual report showing the amount of cash on hand at last report together with the amount of Receipts and expenditures from the 6th day of March A.D. 1848 to the 5th day of March A.D. 1849

Receipts

There was remaining in the Treasury at the last settlement the amount of
Amount received from March 6th 1848 to March 5th 1849

\$2057.27
4099.87
6157.14
5078.91
1078.91

Expenditures

There has been paid on warrants from March 6th 1848 the amount of
Balance remaining in the Treasury March 5th 1849

Respectfully submitted
Bracket Mills J. C. W. C.

Now here the County Treasurer submits his quarterly report of the amount and kind of funds by him received during the present quarter as follows to wit

The County Treasurer submits to the board doing county business for Vanderburgh County the following as his quarterly report of the amount and kind of funds by him received from the first Monday in December 1848 to the first Monday in March 1849

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Kind of accounts	Receipt	Co	Order	Pr. Order	Cash	Total
Revenue of 1848	2157	50	3404	10	175	07 8275 81 1402 48
Principal Surplus Revenue					50	00 50 00
Interest Surplus Revenue					67	09 67 09
Redemption of Lands					39	92 39 92
Interest County Seminary					17	78 17 78
Merchants Licence					10	00 10 00
Interest Saline fund					6	02 6 02
	\$ 2157	50	3404	10	175	07 8466 62 14203 29

March 7th 1849 Respectfully Submitted

R. M. Dunbar J. P. C.

which report is now here approved
 Now here James J. Walker a Justice of the Peace for Pigeon Township makes a report of the fines assessed and collected by him since the 1st day of March 1848 as follows to wit

A list of fines assessed and collected since the first day of March 1848 by James J. Walker one of the Justices of the Peace in and for Pigeon Township in the County of Vanderburgh & State of Indiana

State of Indiana }
 vs Assault & Battery } Fined \$1.00 collected
 Edward Brewster

State of Indiana }
 vs Assault & Battery } Fined \$3.00 collected
 Thomas Prowdy

State of Indiana }
 vs Assault & Battery } Fined \$1.00 collected
 Alexander Jones

State of Indiana }
 vs Assault & Battery } Fined \$10.00 collected
 Matthew Burns

State of Indiana }
 vs Disturbing Religious Worship } Fined \$5.00 collected
 Matthew Burns

State of Indiana }
 vs Disturbing Religious Worship } Fined \$5.00 collected
 Paul Haag

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State of Indiana }
vs } A & B } Fined \$100 collected
Francis Kaufman }

State of Indiana }
vs } A & B } Fined \$500 collected
John George Fisher }

State of Indiana }
vs } A & B } Fined \$300 collected
Jacob Reichard }

State of Indiana }
vs } Contempt } Fined \$300 collected
John Clifton }

State of Indiana }
vs } Contempt } Fined \$300 Collected
John Clifton }

State of Indiana }
vs } A & B } Fined \$300 collected
Charles Brandt }

State of Indiana }
vs } A & B } Fined \$500 collected
John McQuade }

State of Indiana }
vs } A & B } Fined \$300 collected
John Baker }

State of Indiana }
vs } A & B } Fined \$300 collected
John Ward }

State of Indiana }
vs } A & B } Fined \$500 collected
George Procasby }

State of Indiana }
vs } A & B } Fined \$100 collected
Sacharak Peters }

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State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } Fined \$100
William Garret }

State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } Fined \$100 collected
Felix Bank }

State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } Fined \$3.00 Execution in Constables hands
Joseph Turner }

State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } Fined \$500 execution in Constables hands
Augustus Carter }

State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } Fined \$100 Collected
William Bell }

State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } E Fitzmorie fine \$100 collected
John Snider & } Fined \$300 & execution in Constables hands
Elizabeth Fitzmorie }

State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } Fined \$3.00 execution in the hands of the Constable
John Snider }

State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } Fined \$100 collected
John Lothouse }

State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } John Lothouse fined \$100 collected Lawrence Lothouse not guilty
John Lothouse & }

State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } Fined \$100 Collected
Alexander Farrel }

State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } Fined \$100 Committed to jail
Adam Deal }

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State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } Fined \$100 execution issued to
Napolean Lofield } Constable

State of Indiana }
vs } Assault } Fined \$100 collected
John Mills }

State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } Fined \$100 collected
John Bile }

State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } Fined \$100 collected
William Duty }

State of Indiana }
vs } Assault } Fined \$100 execution in the
Mary Watson } hands of the Constable

State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } Fined \$100 collected
David Decamps }

State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } Fined \$100 collected
John Robinson }

State of Indiana }
vs } Assault & Battery } Fined \$100 collected
Mary Johnson }

State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } Fined \$100 collected
Enoch Riddle }

State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } Fined \$100 collected
George W. M. Chadd }

State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } Fined \$100 collected
Richard Tupper }

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State of Indiana }
vs } Assault } Fined \$100 collected
Charles Ausmus }

State of Indiana }
vs } A.B. } Fined \$100 collected
George Muzzy }

State of Indiana }
vs } Assault } Fined \$100 each Stayed
William Miller & }
Florilla Miller }

State of Indiana }
vs } Assault } Fined \$100 collected
Lewis Stuzen }

The above is a list of all the fines collected and assessed by me since the first day of March 1848 James J. Walker Justice of the Peace

The above named James J. Walker was sworn in open Court to the correctness of said report after which it was approved

Now here Dorastus L. Grimes Esq. makes report of the fines assessed and collected by him since the first day of March 1848 as follows to wit

To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

The undersigned, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for the Township of German in said County reports the following list of all the fines assessed and collected by him by virtue of his office as such Justice within and during the year next preceeding the day of the date of this report to wit Peter Beank fined three dollar for an assault and battery assessed and collected the 22nd day of Sept A.D. 1848

John S. Staser fined one dollar for an assault and battery assessed and collected the 22nd day of Sept 1848 Daniel Kei fined one dollar and fifty cents for a Riot Assessed the 11th day of Nov. 1848

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Frederick Lutterman fined one dollar for a Riot assessed on the 11th day of Nov 1848 collected Dec 16th 1848

Jacob Baber fined one dollar for a Riot assessed the 11th day of Nov 1848 and collected on the 11th day of Nov 1848

Milton Loudinlager fined one dollar for an assault & Battery assessed the 13th day of Nov 1848 collected the 12th day of Febr 1849

Lewis Miller fined one dollar for an assault and Battery assessed on the 13th day of Nov 1848 collected the 12th day of Febr A.D. 1849

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County
I Dorastus L. Grimes a Justice of the Peace do solemnly swear that the above is a true and complete list of all the fines assessed and collected by me or any person whatever by virtue of my office as such Justice within and during the preceding year commencing on the 6th day of March A.D. 1848 and ending on the 5th day of March A.D. 1849 Dorastus L. Grimes
Peace Justice of the Peace

The above named Dorastus L. Grimes was duly sworn in open Court to the above report and the board duly examining the same it is now here approved

Now here Bracket Mills Esq one of the Justices of the Peace of Pigeon Township makes report of the fines collected and assessed by him since his last report on the 1st Monday in March 1848

To the Honorable the Board of County Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

The undersigned one of the Justices of the Peace in and for the Township of Pigeon to and in said County reports the following list of all the fines assessed and collected by him by virtue of his office as such Justice within and during the year next preceding the day of the date of this Report to wit

State of Indiana } June 6th 1848
vs } Assault & Battery fine \$5.00
Franklin Still } Period Sept 25th 1848

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State of Indiana } June 10th 1848
vs } Assault & Battery fined \$1.00
Abraham Grimbets } Paid June 10th 1848

State of Indiana } August 25th 1848
vs } Assault & Battery fined \$3.00
Josiah Walch } Paid

State of Indiana } September the 4th 1848
vs } Assault & Battery fined \$3.00
Robert Mc Bride } Paid November the 28th 1848

State of Indiana } November the 30th 1848
vs } Assault & Battery fined
Mary Chambers } \$1.00 paid same day

State of Indiana } January 8th 1849 \$2.00
vs } Assault & Battery Jane Joiner fined
John Joiner & } 2 dollars John Joiner discharged
Jane Joiner } Paid same day

State of Indiana } January the 17th 1849
vs } Assault & Battery fined \$1.00
William Joiner } Replevied same day

State of Indiana } Feb'y 14th 1849
vs } Assault & Battery fined \$1.00
Gerard Besink } Paid the same day

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County
I Bracket Mills the said Justice of the Peace do solemnly swear that the above is a true and complete list of all the fines assessed and collected by me of any person whatever by virtue of my office as such Justice within and during the preceding year commencing on the first Monday of March 1848 and ending the day of this report Bracket Mills ^{Justice of the Peace}
The abovenamed Bracket Mills was duly sworn in open Court to the above report and the board duly examining the same it is now hereof proved

Now here it is ordered that a tax for road purposes of Ten cents on ^{dollars} each one hundred valuation of property subject by law to road tax to be levied for road purposes in Vanderburgh County for 1849.

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Now here Nathan Rowley and seventeen other citizens of Pigeon Township in the County of Vanderburgh petition this board for the appointment of viewers to view and lay out a public highway sixty feet wide commencing at a point where the State road leading from the City of Evansville to Princeton in Gibson County crosses the line dividing ^{Sections} number twenty and twenty nine in Township number six south of Range number ten West thence East along said line to the Canal and the board duly considering said petition it is ordered that William M Walker Manson Warner & Joseph Wheeler be and they are hereby appointed to view said road and make report there of to this board at its next session

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Now here Charles Martin and Edwin Rogers two of the viewers heretofore appointed to view and locate a certain private road designated in an order of this board make their report as follows to wit
Febr 6th 1849

To the Honorable board of County Commissioners Vanderburgh County
Whereas the undersigned was appointed at December session Ad. 1848 to view and locate a certain private ^{road} designated in said order Beginning at the North East corner of the South West quarter of the South East quarter of Sec 5 Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West running thence East to the East line of Township No 8 thence North along said section line until it intersects the Boonville road near the residence of Mesley Bishop in Armstrong Township
We therefore Certify that we viewed the proposed road agreeable to the order and believe it will be of utility to the citizens of said Township

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Charles Martin *[Signature]*
Edwin Rogers *[Signature]*

Now here Bracket Mills one of the overseers of the Poor of Pigeon Township makes his report as overseer as aforesaid which said report is accepted and approved

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Now here Mrs Catharine (Widow of the late Michael Mara deceased late of this County presents a petition signed by H. S. Wheeler and twenty five other citizens of Vanderburgh County asking this board to excuse her from the payment of ten dollars subscribed by her husband in his lifetime for building the bridge that crosses Pigeon creek at Phestones ferry when after due consideration they order that said subscription be remitted and she excused from the payment of the same

Issued No 613 \$11.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Ten dollars in part payment for assessing the Revenue of Vanderburgh County for 1849

Issued No 614 \$11.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Ten dollars in part payment for assessing the Revenue of Vanderburgh County for 1849

Issued No 615 \$5.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Five dollars in part payment for assessing the Revenue of Vanderburgh County for 1849

Issued No 616 \$5.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed five dollars in part payment for services as Assessor of Vanderburgh County for 1849

Issued No 617 \$5.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Five dollars for services as assessor of Vanderburgh County for 1849

Issued No 618 \$5.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Five dollars for services as assessor of Vanderburgh County for 1849

Issued No 619 \$3.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Three dollars for services as Assessor of Vanderburgh County for 1849

Issued No 620 \$3.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Three dollars for services as Assessor of Vanderburgh County for 1849

Issued No 621 \$3.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Three dollars for services as assessor of Vanderburgh County for 1849

Issued No 622 \$3.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Three dollars for services as assessor for Vanderburgh County for 1849

Issued No 623 \$3.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Three dollars for services as assessor of Vanderburgh County 1849

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- Issued 106245 \$3³/₁₀₀ Ordered that John G. Jerry be allowed Three dollars for service as Assessor of Vanderburgh for 1849.
- Issued 106255 \$3³⁷/₁₀₀ Ordered that John G. Jerry be allowed Five dollars and thirty seven cents for services as assessor of Vanderburgh County for 1849.
- Issued 106265 \$1¹/₁₀₀ Ordered that Joshua Bowles be allowed one dollar for service as Inspector of elections of Pigeon Township.
- Issued 106275 \$1⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Richard Jenkins be allowed one dollar for services as Judge of a Special election in Pigeon Township.
- Issued 106285 \$1⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that William M. Walker be allowed one dollar for service as Judge of a Special election in Pigeon Township.
- Issued 106295 \$1⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John M. Lockwood be allowed one dollar for services as Clerk of a Special election in Pigeon Township.
- Issued 106305 \$1⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Philip Hornbrook be allowed one dollar for services as Clerk of a Special election in Pigeon Township.
- Issued 106315 \$2⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Samuel Lister be allowed two dollars and twenty cents for two blank Books furnished assessor.
- Issued 106325 \$25⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Samuel J. Jenkins be allowed twenty five dollars for ex officio services as Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court up to the 26th day of March 1849.
- Issued 106335 \$10⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Mr. William Linch be allowed ten dollars for Rails furnished the County.
- Issued 106345 \$4²⁵/₁₀₀ Ordered that William H. Law be allowed four dollars and twenty five cents amount of Road tax improperly paid by him and that the Treasurer pay the same out of any money ^{in his hands} belonging to the road district to which Samasco was formerly attached.
- Issued 106355 \$1⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Thomas Martin be allowed one dollar for services as Judge of an election in Armstrong Township.
- Issued 106365 \$30⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Bracket Mills be allowed thirty dollars and eighty one cents for services as overseer of the Poor of Pigeon Township up to this date.

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ordered that Mrs Linch be excused from the payment of the subscription to the bridge across Pigeon Township creek at Wheelstones ferry made by her husband in his lifetime

Ordered that the board be adjourned until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock

John Curtis Secy

Tuesday Morning at nine o'clock the Board met pursuant to adjournment when the same members as yesterday were present

Resolved 10637 1/2 of 32 1/2 Ordered that Joseph Wheeler be allowed thirty two dollars for services as overseer of the Poor of Pigeon Township

Resolved 10638 1/2 of 21 1/2 Ordered that William Sheets & Co be allowed twenty one dollars for tax duplicates for 1849

Resolved 10639 1/2 of 50 1/2 Ordered that George Bates be allowed two hundred and fifty dollars for keeping the County poor from the 8th of ~~Decr~~^{Decr} 1848 to the 8th day of March 1849

Resolved 10640 1/2 of 52 1/2 Ordered that Edwrd ~~Edw~~^{Edw} be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for work done at the bridge across Pigeon creek on the Princeton road

Now here Joseph Wheeler Esqr one of the Justices of the Peace of Pigeon Township makes report of the fines collected and assessed by him since the first day of March 1848 as follows

- 1848 April 27th State vs Jeremiah Spilman Assault & Battery dismissed not guilty
- State vs Cornelius Gumberts Assault & Battery not guilty dismissed
- State vs Henry Kern Assault & Battery guilty fine 2.00
- State vs Simon Gumberts Assault & Battery guilty fine 3.00

Joseph Wheeler Secy
Justice of the Peace

The above named Joseph Wheeler was duly sworn in open Court to the above report and the board duly examining the same it is now here approved

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Now here a petition is presented to this board signed by John Dukes & others inhabitants of Smith Township asking to have the old road running through the West half of Section No 25 Town 6 South of Range 10 West vacated the board having duly considered the subject hereby ^{order} that said road be and the same is hereby vacated.

Now here Mark Wheeler William Hillyard and James Hillyard are hereby appointed viewers to ascertain and describe so much of the road known as the Blue Grass Road as will be of utility to any of the inhabitants of Vanderburgh County commencing at the State road leading from Evansville to Princeton in Gibson County near the residence of Benjamin Harvey in Section No 4 Town 5 South of Range 10 West in Scott Township and running thence in a South Easterly ^{direction} course and terminating at Mark Wheeler and make a report of their proceedings on or before the next term of this board

Now here Wilson Shook one of the Justices of the Peace of Union Township makes report of the fines assessed and collected by him since his last annual report as follows to wit

The following is a list of fines assessed and collected by me since my last report to wit

State of Indiana	} Fined \$ 3. collected
VS Assault & Battery	
Martin Gentry	

State of Indiana	} Fined \$ 3. Replevied
VS Assault & Battery	
George Evans	

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County Act
Personally appeared before Mr J. J. Walker Auditor of the County of Vanderburgh & State aforesaid Mr Shook a Justice of the Peace in and for the Township of Union & upon his oath sayeth that the above and foregoing is a true report & statement of the fines assessed and collected by him since his last report as he verily believes & further saith not Wilson Shook

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The above named Wilson Shook was duly sworn in open court to the above report and the board duly examining the same it is now here approved

Now here Beniah Mop one of the Justices of the Peace of Union Township makes reports of the fines assessed and collected by him since his last annual report as follows to wit

B. Mop annual report of B. Mop Justice of the Peace to County Board of Commissioners for the preceding this the 6th day of March 1849

State of Indiana } For Assault & Battery
vs } Amount of fine \$ 3.00
Lewis Neal

State of Indiana } Assault & Battery
vs } Amount of fine one cent Total 5.01
Wm Cattet

The above named Beniah Mop was duly sworn in open court to the above report and the board duly examining the same it is now here approved

Issued No 641 \$ 1.00/100 ordered that James R Kirkpatrick be allowed one dollar for services as judge of an election in Centre Township

Issued No 642 \$ 1.00/100 ordered that Berah Fanchida be allowed one dollar for services as clerk of the April election in Centre Township

Issued No 643 \$ 1.00/100 ordered that Berah Fanchida be allowed one dollar for services as clerk at the Presidential election in Centre Township

Issued No 644 \$ 1.00/100 Ordered that Berah Fanchida be allowed one dollar for services as clerk at the General election in Centre Township

Now here the Board appropriates twenty five dollars for Building a bridge across a creek in Road district No 4 in Armstrong Township known by the name of the Pona Slough to be paid after the completion of said Bridge on the order of James J Mc Donald in said work to be superintended by said James J Mc Donald and said bridge to be fourteen feet wide

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Now here Samuel Jenkins by Richarda Jenkins
deputy clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court
makes report of the fines collected and assessed
by him since his last report as follows
to wit

The following is a list of fines assessed
at the September Term of the Vanderburgh Circuit
Court

State of Indiana	}	Fine \$ 1.00
vs} Pet Larceny		
Samuel Collins		

State of Indiana	}	2.50
vs} Violating Stray Laws		
Edward Guilby		

State of Indiana	}	3.00
vs} Contempt		
John S. Hopkins		

State of Indiana	}	5.00
vs} Illegal Voting		
Philip Ingobrand		

State of Indiana	}	3.00
vs} Contempt		
James Laughlin		

State of Indiana	}	10.00
vs} G. Larceny		
John Lockhart		

State of Indiana	}	1.00
vs} Malicious Trespass		
Henry Onyett		

State of Indiana	}	2.00
vs} Rape		
Buriah Short		

The following is the amount of fine received
since my last report

State of Indiana	}	\$ 55.00
vs} A.D. with &c.		
John C. Roberson		

600

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State of Indiana vs } Riding horse race Benj Freeborn }	5,00
State of Indiana vs } Suf horse to run Wm Stroud }	5,00
State of Indiana vs } Riding horse race Smith Gavitt }	5,00
State of Indiana vs } Riding horse race J F Glap }	5,00
State of Indiana vs } Violating Stray laws A Humphrey }	4,00
State of Indiana vs } Suf horse to run Wm Household }	3,00
State of Indiana vs } Riding horse race Wm Richardson }	5,00
State of Indiana vs } Suf horse to run J Wright }	5,00
State of Indiana vs } Rape B. Short }	2,00
State of Indiana vs } Pet Larceny Samuel Collins }	1,00
State of Indiana vs } Violating Stray laws Edward Guilky }	2,50

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State of Indiana	}	3.00
Contempt		
John S. Hopkins		

State of Indiana	}	3.00
Contempt		
James Laughlin		

State of Indiana	}	7.00
Malicious Trespass		
Henry Smyet		

State of Indiana	}	5.00
Illegal voting		
Philip Ingerbrand		

106.30

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County

I Samuel T. Jenkins Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court do solemnly swear that the above and foregoing contains a correct statement of the fines assessed and collected since my last report according to the best of my knowledge and belief

Saml T. Jenkins Clerk
By R. Jenkins dep

The above named Richard Jenkins was duly sworn in open court to the correctness of the above report and the board duly examining the same it is now here approved

Issued No 645 \$14.00/1000 Ordered that George Bates be allowed four dollars for burying a pauper

Issued No 646 \$4.00/1000 Ordered that George Bates be allowed four dollars for burying a pauper

Now here Wm G Saunders one of the Justices of the Peace of Perry Township submits the following report to wit:

Report of W. G. Saunders one of the Acting Justices of the Peace in Perry Township Vanderburgh County Indiana I have not collected or assessed any fines since my last report to the County board W. G. Saunders
Justice of the Peace

Now here the board approve said report

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Now here it ordered that the County agree to pay for the graveling and making gutters on main street in the city of Evansville through the public square the same price paid by the citizens of Evansville for doing the other part of the same work to be done under the direction and superintendance of the Common Council of the City of Evansville provided the same shall not cost more than two hundred and fifty dollars

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock

J. P. Curtis, Clerk

Wednesday Morning, March 7th 1849 at nine o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when present the same members as yesterday

Issued 106475 \$99⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John Echols be allowed nine dollars and ninety cents for dieting prisoners to the 4th day of March 1849

Issued 106483 \$10⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John Echols be allowed ten dollars for dieting prisoners to the 4th day of March 1849

Issued 106499 \$10⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John Echols be allowed ten dollars for dieting prisoners to the 4th day of March 1849

Issued 106503 \$1⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John Echols be allowed one dollar for giving notice of an election in Beeson Township

Issued 106515 \$20⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John Echols be allowed twenty dollars for ex officio services as Sheriff of Vanderburgh County up to the 20th day of February 1849

And now here it is ordered that Thomas E Garvin Agent for the County of Vanderburgh be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make and execute a quit claim deed unto James Parrin and Allen C Halleck and their heirs and assigns for lot number one hundred and ninety six (196) in the Donation Enlargement of the City of Evansville releasing all the interest of him the said Thomas E Garvin as agent of said County of Vanderburgh and of the Board of Commissioners of said County

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of in and to said lot provided that said Parvin & Halleck shall first pay to said Thomas E Garvin agent as aforesaid the sum of \$82⁴²/₁₀₀ the amount of the purchase money of said lot and that all the acts of said Thomas E Garvin under this order are hereby confirmed and allowed by the board aforesaid

Issued

no 6523 \$100 ordered that John Clark be allowed one dollar for services of John M Grant as judge of the August election in 1848 assigned by said Grant to said Clark

And nowhere Nathan Rowley one of the Justices of the Peace of Pigeon Township makes the following report of the fines assessed and collected by him since the first day of March A.D. 1849 as follows to wit

State of Indiana Pff } Fine \$3.00
vs }
Henry Sember def } Complaint for an assault & B atteny on the body of Joseph Noble March 2nd 1849. Fine paid March 3rd 1849

State of Indiana }
Wanderburgh County } Pet

I Nathan Rowley a Justice of the Peace in and for the County aforesaid certify the above to be a true statement of the fines and penalties by me assessed during the past year

Given under my hand and seal this 7th day of March 1849 N Rowley
Justice of the Peace

I Nathan Rowley a Justice of the Peace in & for said County do solemnly swear that the within report is just & true and contains a statement of all the fines assessed and collected by me since the 1st day of March 1848 March 7th 1848 Nathan Rowley

The above named Nathan Rowley was duly sworn in open Court to the correctness of the above report and the board duly examining the same it is now here approved

Now here Henry B. Moore and fifty five ^{other} voters of Union Township have signed these names to a petition which is here presented asking the board to change the place of holding elections ~~in~~ ^{at} Union Township from Mc Dowels place so called where the elections are now held to

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To the school house at or near Anthony's ferry in said Union Township when the Board after due consideration of said petition order that said place of holding elections be changed to said school house at Anthony's Ferry

And now here it is ordered that the Bayou near Martin Stinsons be filled with earth as follows First a culvert to be built five feet high and four feet wide the wall of which is to be eighteen inches thick & eighty five feet long, and on the top of said Culvert an Embankment is to be ~~built~~ made eighty five feet at the base and thirty feet at the top and to be above high water mark so as to make a good and substantial wagon road across said Bayou ^{the said work} under the superintendance of John Burtis Esq. the board hereby agreeing to allow him two dollars per day for his services and he is hereby authorized to hire hands to perform the said work and provide materials for the same on the best terms he can the work to be paid for as it progresses and said John Burtis Esq. he and he is hereby authorized to draw orders to the County Auditor who is hereby ordered to draw orders for the same on the County Treasurer at any time during the progress of said work ~~at any time~~ when in his opinion he deems it necessary

Issued 106535 \$ 2.00 Ordered that Zachariah B. Aydelott be allowed Five dollars and a twenty five cents for summoning three Jurys for Circuit Court March Term

Issued 110254 \$ 0.75 Ordered that Z. B. Aydelott be allowed seventy five cents for expense of Prisons

Issued 110253 \$ 2.00 Ordered that Zachariah B. Aydelott be allowed Two dollars for expense of elections

Ordered that the board now adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 O'clock

John Burtis Esq. President

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Thursday Morning March 8th 1849 the board meets pursuant to adjournment when present John Burtis & Michael S. Jones Esqs

Issued \$10656 7/1000 ordered that Martin Stinson be allowed one dollar for services as judge of an election in Perry Township

ordered that a licence issue to Kroeson & Morgan to vend foreign merchandise in Vanderburgh County for one year from the tenth day of September 1848 on their producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

ordered that a licence issue to Adin C. Pushee to vend foreign merchandise in Vanderburgh County for one year from the eighteenth day of September 1848 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

ordered ^{a licence issue to} Allen C. Hallock to vend foreign merchandise for one year from the first day of November 1848 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of five dollars

ordered that James & White have a licence issued to them to vend foreign merchandise for one year from the first day of March 1849 on his producing the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of seven dollars and fifty cents

Issued \$10457 7/1000 ordered that Martin Stinson be allowed seven dollars for work done at the Bridge near Martin Stinsons

And now here Daniel Woolley Esqr one of the Justices of the Peace of Pigeon Township make the following report of the fines assessed and collected by ^{him} since his last annual report as follows to wit

State of Indiana } March 20th 1848
A. B. McKimney } Assault & Battery fined one dollar paid

State of Indiana }
Thomas Butler } Assault & Battery fined two dollars paid

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State of Indiana }
vs } Assault & Battery Fined two dollars paid
John Snider

State of Indiana }
vs } Assault & Battery Fined one dollar paid
John Onyet

State of Indiana }
vs } Assault & Battery Fined one dollar paid
J. B. Grofman

State of Indiana }
vs } Assault Fined one dollar paid
Honor Still

State of Indiana }
vs } Assault & Battery Fined one dollar Replevied
J. S. Garit

State of Indiana }
vs } Assault & Battery Fined two dollars Paid
John M App

State of Indiana }
vs } Assault & Battery Fined Twenty dollars
Stephen V Runels } Replevied

State of Indiana }
vs } Malicious Trespass Fined
Donaldson Jover } Twenty dollars and fifty
cents Replevied

I Daniel Woolsey one of the Justices of the Peace of Pigeon Township do solemnly swear that the foregoing report is a correct list of all the fines collected and assessed by me since my last annual report according to the best of my knowledge and and belief Daniel Woolsey

The above named Daniel Woolsey was duly sworn in open Court to the correctness of the above report and the board duly examining the same it is now here approved

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock

John Curtis Chairman

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Friday morning March 9th 1849 The board met pursuant to adjournment when present John Burtis Esq. Ezekeil Saunders and Michael P. Jones Esq.

Now here it ordered that an election be held at the usual places of holding election in the different townships in Vanderburgh County on Thursday the Twelfth day of April 1849 at which election the qualified voters of the County shall vote upon the question whether or not the stock in ~~the~~ ^{the} Evansville & The Ohio Rail Road Company shall be subscribed for and taken in the name and behalf of the County of Vanderburgh to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars and the County Auditor is hereby authorized to have three hundred printed notices of said election in hand bill form, ^{printed} and cause the same to be distributed throughout the County previous to said election.

Now here William Whittlesey Esq. one of the Justices of the Peace of Centre Township makes the following report of the fines assessed, ^{& collected} by him since the first Monday in March 1848 as follows to wit

State of Indiana }
183 } Assault & Battery
Sylvester Boardman }

complaint on oath of Frederick Jacobus. Warrant issued Feb 19th 1849 returned Feb 20th by Ina A. Farachida Special Constable endorsed "Personally pervea and the defendaut in custody" defendaut pleads Guilty whereupon it is considered that the said Sylvester Boardman be fined in the sum of one dollar damages and the costs of prosecution amounting to one dollar. A true copy from my docket March 9th 1849 Wm Whittlesey Justice of the Peace in Centre

The abovenamed William Whittlesey was duly sworn in open Court to the correctness of the above report and the board duly examining the same it is now here approved

1848 \$ 10.00. Ordered that D. H. Cowan be allowed Ten dollars for taxes twice paid on lot No 54 Upper Enlargement of Evansville from 1836 to 1847 inclusive

Issued

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Issued No 6595 \$12⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Thomas E Garvin be allowed twelve dollars and fifty cents for one quarters salary ending at March Term 1849 as County Agent

Issued No 6605 90⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Samuel Mc Cutcherson be allowed one dollar for services as overseer of the poor of Centre Township

Issued No 6615 \$2⁵⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that James J. Walker be allowed two dollars and ninety five cents for each pair of articles furnished the County

Issued No 6625 \$45²³/₁₀₀ Ordered that James J. Walker be allowed ninety five dollars and twenty three cents for services as Auditor of Vanderburgh County

And now here the board have entered into an agreement with Jenkins J. Hugo for furnishing materials and building a County Poor house excepting the brick work as follows to wit

This memorandum of agreement made and entered into this ninth day of March A.D. 1849 between Jenkins J. Hugo of the first part and John Burtis Ezekiel Saunders and Michael P Jones Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana of the second part Witnesseth that the said Jenkins J. Hugo for and in consideration of the covenants and promises hereinafter mentioned doth hereby promise and agree that he will build for said Commissioners and furnish the necessary materials for a poor house to be erected upon certain premises to be provided by said board that all ~~of~~ said work and all of said materials shall be performed and furnished in exact accordance with the plan of said Poor house and the specifications thereof now on file in the Auditors office of said County of Vanderburgh and that all of said building according to said plan and specifications shall be completed and delivered to said Commissioners on or before the first day of November A.D. 1849 Unless said Hugo should be hindered in the completion thereof by the delay or neglect of other persons employed to construct the brick work of said building And the said parties of the second part do promise that they will

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pay to said Hugo for the work aforesaid the sum of Nineteen hundred and twenty dollars which said sums shall be paid in amounts proportionate to the progress of said building reserving however ten per cent of the whole of said sum until said building is entirely finished and the same is delivered to and received by said parties of the second part as commissioners as aforesaid witness the hands of said parties this the day and year first aforesaid

John Burtis ¹⁰⁰⁰ Seal
E Saunders ¹⁰⁰⁰ Seal
M. P. Jones ¹⁰⁰⁰ Seal
J. G. Hugo ¹⁰⁰⁰ Seal

And now here Michael P. Jones Esq. is hereby appointed by the board to superintend said work and make estimates of the same as it progresses and make out the amount whenever he deems it necessary, for which amount the County Auditor is hereby authorized to draw orders on the County Treasurer to the said Jenkins J. Hugo deducting ten per cent from said estimates

Now here the Board have sold to Jenkins J. Hugo the old bridge across Pigeon Creek at the mouth of Sena Creek for the sum of fifty dollars which is to be paid out of the first money he may receive for building County Poorhouse Now here the board reconsider an order made on Wednesday last authorizing the County agent to make a deed to Allen C. Hallock and James M. Parvin for Lot No 196 in the Donation Enlargement of Evansville and on such reconsideration it is ordered that said order be and the same is hereby rescinded

Now here it is ordered that Thomas E. Garvon agent of the County of Vanderburgh be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make and execute a quit Claim deed unto Nathan Rowdy and his heirs and assigns for lot number one hundred and ninety six (196)

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in the Donation Enlargement of the City of Coarsville releasing all the interest of him the said Thomas E Garvin as agent of the said County of Vanderburgh and of the Board of Commissioners of said County of in and to said lot provided the said Natham Rowley shall first pay to said Thomas E Garvin agent as aforesaid the sum of \$82⁴/₁₀₀ the amount of purchase money of said lot and that all the acts of said Thomas E Garvin under this order are hereby confirmed and allowed by the board aforesaid

Ordered that Gottlieb Beppus Jacob Shaupne and Jacob ^{from} Thomas Pasquet be and they are hereby excused from paying poll tax and ~~are~~ ^{also} excused from working on the public Highway of Vanderburgh County during their disability

And now here Jenkins T Hugo files his bond for the faithful performance of the Building of the poor house of Vanderburgh County with M. J. Bray and Samuel Orr as his sureties which said bond is now here approved by this Board

Issued No 6639 \$ 10⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that John Burtis be allowed Ten dollars for services as Commissioner at the present term

Issued No 6649 \$ 8⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Ezechieel Saunders be allowed Eight dollars for services as Commissioner at the present term

Issued No 6659 \$ 10⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Michael P Jones be allowed Ten dollars for services as Commissioner at the present term

Ordered that this Board now adjourn until the next Court in course

J. P. Jones
E. Saunders
M. Jones

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Hamilton Broadis Pky
vs. Appeal
Patrick Lyon
John Collins &
Matthias H. Atherton Trustees
of School District No 4 in
Township No 6 South of
Range No 11 West 1/2

Demand \$ 14.00
Appeal from Township Trustees
of Township No 6 South of
Range No 11 West
Appeal papers filed March
23rd 1849

This action was brought by
Hamilton Broadis to recover from the defendants
the sum of fourteen dollars for alleged services
as a school teacher for district No 4 in Township
No 6 South of Range No 11 West before James
Houston James Deal & David D Grimes Esqs and
by the plaintiff the said cause is appealed to the
County Auditor of Vanderburgh County and the
following Transcript filed by the Clerk of Con-
gregational Township No 6 South of Range No 11
West on the 23rd day of March AD 1849 to wit
" Pursuant to legal notice given the board of
Township Trustees of Congregational Township num-
ber six (6.) South of Range number Eleven West
met on 15th day of March 1849 at which time
the following Trustees were present James Houston
James Deal & David D Grimes.

Hamilton Broadis on appeal from the refusal of Pat-
rick Lyon Matthias H. Atherton and John Collins
District Trustees of school district number four (4.) in
said Township to pay to said Broadis the sum
of fourteen dollars for twenty one days tuition of
a district school in said district. From the papers
and testimony before us it appears that said Broadis
taught twenty one days and left and gave as his
reason for leaving that the high water prevented
the children from attending school he went and took
up another school immediately without the consent
of said Trustees and he Broadis applies to the
Trustees for fourteen dollars for twenty one day
services in said school and the said Trustees refused
to pay and said Trustees plead as a reason that
he has forfeited his contract and further that
it was to the injury of said district because they
had to employ another teacher and pay him
more and the said Trustees further refuse to pay
because said Broadis did not produce a schedule
when called on of the number of days taught

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and number of children and the Board adjourned to consult the matter until the 19th day of said Month March 19th 1849 Pursuant to the adjournment the Board met and the said Board duly considering the matter it is therefore considered that said Hamilton Prorogator Plaintiff cannot recover his demand from said district this day and date above written

James Houston }
D.D. Grimes } Township
James Seal } Trustees

State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } Set

I do hereby certify that the within is a correct copy from the record book of Township 6 South of Range number 11 West

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 23rd day of March 1849

James Houston Seal
Congregional Township Clerk

The parties to the above cause appeared and after due deliberation amongst themselves agreed to settle the above suit it is therefore dismissed

Wm. Walker A.C. By

James S. Walker deputy A.C.

John G. Mesner has this day produced a bond for the faithful discharge of his duties as Constable of Pigeon Township for the year 1849 in the sum of \$300.00 with F. Muhlhan sen and Conrad Sidenall as his securities therein which bond is now here approved April 4th 1849

April 5th 1849 Shelby H. Thomas has this day produced a bond for the faithful discharge of his duties as Constable of Pigeon Township for the 1849 in the sum of \$300.00 with Corrydon Garret and G. B. Sydelott as his securities therein which bond is now here approved

April 5th 1849 Thomas Hall has this day produced a bond for the faithful discharge of his duties as Constable of Pigeon Township for 1849 in the sum of \$300.00 with John S. Henderson and Martin Schmoll as his securities therein which bond is now here approved

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Special April Session A.D. 1849

At a special session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana began and held in the Courthouse in the City of Evansville on Thursday the 5th day of April A.D. 1849 at half past one o'clock P.M. of said day in pursuance of a call made by the County Auditor for the purpose of taking into consideration the subject of building a bridge across Pigeon Creek in the City of Lamasco and any other business that may be brought before them as commissioners of Vanderburgh County when John Burtis Ezekiel Saunders and Michael P. Jones were present Esqrs members composing said board were present

Ordered that all that part of the North West quarter of section number thirty four that now lies in road in Road district number ~~three~~ ^{five} in Perry Township and being in Township number ~~one~~ ^{two} South of Range number Eleven west in Vanderburgh County ~~that~~ that lies North of the Mount Vernon Road be taken from said Road district number ~~three~~ ^{five} and added to Road district number six in said Perry Township

Issued 11.1.15¹⁸⁴⁹ Ordered that Joseph Turner be allowed four dollars for clearing out Public house

Issued 11.1.15¹⁸⁴⁹ Ordered that John Echols be allowed Ten dollars for keeping prisoners in jail

Issued 11.1.15¹⁸⁴⁹ Ordered that John Echols be allowed Ten dollars for keeping prisoners in jail

Issued 11.1.4¹⁸⁴⁹ Ordered that John Echols be allowed five dollars and fifty two and a half cents for keeping prisoners in jail

Issued 11.1.15¹⁸⁴⁹ Order that Zachariah B. Aydelot be allowed two dollars and fifty two and a half cents for ~~detaining~~ receiving and discharging prisoners

Now here the Auditor presented the certificates of from the Inspector and Judges of the Elections in Pigeon and Centre Townships by which it

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appears that a majority of votes voted against a license being granted for retailing liquors in said Townships ^{of Pigeon & Centre} when it was ordered that the ~~subject~~ ^{of said certificates} be laid over until the June term of the ~~Board of Commissioners~~ ^{Board of Commissioners}

Issued 10/25/49 Ordered that Martin Stinson be allowed one dollar for services as Judge of an election held in Perry Township

Issued 11/25/49 Ordered that Samuel J. Jenkins be allowed Eleven dollars and seventy five cents for ^{cash paid for} books and stationery furnished Clerk & Records office

Issued 10/28/49 Ordered that James J. Walker be allowed twenty nine dollars and fifty seven cents for services as County Auditor

Ordered that the board deem it inexpedient to at present to contract for building a bridge across Pigeon ~~River~~ in consequence of the Ohio River being so high that a permanent location cannot be found for ~~the bridge~~

Issued 11/9/49 Ordered that John Cepols be allowed ten dollars for keeping prisoners in jail

Issued 11/20/49 Ordered that John Burtis be allowed two dollars for services as Commissioner at the present term

Issued 11/4/49 Ordered that Ezekiel Sanders be allowed two dollars for services as Commissioner at the present term

Issued 11/4/49 Ordered that Michael P Jones be allowed two dollars for services as Commissioner at the present term

Ordered that W B Aydelot be authorized to fill up cellar on public square

Ordered that the board now adjourn

John Burtis
E Sanders
M P Jones

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At a special session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana ~~was~~ began and held at the Court House in the City of Evansville on Wednesday the 25th day of April A.D. 1849 commencing at 11 O'clock A.M. of said day in pursuance of a call made by the County Auditor for the purpose of transacting business in relation to the Bayou Embankment, and such other business as may be deemed important and necessary: when John Burtis and Michael P. Jones Esqrs two of the members composing said Board of Commissioners were present

In consequence of Ezekiel Saunders Esq. not being present it is ordered that the board adjourn until Tomorrow morning at 10 O'clock

John Burtis Esq.

Thursday Morning April 26th 1849 at 10 O'clock A.M. The board met pursuant to adjournment when John Burtis Ezekiel Saunders & Michael P. Jones Esqrs Commissioners of Vanderburgh County Indiana were present

Now here it is ordered that the overseers of the Poor be and they are hereby authorized to make arrangements with some reputable ^{person} to take care of transient paupers that are sick and unable to take care of themselves and who in the opinion of said overseers of the Poor are not proper subjects to be sent to the County Poorhouse,

1849 \$ 35⁰⁰ Ordered that James J. Walker be allowed Thirty five dollars and twenty cents for services as County Auditor

1849 \$ 1⁰⁰ Ordered that Samuel Lister be allowed one dollar and fifty five cents for Stationary furnished for Bayou Embankment

Special April Session A.D. 1849

No 1565 \$1.00/100 Ordered that Edward D. Hopkins be allowed one dollar for services as Clerk of an election in Pigeon Township

Copy It is ordered that the County Auditor execute a promissory note in the name of this Board payable to the order of John Burtis one of the members of this Board negotiable at the Branch at Evansville of the State Bank of Indiana for the sum not exceeding fourteen hundred dollars to be discounted at said Branch at Evansville for the purpose of raising money to make an embankment across the Bayou below Martin Trisons on the Henderson Road and that said John Burtis be authorized to indorse said note and check for the proceeds thereof for said purpose

And it is further ordered that a County order or orders be issued to said Branch of said Bank as collateral security to said note and to enable the County Treasurer promptly to meet said note out of the revenue of the present year

No 1975 .30/100 Ordered that Samuel J. Jenkins be allowed three dollars and sixty cents for Books & Stationary furnished the County

No 1985 \$37.00/100 Ordered that Robert W. Dunbar be allowed thirty seven dollars and sixty cents for Stationary Printing &c for the County

No 1995 \$3.00/100 Ordered that Arthur Hawkins be allowed three dollars and fifty cents for wood furnished the County

No 509 \$8.85/100 Ordered that E. M. Griffiths be allowed eight dollars and eighty five cents for money and interest paid for land sold for taxes that had been twice assessed

No 800 \$4.00/100 Ordered that John Burtis be allowed four dollars for services as Commissioner at the present term

No 802 \$2.00/100 Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed two dollars for services as Commissioner at the present term

No 803 \$4.00/100 Ordered that Michael B. Jones be allowed four dollars for services as Commissioner at the present term

Resolved that the Board now adjourn

Ordered that the Board now adjourn
until the next court in course in law
specially convened

J. P. Curtis
E. Saunders
M. Jones

April 30th 1849 Lewis W. Short has this day
produced a bond for the faithful discharge
of his duties as constable of German Township
for the year 1849 in the sum of one thousand
dollars with Samuel Kirkpatrick and Bannish
Short as his securities thereon which bond is
now here approved.

At a special session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana began and held at the Court House in the City of Evansville on Wednesday the 2nd day of May 1849 commencing at 11 O'clock A.M. of said day in pursuance of a call made by the County Auditor for the purpose of transacting business in relation to the Bayou Embankment and such other business as may be deemed important and necessary when Ezekiel Saunders and Michael P. Jones Esqr two of the Members of said Board of County Commissioners were present

Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be appointed President pro tem of this Board
 No 8245 1/10 32 1/2 Now here it is ordered that the Auditor of Vanderburgh County issue to John Burtis an order on the County Treasurer for one thousand and thirty two dollars upon his depositing the said amount with Bement & Vial said money to be used for making an embankment and culvert across the Bayou below Martin Stinsons on the Hendersons Road and that said money be drawn from said Bement and Vial by said John Burtis for said purpose and that the Treasurer of Vanderburgh County is hereby authorized promptly to pay the same out of the Revenue of the present year

Now here the Bounds of the Town Lamasco City which was incorporated in the year 1847 under the provisions of an act of the Revised Statutes of Indiana for 1843 for the Incorporation of Towns are as follows to wit The said Corporation is bounded on the West by Seventh Avenue on the North by Eleventh ^{Street} ~~Avenue~~ on the East by Second Avenue and the alley in rear of blocks One Two Three and four in the Fourth Enlargement and on the ~~North~~ ^{South} by Evansville certain property belonging to Laughlin and others not yet divided into lots and the Ohio River said Corporation embraces however blocks Number one hundred and seventy two one hundred and seventy five and one hundred and six in said Lamasco City but none of the land adjacent thereto

ordered that a licence issue to Noah Humphrey
to sell clocks in the County of Vanderburgh
for three months from the 1st day of May 1849
on his producing the County Treasurers
receipt for one dollar

No 825 \$ 2⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Horace Phuman
be allowed two dollars for services as clerk
of two elections in Pigeon Township

No 826 \$ 75⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that James & William
Reilly be allowed seven dollars and fifty cents
for ~~services~~ setting up with the pick by Jerry Sullivan

No 827 \$ 2⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders
be allowed two dollars for services as
Commissioner at the present term

No 828 \$ 2⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Ordered that Michael P.
Jones be allowed two dollars for services
as Commissioner at the present term

Ordered that the board now adjourn
until next court in course unless Special
by convened

E. Saunders

M. Jones

Whereas Maria Wood widow of Henry Wood assignee of Arthur Mc Johnson did on the 3rd day of May A.D. 1849 produce to me William H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana the Certificate of purchase of Nathan Rowley School Commissioner of said County by which it appears that Arthur Mc Johnson aforesaid did on the fifteenth day of October A.D. 1836 purchase of said School Commissioner the South East quarter of the North West quarter of Section number four (4.) in Township number seven (7.) South of Range number Ten (10.) West in Vanderburgh County Indiana for the sum of Two hundred ~~and~~ sixty dollars one fourth payable in hand and the residue at the expiration of Ten years from and after the date of said Certificate And whereas the said Maria Wood has filed in my office the receipt of the School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County aforesaid for the full amount of the residue of the principal and interest due on said tract of land and demanded a deed for the same Therefore know ye that in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statute in such case made and provided I William H Walker Auditor of the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana for and in the name of the inhabitants of Congressional Township number seven South of Range number Ten West in the County and State aforesaid do give and grant the said South East quarter of the North West quarter of Section number four (4.) in Township number seven (7.) South of Range number Ten (10.) West to the said Maria Wood and to her heirs and assigns forever

In witness whereof I William H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County have herewith set my hand and ~~expressed~~ pressed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at the City of Evansville in said County on this 3rd day of May A.D. 1849
 Wm H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County
 by James J. Walker deputy

Witness Bracket Mills S. C. D. C.

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County
 I Bracket Mills a Justice of the Peace in and for Pigeon Township Vanderburgh County

certify that the said Mr. H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County by James J. Walker deputy Auditor personally came before me and acknowledged that he signed and sealed the foregoing deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 3rd day of May A.D. 1849

Bracket Mills *Geo*
Justice of the Peace

May 21st 1849 Allen Fairchild has this day produced a bond for the faithful discharge of his duties as Constable of Centre Township for the year 1849 in the sum of five hundred dollars with D. L. Grimes and Sherman Fairchild as his securities thereon which bond is now here approved

For value received I do hereby assign over and transfer to Frederick William Meier his heirs and assigns all my right title and interest and claim in and to the within certificate and the land therein contained In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 22nd day of May 1849

Lewis Meier *Geo*

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County set
This certifies that the above named Lewis Meier this day personally appeared before me Mr. H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County and acknowledged that he signed and sealed the foregoing transfer for the uses and purposes therein mentioned

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at the City of Evansville this 22nd day of May A.D. 1849

By James J. Walker deputy

Auditors office A.C.
May 31st 1849

Mr John Henry Bear

You are hereby appointed supervisor
of roads district No 2 in Armstrong Township
for A.D. 1849 to serve until the next April election
and until your successor is qualified

Wm H Walker A.C.
By James T. Walker deputy A.C.

W.H.W.

J. M. E.