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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 the City of Evansville on the fourth day of June A.D. 1849 (that being the first Monday of said month) When present John Burtis Ezekiel Sanders and Michael B. Jones members composing composing said County Board

Now here it is ordered by the board that the Auditor of Vanderburgh record the Road districts in said County which districts are as follows namely

Road districts in Pigeon Township

No. one. Commencing on the line between sections No 29 & fractional section No 30 at the point where the corporation line of the City of Evansville strikes said section line running thence in a Southwesterly course along the line of the Corporation of the City of Evansville to a point on the North line of section No 31 one fourth of a mile from the North East corner of said section No 31 thence South to the middle of the North East quarter of said section No 31 thence East to the line dividing section No 31 from Section No 32 thence South to the South West corner of said section No 32 thence East to the South East corner of said section No 32 thence North to the North East corner of section No 29 thence West to the North West corner of the North East quarter of said section No 29 thence South on the middle line of said section No 29 one quarter of a mile thence West to the corporation line of the said City of Evansville thence in a South Easterly course along the Corporation line of said City of Evansville to the North East Corner thereof thence in a South westerly course along said Corporation line to the place of beginning

No. Two. Commencing at a point where the line of Road district No 1 touches the Corporation line of the City of Evansville on the North Easterly line of said City of Evansville and running thence in a North westerly direction to the corner of said Corporation line or one quarter of a mile from the line dividing sections No 29 & 30 in Township No 6 South of Range No 10 West thence North to Pigeon Creek in the South East quarter of Section No 18 thence in a North Easterly direction along the meanderings of said pigeon creek to or near the North East corner of said Section No 17 thence north to the North East Corner of said Section No 17 thence East one half mile to the middle of Section No 21 thence South through the middle of said section No 21 to the South side thereof thence West to the South East corner of section No 20 thence North to the North East Corner of section No 29 thence West to the North West corner of the North East quarter of said section No 29 thence South one quarter of a mile thence West to the place of beginning

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No Three Commencing on the North line of Section No 31 in Township No 6 South of Range No 10 West one quarter of a mile from the North East Corner thereof running thence South one half mile thence East to the line dividing Sections No 31 and No 32 thence South to the South East Corner of said Section No 31 thence East to the South East corner of Section No 32 thence South to the Ohio River thence down said Ohio River to where the North line of Section No 31 intersects said Ohio River thence East along said North line to the place of beginning

No. Four Commencing at the Ohio River at the South Westerly Corner of the City of Evansville in Section No 20 in Township No 6 South of Range No 10 West and running thence in a North Easterly Course to the North Corner of said City of Evansville thence North on the line described as the Western boundary of Road district No 2 to pigeon creek thence North following the meanderings of Pigeon Creek to where it comes nearest the middle of Section No 13 in Township No 6 South of Range No 10 West thence West across said Pigeon Creek along the middle line of said section to the West side thereof thence South to the Ohio River thence up the said River along the meanderings thereof to the Place of beginning

Road Districts in Knight Township

No One Commencing at the South West corner of Section No 28 in Township No 6 South of Range No 10 West running thence East on the North side of Sections No 28. 27 & 26 to the middle of said section No 26 thence South through the middle of said section No 26 to the South side of said section No 26 thence West to the South West Corner of Section No 28 thence North to the place of beginning

No. Two Commencing one half mile East of the North West corner of section No 26 in Township No 6 South of Range No 10 West on the North side thereof and running thence East to the North East corner of Section No 30 in Township No 6 South of Range No 9 West thence South to the South East corner of section No 31 in said Township No 6 South of Range No 9 West thence West on the South side of section No 31 in said Township No 6 South of Range No 9 West and Sections No 36 & 35 in Township No 6 South of Range No 10 West to the middle of said section No 35 thence due North through the middle of sections No 35 & 26 to the Place of beginning

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No Three Commencing at the North East corner of section No 30 in Township No 6 South of Range No 9 West and running thence by a line due North until it strikes Pigeon Creek thence along the meanderings of said Pigeon Creek to where it intersects the North West corner on the nearest point to the North West corner of section No 16 in Township No 6 South of Range No 10 West thence South to the South West Corner of said Section No 16 thence East one half mile on the line dividing sections No 16 & 21 thence South through the middle of said section No 21 to the South line thereof thence East to the place of beginning

No Four Commencing at the North West corner of section No 33 in Township No 6 South of Range No 10 West and running thence East to the North East Corner of section No 34 in the same Township & Range thence South to the South East corner of section No 3 in Township No 7 South of Range No 10 West thence West to the South West corner of section No 4 in the same Township and Range thence due North to the place of beginning

No Five Commencing at the North East corner of section No 34 in Township No 6 South of Range No 10 West and running thence East one half mile on the North line of Section No 35 to the middle of said Section thence South through the middle of said Section No 35 in Township No 6 South of Range No 10 West to the South ~~of~~ Same line thereof thence East to the North East corner of section No 6 in Township No 7 South of Range No 9 West thence South to the Ohio River thence down the Ohio River along the meanderings thereof to the line dividing sections No 16 & 15 in Township No 7 South of Range No 10 West thence North along said line to the place of beginning

No Six Commencing at the North West corner of section No 9 in Township No 7 South of Range No 10 West running thence East to the North East corner of section No 10 in the same Township and Range thence due South to the Ohio River thence down the Ohio River along the meanderings thereof to where the North line of section No 9 intersects said Ohio River thence North along said North line to the place of beginning

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Road districts in Scott Township

No. One Commencing at the North East corner of Section No 24 in Township No 4 South of Range No 10 West and running thence South to the South East corner of section No 36 in the same Township & Range. thence due West to the middle of section No 34 thence due East due east through the middle of Sections No 34 27 & 22 in the Township and Range before mention until it Strikes the North line of said Section No 22 thence East to the place of beginning

No. Two. Commencing one half mile East of the North West corner of Section No 22 in Township No 4 South of Range No 10 West thence South through the middle of Sections No 22. 27 & 34 in the same Township and Range to the South line of section No 34 Thence West to the South West corner of section No 32 in said Township No 4 South of Range No 10 West thence North to the North West corner of section No 20 in the same Township and Range thence East to the place of beginning

No Three Commencing at the North East corner of Section No 19 in Township No 4 South of Range No 10 West and running thence South to the South East corner of Section No 31 in the same Township and Range thence West to the South West corner of section No 36 in Township No 4 South of Range No 11 West thence North to the North West corner of section No 24 in the last Mentioned Township & Range thence East to the place of beginning

No Four Commencing on the North line of section No 3 in Township No 5 South of Range No 10 West one half mile East from the North West corner of said Section thence South through the middle of Sections No 34 10 in the same Township and Range thence West to the South West corner of said section No 10 thence South to the South West corner of section No 15 in the Township and aforesaid thence East to the South East corner of section No 13 in the Township and Range last above described thence North to the North East corner of section No 1 in the same Township and Range Thence West to the place of beginning

No Five Commencing on the North line of Section No 3 in Township No 5 South of Range No 10 West one half mile East of the North West Corner of said Section thence South through the middle of Series Sections No 3 to the Southern boundary thereof thence to a point one quarter of a mile west of the North East Corner of Section

No 9 thence South line of said section No 9 thence West to the South West Corner of said last described section thence South to the South ~~West~~ East corner of section No 17 thence North to the North West corner of Section No 5 South of Range No 10 West thence East to the place of beginning

No Six Commencing at the North East Corner of Section No 6 in Township No 5 South of Range No 10 West and running thence to the South East corner of section No 18 in the same Township and range thence West to the South West corner of section No 13 in Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West thence North to the North West corner of Section No 1 in the Township and range last above described thence East to the place of beginning

No Seven Commencing one half mile West of the South East Corner of Section No 10 in Township No 5 South of Range No 10 West and running thence West to a point one quarter of a mile west of the North East corner of Section No 9 thence due South to the Southern boundary of said Section No 9 thence West to the South west corner thereof thence South to the South West corner of Section No 16 thence East to the South East corner of said Section No 16 thence North to the South West corner of Section No 10 thence due East on the South line of said Section one half miles thence due North through the middle of said Section No 10 all in Township No 5 South of Range No 10 West to the place of beginning

Road districts in Armstrong Township

No. One Commencing at the North West Corner of Section No 19 in Township No 4 South of Range No 11 West and running thence East to a point one half mile East of the North West corner of Section No 21 thence due South through the middle of Section No 21, 28 & 33 to the Southern boundary of said Section No 33 thence West to the South West Corner of Section No 31 all in Township No 4 South of Range No 11 West to the place of beginning

No Two Commencing one quarter of a mile due North from the South West corner of Section No 34 in Township No 4 South of Range No 11 West thence due East one half mile thence due South one quarter of a mile to the Southern boundary of said Section No 34 thence East to the North East corner of Section No 2 in Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West thence South to the South East corner of Section No 11 thence West to the South West Corner of Section No 10 all in Township No 5 South Range No 11 West thence South to the place of beginning

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No Four Commencing one half mile East of the South West corner of Section No 33 in Township No 4 South of Range No 11 West and running thence East to the South East corner of Section No 34 thence North one quarter of a mile on the West line of said Section No 34 thence due East dividing Equally the South West quarter of said Section 34 thence due South to the South West corner of the South East quarter of said Section No 34 thence East to the South East corner of Section No 35 thence North to the North East Corner of Section No 23 thence West to a point one half mile West of the North West Corner of Section No 22 thence due South through the middle of Sections No 22, 28 & 33 all in Township No 4 South of Range No 11 West to the place of beginning

No. Five Commencing at the North West corner of Section No 5 in Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West & running thence East to the North East corner of Section No 4 thence South to the South East corner of Section No 16 thence West to a point on the South line of Section No 17 one half mile from the South East corner thereof thence due North through the middle of Sections No 17 & 8 to the Northern boundary of said Section No 8 thence West to the South West Corner of Section No 5 all in Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West thence North to the place of beginning

No. Six Commencing at the North East Corner of Section No 6 in Township No 5 South of Range No 11 thence South to the South East corner of the same Section thence East one half mile thence South through the middle of Sections No 8 & 17 to the Southern boundary of said Section No 17 thence West to the South West Corner of Section No 18 thence North to the North West Corner of Section No 6 all in Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West thence East to the place of beginning

Road District in Perry Township

No one Commencing at the North West corner of the South West quarter of Section No 31 in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West and running thence East to the North East corner of said quarter Section thence North to the North West corner of the North East quarter of said Section No 31 thence East to the North East Corner of Section No 32 thence South to the Bayou thence South Westerly along the meandering of the Bayou to the Ohio River thence down the Ohio

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No Two Commencing at a point where the Bayow Strike the middle of section No 3 in Township No 7 South of Range No 11 West and running thence North through the middle of that part of said Section No 3 that lies North of the Bayow and also through the middle of sections No 34 & 27 in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West to the Northern boundary of said Section No 27 thence East to the Ohio River thence down the Ohio River to to the Bayow thence along the Bayow through the meanderings thereof to the place of beginning.

No Four

No Four Commencing at the South West corner of section No 23 in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West thence North to the North West corner of the South West quarter of the South West quarter of the same Section thence East to the North East Corner of said South West quarter of the South West quarter of said Section No 23 thence North to the North East corner of the North West quarter of the South West quarter of said section No 23 thence West to the North West quarter thereof thence East to the North West corner of said Section No 23 thence West to the South West corner of said section No 15 thence North to the North West corner of said Section No 15 thence East to the North East corner of Section No 23 all in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West thence West to the place of beginning

No Five Commencing at the North West corner of Section No 33 in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West and running thence East to the North West Corner of section No 34 in the same Township and Range thence South to the South West corner of the North West quarter of said section No 34 thence East to the South East corner of said quarter of said section thence South to the Bayow thence down the Bayow in a South Westerly direction until it is intersected by the Western boundary of Section No 9 in Township No 7 South of Range No 11 West thence North to the place of beginning

No Six Commencing at the North West corner of of the South West quarter of section No 31 in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West thence East to the North East corner of said quarter Section thence North to the North East corner of the North West quarter of said Section No 31 thence East to the North East corner of section No 33 Thence South to the

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South West corner of the North West quarter of Section No 34 thence East to the South East corner of said quarter Section thence North to the North East Corner of the North West quarter of Section No 27 thence West to the North East corner of the South East quarter of Section No 19 thence West to the North West corner of the South West quarter of said Section No 19 all in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West thence South to the place of beginning

No Seven Commencing at the North West corner of the South West quarter of Section No 19 in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West and running thence East to the North East corner of the South East quarter of said Section No 19 thence South to the South West corner of Section No 20 thence to the South West Corner of Section No 23 thence North to the North West corner of the South West quarter of the South West quarter of said Section No 23 thence East to the North East of the South East quarter of said South West quarter of the South West quarter of said Section No 23 thence North to the North East corner of the North West quarter of the South West quarter of the same Section thence West to the North West corner of said South West quarter of said Section No 23 thence North to the North East corner of Section No 22 thence West to the North West corner of the same Section thence North to the North East corner of Section No 16 thence West to the North West corner of Section No 18 all in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West thence South to the place of beginning

Road districts in Union Township

No. One Commencing at the South West corner of the North West quarter of Section No 27 in Township No 7 South of Range No 11 West and running thence East to the South East Corner of the North East Quarter of the South East quarter of said Section No 27 thence North to the North East corner of Section No 23 thence East to the Ohio River thence up the said Ohio River along the meanderings of the same to where the Bayou intersects said Ohio River thence along said Bayou to where it is intersected by the West line of Section No 9 thence South to the South West corner of said Section No 9 thence East to the South East corner of said Section No 5 all in Township No 7 South of Range No 11 West thence South to the place of Beginning

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No Two Commencing at the Ohio River where the line dividing Fractional Sections No 24 & 25 in Township No 7 South of Range No 11 West and running thence down said Ohio river along the meanderings thereof until it is intersected by the line dividing fractional No 1 & 12 in Township No 8 South of Range No 11 West thence West to the South West corner of section No 2 in the Township and range last above discribed thence North to the North West corner of section No 26 in Township No 7 South of Range No 11 West thence East to the place of beginning

No Three Commencing at a point where the boundary line dividing Fractional section section No 1 & 12 in Township No 8 South of Range No 11 West intersects the Ohio River and running thence West to the North East corner of section No 10 in said Township No 8 South of Range No 11 West thence North to the North West corner of the South quarter of section No 26 in Township No 7 South of Range No 11 West thence West to the Ohio River thence up the Ohio River to the place of beginning

No Four Commencing at a point where the Western boundary of section No 9 in Township No 7 South of Range No 11 West intersects the Bayou thence North to the South West corner of said section No 9 thence East to the South East corner of the same section thence South to the South East corner of the North East quarter of section No 28 in said Township No 7 South of Range No 11 West thence West to the Ohio River thence down the Ohio River to the Bayou thence along the Bayou to the place of Beginning

Road districts in Centre Township

No One Commencing at the North West corner of Section No 31 in Township No 5 South of Range No 10 West thence South to the South West corner thereof thence East to the South East corner of the South West quarter of said section No 31 thence South to Pigeon Creek thence up said Pigeon Creek along the meanderings thereof to where said creek comes nearest to the South East corner of section No 8 in Township No 6 South of Range No 10 West thence to said South East corner of said section No 8 thence North to the North East corner of section No 5 in Township No 6 South of Range No 10 West thence thence East to the South East corner of the South West quarter of Section No 33 in Township No 5 South of Range No 10 West thence North to the North East corner of the North West quarter of said

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Section No 33 thence West to the place of beginning

No Two Commencing at the North West corner of the North East quarter of section No 19 in Township No 5 South of Range No 10 West and running thence South to the North West corner of the South East quarter of section No 30 thence East to the South East corner of the South West quarter of section No 28 thence North to the North East corner of the North quarter of section No 21 all in Township No 5 South of Range No 10 West thence West to the place of beginning

No Three Commencing at the South West corner of of the South East quarter of section No 33 in Township No 5 South of Range No 10 West thence East to the South East corner of said quarter section thence north to the North West corner of the South West quarter of the North West quarter of section No 27 thence East to the South East quarter of the North East quarter of said North West quarter of said section No 27 thence South to the South West corner of the North East quarter of said section No 27 thence East to the South East corner of the North East quarter of section No 25 thence North to the North East corner of section No 24 Thence West to the North West corner of the North East quarter of section No 21 all in Township No 5 South of Range No 10 West thence North to the place of beginning

No Four Commencing at the South West corner of section No 36 in Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West and running thence East to the South East corner of said section No 36 thence North to the North East corner of the same section thence East to the South East corner of the South West quarter of section No 30 in Township No 5 South of Range No 10 West thence North to the North East corner of the North West quarter of section No 19 in said Township No 5 South of Range No 10 West thence West to the North West corner of Section No 24 in Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West thence South to the place of beginning

No Five Commencing at the North West corner of Section No 4 in Township No 6 South South of Range No 10 West and running thence East to the North East quarter of said Section No 4 thence North to the North West corner of the South West quarter of the North West quarter of Section No 27 thence East to the North East corner of the South East quarter of the North West quarter of the same section thence South to the South West ~~quarter~~ corner of the North East quarter of said section No 27

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thence East to the North East corner of the South East quarter of section No 25 all in Township No 5 South of Range No 10 West thence South to Pigeon Creek thence down said Pigeon Creek to the nearest point to the South West corner of section No 9 in Township No 6 South of Range No 10 West thence North to the place of beginning

No Six Commencing at the North West corner of section No 1 in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West and running thence East to the North East corner of the North West quarter of section No 6 in Township No 6 South of Range No 10 West thence South to Pigeon Creek thence in a westerly direction along the meanderings of said Pigeon Creek to where it strikes the western boundary of section No 13 in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West thence North to the Place of beginning

Road district to be German Township

No One Commencing at the North West corner of Section No 15 in Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West thence East to the North Corner of section No 16 thence South to the South East corner of section No 23 thence West to the South West Corner of section No 22 all in Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West thence North to the place of beginning

No Two Commencing at the North West corner of section No 27 in Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West & running thence East to the North East Corner of section No 26 thence South to the South East Corner of the North East quarter of the North East quarter of section No 35 thence west to the South West Corner of the North West quarter of the North West quarter of the same section thence North to the North West corner of section No 35 thence East to the South East Corner of section No 27 all in Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West thence North to the place of beginning

No Three Commencing at the North West corner of section No 34 and running thence East to the North East to the North East corner of said section thence South to the North West corner of the South West quarter of the North West quarter of section No 35 thence East to the North East corner of the South East quarter of the North East quarter of said section No 35 all in Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West thence South to the South East corner of section No 11 in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West thence West to the South West corner of section No 10 in said Township No 6

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South of Range No 11 West thence North to the place of beginning

No Four Commencing at the the North West corner of the North East quarter of section No 19 in Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West and running South to the South West corner of the South East quarter of the same section thence East to the North West Corner of Section No 29 thence South to the South West corner of the same section thence East to the South East corner of the South West quarter of Section No 28 thence South to the South West corner of the South East quarter of Section No 33 thence East to the South East corner of said South East quarter of said section No 33 thence North to the North East corner of section No 21 all in Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West thence West to the place of beginning

No Five Commencing at the South West corner of the South East quarter of section No 7 in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West and running thence due North through the middle of said section No 7 to the North West corner of the North East quarter of said section No 7 thence East to the North East corner of the same section thence North to the North West corner of section No 5 thence East to the North East corner of the North West quarter of said section No 5 all in Township No 6 South of Range South of Range No 11 West thence North to the North West corner of the North quarter of section No 32 in Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West thence East to the North East corner of the North West quarter of section No 33 thence South to the South East corner of the North East quarter of said section No 33 thence North to the North East corner of section No 4 in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West thence South to the South East corner of section No 9 Thence West to the place of beginning

No Six Commencing at the North East corner of section No 19 in Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West and running South East to the North East corner of the North West quarter of said section No 19 thence South to the North West corner of the North East quarter of section No 30 thence East to the North corner of the same section thence South to the North East corner of section No 31 thence East to the North East corner of the North West quarter of section No 32 thence South to the South East corner of the

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South West quarter of the same section thence West to the South West corner of said section No 32 all in Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West thence South to the North East corner of section No 7 in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West thence West to the North East corner of the North West quarter of the same section thence South to the South to the South East corner of the South West quarter of said section No 7 thence West to the South West corner thereof thence North to the place of beginning

Now here Christian Shargenheimer supervisor of Road district No 3 Scott Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here William Olmstead supervisor of Road district No 6 Centre Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here John M Lockwood Supervisor of Road district No 7 in Perry Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approve

Now here Loren A Kelsey supervisor of Road district No 1st in Knight Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here John Hall supervisor of Road district No 2 in Knight Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here Ira Cavins Supervisor of Road district No 7 in Perry Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here Edward Bullis supervisor of Road district No 4 in centre Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here Samuel Carlisle supervisor of Road district No 3 in Knight Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approves

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Now here William Crist Supervisor of Road district No 4 in Scott Township for 1848 makes report as such Supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here J. R Cain supervisor of Road district No 1 in Armstrong Township for 1848 makes report as such Supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here Barny Swenbarn Supervisor of road district No 1 in Perry Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here John Martin Supervisor of Road district No 4 in Armstrong Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here Simeon Long supervisor of Road district No 4 in Union Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here Moses Barnes supervisor of Road district No 2 Scott Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here John Hogen supervisor of Road district No 6 in Perry Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here Thomas Onyet supervisor of Road district No 3 in Centre Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here Henry Settuga supervisor of Road district No 1 in Germen Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here Joel Maltby supervisor of Road district No 1 in Scott Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approves

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Now here Michael Herschelman Supervisor of road district No 6 in German Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here Richard Peck Supervisor of Road district No 7 in Scott Township for 1848 makes report as such Supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here Frederick Kneonen Supervisor of Road district No 4 in Pigeon Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approve

Now here Edward Andrews Supervisor of Road district No 5 in Scott Township for 1848 makes report as such Supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here Reinhardt Jockel Supervisor of Road district No 2 in German Township for 1848 makes report as such Supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here Nicholas Long Supervisor of Road district No 4 in German Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here Adoniram D Taylor Supervisor of Road district No 2 in Centre Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here Jonathan W Cochrum Supervisor of Road district No 3 in Pigeon Township for 1848 makes report as such Supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here Jerah Fairchild and Robert Barnett appointed by the board to view and inspect the Condition of the poor house make the following report namely

To the Honorable the board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh Cent.

In pursuance of an order appointing us to view and inspect the condition of the Poorhouse Respectfully report that we have discharged that duty we visited the poor house three or four times since our appointment and are of opinion that the keeper thereof has fully discharged his duty and has done all in his power for the comfort and convenience of the inmates at our visits we have generally found

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from 8 to 9 confined therein June 4th 1849
(signed) Zerah Fairchild
Robert Parret
which report the board now here approves

Now here John Hall overseer of the Poor of Knight Township makes the following report namely

J Hall overseer of the poor of Knight Township would beg leave to report that during the year ending June 4th 1849 the following orders were granted to wit

One for the removal of Mrs Harker to the Poorhouse on complaint of Robert Carney

One on complaint of A P Hutchenson for the removal of a sick man from his house to the poorhouse granting temporary relief

One on complaint of R. B. Lane for the removal of a woman and child from his house to the poorhouse

One for the removal of Mrs Nedalton and three children on complaint of John Rhodrid

one for the burial of Mrs Stephens on application of H. P. Vaughan

And one for the burial of John Kitcheon

All of which is respectfully submitted
John Hall
Justice of the Peace

which report the board now here approves

Issued No 33 Fb $2.00/100 Ordered that John Hall be allowed two dollars for services as overseer of the Poor of Knight Township

Issued No 34 Fb $2 25/100 Ordered that Nicholas Long be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents of services as supervisor of roads for 1848

Issued No 35 Fb $1 50/100 Ordered that Moses Barnes be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for services as Supervisor of roads for 1848

Issued No 36 Fb $2 25/100 Ordered that Christian Morgenhemm be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for services as Supervisor of roads for 1848

Issued No 37 Fb $3 75/100 Ordered that Adoniram Taylor be allowed three dollars and seventy five cents for services as supervisor of roads for 1848

Issued No 38 Fb $3 75/100 Ordered that Edward Andrews be allowed three dollars and seventy five cents for services as Supervisor of roads ~~district~~ for 1848

Issued No 39 Fb $3 00/100 Ordered that Richard Peck be allowed three dollars for services as supervisor of roads for 1848

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Issued No 40 To $4.50/100 Ordered that Michael Herschelman be allowed Four dollars and Fifty Cents for services as Supervisor of Road for 1848

Issued No 41 To $ 3.75/100 Ordered that Thomas Onyet be allowed three dollers and seventy five cents for services as supervisor of Roads for 1848

Issued No 42 To $ 2.75/100 Ordered that Joel Mattly be allowed two dollars and seventy five cents for service as supervisor of roads for 1848

Issued No 43 To $ 2.25/100 Ordered that John Martin be allowed two dollars and twenty five Cents for services as supervisor of roads for 1848

Issued No 44 To $ 3.00/100 Ordered that John Hogue be allowed three dollars for service as supervisor of Roads for 1848

Issued No 45 To $ 1.50/100 ordered that Simeon Long be allowed one dollen and fifty cent for services as Supervisor of Roads for 1848

Issued No 46 To $ 2.50/100 Ordered that John F Shelton be allowed ~~two~~ dollars and fifty cents for services as Supervisor of Roads for 1848

Issued No 47 To $ 3.37/100 Ordered that William Temple be allowed three dollars and thirty seven cents for services as supervisor of roads for 1848

Issued No 48 To $ 2.25/100 Ordered that Samuel Carlisle be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for services as Supervisor of roads for 1848

Issued No 49 To $ 2.25/100 Ordered that Edward Burtis be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for service as Supervisor of roads for 1848

Issued No 50 To $ 2.25/100 ordered that Soren A Kelsey be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for services as Supervisor of roads for 1848

Issued No 51 To $ 3.75/100 ordered that Zachariah B. Aydelott be allowed three dollars and seventy five cents for receiving and discharging prisoners

Issued No 52 To $ 2.00/100 Ordered that Zacharaiah B. Aydelott be allowed two dollars for expenses of Elections

Issued No 53 To $ 1.00/100 Ordered that Casimer Schlamp be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge of an election

Issued No 54 To $ 3.25/100 Ordered that John Newhouse be allowed three dollars and twenty cents for filling up Cellar on public Square & and hauling water

Issued No 55 To $ 1.37/100 ordered that John Read be allowed one dollar and thirty seven cents for hauling dust to public house and hauling water

Issued No 56 To $ 25.00/100 Ordered that Zacharaiah B. Aydelott be allowed twenty dollars for Ex Officio services as Sheriff of Vanderburgh County

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Issued No 57 ℔ $17 63/100 Ordered that John Echols be allowed Seventeen dollars and sixty Eight cents for articles furnishe for Jail & keeping prisoners

Issued No 58 ℔ $4 00/100 Ordered that James L. Baker be allowed four dollars for timber taken by the supervisor to repair the roads

Issued No 59 ℔ $1 00/100 Ordered that John Mann be allowed one dollar ~~and seventy five~~ cents for poll tax improperly paid by him

Issued No 60 ℔ $4 00/100 Ordered that Jerah Jarrell be allowed four dollars for viewing and inspecting poor house

Issued No 61 ℔ $2 00/100 Ordered that Robert Parrett be allowed two dollars for viewing and inspecting poorhouse

Issued No 62 ℔ $2 50/100 Ordered that Canada Higgenbothem be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for assisting assessor

Issued No 63 ℔ $25 00/100 Ordered that John S Terry be allowed twenty five dollars for assessing the County for 1849

Issued No 64 ℔ $10 00/100 Ordered that John S Terry be allowed ~~twenty~~ ten dollars for assessing the County for 1849

Issued No 65 ℔ $10 00/100 Ordered that John S Terry be allowed ~~twenty~~ ten dollars for assessing the County for 1849

Issued No 66 ℔ $5 00/100 ordered that John S Terry be allowed Five dollars for assessing the county for 1849

Issued No 67 ℔ $5 00/100 Ordered that John S Terry be allowed Five dollars for assessing the County for 1849

Issued No 68 ℔ $5 00/100 order that John S Terry be allowed Five dollars for assessing the County for 1849

Issued No 69 ℔ $3 00/100 Ordered that John S Terry be allowed three dollars for assessing the County for 1849

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Issued No 70 H $4 75/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Four dollars and seventy five cents for assessing the County for 1849

Issued No 71 H $7 60/100 Ordered that Kratz & Heilman be allowed seven dollars and sixty cents for Grates furnished the Poorhouse

Issued No 72 H $29 00/100 Ordered that George B. Walker be allowed twenty nine dollars for medical attendance to prisoners in Jail

Issued No 73 H $2 00/100 Ordered that Barney Cody be allowed two dollars for services as Judge at two elections in Centre Township

Issued No 74 H $2 50/100 Ordered that G. T. Coppen be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for Whitewashing Jail

Issued No 75 H $4 55/100 Ordered that John A Reitz & Co be allowed four dollars and fifty five cents for furnishing timber for curbing on public square

Issued No 76 H $1 00/100 Ordered that Stephen Childs be allowed one dollars for hauling dirt from public Square

Issued No 77 H $8 50 Ordered that Edward Harvey be allowed Eight dollars and fifty cents for paving on public Square

Monday Morning June 4th 1849 (being the first monday in said month) the board of County Commissioners to wit John Burtis Ezekiel Saunders and Michael P. Jones members composing said board John S. Terry County assessor and James T. Walker deputy Auditor of Vanderburgh County convenienced at the Court house in said County and formed themselves into a board of equalization for the purpose of hearing and examining into any complaints of any person charged with a poll or personal property in the assessment of said County returned by the Assessor of said County for the year 1849 And now here the County Auditor produces to said board the assessment roll for the year 1849 and the board after the appointment of John Burtis President of said board proceeded to the examination of the same

Enoch C Dusky presents his bond as constable of Union Township with John T. Fisher and Abraham Decamps as his securities therein which said bond is now here approved

Ordered that the board of Equalization adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 O'clock John Burtis President

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 O'Clock John Burtis President

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Tuesday Morning June 5th 1849 the board met pursuant to adjournment when the same members, as were present yesterday. Also the board of Equalisation met at the same time and all the members were present as yesterday

Issued No 68 $ 6 00/100 Ordered that Calvin Williams be allowed six dollars for conveying a prisoner from Warrick County to the Jail of this County

Issued No 74 $ 10 00/100 Ordered that James Stephens be allowed ten dollars for pursuing & apprehending horsethief

Issued No 76 $ 10 00/100 Ordered that John Laslee be allowed ten dollars for pursuing & apprehending horsethief.

Issued No 81 $ 10 00/100 Ordered that Thomas Scales be allowed ten dollars for pursuing and apprehending horsethief

Issued No 82 $ 10 00/100 Ordered Thomas McCoy be allowed ten dollars for pursuing & apprehending horsethief

Issued No 83 $ 2 00/100 Ordered that John Clark be allowed two dollars for services as Judge of two elections in Centre Township

Issued No 84 $ 2 25/100 Ordered that George B. Magnon be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for services as Supervisor of Roads for 1848

Issued No 85 $ 3 00/100 Ordered that Archibald Fitzgerald be allowed three dollars for services as Supervisor of Roads for 1848

Now here George B. Magnon Supervisor of Road district No 3 in German Township for 1848 makes report as such Supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here Archibald Fitzgerald Supervisor of Road district No 5 in German Township for 1848 makes report as such Supervisor which report the board now here approves

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Now here James Hillyard and William Hillyard two of the viewers heretofore appointed to ascertain and describe so much of the road known as the Bluegrass road as will be of utility to any of the inhabitants of Vanderburgh County commencing at the State road leading from Evansville to Princeton near the residence of Benjamine Harvey makes the following report namely "

We James Hillyard and William Hillyard went and viewed a road for William Lansford as set forth in the within order and marked it and also that part of the Bluegrass road leading to Mark Wheelers as far as the County Road running by Mark Wheelers to the State road running to Princeton as we thought it not any benefit any further March 8th 1849

Wm Hillyard

James Hillyard

which report the board now here approves and Benjamin Harvey is hereby authorsed to open said road

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Issued — Ordered that Mrs Shuke be allowed one dollars for taxes paid for Poll improperly for 1848

Copied — Now here Morrison Fitzgerald David D Grimes and Samuel Kirkpatrick be and they are hereby appointed to veiw a road four Rods further East on the same line of a road on the East and West line between John Mauns and John Risingers to extend thence on a strait course to intersect the old road at John Risingers house distance sixteen Rods, in German Township and make report at the next term of this board

Issued — Ordered that Crawford Bell be allowed nine dollars for paper and Ink furnished the County

Issued — Ordered that Morrison Fitzgerald be allowed one dollar for services as Judge of an election in German Township

Copied — Now here George B Wagnon David D Grimes and Morrison Fitzgerald be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view and locate a certain Road that has been in public use for more than twenty ~~days~~ years, and viewers to begin at the bridge on the Harmony Road near the corner of Jacob Dansers land and running thence North East and running through Spindler and Huggenbothams land to John Hens land and terminating at the South East End of John Hens land ~~land~~ and that they make report at or before the next term of this board

Now here John A Blair supervisor of Road district No 1 in Union Township for 1848 make report as such supervisor which report the board now here approves

Issued — Ordered that John A Blair be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for services as Supervisor of roads for 1848.

Now here Gillson Magee of the firm of John H Ma Ghee & Co appears before the board of equalization and complains to the board that they are overcharged with personal property when the board satisfy themselves by the affidavit of Gillerlin Ma Ghee Order the assessment on the personal property of said John H Ma Ghee & Co to be reduced from 30000# to 20000#

Copied — Ordered that Nathaniel Divine be excused from paying road and poll tax

Ordered that Licence issue to John H Ma Ghee & Co to vend foreign Merchandise for one year from the 1st day of June 1849. upon their producing the County Treasurers receipt for seven dollars and fifty cents.

Issued — Ordered that William M Walker be allowed two dollars for surveying County Seminary lot

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Now here Saml L Olmsted Supervisor of road district 2 in Pigeon Township for 1848 makes Report as such Supervisor which report the board now here approves

Ordered that a licence issue to J & W Reilly to vend foreign merchandise for one year from the 1st day of June 1849 upon their producing the County Treasurers receipt for five dollars

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Ordered that Road District No 3 in Centre Township be altered so as to include all of Sections No 21, 28 & 33, the district as now laid off includes all Sections No 21, 22, 23, 24 & 33 and the North half of the North West quarter and all the North East quarter of section No 27 and the North half of Sections No 25 & 26 all in Township No 5 South of Range No 10 West

Ordered that a licence issue to Jacob Yeakle to vend foreign merchandise for one year from the 1st day of June 1849 upon his producing the County Treasurers receipt for five dollars

Ordered that a licence issue to ~~J & W Reilly~~ Germerhausen & Co to vend foreign merchandise for one year from the 1st day of June 1849 upon their producing the County Treasurers receipt for five dollars

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Now here it is ordered that A.A. McReynolds be excused from working on the Roads he having produced to the board a certificate of a Physician that he is unable from bodily infirmity to perform manuel labor

Ordered that the board of equalization adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 O clock

John Burtis Assistant

Ordered the that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 O clock

John Burtis President

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Wednesday Morning at 9 O'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when Enoch Sander and Michael P. Jones & John Burtis the members composing said board were present Also the board of Equalization also met at the same hour when all the members of said board where present ~~except John Burtis~~

Now here the Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court proceeded to draw the requisite number of Jurors for said Court for the ensuing year under the direction of the Board according to law

Now here it is ordered ~~it~~ is ordered that the certificate of election held on the 17th day of April 1849 for the purpose of voting on the question whether Stock in the Evansville and Illinois Rail Road Company shall be subscribed for and taken in the name and on behalf of said County for the amount of one hundred thousand dollars be spread upon the records which said Certificate reads as follows Namely "State of Indiana Vanderburgh County ss

The undersigned to be acted as inspectors at a Special election held at the several election precincts in said County on the 17th day of April A.D. 1849 for the purpose of voting on the question whether Stock in the Evansville and Illenios Rail Road Company shall be subscribed and taken in the name and on behalf of the County of Vanderburgh to the Amount of one hundred thousand dollars do hereby certify that we the said Inspectors met at the Courthouse of said County on the 14th day of April A.D 1849 that being the second day after said election and diligently and carefully compared the votes cast at said Election and we do certify that the following is the result of said election that is to say Six hundred and twenty four votes were cast in favor of taking and subscribing Stock in said Rail Road in the name and on behalf of the board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars and two hundred and eighty eight votes were cast against taking and subscribing Stock in said railroad in the name and on behalf of the board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars and that the majority in favor of said subscription is three hundred and thirty five votes Given under our hands this 14th day of April A.D. 1849

Joshua Bowles Inspector of Pigeon Township
Charles Knowles Inspector of Scott Township
L.D. Grimes Inspector of Germen Township
Martin Miller Inspector of Knight Township

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Sherman Fairchild Inspector of Election of Center Township
Harvey L Galloway Inspector of Election of Perry Township
Jas Stearnes Inspector of election of Union Township
Simon Williams Inspector of Elections of Armstrong Township

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Ordered that the Certificates of the elections election held in Pigeon and Center Townships at the April Elections 1849 for the purpose voting on the question whether a license should issue or not for retailing Spirituous liquors be entered on the minutes of this board which certificates are as follows namely

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County } Pigeon Township } Sct

To the Auditor of said County of Vanderburgh County

We the undersigned Joshua Bowles Inspector of election for said township Carman Schamp and Samuel Jarad Judges and Horace Plumer and J. B. Aydelott clerks of the Township election began and held at the Court house the usual place of holding elections in said township on the first Monday of April Anno Domini eighteen hundred and forty nine do hereby report to you the said Auditor and his deputy that at said election holden on the second instant three hundred and eleven legal votes were deposited in the ballot box and that of the said written votes one hundred and fifty six (being a majority thereof) were endorsed on writing in or upon them with the words "no license" according to the provisions of an act entitled "An act to authorize the people of the several townships of the several Counties to prohibit the retailing of Spirituous liquors which act was approved January twenty eighth in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and forty Seven and is to be found among the general laws of said State passed at the thirty first session of the General Assembly thereof You are therefore requested to lay this report before the County Commissioners of said County as soon as said act requires In witness of all which we have hereto set our hands and seals this the 2nd day of April in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and forty nine

Attest
Horace Plumer (Seal)
J. B. Aydelott (Seal)
Clerks of the April election

Joshua Bowles (Seal)
Inspector of Elections
Samuel Jarad (Seal)
Judge of Election
Carman Schlamp (Seal)
Judge of Election

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State of Indiana Vanderburgh County Centre Township } Scilicet

To the Auditor of said County of Vanderburgh & his deputy We the undersigned Alex A McReynolds Inspector of Election for said Township John Clark and Barney Cody Judges Zerah Fairchild and Samuel McCutcheon Clerks of the Township Election began and held at the usual place of holding election in said Township on the first monday of April Anno Domino eighteen hundred and forty nine, do hereby report to you the said Auditor and his deputy that at said election holden on the second instant fifty votes were deposited in the ballot box and that of said written votes forty one being a majority thereof were indorsed in writings in or upon thereof were endorsed in writing in or upon thereof with the words "No license" according to the provisions of an act entitled An act to authorise the people of the several Townships of the several countys to prohibet the retailing of spirituous liquors which act was approved January twenty eighth in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and forty seven and is to be found among the General laws of the said State passed at the thirty first session of the General Assembly thereof and you are therefore requested to lay this report before the County Commissioners of said County as said act requires In witness of all which we have hereunto set our hands and seals this the fourth day of April in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and forty nine

Z. Fairchild Seal
Saml McCutcheon Seal } Clerks
Alex A McReynolds Seal Inspector
John Clark Seal
Barney Cody } Judges

Issued No 91 H $ 18 75/100 Ordered that Henry Stook be allowed eighteen dollars and seventy cents for keeping paupers in case of Cholera

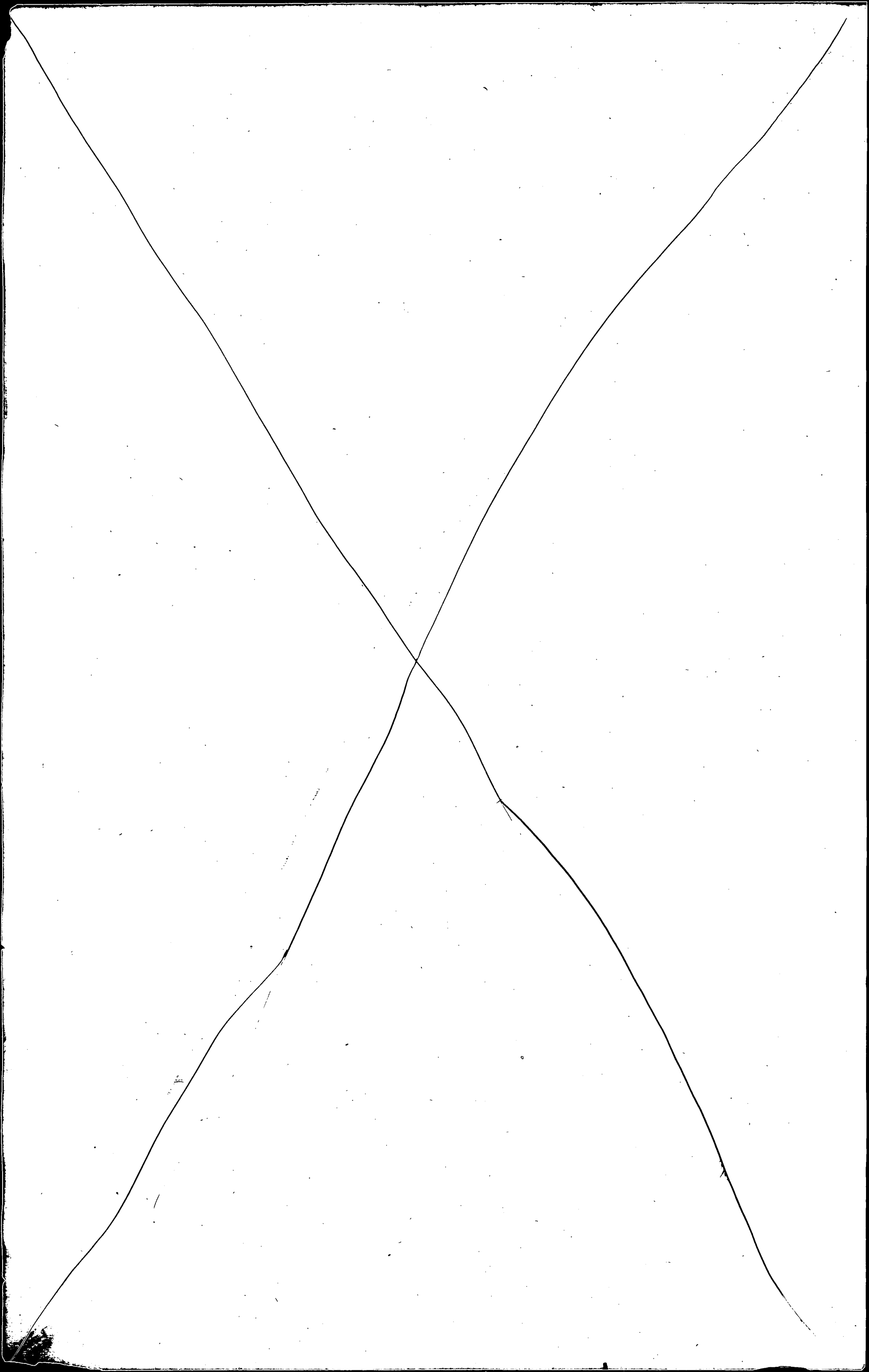
Issued No 92 H $ 1 00/100 Ordered that Samuel Jared be allowed one dollar for services as Judge of an election in Pigeon Township for 1849

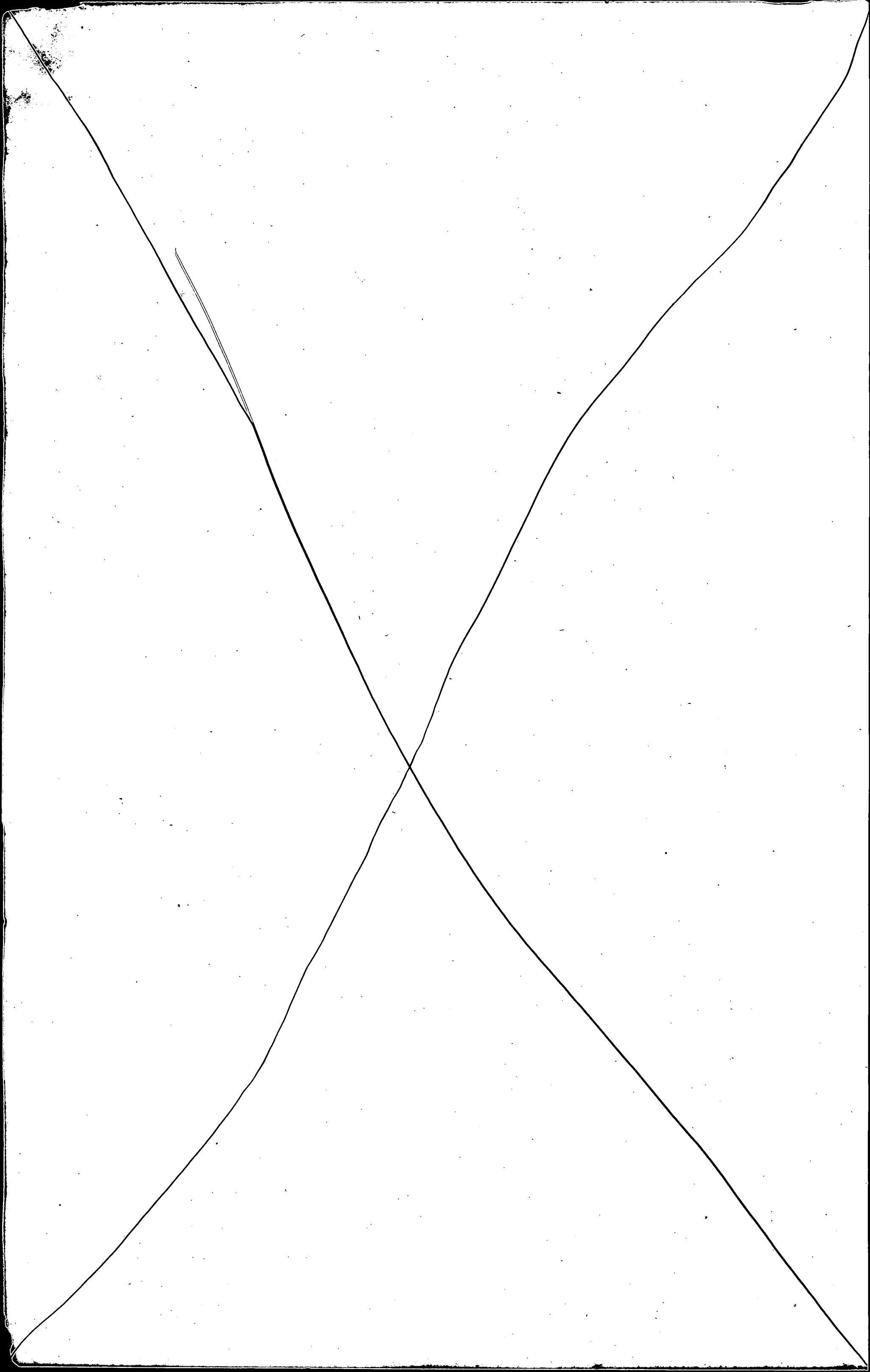
Issued No 93 H [illegible] 0 00/100 Ordered that Jesse Burns be allowed one hundred and thirty dollars for services and medicine for Cholera patients

Issued No 94 H $ 1 50/100 Ordered that William M Walker be allowed one dollar for services as viewer of a road in Pigeon Township

Issued No 95 H $ 1 00/100 Ordered that Joseph Wheeler be allowed one dollar for services as viewer of a road in Pigeon Township

Issued No 96 H $ 1 00/100 Ordered that Alanson Warner be allowed one dollar for services as viewer of a road in Pigeon Township





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Issued No 97 76 $92 77/100 Ordered that James I Walker be allowed ninety two dollars and seventy seven cents for services as County Auditor up to June 1st 1849

Issued No 98 76 $25 00/100 Ordered that James I Walker be allowed twenty five dollars for ex Officio services as County Auditor up to June 1st 1849

Now here William McCreary Supervisor of Road district No 6 in Scott Township for 1848 makes report as such Supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here the viewers appointed by this board to view a certain road in Pigeon Township therein named makes report which report is in words and figures as follows namely "We the undersigned having been appointed by the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh at their March Term 1849 to view and lay out a public highway sixty feet wide commencing at a point where the State road from Evansville to Princeton in Gibson county crosses the line dividing Sections twenty and twenty nine in Township number six South of Range No 10 West in Vanderburgh County thence East on said line to the canal beg leave to report that they have performed the duties required of them and laid out said road according to Order commencing at a point where the abovenamed state road crosses the line dividing Section No 20 & 29 in Township No 6 South of Range No 10 West thence East to the Canal distance two hundred and eighty six poles and we believe that it would be for the benefit and convenience of the property holders along said line to have said road established as a public highway

Wm M Walker
Joseph Wheeler
A Warner

Which report the board now here approves and the Supervisor of road district No is hereby authorised and required to open said road and keep the same in repair

Now here William Richey Supervisor of road district No 2 in Armstrong Township for 1848 makes report as such Supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here William Gorman Supervisor of road district No 5 in Centre Township for 1848 makes report as such Supervisor which report the board now here approves

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Now here James Marquis Supervisor of road district No 6 in Armstrong Township for 1848 makes report as such Supervisor which report the board now here approves

Issued No 99 76 $30 00/100 Now it Ordered that Michael B. Jones be allowed Thirty dollars for materials &c furnished the County on account of Bridges as per bill on file

Issued No 100 76 $33 00/100 Ordered that George F Schnell be allowed thirty three dollars for attendance on pauper sick with Cholera

Issued No 101 76 $4 50/100 Ordered that Watson Bates be allowed four dollars and fifty cents for hauling brick for paving public Square

Issued No 102 76 $2 25/100 Ordered that William Richey be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for services as supervisor of roads for 1848

Issued No 103 76 $2 25/100 Ordered that William McCrary be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for services as supervisor of roads for 1848

Issued No 104 76 $1 00/100 Ordered that Simon Williams be allowed four dollars for expenses of elections in Armstrong Township

Now here Curtis Cannon Supervisor of Road district No 4 in Knight Township for 1848 makes report as such Supervisor which report the board now here approves

Now here the County Treasurer submits the following quarterly report namely

The County Treasurer submits to the Board doing business for Vanderburgh County the following as his quarterly report of the amount and kind of funds by him received for the three months ending 31st day of May 1849

	Jury	Cash	Total
County Seminary Principal		493 69	493 69
County Seminary Interest		69 13	69 13
Surplus Revenue Principal		30 00	30 00
Surplus Revenue Interest		39 55	39 55
Saline Fund Principal		58 10	58 10
Saline Fund Interest		3 50	3 50
Bank Tax Fund Principal		45 19	45 19
Coroners Inquest Interest		4 64	4 64
Merchants License		47 50	47 50
Jury	4 50		4 50
Pedlars License		1 00	1 00
	4 50	792 30	796 80

Respectfully Submitted
R W Dunbar T. V.C.

Evansville
May 31st 1849
which report the board now here approves

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Now here the County Treasurer submits the following report namely

"The County Treasurer submits to the Board doing County busines for Vanderburgh County the following as his annual report of the receipts and expenditures on account of the County from from the first day of June A.D 1849 to the 31st day of May A.D. 1850 inclusive

Receipts		Expenditures	
There was remaining in the Treasurer at last settlement	4608 65	Road Tax	775 18
Road tax	815 51	County Seminary Principal	5.00
County Seminary Principal	55469	Surplus Revenue Principal	1357
Surplus Revenue do	888 34	do do Interest	287 07
do do Interest	254 72	State of Indiana	6332 23
Incidental	6.00	Redemption of Lands	77 21
Tavern Licence	70	Vanderburgh County	539 67
Merchants Licence	277 50	Poor House Purchase	1565-21
State of Indiana	647864	Improper Tax Sale	1 45
Redemption of Lands	90 64	Stationary	26 60
Vanderburgh County	827 178	Interest on County Orders	141 24
County Seminary Int	206 94	Incidental	10 52
Revised Statutes	3	County Semenary Int	30 97
County Lots	817. 14	Revised Statutes	17
Pedlers Licence	1.00	Bank Tax Fund Prin	100 00
Circus do	5	do do do Int	2 24
Saline Fund Principal	58 10	Bailiffs Allowances	72
Bank Tax Fund do	45 19	Printing	176 50
Bank Tax do Int	22 75-	County Auditor	484 54
Delinquent Tax 1847	17 66	Associate Judges	106
Coroners Inquest Fund Int	4 64	Delinquent Tax 1847	273 11
Jury Allowances	4 50	Specific	394 83
Saline Fund Int	14 14	County Commissioners	188 50
Coroner Inquest Fund Prin	114 78	Assessing Revenue	138
		County Agent	38
		Jury Allowances	608 55
		Ex Officio	250 00
		Saline Fund Interest	313
		Roads & Highway	385 84
		Coroners Inquest Fund Prin	165 35
		Coroners Jury	68 02
		Outstanding Claims	441 11
		Paupers	1211 04
		Public Building	515 98
		Prisoners	278 39
		Bridges	1963 35
		Elections	97 39
		Tax duplicate 1848	195 00
		Balance in Treasury	3582 89
	$ 23631 31		$ 23631 31

which report the board now here approves

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Now here the County Auditor submits the following annual report of the receipts and expenditures of Vanderburgh County for the financial year ending on the first day of June AD 1849 as follows

" A Statement of the receipts and expenditures at the Treasury of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana from June 1st 1848 to June 1st 1849

Receipts		Expenditures	
Balance in Treasury on the first day of June 1848	4626 67	Expenses of the Poor	1214 06
County Revenue for 1848	873 02	Expense of Elections	95 18
Jury Fees	4 50	Assessing Revenue	217 37
Delinquent tax for 1848 State & C	371 32	Public Buildings	808 30
Sale of County lots	817 14	Books & Stationary	183 05
Pedlars License	1 00	Roads & Highways	338 44
Road Revenue	805 37	Expenses of Prisoner	288 44
County Seminary fund Prin	534 19	Coroners Inquest	103 77
County Seminary fund Int	206 94	Expenses of Printing	173 30
Surplus Revenue fund prin	886 34	Expenses of Bridges	1744 25
Surplus Revenue fund Int	254 72	County Seminary fund Prin & Int	830 97
Incidental Receipts	6 00	Surplus Revenue Fund Prin	1050 00
Redemption of lands sold for taxes	90 64	Surplus Revenue Fund Interest	287 07
Theatre & Circus License	5 00	Lands improperly sold for taxes	18 85
Revised Statutes of 1843	3 00	Specific Allowances	359 89
Bank Tax fund Principal	45 19	Redemption of Lands	77 21
Bank Tax fund Interest	21 75	Associate Judges	108 00
Saline fund Principal	108 01	County Commissioners per diem allowances	174 00
Saline fund Interest	14 14	County Auditor	784 80
Merchants License	272 50	Outstanding orders & claims	1985 48
Funds deposited by Coroner	114 78	County Agent	50 50
Tavern & Grocery License	70 00	County Treasurer per centage	850 74
Road district No 2 in Ohio Township	10 00	Ex Officio Allowances	280 00
Coroners inquest Fund Interest	4 64	Bailiffs allowances	111 75
		Jury Allowances	324 50
		Bank Tax Fund principal	100 00
		Bank Tax fund Interest	2 84
		Road Revenue	771 43
		Saline Fund Principal	136 00
		Saline Fund Interest	3 13
		Deposites by Coroner	107 35
		County Library	100 00
		County Poorhouse	140 00
		Bayou Embankment	1189 27
		Amount of Receipts over Expenditures	1278 86
	17369 00		17369 00

Respectfully Submitted William H Walker A.V.C
By James S Walker deputy

which report the board now here approves and the Auditor of Vanderburgh County is authorised and required to have said report published in the Newspaper that will publish the same for the least price & that is published Weekly in the County of Vanderburgh & in the paper that has the largest circulation

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Copied — Now here a petition was presented to the Board signed by the legal number of qualified persons to have a road or Cartway laid out in Centre Township to be located as follows to commence near the South end of William Rustons house on the line between said Rustons and Jacob Locher and running west on said line and on the line between James R Kirkpatrick and Francis Sink to John Perrys farm thence through said Perrys farm where the road is now open and travelled to the line between Robert Smiths and Solon Loomes to Joshua Jones' farm and thence Westerly to the (road) leading from Lamasco to Princeton, when the board being duly satisfied that said petitioners had in all things complied with the law It is ordered that Harvey Blackburn Charles S. Olmsted and William E Wood be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view and locate said road and report their proceedings at the next term of this Board

Issued — No 105 H $ 4.00/100 Ordered that John S Martin be allowed Four dollars for taking care of James McDaniel a pauper

Issued — No 106 H $ 6.00/100 Ordered that William A Slaght be allowed six dollars for expenses of Funeral of John Ventress a pauper

Issued — No 107 H $ 14.00/100 Ordered that Jacob Locher be allowed Fourteen dollars for taking care of John Babb a pauper

Issued — No 108 H $ 228.00/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed two hundred and twenty eight dollars for taking care of County poor

Issued — No 109 H $ 10.00/100 Ordered that Isaac Cassel berry be allowed ten dollars for medicine and medical attendance on a paupers

Issued — No 110 H $ 15.00/100 Ordered that John R Wilcox be allowed fifteen dollars for attending on James McDaniel a pauper

Issued — No 111 H $ 18.00/100 Ordered that Isaac Hutchenson be allowed Eighteen dollars for medical attendance and medicine for paupers

Issued — No 112 H $ 16.00/100 Ordered that William Ford Harwood be allowed sixteen dollars for food and nourishment to pauper sick with the Cholera

Issued — No 113 H $ 10.00/100 Ordered that Peter Scott be allowed ten dollars for nursing paupers sick with the Cholera

Ordered that the board of equalization adjourn until tommorrow morning at 9 o'clock

John Bartis Trust

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Ordered that the board adjourn until tommorrow morning at 9 O'clock

John Burtis President

Wednesday Morning at 9 O'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when the same persons were present as yesterday The board of equalization also met when all the members composing said board where present as yesterday

Now here Benoni Stinson Supervisor of Road district No 2 in Perry Township for 1848 makes report as such supervisor which report the board now here approve

Issued No 114 H $ 2.25/100 Ordered that Benoni Stinson be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for services as Supervisor for 1848

Copied Ordered that the Auditor of Vanderburgh County be authorised to receive sealed proposals for building two Stone abuttments for a bridge to be built near the mouth of Pigeon creek as follows to wit The foundation of said abuttments to be laid with two thickness of square edged white oak timber four inches thick each and not less than twelve inches wide to be laid crosswise below low water mark the size of said abuttments at the base to be 25 feet long and 12 feet thick and 20 feet at the top by 6 feet & 6 inches thick the ~~length~~ hight of the said abuttments to be to high water mark to be built of good substantial limestone three sides to be laid with hammered faced stone each of the layers to be of the same thickness through said abuttments from one side to ther other so that the joints will be on a straight line through from one side to the other none of the faced stone to be less the five inches thick and the joints well broke, said proposals to be for building said abutments with good time or laying the face stone with water cement. The proposals to state the difference between water cement for the face stone or lime mortar for the whole said proposal to be received until the 25th day of June 1849 & and the Auditor is authorised to have one hundred handbills advertising said proposals printed and posted up in different parts of the County & other places.

Ordered that a license issue to Decker & Kraner to vend foreign merchandise in Vanderburgh County for one year from the 1st day of June A.D. 1849 upon their producing the County treasurers receipt for five dollars

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Ordered that a license issue to Henry Henn to vend foreign merchandise for one year from the 1st day of June 1849 upon his producing the County Treasurers receipt for five dollars

Ordered that a fine of one dollar be ~~entered~~ against Wm Ford Harwood for contempt of Court and that he stand committed until said fine and costs are paid or replevied

Ordered that a license issue to Crawford Bell to vend foreign merchandise for one year from the 1st day of June 1849 upon his producing the County Treasurers receipt for five dollars

Now here Hugh McCrary Supervisor of Road district No 4 in Perry Township makes report as such Supervisor which report the board now here approves.

Issued No 1157 to $ 2 25/100 Ordered that Hugh McCrary be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for services as Supervisor for 1848

Issued No 1167 to $ 1 00/100 Ordered that James Houston be allowed one dollar for services as Inspector of an election in Perry Township

Ordered that Orlando B. Griffith have a license issued to him to vend foreign merchandise for the County of Vanderburgh for one year from the 1st day of June 1849 upon his producing the County Treasurers receipt for five dollars

Copied Whereas the board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh at their March Session in the year 1849 Ordered an election to be held in the County of Vanderburgh on the 12th day of April 1849 for the purpose of ascertaining whether the Majority of the qualified voters of the county were in favor of a Subscription of Stock in The Evansville and Illinois Rail Road Company which order was duly entered upon the Record and minute book of the board of Commissioners and reads in the words and figures following to wit " Now here it is ordered that an election be held at the usual places of holding elections 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 Evansville and Illinois Rail Road Company shall be subscribed for and taken in the name and on behalf of the County of Vanderburgh to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars and the County

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Auditor is hereby authorized to have three hundred printed notices of said election in handbill form printed and cause the same to be distributed throughout the County previous by to said election at which election was held on said day pursuant to the requisitions of the Statutes in such cases made and provided due and legal notice having been given pursuant to law and that due and legal return and certificate thereof was made to the Auditor of the County of Vanderburgh by the several inspectors of said election pursuant to law which certificate and return the Auditor of said County has at the present session of this board laid before the board it being the first regular session or meeting of the board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County since said election which report and certificate are in words and figures following to wit

"State of Indiana Vanderburgh County Ss The undersigned who acted as Inspectors at a special election held at the several election precincts in said County on the 12th day of April A D 1849 for the purpose of voting on the question whether stock in the Evansville and Illinois Rail Road Company shall be subscribed and taken in the name and on behalf of the County of Vanderburgh to the amount of One hundred thousand dollars do hereby certify that we the said Inspectors met at the Court House of the said County on the 14th day of April A.D. 1849 that being the second day after said election and diligently and carefully compared the votes cast at said election and we do certify that the following is the result of said election that is to say, six hundred and twenty four votes were cast in favor of taking and subscribing stock in said Rail Road in the name and on behalf of the said Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars and two hundred and eighty eight votes were cast against taking and subscribing stock in said Rail Road in the name and on behalf of the board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars and that the majority in favor of said subscription is three hundred and thirty six votes Given under our hands this 14th day of April A D 1849 at Evansville

Joshua Bowles Inspector of Pigeon Township
Charles Knowles Inspector of Scott Township
D.D. Grimes Inspector of German Township
Martin Miller Inspector of Knight Township
Sherman Fairchild Inspector of Centre Township
Harvey T. Calloway Inspector of Perry Township
James Stearns Inspector of Union Township
Simon Williams Inspector of Armstrong Township

and whereas it appears by said certificate that a majority of the qualified voters of said County did at said election vote in favor of a subscription to Stock in

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the Evansville and Illinois Rail Road Company It is therefore in obedience to said vote ordered that two Thousand Shares of Stock in the Evansville and Illinois Rail Road company be and the same are hereby subscribed for and taken in the name of and in behalf of the County of Vanderburgh and the Auditor of said County is hereby directed to subscribe five hundred Shares of said Stock with as little delay as practicable and so soon as said Company is duly organized by the election of directors and President to subscribe fifteen hundred Shares the balance and residue of said Two Thousand Shares to the Capital Stock of said Rail Road Company

Copied Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County that the Auditor of said county draw a note to the order of Robert W Dunbar Treasurer of said County negotiable and payable at the Branch at Evansville of the State Bank of Indiana for the sum of one thousand and twenty dollars and fifty cents payable in four months and affix the seal of the Board of Commissioners thereto which note the Treasurer is hereby directed to ask said Branch Bank to discount with leave to renew once without a call which note is to be paid out of the revenue assessed for the year 1849 a sufficient amount having been specially assessed for the purpose of paying said note in addition to the ordinary assessments for County purposes and which is specially set apart for that particular purpose and to be used for no other purpose whatever

Issued No 117 Lb $12.50/100 Ordered that Thomas E Gavin be allowed twelve dollars and fifty cents for services as County Agent to June 1849

Issued No 118 Lb $2.40/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed two dollars and forty cents for services as County Auditor as per bill filed

Now here it is ordered that the portion of the road leading from Evansville to Princeton in Gibson County be permanently located on the same ground where said road now runs beginning at the Corporation line of the City of Evansville and running thence along said road as now used, in a north Easterly direction until it comes to an alley on the South of Lot No in Block in Lilliston & Lockharts Enlargement near said City of Evansville which is now owned by Thomas McAlpin and occupied by his family

32 Lb $104.00/100 Ordered that John Burtis be allowed one hundred and four dollars for services at the Bayou Embankment

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Ordered that the Board of Equalization ~~adjourn~~ until to morrow morning at 9 O'clock

John Burtis Pres.

Ordered that board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 O'clock

John Burtis Pres.

Thursday morning at Nine O'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when present the same members as yesterday Also the board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment all of the members of said board being present as yesterday

Copied Ordered that if the Treasurer cannot negotiate the note ordered to be issued on yesterday for 1020 50/100 $ at the Evansville Branch of the State Bank he is at liberty to negotiate it whenever ~~the proceeds~~ he can upon the same Terms ordered upon yesterday the proceeds of which being 1000 dollars The Treasurer is directed to pay to the Commissioners of the Evansville and Illinois Rail Road Company upon the order of the Auditor it being two dollars per share on five hundred shares of stock subscribed to the Capitol Stock of said Rail Road Company

Copied Now here it is ordered that an order made at the Special April term 1849 for the overseers of the Poor ~~be and they are hereby authorized~~ of Pigeon Town ship to make suitable arrangements for taking care of the transient paupers that are not proper subjects to be sent to the poorhouse be and the same is hereby rescinded & cancelled

Issued No 119 H $ 5 00/100 Ordered that Francis Muhlhausin be allowed five dollars for medicine and medical attendance to John Babb a pauper as per bill filed

Issued No 120 H $ 10 50/100 Ordered that Christian Decker be allowed ten dollars and fifty cents for building abuttments for bridge across the bayou as per bill filed

Issued No 121 H $ 10 50/100 Ordered that Christian Decker be allowed ten dollars and fifty cents for building abuttments for bridge across the bayou as per bill filed

Issued No 122 H $ 5 00/100 Ordered that Christian Decker be allowed five dollars for building abuttments for bridge across the Bayou as per bill filed

Issued No 123 H $ 5 00/100 Ordered that Christian Decker be allowed five dollars for building abuttments for bridge across the Bayou as per bill filed

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Issued No 125 H $5.00/100 Ordered that Christian Decker be allowed five dollars for building abuttments for bridge acrop the Bayou as per bill filed

Issued No 126 H $10.00/100 Ordered that Christian Decker be allowed ten dollars for building abuttments for bridge acrop the Bayou as per bill filed

Issued No 127 H $10.00/100 Ordered that Christian Decker be allowed ten dollars for building abuttments for bridge acrop the Bayou as per bill filed

Issued [illegible] 16.00/100 Ordered that Christian Decker be allowed ten dollars for building abuttment for bridge acrop the Bayou as per bill filed

Issued No 129 H $25.00/100 Ordered that Christian Decker be allowed twenty five dollars for building abuttments for bridge acrop the Bayou as per bill filed

Issued No 130 H $25.00/100 Ordered that Christian Decker be allowed twenty five dollar for building abuttments for bridge acrop the Bayou as per bill filed

Issued No 131 H $25.00/100 Ordered that Christian Decker be allowed twenty five dollars for building abuttments for bridge acrop the Bayou as per bill filed

Issued No 132 H $3.00/100 Ordered that Christian Decker be allowed three dollars for building abuttments for bridge acrop the Bayou as per bill filed

Now here John S. Hopkins comes before the board of Equalization and satisfies the board by his affidavit that he is assessed too high where upon it is ordered that his personal property be reduced from six thousand dollars to five thousand dollars

Now here Oliver Ladd has his personal property reduced by his affidaved from ten Thousand dollars to Eight Thousand dollars by order of this board.

Now here ~~John Shanklin~~ it ordered that a license issue to John Shanklin to vend foreign merchandise in Vanderburgh County for one year from the first day of June 1849 upon his producing the County Treasurer receipt for five dollars

Now here it is ordered that a license issue to John S. Hopkins to vend foreign merchandise in Vanderburgh County for one year from the 1st day of June 1849 upon his producing the County Treasurers receipt for five dollars

Now here it is ordered that a license issue to Oliver Ladd to vend foreign merchandise in Vanderburgh County for one year from the 1st day of June 1849 upon his producing the Co Treas rect for $5.

Now here John Shanklin comes before the Board of equalization and satisfies the board by his affidavit that he is assessed too high where where upon it is ordered that his personal property be reduced from eight Thousand dollars to six thousand dollars

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Now here Robert W. Dunbar Treasurer of Vanderburgh County comes before the Board and makes oath and subscribes said oath that the funds he presents to the board of County Commissioners of Vanderburgh County at ~~their~~ his annual settlement with said board at their June Session 1849 are bona fide the funds belonging to said County and that the same have not been borrowed by him or by any other person for him for the purpose of such settlement

Now here it is ordered that a license issue to John Henrich to vend foreign Merchandise in Vanderburgh County for one year from the 1st day of June 1849 by his producing the County Treasurers receipt for five dollars

Now here the County board proceed to Count the money in the hands of the Treasurer and after Counting said money find a deficit of seven hundred dollars which funds, that are ~~that were~~ deficit where stolen from the Safe in the Treasurers office during the past year

Issued No 133 H $ 1 77/100 Ordered that Thomas Hall be allowed one dollar an seventy seven cents for services as constable at an Inquest held by the Coroner over the body of Richard Thomas as per bill filed

Issued No 134 H $ 3 75/100 Ordered that John Burbank be allowed three dollars and seventy five cents for services as supervisor of Roads for 1848 as per bill filed

Now here John Burbank ~~Supervisor~~ of Road district No 1 in Centre Township makes report as such Supervisor which report the board now here approves

It is now here ordered that the Revenue for the year 1849 be levied and fixed by this board as follows towit For State purposes the board levies and fixes the taxes for said State purposes at twenty five cents on each one hundred dollars of the value of all property entered for taxation in the general list of taxables and seventy five cents on each poll subject by law to taxation and one cent and seven and one half mills for the Indiana hospital of insane; 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 purposes of County Revenue the board now here levies and fixes the taxes as follows towit Sixty nine cents for the ordinary and six cents to pay for the Rail Road interest said six cents to be set apart for the special purpose of paying said Rail Road interest and for no ~~the~~ other purposes

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making for County purposes seventy five cents on each one hundred dollars valuation of all property entered for taxation in the General list of taxables and one dollar on each and every poll subject by law to taxation

For each Caravan menagerie or other collection of animals and for each show of any figures and for each circus or Theatre rope or wire dancing or slight of hands exhibited for reward ~~not less than~~ twenty five dollars for each days exhibition or performance to be levied and collected for County purposes

The board now here fixes the licences to keep a ferry acrop the Ohio River at the Mouth of Green River on land owned Acnaes McCallister for 1849 at three dollars and for license to keep a ferry across the Ohio River oposite the Town of Henderson in the State of Kentuck on the land owned by William Anthony for 1849 at five dollars and the rates of ferriage shall be for a man or woman fifteen cents for a man and horse thirty seven and half cents and for one horse and buggy seventy five cents for team of ~~and~~ two horses a wagon seventy five for team of four horses and wagon one dollar and twenty five cents

Ordered that the persons who claim the property purchased by the County of Vanderburgh for a County Seminary and known as the County Seminary lot be allowed to buy that part of said lot that they ~~have~~ claim by an adverse title & ~~be allowed~~ upon their paying to the County treasurer of Vanderburgh County the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars on or before the first day of the next September Term of this board the property claimed by said persons Alvin B. Carpenter Oliver Ladd & others is known as Lillestons Enlargement and the County Agent is authorised to make a quit claim deed upon their producing the County treasurer receipt for the whole amounts of the two hundred fifty dollers claimed by the County & the board now here holds the County Agent harmless for any quit claim deed he may give pursuant to this order

Issued No 135 Feb $ 9 50/100 Ordered that Jesse Nightingale be allowed nine dollars and fifty cents for trees cut to repair the Roads as per bill filed

Issued No 136 Feb $ 20 00/100 Ordered that the City of Evansville be allowed twenty dollars for furnishing provision and nursing paupers sick with small pox

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Issued No 137 H $3.00 Ordered that James G. Parker be allowed three dollars for surveying & locating Princeton road as per bill filed

Issued No 138 H $3.00 Ordered that William M Walker be allowed three dollars for surveying & locating Princeton road as per bill filed

Issued No 139 H $3.00/100 Ordered that Bernard Nurse be allowed three dollars for expenses incurred with Richard Thomas who shot himself as per bill filed

Issued No 140 H $31.25/100 Ordered that Willard Carpenter be allowed thirty one dollars and twenty five cents for one quarters rent up to the 8th day of June 1849 as per bill filed

Now here Robert W Dunbar County Treasurer of Vanderburgh County comes before said board and subscribes and makes oath before this board in open Court to the following affidavit to wt "I Robert W Dunbar Treasurer of Vanderburgh County do Solemly swear that the funds which I have presented which I have presented to the County Commissioners of Vanderburgh County at my annual settlement with said Board at their June Session 1849 are bona fide the funds belonging to said County and that the same have not been borrowed by me or by any other person for me for the purpose of such settlement R W Dunbar T. V. C.

Sworn to in open Court June 9th 1849 Wm H Walker A V C
By James T. Walker deputy

Issued No 141 H $10.00/100 Ordered that John Burtis be allowed Ten dollars for five days services as County Commissioner for the present Session

Issued No 142 H $10.00/100 Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed Ten dollars for five days services as County Commissioner for the present Session

Issued No. 31 H. $6.00/100 Ordered that Michael P Jones be allowed six dollars for services as Commissioner for the present Session

Issued No 143 H $4.00/100 Ordered that Michael P. Jones be allowed four dollars for services as Commissioner for the present Session

Ordered that the board of Equalization adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 O'clock

John Burtis President

Ordered that the board do now adjourn untill the next court in course

John Burtis President
M P Jones
E Saunders

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Saturday Morning June 9th. 1849
The Board of equalization met pursuant to adjournment when all the members composing said board were present

Now here Willard Carpenter comes before the board and complains that he is assessed to high on the improvements made on the West half of fractional Section number thirty in Township Number six South of Range Number ten West whereupon the board now here orders said assessment to be reduced from $3.000 to $2.500

Now here Lewis Howes of the firm of Allis and Howes complains that they are assessed to high by the assessor when the board being satisfied by the affidavit of said Lewis Howes order that said assessment be reduced from $10000 to $8.000

Now here the board raise the value of taxables on the following named persons for their property assessed to them for the 1849 as follows to wit

On the property of	M J Bray	for improvements	from $2.000	to $2500
" " "	John Farrel	for personals	" $3.00	to $4.00
" " "	John H Maghee	"	$700	to $1200
" " "	G Hollenbergh	Improvements	$2.000	$2200
" " "	John S Sensmeire	personals	$220	$500
" " "	Bayles Benard	personals	$350	$450
" " "	Isaac Cavens	"	$60	$150
" " "	John Hogue	Improvements		$100
" " "	John B. Stinson	personals	$3.50	$7.00
" " "	John Edmunds	do for	$1185	$1500
" " "	Simeon Long	" "	$700	$1000
" " "	Edward Burtis	" "	$200	$400
" " "	Heirs of James Forquer	" "	$	$400
" " "	J. L Bettrolf	" "	$600	$1000
" " "	Thomas Cowles	" "	$1000	$1500
" " "	Martin Schmoll	" "	$150	$300
" " "	James Swanser	" "	$100	$400
" " "	J M Spear	" "	$150	$300

Now there Asa B. Bement of the firm of Bement & Biele complains that the firm is assessed to high as well as his own personal property when the board being duly satisfied by the affidavit of said Asa B. Bement they order that the assessment against Bement & Biele be reduced from $30.000 to $20.000 and that A B Bements individual tax be reduced $500 to $1,00

Saturday June 9th 1849 At a Special meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of Vanderburg County Called together for the purpose of appointing suitable persons to settle with Sutton Rowley late School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County and any other business

that may come before the Board Ezekiel Saunders John Burtis and Michael B Jones Esqr members composing said Boad of Commissioners were present

Now here this Board appoint Alfred M McGriff and Horatio D. Wheeler to settle with Nathan Rowley late School Commissioner of Randolph County and make report of their proceedings at the next Term of this Board and if they two disagree they are authorised to call in a third person to assist them

Issued No 1492 $2.00/100 Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed two dollars for two days services as a member of the Board of Equalization at the present Term

Issued No 1493 $2.00/100 Ordered that John Burtis be allowed two dollars for one days services as a member of said Board Equalization at the present term

Issued No 1494 $2.00/100 Ordered that Michael B. Jones be allowed two dollars for one days services as a member of the Board of Equalbration at the present term

Issued No 1495 $12.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed twelve dollars for six days services as a member of the Board of Equalbration at the present term

Issued No 1496 $12.00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed twelve dollars for six days services as a member of the Board of Equalbration at the present term

Ordered that the Board of Equalization do now adjourn

John Burtis President
Ezekiel Saunders
M B Jones
John S Terry Assessor
James T Walker A.D.C
By James T. Walker Deputy

Ordered that the Board do now adjourn

John Burtis President
E Saunders
M B Jones

In Vacation June 20th 1849

Richard Parrot is hereby appointed Supervisor of Road district No 1 in Pigeon for 1849 to serve until the next April Election and until his Successor is appointed and Qualified June 20th 1849

Special Session June 25th 1849

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana began and held in pursuance of an agreement made by them at their last Regular June term for the purpose of receiving proposals for building abutments for a bridge to be built near the mouth of Pigeon-breek and any other business that may be brought before them when present Ezekiel Saunders John Burtis and Michael D Jones members composing said Board where present

Issued No 251 H $ 1 00/100 Ordered that Harvey T Calloway be allowed one dollar for returning Poll books of an election in Perry Township in April 1849

Issued No 252 H $ 3 00/100 Ordered that Robert Fergus be allowed three dollars for making coffin for a man found drowned

Issued No 253 H $ 12 83/100 Ordered that Samuel T Jenkins be allowed twelve dollors and sixty three cents in part payment for Ex Officio Services as Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

Issued No 254 H $ 12 37/100 Ordered that Samuel T Jenkins be allowed twelve dollars and thirty seven cents for balance of Ex Officio services as Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

Issued No 255 H $ 9 25/100 Ordered that John Smith Goodge be allowed nine dollars and twenty five cents for digging graves for persons scalded on Steamboat Embassey

Issued No 256 H $ 2 50/100 Ordered that Elisha B. Clark be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for sevices as Constable at coroners inquest & coming to town for Office

Issued No 257 H 23 10/100 Ordered that Samuel T Jenkins be allowed twenty three dollars and ten cents for books and Stationary furnished for the Clerks office

Issued No 258 H $ 46 91/100 Ordered that James T Walker be allowed Forty six dollars and Ninety one cents for services as County Auditor

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

John Burtis President

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Tuesday June 26th 1849 at 8 O'clock A.M the board met pursuant to adjournment when present the same members as yesterday

Issued No 2391 16 $ 3.00 Ordered that Christian Decker be allowed three dollars for services as pound keeper for two years to the 26th day of June 1849

Issued 10260 16 $ 3.00 Ordered that J. Beahl be allowed three dollars for cleaning drift Chopping & other work at the bridge near Martin Simmons

Issued 10261 16 $ 5 62/100 Ordered that Daniel Rogers be allowed five dollars and sixty two cents for hauling sand for paving public Square

Issued 10211 16 $ 4 00/100 Ordered that Hodson & Kehoe be allowed four dollars for expense of paupers as per bill filed

Issued 10263 16 $ 7 00/100 Ordered that Thomas Butler be allowed seven dollars for expense of paupers as per bill filed

Issued 10246 16 $ 18.00 Ordered that Joel C. Mills be allowed eighteen dollars for making six coffins for paupers as per bill filed

Now here the bond heretofore given signed by George Bates and Thomas R. Smith and to be approved when signed by William Bates be and the same is now here approved although the said William Bates has not signed said bond said bond was given by George Bates for keeping the County poor for one year and seven months from the eighth day of June 1848

Now here the board enter into an agreement with Moses Rop to build two abuttments for a Bridge to be built near the mouth of Pigeon Creek which agreement is in words and figures as follows to wit

"This article of agreement made and entered into into between the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana of the one part and Moses Rop of the other part Witnesseth that the said Moses Rop agrees to build two Stone abuttments for a bridge to be built near the mouth of Pigeon Creek in the County and State aforesaid The foundation of said abuttments to be laid with two thicknesses of square edged timber the lower tier to be of Ash oak walnut or Cypress and the upper tier to be of oak walnut or cypress to be hewn timber ten inches thick and not

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less than twelve inches wide to be laid crosswise below low water mark the said abuttments at the base to be twenty seven feet long by fifteen thick to be built up to high water mark of good substantial limestone the three fronts of the Stone of said abuttments and wingwall to be range work Spall dressed the balance to be ruble work and laid in lime and said mortar none of the face stone to be less than five inches thick and the joints well broke to batter one inch to the foot in front of said abuttment the wingwalls to be range work spall dressed for which the said board of commissioners agree to give to the said Moses Ross for dry excavation twelve and one half cents per cubic yard and twenty five cents per cubic yard for excavating when it is necessary to bail out the water, four dollars for each twenty four and a half cubic feet for delivering stone and laying up the same in lime and sand mortar one dollar per hundred feet board measure for the timber for the foundation the height of said abuttments to be forty two feet more or less above low water mark and the wingwalls to be three feet higher than the abuttments said Moses Ross to be paid as the work progresses the first payment to be made when there has been five hundred dollars worth of work on said abuttments and for every estimate of of five hundred dollars of said work done on said abuttment said Moses Ross is to be paid he is to receive his pay in County orders for said work said work to be done under the direction of the Board of Commissioners, said abuttments shall be run up at least fifteen feet above low water mark before the first day of December 1849 and the whole Job to be completed on or before the first day of July A.D 1850

In testimony whereof the parties have hereunto set their hands and seals this 26th day of June A.D 1849

John Burtis Seal } Commissioners
E Saunders Seal } of Vanderburgh
M.P. Jones Seal } County
Moses Ross Seal

Now here Moses Ross files his bond for the faithfull performance of the above contract with Marcus Sherwood and John Mitchell as his securities in the sum of fifteen thousand dollars which bond is now here approved by the board

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Issued [illegible] Ordered that John Burtis be allowed four dollars for two days services as commissioner at the present session

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed four dollars for four day services as commissioner at the present session

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Michael S. Jones be allowed four dollars for four days services as commissioner at the present session

Ordered that the Board do now adjourn

John Burtis
E Saunders
M S Jones

Mr Simeon Long

Sir You are hereby appointed Supervisor of Road district No 4 in Union Township for 1849 and to serve until the next ~~August~~ election July 9th 1849

Special August Session A.D. 1849

At a special session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana began and held in pursuance of an agreement made by them at their last regular June term for the purpose of hearing and acting on the report of Engineer employed to ascertain the best location of the bridge to be built across Pigeon Creek near the Mouth and any other business that may be brought before them when John Burtis Ezekiel Saunders and Michael P. Jones ~~were present~~ members composing said board of Commissioners were present

No 332 Fb. $12 37/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed twelve dollars and seventy two cents for services as per bill filed

No 333 Fb $ [illegible] Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed ten dollars for services as per bill filed

Now here it is ordered that the County agent be and he is hereby authorised immediately to enter into a contract with the Board of Trustees for Lamasco City to fill up the embankment against the abuttments of the Bridge about to be built on Pigeon Creek where Franklin Avenue crosses said creek according to an order passed at Special meeting of said board held on the 3rd day of August 1849 and that said County agent take a bond from said Trustees or the proper persons to bind said Corporation for the faithfull performance of ~~their duties~~ said Contract

Ezekiel Saunders Esqr dissents from the passage of the above order

Ordered that the board adjourn until Monday Morning at 11 O Clock A.M. of said day

John Burtis Pres.

Special August Session A.D. 1849

Monday Morning August 6th 1849 at 11 O.clock A.M. the board met pursuant to adjournment when present the same members as on Saturday to wit John Byrtis Ezekiel Saunders and Michael S Jones Esqrs members of said board.

Now here it is ordered that two piers and two abuttments be built for the Bridge to be built acros pigeon Creek near the mouth of said Creek one abuttment and pier to be built on the East side of said Creek on the public ground between the land belonging to John A Reitz and the Ohio River adjoining said John A Reitz land and above the paving according to an estimate made by Samuel C Bradford Esqr which estimate is on file in this office with this exception that the piers to be built forty two feet above low water mark instead of fifty feet as marked in a profile accompanying said estimate the pier and abuttment to be built on the opposite side of said Creek to correspond with the first mentioned pier and abuttment.

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine Oclock

John Byrtis Chairt

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Tuesday Morning at 9 O'clock A.M. the board met pursuant to adjournment when present the Hon John Burtis Ezekiel Saunder and Michael P Jones Esqrs

(No 335 H $2.00) Ordered that Jesse Holloway be allowed two dollars for services as Judge at the Presidential election and returning Poll books for said election

Now here the order made on the 26th day of June AD 1849 at a Special June term of this board and also an order made yesterday at the present term of this board in relation to building abuttments and piers for a bridge near the mouth of pigeon creek be and the same are hereby rescinded and that the board agree that two abuttments and two piers shall be built under the direction of a superintendant to be appointed by this board according to an agreement made with Moses Ross Said Abuttments and piers to be built near the Mouth of pigeon creek as in said agreement mentioned which agreement is on file in the Auditors office and that said Moses Ross enter into a bond with Marcus Sherwood as his security for the faithfull performance of said work and for the completion of ~~said work~~ the same on or before the 1st day of July 1850 And it is further ordered that Samuel C. Bradford Esqr be appointed Superintendant of said work

Now here Charles Hill agrees to build a peir under the Bridge across Pigeon Creek on the road leading from Evansville to Princeton according to an agreement on file in the Auditors office between the said Charles Hill and said Board for which said Hill is to receive three hundred dollars payable in orders on the County Treasury as the work progresses

Now here Moses Ross presents his bond for the faithfully performance of his contract to build the abuttments and peirs for a bridge ~~near~~ the Mouth of Pigeon Creek with Marcus Sherwood as his security which said bond the board now here approve

Ordered that John Burtis ~~be~~ allowed six dollars for three days services as commissioner at the present term

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No 337 76 $6 00/100 Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed six dollars for services as Commissioner at the present term

No 338 76 $6 00/100 Ordered that Michael P Jones be allowed six dollars for services as Commissioner at the Present term

Ordered that the board do now adjourn

John Partis President
Mr Jones
E Saunders

Samuel Mc Daniel

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of Road district No 5 in Armstrong Township for 1849 to serve until ~~his successor is a~~ the next April Election and until his successor is appointed and qualified August 13th 1849

Wm H Walker A V C
By James T Walker deput

James Stearns

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of Road district No 2 in Union Township for 1849 to serve until the next April election and until his successor is elected and qualified Augt 23rd 1849

Wm H Walker A V C
By James T. Walker deputy

George Burkhart

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of Road district No 3 in Knight Township for 1849 to serve until the next April election and until his successor is elected and qualified Augt 30th 1849

Wm H Walker A V C
By James T. Walker deputy

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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 the City of Evansville for the purpose of appointing some suitable person to cast the votes of the County of Vanderburgh for directors of the Evansville and Illenois Rail Road Company and with the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Evansville to select suitable Candidates to be voted for as such Trustees when John Burtis Ezekiel Sanders and Michael P Jones Esqr members composing said board of Commissioners were present

It is ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County that James T. Walker be and he is hereby appointed the Attorney in fact for the County of Vanderburgh to cast the vote of said County on five hundred shares of Stock in the Evansville and Illenois Rail Road Company we instruct our said Attorney to vote for the following named persons as directors viz Samuel Hall and James Boswell of Gibson County and James Lock Hart John Ingle Jr John S. Hopkins James G. Jones John Hewson Samuel Orr and Michael ~~Bell~~ Jones of Vanderburgh County

It is further ordered that the Auditor issue a Copy of this order to the said James T. Walker under his official seal which shall be sufficient authority for him to cast the vote of said County upon the aforesaid five hundred shares of Stock in the election of directors for said Rail Road Company

Issued [illegible] Ordered that John Burtis be allowed two dollars for one days service as County Commissioner at the present term

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Ezekiel Sanders be allowed two dollars for one days service as County Commissioner at the present term

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Michael P Jones be allowed two dollar for on day Services as County Commissioner at the present term

Ordered that the board do now adjourn

John Burtis present
E Saunders
M P Jones

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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 the City of Evansville in said County on the first monday of September A.D. 1849 being the 3rd day of September when present Ezekiel Saunders Michael B. Jones and Leroy Calvert Esqs members composing said Board were present

Now here on motion of Michael B. Jones Esq Ezekiel Saunders Esq was appointed President of this Board for the ensuing year

Issued Ordered that William Hilly and be allowed one dollar for services a Judge of an election in Scott Township

Issued Ordered that Zachariah B Aydelot be allowed twenty ~~Dollars~~ dollars for ex officio services as Sheriff of Vanderburgh County

Issued Ordered that Zacharaiah B Aydelote be allowed three dollars for advertising elections

Issued Ordered that Zachariah B Aydelote be allowed seventy five cents for recovering Jas Chaney Sullivan from Jail

Issued Ordered that Wm H Chandler & Co be allowed five dollars and twenty five cents for printing notices of elections

Issued Ordered that John Burtis be allowed ten dollars for superintending Bayou Embankment

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Now here John Burtis presents his report of his proceeding as superintendent of the Embankment across the Bayou on the road leading from Henderson to Evansville near Marten Stinson which after due examination the Board approves

Issued No 509 $1.00 Ordered that Robert Nightingale be allowed one dollar for services as Clerk of an Election in Perry German Township

Issued No 510 $1.00 Ordered that Robert Nightingale be allowed one dollars for serving as Inspector of an Election in Perry German Township

Issued No 511 $1.00 Ordered that Harvey Blackburn be allowed one dollars for marking out and viewing road

Issued No 512 $1.00 Ordered that Wm E Wood be allowed one dollars for marking out and viewing road

Issued No 513 $1.00 Ordered that Charles S. Amster be allowed one dollar for marking out and viewing road

Now here a petition is presented to this Board signed by the requisite number of persons possessing the proper qualification to have viewers appointed to view and locate a county road beginning at the North West Corner of the East half of the North East quarter of Section number Three in Township number Five South of Range number ten in Vanderburgh County then runnning South one mile then one fourth of a mile East then one half a mile South on the line between sections ten and eleven then East a short distance until it Strikes the Petersburgh Road to follow the lines as near as practible which petition was read before said Board of Commissioners who after due deliberation order that William Hillyard William Crisp and Thomas McClelland be appointed said viewers and it is further ordered that said viewers make report at the next session of this board

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Ordered that George W Finch be and he is hereby exempted from working on the roads in Vanderburgh County in consequence of Bodily Infirmity

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Now here it is ordered that the road on the line between Road district No 14 in Scott Township be so altered that the part of said road beginning in the middle of Section No 34 on the line between said Section No 34 in Township No 4 and Section No 3 in Township No 5 in Range No 10 West and running west to a cartway about one fourth of a mile East from the South East Corner of Section No 35 be added to road district No 4 in said Scott Township and the Supervisor of said Road district No 4 is ordered to that part of said road in repair

Issued No 514 $1.00 Ordered that Robert Nightingale be allowed one dollar for making returns of the April election

Issued No 515 $1.00 Ordered that Robert Nightingale be allowed one dollar for return poll book of an election in Perry German Township

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2 Surveys made

Now here road district No 2 & 3 ~~on~~ Centre Township are altered as follows viz Beginning ~~one fourth of a mile East of~~ the South East corner of the North East quarter of Section number twenty nine and running thence East one fourth of a mile towards the centre of Section Number twenty eight thence North to the North side of section No 21 thence West to the line between Sections No twenty & Twenty one where it meets the former line of road district No two.

Now here the County Treasurer submits his quarterly report of the amount and kind of funds by him received for the quarter ending first Monday in September A.D. 1849 which report was approved by the Board

Issued ... Ordered that Harrison F Teiger be allowed two dollars for services as Clerk of an election in Pigeon Township

Issued ... ordered that Zerah Fairchild be allowed one dollar for services as clerk of an election in Centre Township

Issued ... Ordered that Samuel McDonald be allowed one dollar for serving as Clerk of an election in Armstrong Township

Issued ... Ordered that Zerah Fairchild be allowed one dollar for serving as Clerk of a Special election in Centre Township

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Issued ... Ordered that Henry Beatty be allowed one dollar for use of Skiff at Bayou Embankment

Issued ... Ordered that Joseph Wheeler be allowed two dollars for employing A Canada to watch dead body

Issued ... Ordered that Saml McDonald be allowed one dollar for serving as clerk of an election in Armstrong Township

Ordered that O H Hoke Philip Roush and Ferdinand Reahl be and they are hereby appointed to examine the work on the pier now building by Charles Hill under the Bridge across Pigeon Creek on the Princeton Road

Issued ... Ordered that William Sheets be allowed twenty dollars and seventy five cents for Books & Stationary furnished Vanderburgh County

Now here it is ordered that the list of delinquent lands to be sold in January 1850 be published for four weeks successively 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 Daily Journal

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Now here comes Charles G. Olmsted Harvey Blackburn and William E Wood viewers appointed to view & locate a certain road therein named & make the following report to wit

"To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

We the undersigned viewers appointed by your honorable body to view and locate a road from the State road at the corner of William Rustons house to the lower road leading from Samasco through (what is commonly termed the Horn brook settlement) to Princeton hereby beg leave respectfully to report that on thursday the 23rd day of August A.D. 1849 we proceeded to the rout designated in your order and viewed marked and located the said road as follows to wit begining on the first before mentioned State road near the corner of William Rustons house and running from thence on the half mile line through part of section number eight and section number seven due west to within about six rods of the range line between ranges ten and eleven thence in a northwesterly direction to a point about six rods west of the half mile corner on the east side of section number twelve being the dividing line between Joshua Jones and John On yet thence along said line due west to the second above mentioned road All of which is respectfully submitted

C. G. Olmsted
H. Blackburn
Wm E Wood

which report the said Board now here accepts and the supervisors of the several districts through which said road passes are hereby required to keep said road in repair

Now here a petition is presented to the Board signed by the requisite number of qualified person for a ~~State~~ County road beginning at the New Harmony Road on the land of Henry Fink about fifty yards beyond the German Church established on the land formerly belonging to Mr Herschelman and running on the Ridge by Mr Rabers house through his land and east of his buildings thence on the Ridge through John Risinger's land land and East of his buildings to John Mans land and running on line between the lands of John Risinger and John Mann to the line in German Township between Vanderburgh and Posey Counties where the said Road hereby appoints Hiram S Farquher John A. Morgan and Canada Higgenbotham to view out and locate said road and make report

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of their proceedings at the next term of this Board

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at half past eight O'clock
E Saunders Pres.

Tuesday Morning at ½ past eight O'clock the Board met pursuant to adjournment when all the members of said Board were present

Issued No 533 H $1.00 Ordered that George B. Wagnon be allowed one dollar for serving Summons for Commissioners

Issued No 528 H $1.00 Ordered that Morrison Fitzgerald be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge of an election in German Township

Issued No 527 H $2.00 Ordered that P. H. Hoke be allowed two dollars for examining pier under Bridge across Pigeon Creek near Negley Mill

Issued No 530 C $1.00 Ordered that Philip Rousch be allowed one dollar for examining pier under Bridge across Pigeon Creek near Negley Mill

Issued No 531 C $1.00 Ordered that Ferdinand Reahl be allowed one dollars for examining pier under Bridge across Pigeon Creek near Negley Mill

Issued No 532 C $2.00 Ordered that Saml Lister be allowed two dollars for Stationary furnished the County

Now here the persons appointed by this board to examine the pier now building by Charles Hill under Pigeon Bridge across the Creek near Negley mill make the following report to wit

We the undersigned Referees having been appointed by the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County to examine the Pier of a Bridge near Negley Mill do Report that we have examined said pier and that we believe said pier is not done in a workmanlike manner nor according to contract

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P. H. his + mark Hoke
Ph Rausch
F Reehl

which report the said Board now here approves

Issued No 534 H $2.00 Ordered that Joseph P Elliott be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for serving as Inspector of an election in Pigeon Township

Issued No 535 H $1.00 Ordered that David D Grimes be allowed four dollars for serving as Inspector of elections in German Township

Issued No 536 C $1.00 Ordered that Morrison Fitzgerald be allowed one dollar for reviewing County road

Issued No 537 C $1.00 Ordered that George B Wagnon be allowed one dollar for serving notice on C Hill.

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And now here it is ordered by the Board that Charles Hill be notified that the work done by him in the construction of the pier under the Bridge across Pigeon Creek on the Princeton road so far as far the same has already progressed is not done in a workman like manner nor according to the terms of his written contract with this board and that the board will not receive said work or pay for the same unless the said Hill shall reconstruct the same and build said pier in a workmanlike manner and according to his said Contract and if said Hill shall refuse to reconstruct said pier so as to make it conform to said Contract then and in that case said Hill is hereby notified to cease and desist from building said pier as this board will not pay for the same And it is further ordered that said Hill shall be notified as aforesaid by serving a certified copy of this order on him

2 copies taken

Now here the report of the viewers appointed to view and locate a certain road therein named made the following report to wit

"To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of the County In pursuance of an order of this Honorable Board herewith returned we the undersigned appointed by said order to view and locate a certain road in use for 20 years that we have viewed and marked the road on the old tract as nigh as could be ascertained and we do further believe that it is the best ground that can be found and further believe that said road is of Public benefit which is respectfully submitted

Witness our hands this 15th day of June 1849

D D Grimes
Morrison Fitzgerald
G.B. Wagnon

Which report the Board now here approves and said road which is described as follows to wit Begining at the Bridge on the Harmony Road near the Corner of Jacob Dansers land and running thence North East through Spindlers and Higgerbothams to John Hens land and terminating at the South East end of John Hens land to be kept in repair by the Supervisors of the districts through which the same may pass

Issued No 538 C $ 9 25/100 Ordered that John Jackson be allowed nine dollars and twenty five cents for taking care of paupers

Issued No 539 C $ 2 [illegible] Ordered that David D Grimes be allowed Two dollar for reviewing a road

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Now here William Ball Simeon Long and Samuel Williamson be and they are hereby appointed by the Board to assess the damages if any that Martin Stinson has suffered in consequence of the dirt being taken from his land to make an embankment across on the Bayou on the road running from Evansville to Henderson and that they report the same at the next term of this Board and the said Commissioners were appointed in consequence of said Martin Stinson claiming $75- damages for taking the dirt afore said

Issued

Ordered that Martin Stinson be allowed four dollars for removing dirt from Bridge

Issued

Ordered that Saml Mc Cutcheon be allowed one dollars for serving as Clerk of an election in centre Township

Issued

Ordered that Samuel Mc Cutcheon be allowed one dollar for services as clerk of an election in Centre Township

Issued

Ordered that Samuel Mc Cutcheon be allowed one dollar for serving as clerk of an election in Centre Township

Issued

Ordered that Samuel Mc Cutcheon be allowed two dollars for serving as overseer of the Poor in Centre Township

Now here the viewers appointed to view and locate a certain road therein named make the following report namely

To the Hon Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh In pursuance of an order of this Honorable board heretofore returned we the undersigned appointed by the said order to view and alter a road between John Manns and John Bumgers do report that the distance is four rods and the ground on the present view is equally good and we further believe that said road will be of public benefit Which is respectfully submitted Witness our hand this 10th of July 1849 D.D. Grimes

Morrison Fitzgerald

Samuel Kirkpatrick

Issued

which report the board now approves and the Supervisor of the district in which said road is located is hereby authorized and required to keep said road in good repair

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Ordered that George B. Wagnon be allowed one dollar for viewing and locating road

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 O'Clock

E Saunders Pres

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Wednesday morning at 9 O'clock Sept 5th the board met pursuant to adjournment when the same members were present as yesterday

Issued [illegible] Ordered that John Whitehead be allowed two dollars for serving as Inspector of an election in Scott Township

Issued [illegible] Ordered that John Whitehead be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge of an election in Scott Township

Issued [illegible] Ordered that John Whitehead be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge of an election for the Rail Road election in Scott Township

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Barney Cody be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge of an election in Centre Township

Issued [illegible] Ordered Charles G Olmsted be allowed seven dollar and seventy seven cents for timber taken by Supervisor

Now here it is ordered that Charles Hill be authorised to go on and finish the pier under the Bridge across Pigeon Creek near Negley's Mill according to a contract heretofore entered into between him and Pier of Commissioners and that John Burtis Esqr be and he is hereby authorised to superintend said work

Copied

Now here Michael P. Jones Esqr one of the members of the board makes the following protest namely

I Michael P. Jones solemnly protest against said C Hills work on the new pillar so the same is not tied across said pier and the grouting omitted for at least four feet in the heighth of Eight feet and I also protest against the range work because the same is not even and some of the same Range stone are not tied for two courses and no part according to contract

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Thomas R Smith be allowed seven dollars and forty four cents for timber taken by supervisor

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Simon Williams be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for serving as Inspector of Election in Armstrong Township

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Saml C Bradford be allowed thirteen dollars and fifty cents for surveying sites for Bridge

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Wm M Walker be allowed seven dollars and twenty five cents for assisting engineer examine sites for Bridge

Issued [illegible] Ordered that James Brasselton be allowed ten dollars for assisting engineer examine site for Bridge

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Issued No 536 [illegible] Ordered that John R Wilcox be allowed three dollars for services rendered to a man sick with cholera

Issued No 537 [illegible] Ordered that Daniel Hymen be allowed three dollar for services attending sick paupers

Issued No 558 [illegible] Ordered that Lewis Hisgen be allowed three dollar for attending sick paupers

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Hannah Smith be allowed Twenty one dollars for ~~attending~~ sick paupers

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Isaac Casselberry be allowed twenty eight dollars for ~~taking care~~ Attending of sick paupers

Issued [illegible] Ordered That Daniel Morgan be allowed twenty eight dollars for ~~taking care of~~ Attending sick paupers

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Charles S Weaver be allowed twenty eight dollars ~~for taking care of~~ Attending sick paupers

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Conrad Bergenaw be allowed twenty one dollars for attending sick paupers

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Mrs Sickman be allowed nine dollars for attending sick paupers

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Carlstadt be allowed twelve dollars for attending sick paupers

Issued [illegible] Ordered that William M Woolsey be allowed two dollars for medicine furnished paupers

Issued [illegible] Ordered that J. G. Hatchet be allowed twenty seven dollars and twenty cents for attending sick paupers

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Francis Muhlhausen be allowed five dollars for attending sick paupers

Issued [illegible] Ordered that ~~Levi S Lay cock~~ W. W. Sullivan be allowed thirty five dollars for taking case of sick paupers

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Levi S Laycock be allowed twenty two dollars for attending sick paupers

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Crawford Bell be allowed fourteen dollars and fifty cents for ~~attending sick paupers~~ medicine furnished sick paupers

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Carlstadt be allowed Eleven dollars and fifty cents for attending sick paupers

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Henry Stook be allowed nine dollars for attending sick pauper

Issued [illegible] Ordered that W. W Sullivan be allowed five dollars and fifty cents for attending sick paupers

Issued No 503 [illegible] Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed twenty five dollars for Ex Officio services as Auditor of Vanderburg County

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Now here it is ordered that all the lumber including the Bridge and the shed belonging to the County of Vanderburgh that is now at the Bayou Embankment near Martin Stinsons and all the brick at the kiln at the new County Poorhouse except what the County Commissioners think proper to reserve shall be sold at the Court house door in the City of Evansville on the 4th monday in September 1849 between the hours of 10 O'clock A.M. & 6 O'clock P.M at Public auction to the highest bidder for Cash and the Auditor be and he is hereby authorized to have fifty handbills struck off and posted up in public places in different parts of the County

Issued No 573 $3.00 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed Three hundred and fifty dollars for services as Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Issued No 574 $15.94/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed fifteen dollars and ninety four cents as per bill filed

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 O Clock A.M.

E Saunders Pres

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Thursday Morning at 9 O'clock A.M. September 6th the board met pursuant to adjournment when the same members where present as yesterday

Issued — Ordered that Martin Schmall be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge of Railroad election

Issued — Ordered that Warren & Sethel be allowed two dollars for buggy furnished the County

Issued — Ordered that Samuel T. Jenkins be allowed thirteen dollars for Ex Officio Services as Clerk of Vandenburgh Circuit Court

Issued — Ordered that Samuel T. Jenkins be allowed twelve dollars for Ex Officio Services as Clerk of the Vandenburgh Circuit Court

Issued — ordered that Samuel T. Jenkins be allowed four dollars and Eighty five cents for services as per bill filed

Now these it is ordered that Myers Baker & Garvin are hereby instructed to commence and prosecute suit against John N. Kikendall & Willard Carpenter on the official bond of said Kikendall as County agent for monies received by said agent in his official capacity and which has never been paid over pursuant to law and that said attorneys commence suit at the next term of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

Issued — Ordered that Isaac Hutchenson be allowed four dollars for attending sick paupers

Issued — Ordered that Isaac Hutchenson be allowed four dollars for attending sick paupers

Issued — Ordered that John Snider be allowed four dollars and eighty cents for work at bridge near Martin Stinsons

Issued — Ordered that Thomas Hall be allowed three dollars and eighteen cents expense of prisoners

Issued — Ordered that Thomas Hall be allowed seven dollars and fifty two cents for serving as Constable at coroners Inquests

Issued — Ordered that Thomas Hall be allowed one dollar & twenty five cents for collecting License from Circus Company

Issued — Ordered that John A Curl be allowed one dollar and fifty for measuring walls of new County Poor house

Issued — Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed one dollar for advertising election in Union Township

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Whereas it appears that the conveyance to the State of the tract of land heretofore purchased at Sheriffs sale by and under the direction of "The Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh" as a site whereon to erect a County Seminary for said County including Lillerton Enlargement of Evansville which enlargement is in the adverse possession of Alvin B. Carpenter and others claiming under said ~~carpenter~~ who claims title thereto through John M. Lillerton the proprietor of said Enlargement and whereas the agent of said Board in making the purchase ~~the purchase~~ of said tract of land did not contemplate the purchase of any part of said enlargement and said board and said Carpenter since said purchase for the purpose of avoiding litigation have agreed to compromise the dificulty relative to that part of said tract included in said enlargement provided ~~said~~ the Legislature will sanction said compromise and pass an act authorising said agreement of Compromise to be carried into effect And whereas said Carpenter by the terms of said agreement of compromise is to pay into the County Seminary fund of said County for the purpose of quieting the title to said enlargement the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars which is more per acre than was paid for the whole of said land Therefore It is ordered that the County Auditor be and he is hereby directed in the name and on behalf of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh to petition the "General Assembly of the State of Indiana to pass an act authorising the said Auditor whenever instructed so to do by said Board to release and convey to said Carpenter and such of his grantees as he may designate and to his and their heirs all the right title and interest which the State acquired in and to so much of the tract of land conveyed to said State for the use of ~~said~~ the State the County Seminary of said County by the Sheriff of said County by deed dated the day of A.D. 1849 as is included within the boundaries of said enlargement

And now here it is ordered that the $250.00/100 paid into the County Treasury in County orders by Joseph Bowles and which were receipted for on account of County lots by said Treasurer be returned to said Bowles by said Treasurer the same having been paid in County Orders by mistake instead of in cash and it is further ordered that the said two hundred and fifty dollars being the purchase money of a certain tract of Seminary land

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about to be released and conveyed to A B Carpenter and others (~~being the purchase money of a certain tract of Seminary Land about to be released and conveyed to A B Carpenter and others~~ (bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent from September 1st 1849 until the said purchase ~~money~~ is fully ~~paid~~ consummated

No 3 [illegible] $14.00 Ordered that Allen C Hallock be allowed fourteen dollars for medicine furnished sick paupers

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow Morning at 9 O'Clock

E Saunders Pres.

Friday morning September 7th at 9 O'clock A.M. the board met pursuant to adjournment when all the members of said were present as yesterday

No 3 [illegible] Ordered that Crawford Bell be allowed four dollars and ninety seven cents for Medicine furnished sick paupers

[illegible] Ordered that John Flagg be allowed one dollar for serving as judge of the Rail Road election in Armstrong Township

[illegible] Ordered that George Bates be allowed two hundred and thirteen dollars and fifty cents for keeping County poor to Sept 8th 1849

[illegible] Ordered that John R Wilcox be allowed eighteen dollars and twenty five cents for taking care of sick paupers

Now here Moses Ross and the Board of County Commissioners entered into an agreement of which the following is a copy "This article of agreement made and entered into between the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County of the one part and Moses Ross of the other part Witnesseth That said Moses Ross agrees to put not more than four thousand cubic yards of earth at a place to be designated by the Board of Commissioners near the mouth of Pigeon Creek where said Moses Ross is now building abutments for a bridge across said Creek and said Moses Ross also agrees to deliver whatever quantity of Stone may be wanted in flatboats which are also to be delived by said Moses Ross said boats filled with

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said Stone shall be sunk at any point near the mouth of said Pigeon Creek that said Board of Commissers + at as low a rate as the same can be purchased of any other person at this place and for each perch of Stone (measuring twenty five cubic feet to the perch) shall be delived at the rate of fifty cents per perch and said Moses Ross is to receive sixteen cents per cubic yard for the earth in the above named embankment to be paid for in the following manner the price of the flatboats to be paid for in orders on the County Treasurer as soon as said boat are sunk and the remainder of the job to be paid for in orders to be drawn on the County Treasurer at the June Term 1850 of the Board of Commissioners of said Vanderburgh County the abovementioned job to be finished on or before the first day of March 1850

E Saunder Seal
Leroy Calvert Seal
M.P. Jones Seal
Moses Ross Seal

+ shall designate said flatboats shall be furnished to said County Commissioners

Now here Moses Ross has this day sold to the County for the purpose of being filled with stone and sunk five flat boats of the following lengths two of fifty feet each one of one hundred feet one of eighty feet & one of seventy eight feet for the sum of one hundred and forty nine dollars which said boats he agrees to deliver to the County on the demand of the Board of Commissioners for the purposes aforesaid

Issued No 593 H $500 00/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed five hundred dollars for work done on the abutments of Bridge across Pigeon Creek

Issued No 594 H $500 00/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed five hundred dollars for work done on abutments of bridge across Pigeon Creek

Issued No 595 H $500 00/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed five hundred dollars for work done on abutments of bridge across Pigeon Creek

Issued No 596 H $68 85/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed sixty eight dollars and eighty five cents for work &c at mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 597 H $68 85/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed sixty eight dollars eighty five cents for expense of bridges

Issued No 598 H $68 85/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed sixty eight dollar eighty five cents for expense of Bridges

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Issued [illegible] Ordered that Moses Reif be allowed fifty eight dollars and eighty five cents for expense of Bridges

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Thomas E Garvin be allowed twelve dollars and fifty cents for his services as County Agent

START/ Whereas the public necessities require the erection of a new Court House and Jail for Vanderburgh County and the public Square in the City of Evansville consisting of one half an acre of ground at each of the Corners of Main and Third Street in said City (including two acres in all more or less) is badly calculated as a site for the public buildings of the County and is of sufficient value for private business purposes if sold to enable the County out of the proceeds to purchase another public Square in a better location in said City and erect the necessary public buildings thereon and whereas the Board of Commissioners are advised that there is no legal obstacle in the way of them selling and conveying said public Square and applying the proceeds thereof to the purchase of some other and more suitable site for the public buildings of said County and to the erection of the necessary public buildings of said County and to the erection of the necessary public building thereon Therefore It is ordered by said board That the County agent of said County be and he is hereby authorized to sell said public Square at public auction at the door of the Court House in Evansville at such time as he may deem most advisable on the following terms to wit one third of the purchase money cash one third in nine and one third in eighteen months from the day of sale the purchasers giving notes with security to the acceptance of said agent and that upon the terms of said sale being fully complied with by the purchaser or purchasers the said agent be and he is hereby further authorized to release and convey to the purchaser or purchasers of said public Square and to his or their heirs the premises which may be so sold and that said agent give notice of the time and place and terms of said sale by advertisement for three weeks in the Evansville Journal and that STOP/

be and they are hereby appointed a committee to ascertain where and upon what terms another site within said City for the public buildings of the County can be procured and that they report at the next session of this board

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Casimer Schlamp be allowed four dollars for services as Judge of elections in Pigeon Township

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Now here Thomas Gifford and Robert Smith two of the Commissioners heretofore appointed by this Board to ascertain what damage had been sustained by Philip Rousch in consequence of timber being taken from his land by the Supervisor of Road district No 4 in Pigeon Township make the following report namely "We the undersigned Commissioners appointed by this Hon. Board to asses the damages if any that Philip Rousch has received in consequence of the Supervisor of Road district No 4 in Pigeon Township ~~beg cause~~ cutting timber for the road from his land would respectfully report that we consider that said Rousch has not received any damage at all September 7th 1849

Thomas Gifford
Robert Smith

which report the board now here approves

Now here Joseph Lechner enters into an article of agreement with the board of Commissioners for keeping the County poor which article of agreement reads as follows to wit "This article of agreement made and entered into between the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County of the one part and Joseph Lechner of the other part witnesseth that said Joseph Lechner agrees to take charge of the County property at the New Poorhouse on the following conditions he agrees to take care of all paupers that shall be sent to the poorhouse by order of the overseers of the poor of said Vanderburgh County and see that they are well provided for and humanely attended to for which the said Board of Commissioners agree to pay the said Joseph Lechner the sum of two hundred dollars per annum and furnish every thing necessary for the keeping of said poorhouse except the clothing and furniture necessary for the private use of said Joseph Lechners family It is further understood that said Joseph Lechner is to carry on the farm attached to said poor house in a good farmer like manner and the produce and vegetables and whatever is raised and is a surplus ~~over~~ whatever is raised and is a surplus over what may be consumed by the inmates of said poorhouse shall be sold or disposed of by said Joseph Lechner to the best advantage under the direction of said Board of Commissioners or some person by them appointed and the proceeds of said surplus shall be deposited in the County Treasury for the use and benefit of said Vanderburgh County said

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Joseph Lechner is to remain at said poorhouse for one year from the first day of January 1850 and it is understood between the parties that said Joseph Lechner attends to all the duties and superintends said poorhouse by himself and family and that he is not to permit any other person to take charge of nor keep said poorhouse during the time for which he is employed at said poorhouse by said Commissioners and that said Joseph Lechner is to make all the paupers who are able to do as much as their strength and ability will permit to contribute in labor all they can towards supporting themselves The said Board of Commissioners are to pay to the said Joseph Lechner the amount of two hundred dollars in quarterly payments to be paid at each regular session of said Board of Commissioners and he is also to report all his doing and the condition and expense of said paupers at every regular session of said Board of Commissioners

In testimony whereof the said parties have hereunto set their hands and seals this 7th day of September A.D. 1849

E Sanders Seal
M P Jones Seal
Leroy Calvert Seal
Joseph Lechner Seal

For the performing faithfully of the above Contract the said Board require said Joseph Lechner to enter into bonds with Philip Decker and Casimer Schlamp as his securities which bond is presented to said board & the same the board now here approve and ordered it to be filed

Issued 1.04.02½ $ 10.00

Ordered that Ezekiel Sanders be allowed ten dollars for serving as Commissioner at the present Term

Issued No 5278 $ 10.00

Ordered that Michael P Jones be allowed ten dollars for serving as Commissioner at the present term

Issued 1.04.03 $ 10.00

Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed ten dollars for serving as Commissioner at the present Term

Ordered that the Board now adjourn until the next Court in Course

E Saunders
M P Jones
Leroy Calvert

Special September 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 for the purpose of appointing a superintendant to attend to the pier under the Bridge across Pigeon Creek near Negley Mill on the Princeton Road and make some arrangement if possible to secure to the hands on said pier the pay for their labor and such other business as the Board may think proper to attend to when Ezekiel Saunders Michael P. Jones and Leroy Calvert Esqrs members composing said Board were present

Issued No 634 ½ $4.50/100 Ordered that Thomas Hall be allowed four dollars and fifty cents for watching Jail

Issued No 635 ½ $1.25/100 Ordered that Charles Keller be allowed one dollar and twenty five cents for fixing lock on Jail door &c

Issued No 634 ½ $5.00/100 Ordered that John S Terry be allowed five dollars in part payment for Ex Officio services as Sheriff of Vanderburgh County

Issued No 637 ½ $5.00/100 Ordered that John S Terry be allowed five dollars in part payment for Ex Officio services as Sheriff of Vanderburgh County

Issued No 638 ½ $5.00/100 Ordered that John S Terry be allowed five dollars for Ex Officio Service as Sheriff of Vanderburgh County

Issued No 639 ½ $21.73/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed twenty one dollars and seventy three cents as per bill filed

Now here David Negley Esqr be and he is hereby appointed to superintend the work By Charles Hill on the pier under the Bridge across Pigeon creek on the Princeton Road and that he use his best efforts to have the hands that have worked on said pier for said Charles Hill receive the pay for their labor on said pier

Issued No 640 ½ $2.00/100 Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed two dollars for serving as Commissioner at the present term

Issued No 641 ½ $2.00/100 Ordered that Michael P Jones be allowed two dollar for serving as Commissioner at the present term

Issued No 642 ½ $2.00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed two dollars for serving as Commissioner at the present term

Ordered that the Board now adjourn

E Saunders

M P Jones

Leroy Calvert

Special October 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 City of Evansville on the 4th day of October 1849 for the Purpose of making an estimate for work done on the ~~embankment~~ Abutment at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek and any other business that may come before them when present the Hon. Ezekiel Saunders and Michael P. Jones two of the members composing said Board

Issued No 7147 $500 00/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed five hundred dollars for work done at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 7151 $500 00/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed five hundred dollars for work done at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 7167 $10 00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed ten dollars for services as County Auditor

Issued No 7177 $2 00/100 Ordered the Ezekiel Saunders be allowed two dollars for serving as Commissioner at the present term

Issued No 7181 $2 00/100 Orderd that Michael P Jones be allowed two dollars for serving as Commissioner at the ~~present term~~

Ordered that the Board do now adjourn

E Saunders
M P Jones

Special October 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 for the purpose of taking into consideration the propriety of selling the County property that lies in Centre Township and any other business that may come before them when the Honorable Ezekiel Sanders Michael P. Jones and Leroy Calvert Esqr members of said board were present

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Thomas Hall be allowed sixteen dollars for guarding Jail

Issued [illegible] ordered that Thomas Hall be allowed eighteen dollars for guarding Jail &c

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Thomas North be allowed two dollars for serving as Clerk of an election in Pigeon Township

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Samuel Lisle be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for Paper furnished the County

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Thomas Covington be allowed three dollars for paper & quills furnished the Clerks office

Now here Luke Grant be and he is hereby appointed Constable of Pigeon Township by his filing his bond in the sum of one thousand dollars with John Grant as his security

Now here Brackett Mills Esqr be and he is hereby exempted from working on the roads in Vanderburgh County for bodily infirmity

And now here it is ordered that Ezekiel Sanders be appointed to contract with Messrs Baker & Garvin and James E Blythe to defend the suit instituted by James G. Jones V.S. The Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County and Thomas E Garvin agent of said County for the purpose of restraining said agent from selling the Public Square provided that said Contract can be made for a sum not exceeding three hundred dollars And it further ordered that James G. Jones be allowed the sum of fifty dollars for the purpose of defraying his expenses to Indianapolis that said suit may be determined as speedily as possible

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Michael P Jones be allowed twenty dollars in part payment for superintending bridge at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek & County Poorhouse

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And now here it is ordered by the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh that Thomas E. Garvin County Agent of said County be and he is hereby authorised empowered and directed to convey all the interest of the said Board of Commissioners and of said County of Vanderburgh of in and to the following described tracts of land situated in said County the same being parts of the North West quarter of section number eight in Township number six South of range number ten West in the Vincennes land district and lying on the East side of the ~~Princeton~~ State road leading from Evansville to Princeton one of which parts of said quarter section hereby conveyed is bounded as follows viz Beginning at the North corner of two thirds of an acre of land sold by Thomas Hudson and wife to Seth Fairchild and by said Fairchild to Levi Long running thence North with said State road thirty rods thence East parrellel with said lot sold to said Fairchild as aforesaid so far as to make the quantity of seven acres and a half it being the same tract of land conveyed by Thomas Hudson and wife to Seth ~~Fairchild~~ Fairchild by deed dated June 9th 1831 the other of which parts of said quarter section hereby conveyed is bounded as follows viz Beginning at the South East corner of the quarter section aforesaid thence North on said section line to Asa Satterlees South line thence West on said South line to the Mechanicsville Schoolhouse Lot thence on the South line of said lot to the aforesaid State road thence South on said road to Samuel Cooks North line & thence on said South line to the place of beginning containing fifty two acres more or less and being the same tract conveyed by Thomas Hudson to Jonathan Fairchild by deed dated September 10th 1832 The said two tracts of land being the same conveyed by Edward Hopkins President of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh to William Bryett by deed dated February 15th 1840 and subsegnently re conveyed by said Bryet to the said Board of Commissioners by deed dated the 5th day of September 1846 = to George Granger and his heirs by deed of Special Warranty so soon as the said George Granger shall pay to the Treasurer of Vanderburgh County the sum of seven hundred dollars and file said Treasurers receipt with the County Auditor

Issued [illegible] Ordered that John S Terry be allowed ten dollars for services as Jailor of Vanderburgh County

Issued [illegible] Ordered that John S Terry be allowed five dollars for services as Jailor of Vanderburgh County

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Issued [illegible] Ordered that John S Terry be allowed five dollars for services as Jailor of Vanderburgh County

Issued [illegible] Ordered that John S Terry be allowed seventy three cents for services as Jailor of Vanderburgh County

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Issued — Ordered that John Hall be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for serving as a Traverse Juror 1½ days at the September Term of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

Issued — Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed thirty dollars and fifty cents for services as pr. bill filed

Now here Luke Grant files his bond as Constable of Pigeon Township in the sum of one thousand dollars with John Grant Senr as surety which bond is now here approved by the board

Issued — Ordered that John C. Hebard be allowed two dollars and seventy five cents for articles furnished Jail

Issued — Ordered that J. R. E. G. Morgan be allowed five dollars and fifty cents for blankets furnished Jail

Issued — Ordered that Moses Rose be allowed six hundred and twenty dollars for work done on Abutment or Pier at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued — Ordered that Moses Rose be allowed three hundred and eighty dollars for work done on abutment or pier at Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued — Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed two dollars for serving as Commissioner of ~~Vanderburgh~~ at the present term

Issued — Ordered that Michael P Jones be allowed two dollars for serving as commissioner at the present term

Issued — Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed two dollars for serving as Commissioner at the present

Ordered that the Board do now adjourn

E Saunders
M P Jones
Leroy Calvert

December Session A.D. 1849

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 City of Evansville in said County on the first Monday in December A.D. 1849 being the 3rd day of December of said year when Ezekiel Saunder and Michael B. Jones Esqrs two of the members of said board were present

Leroy Calvert Esqr appeared and took his seat as a member of said board

Copied Now here John Cavins is exempted from working on the road for bodily infirmity he having produced to the Board satisfactory proof that he is unable to perform manuel labor

Copied Now here a petition is presented signed by the requisite number of qualified persons that the road croping the East half of the South East quarter of Section No 21 in Township No 6 South of Range No 10 West is very injurious to Peter Rogers land and asking a change of said road so as to begin at or near the North West corner of the above described land and running thence into the road generally called the new bridge road to the North corner of the Stanfield land thence on the line South of Barnes land and A. J. Flesmers land to the Booneville road intersecting said Booneville road on the West or the side towards Evansville of the first crossway

When the board after due consideration of said petition appoint Jesse Jackson Samuel Carlisle and Jerome Ingram to review and mark out said road and make their report at the next term of this board.

Now here Grampee W Hinden the Assessor elect of Vanderburgh presented his bond in the sum of two Thousand dollars with William R Breathouse and Allen Stroud as his securities which bond the board now here approves

Copied Now here Joseph Schenk presents a certificate from Dr F Muhlhausin that he is unable from bodily infirmity to do manuel labor and asks to be excused from working on the road whereon the board after due examination and satisfactory proof hereby exempt from working on the road the said Joseph Schenk

Issued Ordered that Canada Huggenbottom be allowed two dollars for viewing out and locating and returning review on a road in Lemon Township

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Issued No 89456 $1.00/100 Ordered that Hiram T. Tagner be allowed one dollar for reviewing road in in German Township

Issued No 89456 $1.00/100 Ordered that Martin Stinson be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge of an election in Perry Township

Now here the viewers appointed at last Term of this board to view and locate a certain road therein named make the following report namely "To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County Gentlemen The subscribers appointed by your Hon board as viewers to view and locate a county road on a route designated by your order to us from the North corner of the East half of the North East quarter to the Petersburgh road hereby beg leave to submit our report That on Tuesday the 6th of Nov in Company with the County Surveyor we proceeded to the premises and ran and located said road as follows to wit Begining at a station twenty chains West from the North East corner of section number Three in Town 5 South of Range 10 West and ran from thence South seventy eight chains and twenty five links to a branch or creek Thence South 65° East two chains thence south three chains to the road as now travelled Thence due east along said Road on the section line seventeen chains and eighty links to the South East corner of said section number Three thence South Thirty nine chains and fifty links to the half mile corner on the East side of section Number Ten Thence East seven chains to the Petersburgh road.
The said road to be forty feet wide
All of which is respectfully submitted.
Dated November 6th A.D. 1849

William Crisp
Thomas McClelland } Viewers
William Hillyard

I Wm Whittlesey County Surveyor of Vanderburgh County do hereby certify that the within report contains a correct description of the survey of the road mentioned therein

Wm Whittlesey C. S. V. C

which report is accepted by the board and the Supervisor or Supervisors of the district or districts through which said road may pass are hereby authorised and directed to keep the same in repair

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Now here a petition is presented signed by George B. McCutcheon and twenty two others asking for a change in the road running partly on the line between Townships Number Four and Five in Range Number Ten West in Scott Township said change to be made as follows To commence at the South West corner of Section number thirty five in Township number four then running due East twenty rods until it strikes a cart way then due North Twenty eight rods on the cart way until it strikes the County road said petition having been publicly read and the Board being satisfied that the notices had been posted up and all things in relation to said petition had been done according to law the board here appoint Thomas Piggot Thomas Elliott and John Rankin to be said they are hereby appointed to view and locate said road and make report of their proceedings at the next term of this Board

Issued

Ordered that William Hillyard be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for viewing and locating a road in Scott Township

Issued

Ordered that William Crisp be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for viewing and locating a road in Scott Township

Issued

Ordered that Thomas McClelland be allowed one dollars and fifty cents for viewing and locating roads in Scott Township.

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Now here John Collins produces to this Board a certificate from Dr M. J. Bray that he is unable from bodily infirmity in consequence of an injury of the spine to perform manuel labor when the board hereby exempt said John Collins from working on the roads in Bandenburgh County

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Now here Anthony Behme produces to the Board the certificate of Dr Francis Muhlhausen that he is unable to perform manuel labor by reason of bodily infirmity occassioned by rupture the Board therefore hereby exempt said Anthony Behme from working on the roads in Bandenburgh County

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Now here the viewer hertofore appointed to view and locate a road in German Township make the following report namely We the reviewers of said County road in German Township Ia We commenced we commenced about two hundred yards beyond the the German meeting house there running a North West course on the ridge to Mr Rabers farm there on to Mr Risingers farm there on through the line between Mr Man & Risingers farm to the County line at the South West corner of Mr Manns farm

Canada Higgenbottom
Hiram T. Fauquher

which report the board now here approves and the Supervisor or Supervisors of the districts or districts through which said road runs are hereby authorised and required to keep said road in repair

Issued No 8998 $ 1 [illegible] Ordered that William Gorman be allowed one dollar and twenty five cents for services as supervisor of Roads

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 Oclock

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Tuesday Morning December 4th at 9 Oclock A M. the board met pursuant to adjourn=ment when all the members of said Board were present

Issued — Ordered that William H Chandler & Co be allowed thirty eight dollars and fifty cents in part payment for printing delinquent list

Issued — Ordered that Wm H Chandler & Co be allowed twenty dollars for part payment for prin ting delinquent list

Issued — Ordered That Wm H Chandler & Co be allowed twenty five dollar in part payment for print=ing delinquent list

Issued — Ordered that Wm H Chandler & Co be allowed Thirty five dollars in part payment for prin ting delinquent list.

Issued — Ordered that Wm H Chandler & Co be allowed Thirty one dollars and fifty cents part payment for printing delinquent list

Issued — Ordered that Wm H Chandler be allowed two dollars for printing notices of August election

Issued — Ordered that Woolsey & Nelson be allowed two dollars for selling property at auction for the County

Issued — Ordered that Braelton & Bradford be allowed five dollars for measuring stone in piers abutments &c at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Copied — Now here comes Moses Rop & makes settlement with the board and there appears to be due him nine hundred and six=teen dollars and eighty ~~cents~~ six cents for which sum the Auditor of Vanderburgh County is here by authorized to issue to the order of the said Moses Rop a county order on the Treasurer of said County on the first day of June next or as soon thereafter as the said Moses Rop may demand the same for the above amount of nine hundred and sixteen dollars and eighty six cents

Copied — Now here Joshua Davison pro duces to the Board the Certificate of Dr P. C Garrick that he is unable from bodily in firmity to perform manual labor Whereupon the board having duly considered the case of the said Joshua Davison hereby exempt him from working on the Roads in Vanderburgh County

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Now here it is ordered that sealed proposals be received until the 15th day of January 1850 to build a wooden arch and lattice bridge across Pigeon Creek at the Mouth of said Pigeon Creek, said Bridge to be built on Stone abuttments and piers now finished according to a plan and specifications to be filed in the Auditors office and that the Auditor of Vanderburgh County be and he is hereby authorised to advertise for proposals in the Evansville Journal Dayly Commercial Vanderburgh Democrat and the German Paper to the amount of two dollars each & that the Auditor have fifty Handbills printed also and posted up

Now here the board makes an appropriation of twenty dollars to put and keep in order a bridge on Bluegrass near Mark Wheelers in Road District No 4 in Scott Township and William Fisher the supervisor of said district is hereby authorised to receive the above amount and expend for the purposes abovementioned and the Auditor is also authorised to issue an order or order on the County Treasurer for said twenty dollars

Issued No 873 H $190 00/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed one hundred & ninety dollars for work done at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 874 H 275 00/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed Two hundred and seventy five dollars for work done at the Mouth of Pigeon

Issued No 875 H 10 00 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed Ten dollars for work done at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 876 H $10 00/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed Ten dollars for work done at the mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 877 H $10 00/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed Ten dollars for work done at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 878 H $100 00/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed one hundred dollars for work done at the mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 879 H $78 75/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed seventy eight dollars and seventy five cents for work done at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 880 H Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed fifty four dollars for work done at the mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 881 H $50 00/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed fifty dollars for work done at the mouth of Pigeon Creek

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Issued No 88[illegible] H $3[illegible] Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed three hundred and twenty two dollars and forty seven cents for work done at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 883 H $150 00/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed one hundred and fifty dollars for work done at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 884 H $935 00/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed nine hundred and thirty five dollars for work done at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 88[illegible] H $506 35/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed five hundred and six dollars and thirty five cents for work done at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed five ~~dollars~~ hundred dollars for work done at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Copied Now here William Wills produces a certificate from Dr. M. J. Bray ~~that he~~ is unable to perform manual labor and asking the board to exempt him from working on the road when the Board after due consideration agree to exempt said William Wills from working on the roads in Vanderburgh County

Issued No 908 H $1 00/100 Ordered that John Clark be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge of an election in centre Township

Issued No 890 H $15 00/100 Ordered that Jenkins T. Hugo be allowed fifteen dollars for extra work done on County poorhouse

Issued No 891 H $26[illegible] 00/100 Ordered that Jenkin T. Hugo be allowed two hundred and sixty five dollars for work done on County Poorhouse

Issued No 89[illegible] H $300 00/100 Ordered that Jenkin T. Hugo be allowed three hundred dollars for work done on County poorhouse

Issued No 907 H $5 00/100 Ordered that Thomas Hall be allowed Five dollars for serving Constable at a Coroners Inquest

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tommorrow morning at 9. Ocloch

E Saunders

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December Session A.D. 1849

Wednesday Morning December 5th 1849 at 9 O'clock A.M. the board met pursuant to adjournment when all the member were present as yesterday

Issued — Ordered that Henry J Hart be allowed four dollars and ninety three cents for Coffin & Shrowd furnished paupers

Issued — Ordered that Jesse Burris be allowed seven dollars for services and board to pauper

Copied — Now here the board exempt Joseph Hyde from working on the roads of Vanderburgh County for bodily infirmity

Now here Thomas E Garvin Esq County Agent makes his report of the Condition of the County property and produced to the board a certificate from the County Auditor showing that he has paid into the County Treasury the sum of one hundred and ninety two dollars and thirty cents for amount paid for County lots which report is approved

Issued — Ordered that D Isaac Hutchenson be allowed Four dollars and fifty cents medical attendance To pauper

Now here it is ordered that a road be opened (all parties interested consenting thereto) Beginning at the Mill house of Wm C. Saunders and running West until it strikes the land of Nicholas Hahn then turning North on the line between Wm C. Saunders and Nicholas Hahn dividing the East half and the West half of the North West quarter of Section Number Seven in Township number Seven South of Range number Eleven West until it strikes the land of Theodore Masters and Ezekiel Saunders land and continuing North on the line dividing the land of Ezekiel Saunders and Theodore Masker until it comes to the Corner of the North East quarter of the South East quarter of Section Number Six in said Township belonging to said William C. Saunders then turning North East through Wm C Saunders land to the State road leading from Evansville to Mount Vernon

Copied — Now here Joshua Prewett is exempted from work on the roads in Vanderburgh County for bodily infirmity

Copied — Now here John Clark is exempted from working on the roads in Vanderburgh County for bodily infirmity

Issued — Ordered that Joshua D Terry be allowed five dollars for Ex Officio Services as Sheriff of Vanderburgh County

December Session A.D. 1849.

Now here the Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit submits the following report namely—

A list of fines assessed at the September Term A.D. 1849 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

State of Indiana vs. Contempt John Wood	Fine	$ 3.00
State of Indiana vs. Contempt James R. & G. S. Morgan	Fine	$ 3.00
State of Indiana vs. Contempt Jared Hutchenson	Fine	$ 3.00
State of Indiana vs. Arson Donaldson Joiner	Fine	$ 40.00
State of Indiana vs. A & B. with Vc Robert Ablett	Fine	$ 10.00
State of Indiana vs. A & B. James Lockhart	Fine	$ 3.00
State of Indiana vs. Forgery John Robenson	Fine	$ 10.00

A list of fines collected since my last report

State of Indiana vs. Contempt Sylvester Boardman	Fine	$ 3.00
State of Indiana vs. Contempt J. R. & E. G. Morgan	Fine	$ 3.00
State of Indiana vs. Contempt John Wood	Fine	$ 3.00
State of Indiana vs. Contempt Jared Hutchenson	Fine	$ 3.00

Evansville December 3rd 1849

Samuel T. Jenkins Clk

December Session A.D. 1849

It is Ordered that the Bonds of Vanderburgh County pledgeing her faith and credit be issued in amount not exceeding ~~one hundred~~ ninety nine Thousand dollars and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum payable to the Evansville and Illenois Rail Road Company or bearer at not less than Ten years nor more than twenty five years from their date and in such sums severally as the Board of Directors of said Rail Road Company shall indicate and be willing to receive them in instead of money in payment for the same amount of the Capital Stock of said Company pursuant to the provisions of the Charter of said Company in such case made and provided and to the vote of the qualified voters of this County heretofore polled

And it is further ordered that said bonds be signed by the President of this Board and Countersigned by the County Auditor and shall have the seal of the Board of Commissioners otherwise called the County seal affixed thereto

And it is further ordered that the County Auditor shall deliver said bonds so executed to the President or other authorised agent of said Company in such numbers and amounts and at such times as shall be required and demanded taking therefor certificates of Stock in said Company to the amount of bonds so delived

Now here the Auditor be and he is hereby authorised to divide County orders for any person wishing orders divided upon the applicant paying for dividing said orders

Issued No 914 H. $64 92/100 Ordered that John S Terry be allowed sixty four dollars and ninety two cents for expense of prisoners

Issued No 915 H $25 00/100 Ordered that Samuel T Jenkins be allowed Twenty five dollars for Ex Officio services as Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court up to this date

Issued No 916 H $55 44/100 Ordered that Samuel T Jenkins be allowed fifty five dollars & forty four cents for costs in case of the ~~James G L Jones~~ V S the Board of Commissioners & Thomas E Garvin

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Issued No 91736 $2.70/100 Ordered that Samuel Sexton be allowed two dollars and seventy cents for 1 Ream of paper furnished the Clerks office

Issued No 91737 $11.80/100 Ordered that Samuel T. Jenkins be allowed Eleven dollars and eighty cents for Stationary furnished the County

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Charles Knowles be allowed three dollars for expense of election

Issued [illegible] Ordered that James Scantlin & son be allowed five dollars and fifty cents for Stove furnished County Jail

Issued [illegible] Ordered that William Rodwell be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge of an election in Scott Township

Issued [illegible] Ordered that William Rodwell be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge of an election in Scott Township

Issued [illegible] Ordered that J. Herman be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for Bedstead furnished Jail

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Babcock Brothers be allowed two dollars for Shovel & Tongs for court house

Now here the board appropriates fifteen dollars in addition to twenty five dollars formerly appropriated to building a bridge across big creek near the pond slough and that the Supervisor of the district in which said bridge is to be built is hereby authorized to draw on the County Auditor for said appropriation as he may deem to use it

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

E Saunders

December Session A.D. 1849

Thursday Morning Dec 6th at nine o'clock A.M. the board met persuant to adjournment when all the members were present as yesterday

Issued No 925 H $4 50/100 Ordered that Joseph Ulsas be allowed four dollars and fifty cents for repairing bridge at Linxwilers Ferry

Copied Now here the board exempt James Downey from working on the roads in Vanderburgh County for bodily Infirmity

Now here Willard Carpenter presents a bill for fifty dollars for damage done the County Poorhouse when the board hereby appoint John Burtis Esqr, who will act with some person appointed by said Willard Carpenter to examine and report to this board at some subsequent term of this board the damages sustained if any by the said Willard Carpenter

Issued No 926 H $62 50/100 Ordered that Willard Carpenter be allowed sixty two dollars and fifty cents for rent of poorhouse to the present date

Issued No 927 H $3 00/100 Ordered that Ferdinand Reahl be allowed three dollars for stone furnished Bayou Embankment

Issued No 928 H $15 00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed fifteen dollars for services rendered as per bill filed

Issued No 929 H $11 00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed Eleven dollars for services rendered as per bill filed

Issued No 930 H $[illegible] 00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed Fifty eight dollars and eighty four cents for services rendered as per bill filed

Issued No 931 H $25 00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed twenty five dollars for Ex Officio Services as County Auditor

Issued No 932 H $16 50/100 Ordered that Michael P Jones be allowed sixteen dollars and fifty cents for superintending the building of the Stonework at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek & Poorhouse

Issued No 933 H $3 00/100 Ordered that Wm H Chandler & Co be allowed three dollars for advertising for merchants license and Coroners Inquest

Now here Woodward be and he is hereby authorised to draw a plan and specification of the bridge to be built at the Mouth of pigeon Creek according to the plan heretofore agreed on by the Board of Commissioner

Issued No 934 H $200 00/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed Two hundred dollars for keeping County Poorhouse

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Copied Now here Wm Whittlesey presents his bill for six dollars for services rendered the County which the board now here order to be placed to the credit of his account due the County from rent of property at Mechanicsville

Now here the board enter into an agreement with Allis & Howes to furnish groceries to the County Poorhouse for one year for County orders, to sell said groceries to the agent appointed by said County at cash prices

Now here Benoni Stinson agrees to make a wastegate at the lower end or the end towards the river of the Culvert under the Bayou Embankment and make a crib ~~to prevent the drift~~ at the other end of said Culvert to prevent the drift from choking up said Culvert for a sum not exceeding fifteen dollars

Issued No 935 to 946 $9.07/100 Ordered that Pierson & De Garmo be allowed nine Dollars and seven cents for bolts for Bridges & making irons for prisoners

Now here the Board enters into an agreement with Drs Daniel Morgan and Isaac Casselberry to attend the County Poorhouse and Jail as Physicians and Surgeons for the sum of one hundred dollars for one year to commence on the first day of January 1850 to be paid quarterly the County furnishing the Quinine and said Morgan & Casselberry furnishing all other medicine necessary to be used for the sick & maimed in said poorhouse and Jail that being their proposal submitted to this board

Issued No 936 to 946 $8.00/100 Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed Eight dollars for serving as County Commissioner at the present term

Issued No 937 to 946 $8.00/100 Ordered that Michael S. Jones be allowed Eight dollars for serving as County Commissioner at the present term

Issued No 938 to 946 $8.00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed Eight Dollars for serving as County Commissioner at the present term

Now here the board enter into an agreement with Foster & Brown to furnish Dry Goods and any other Article in their line to the County Poorhouse for one year for County orders to sell said Dry goods & other articles to the agent appointed by the County at cash prices

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Ordered that the board now adjourn

E Saunders
R P Jones
Leroy Calvert

In Vacation December 26th 1849

Whereas it appears that William McCutcheon Mortgaged to the State of Indiana for the use of the Common School fund the South East quarter of the North East quarter of section number twenty one and twenty acres off the North end of the East half of the South East quarter of said section number Twenty one in Township number five South of Range number Ten West making sixty acres for the sum of one hundred and seventy five dollars with interest thereon To be paid annually in advance And whereas said land was offered for sale for nonpayment of Interest at the Court house door in the City of Evansville County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana (that being the County in which said land is situated) at public auction on the 11th day of December 1847 for the payment of the debt interest and costs due thereon when said land was struck off for the use of the common School fund no person bidding therefore And whereas Samuel McCutcheon did afterwards purchase the same at private sale and paid for the same the sum of two hundred and nine dollars and thirty five cents the amount due at the time of sale Therefore Know Ye that in consideration of the sum of Two hundred and nine dollars and thirty five cents paid as aforesaid to the School Commissioners of Vanderburgh County the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged and in conformity with the Statutes 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 South East quarter of the North East quarter and the North End of the East half of the South East quarter of section number twenty one in Township number five South of Range number Ten West in Vanderburgh County containing sixty acres to the said Samuel McCutcheon & to his heirs and assigns forever in as full and ample a manner as the said Auditor 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 the City of Evansville on this 25th day of December A.D. 1849 Wm H Walker Seal Auditor of Vanderburgh County by James T Walker deputy

L. S.

Attest
Bracket Mills S. C. V. C.

In Vacation December 26th 1849

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County ss I Samuel T. Jenkins Recorder in and for said County do certify that the within named James T. Walker personally came before me this day and acknowledged that he signed sealed and delivered the foregoing as his voluntary act and deed for the purposes therein mentioned Given under my hand & seal at Evansville the 26th day of December A.D. 1849 Samuel T. Jenkins Recr

Special January Session A.D. 1850

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 Saturday the 5th day of January 1850 for the purpose of directing some person to cast the vote of Vanderburgh County for directors of the Evansville and Illenois Rail Road Company and any other busines that may regularly come before them when the Hon E Saunders Michad P. Jones and Leroy Calvert members of said Board were present

Issued No 99376 $8.00/100. Ordered that John Burbank be allowed Eight dollars for Beef furnish to County Poorhouse

Issued No 99476 $1.50/100 Ordered that B. Stone be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for hay furnished County Poorhouse

Issued No 99576 $12.50/100 Ordered that Thomas E Gavin be allowed twelve dollars and fifty cents services as County agent for quarter ending December 1849

Issued No 99676 $1.00/100 Ordered that John Burtis be allowed one dollar for assessing damage to County Poorhouse

Issued No 99776 $23.00/100 ordered that Moses Rop be allowed twenty three dollars for cement furnished for Bridge at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 99876 $1.00/100 Ordered that Joseph Lechner be allowed Seven dollars ~~and~~ for articles furnished County poorhouse

Issued No 99976 $2.15/100 Ordered that [illegible]tz and Heilman be allowed two dollars and fifteen cents for articles furnished the County Poor house

Issued No 1.000 76 $34.85/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed thirty four dollars and eighty five cents for services as per Bill filed

Issued No 10017 6 $6.00/100 Ordered that George B. Walker be allowed six dollars for Attendance & medicines furnished prisoners in Jail

Issued No 10027 6 $27.13/100 Ordered that Willard Carpenter be allowed twenty seven dollars and thirteen cents as per bill filed for expense of paupers

Now here the order authorising the County Auditor to advertise for sealed proposals to build a bridge across Pigeon Creek at the Mouth of said Pigeon Creek passed on the 2nd day of the December Session 1849 be and the same is hereby rescinded

Ordered that the Board adjourn until Monday Morning at 10 O clock

E Saunders

Monday Morning Jany 7th 1850

The Bord met pursuant to adjournment when present E. Saunders M. P. Jones & Leroy Calvert Members compasing the Bord of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

Now here it is ordered that the County agent be and he is hereby directed to sell at private sale all the interest which the County of Vanderburgh or the Board of Commissioners of said County or their agent thereof may have in lots No 217. 218. 219. 220 221. 213. 171 & 172 in the Donation Enlargement of the City of Evansville in said County and that he sell the same subject to all incumbrances which now are a lien on said premises provided he can obtain for the whole of said premises the sum of two hundred and seventy five dollars and that said agent on effecting said sale execute to the purchaser or purchasers thereof a special warranty deed in fee as soon as soon as said purchaser shall pay one half of said purchase money in cash and give their promissory notes payable to said agent or order twelve months from the time of said sale with approved security waiving valuation and appraisement laws

Now here it is ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County that James T. Walker be and he is hereby appointed the Attorney in fact for the County of Vanderburgh to cast the vote of said County on ~~five~~ ~~Two~~ Two Thousand shares of Stock in the ~~election of Directors for said~~ Evansville & Illinois Rail Road Company we instruct our said Attorney to vote for the following named persons James G Jones Michael P. Jones Samuel Hall Willard Carpenter John Ingle Jun James Lockhart John Hewson John S. Hopkins and Samuel Orr

It is further ordered that the County Auditor issue a copy of this order to the said James T. Walker under his official seal which shall be sufficient Authority for him to cast the vote of said County upon the aforesaid two thousand shares of Stock in the election of Direction for said Rail Road Company

Copied Now here the Board appoint James Houston a Constable of Perry Township upon his filing his bond with the proper officer in the sum of five hundred dollars with James Tupman and as his sureties

Issued [illegible] Ordered that George Bates be allowed three dollars for 2 Coffins for paupers

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Issued [illegible] $116 5/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed one hundred and sixteen dollars and fifty eight cents for keeping paupers

Issued [illegible] $33 00/100 Ordered that Horatio Q Wheeler be allowed thirty five dollars for investigating books and making settlement with N Rowley

Issued [illegible] $33 00/100 Ordered that Arch McGriff be allowed thirty five dollars for investigating books and making settlement with N Rowley

Now here comes Horatio Q Wheeler ~~comes~~ and makes report of the investigation of the books of N Rowley which the Board takes time to consider until the next March Term of this Board

Now here the Board appoint Joel F Sherwood a constable of Pigeon Township upon his filing his bond with John Smith Gavit and Isaac Hutchenson as his sureties in the sum of five hundred dollars

Copied Now here John M Blair be and he is hereby appointed to employ hands and make the necessary repairs on the Embankment across the Bayou on the road leading from Evansville to Henderson Ky and that he be and he is hereby authorised to draw on the County Auditor for County orders to pay for said repairs

Now here Joel F Sherwood presents his bond in the sum of five hundred dollars as constable of Pigeon Township with John S. Gavit and Isaac Hutchenson as his sureties which the board now here approves

Issued [illegible] $3 00/100 Ordered that S J Hawkins be allowed five dollars for finding coffin & Burying a pauper found drowned in the Ohio River

Issued [illegible] $3 00/100 Ordered that William Boyle be allowed eight dollars for making a plan of a Bridge across the mouth of Pigeon Creek

Now here the Board adopt the plan of bridge ~~made and~~ marked "a bridge to be bridge across the mouth of Pigeon Creek" and also Marked "A"

Now here the board entered into a contract with J. & S Carothers to build a bridge across the mouth of pigeon Creek which contract is in words and figures as follows to wit "This article of agreement made and entered into between Ezekiel Sanders Michael P. Jones and Leroy Calvert members of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana of the one part and James & S Carothers + agree to build a bridge across Pigeon Creek at the

+ of the second part by Samuel Carothers Witnesseth that the said James and S Carothers

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Mouth of said Creek on the Plan known as Carothers late improved patent bridge For which the said Board of Commissioners agree to pay seventeen dollars per foot from the outside of one abutment to the outside of the other abutment with eight feet projection at each end at eight dollars and fifty cents per foot one half to be paid at the Completion of said bridge and the other half one year after the completion of said bridge is said bridge to be completed on or before the 1st day of Augt 1850 said bridge to be built according to a plan and specifications on file in the Auditors office witness our hands this 7th day of Jany 1850

E. Saunders
M. P. Jones
Leroy Calvert
Sam Carothers
Jas Carothers
By Sam Carothers agent

And for the faithful performance of said Contract the said James and Samuel Carothers enter into a bond with said board of Commissioners in the penal sum of five thousand dollars with David Negley as their surety

Issued No 1010 H $4.00/100 Ordered that Ezekiel Saunder be allowed four dollars for two days services as Commissioner at the present term

Issued No 1011 H $4.00/100 Ordered that Michael P Jones be allowed four dollars for two days services as Commissioner at the present term

Issued No 1012 H $4.00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed four dollars for two days services as Commissioner at the present term

Ordered that the board now adjourn

E. Saunders
M. P. Jones
Leroy Calvert

In Vacation January 29th 1850

Granville Scott having this day purchased lot number thirteen (13) being a part of the School section belonging to Congressional Township number five South of Range number Ten West in Vanderburgh County Indiana and also known and designated as the South West quarter of the South West quarter of section number sixteen in said Township containing forty acres and 25/100 hath for the sum of one hundred and sixty six dollars and three cents of which he has paid forty eight dollars and ninety seven cents being one fourth part of the purchase money and one years interest in advance on the residue of the Principal which is one hundred and twenty four dollars and fifty three 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 with in ten years from this date then the said Granville Scott 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 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 centum 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 revert to said Township for School purposes Witness my hand and seal this 30th day of March 1840 Chs D. Bourne Seal

Acting School Commr V. C

For value received I hereby assign and set over to Joseph Oysterman all my right title and interest to the within Certificate of purchase and the land therein mentioned Feby 16th 1849 Granville Scott Seal

State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } Set I James F. Walker a Justice of the Peace in and for said County do hereby Certify That the above named Granville Scott personally came before me and acknowledged that he signed and sealed the foregoing transfer for the purposes therein mentioned In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 16th day of Feby 1849 James F. Walker Seal

Justice Of the Peace

For Value received I hereby assign and set over to Joseph Bultman all my right title interest and claim to the within certificate of purchase In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 29th day of January 1850 Joseph Ostermen Seal

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State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Set

I William H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County do hereby Certify that the above named Joseph Osterman personally came before me 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 impressed the seal of the Board of Commissioners this 29th day of January 1850

Wm H Walker A.V.C.
By James T. Walker deputy

The following is the Transfer of Certificate for Lot No 14 of School lands Sold belonging to T5 R10W which certificate is recorded in Record Book H at at pages

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Set

I do hereby assign over and transfer to Joseph Bultman all 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 this 29th day of January 1850 John Osterman [seal]

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Set

I William H Walker Auditor of ~~Vanderburgh~~ County & State aforesaid do hereby certify that the abovenamed John Osterman personally came before me 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 the seal of the Board of Commissioners this 29th day of January 1850

Wm H Walker A.V.C.
By James T. Walker deputy

In Vacation Febmay 27th AD 1850

Know all men by these presents that William Bell of Vandenburgh County in the State of Indiana having this day purchased the North West quarter of the North West of Section number sixteen in Township number six South of Range number Ten West in Vandenburgh County - it being known as lot number four of said Section as laid out by the Trustees of Congressional Township number six South of Range number Ten West for the sum of three hundred and twenty dollars of which amount the said William Bell has paid the sum of Eighty dollars being one fourth part of said principal and one years interest in advance on the residue of the principal which is two hundred and forty dollars and payable in twenty five years from this date together with seven per cent per annum interest payable annually in advance and if full payment of said principal and interest be made within twenty five years from this date then the said William Bell 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 sixty days after either becomes due the said tract and all payments made thereon and this contract of sale shall be forfeited and revert to the said Township for School purposes. Witnep our hands this 27th day of Febmay A.D. 1850 } Wm W Walker Auditor of
Witnep Bracketa Mills } Vandenburgh County.
School Commissioner Vc } By James T. Walker deputy

Recorded Febmay 27th 1850

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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 the City of Evansville on the first Monday in March A.D. 1850 being the 4th day of said Month when present Ezekiel Saunders & Michael P. Jones two of the members of said Board of Commissioners

The Auditor of Vanderburgh County in accordance with the regulations of Section No fifty four in Article No three of Chapter No 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

Date	No	Names of Borrowers	Amount $ Cts	To what fund the Loan Belongs			Remarks
April 8th 1839	1	Shaver & Stigen	175 00	Com School Fund			Mortgage
do 20th 1839	2	Preston H Brown	100 00	do	do	do	do
do 29th 1839	4	Burnah Short	60 00	do	do	do	do
June 26th 1839	6	James R Kirkpatrick	100 00	do	do	do	do
Oct 25th 1839	8	John A Morgan	300 00	do	do	do	do
June 24th 1840	11	Conrad Schmidt	100 00	do	do	do	do
Jany 26th 1841	13	Daniel Stinchfield	25 00	do	do	do	do
Feby 26th 1842	16	Thomas Giffora	300 00	do	do	do	do
Nov 16th 1842	17	Edward Ingle	172 00	do	do	do	do
Dec 28th 1843	19	George Haage	100 00	do	do	do	do
Oct 20th 1843	20	George Haag	125 00	do	do	do	do
Feby 14th 1844	21	George B. Walker	400 00	do	do	do	do
Dec 29th 1843	24	Mark H Wheeler	100 00	do	do	do	do
Augt 16th 1842	30	William Linsworth	55 00	T. 5	R 10	West	do
Dec 17th 1839	31	Silas Stephens	200 00	T 6	R 10	West	do
Jany 24th 1844	37	Joseph H Phelps	81 00	T 6	R 10	West	do
July 24th 1843	38	Henry Harwood	200 00	T 6	R 10	West	do
do 27th 1843	39	Wm G. McDowell	150 00	T 6	R 10	West	do
Jany 24th 1844	42	Sebastian Henrick	100 00	T 6	R 10	West	do
Feby 5th 1844	43	John Hewson	160 00	T 6	R 10	West	do
do 5th 1844	45	George B. Walker	50 00	T 6	R 10	West	do
March 9th 1842	49	C & J. M C. Garret	220 00	T 7	R 10	West	do
Oct 22nd 1839	52	Hiram Nelson	200 00	T 5	R 11	West	do
Sept 21st 1840	53	J. C. Amey Jr	158 00	T 5	R 11	West	do
Augt 3rd 1842	54	Jacob Iron	50 00	T. 5	R 11	West	do
Oct 24th 1843	55	Jesse Henson	100 00	T 5	R 11	West	do
Oct 25th 1837	57	Walter Beal	200 00	T 6	R 11	West	do
Apr 21st 1837	58	George B. Wagner	200 00	T 6	R 11	West	do
May 30th 1839	59	John McCutcheon	200 00	Surplus Revenue			do
April 26th 1839	60	Julius S Catlett	150 00	do	do		do
Dec 19th 1839	62	Strother Catlett	120 00	do	do		do
July 19th 1840	63	Barker & Bierker	85 00	T. 7	R 11	West	do
Jany 8th 1840	64	John Fiches	288 00	T 7	R 11	West	do
Dec 14th 1840	65	John N Blan	123 75	T 7	R 11	West	do

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Feby 3rd 1841	66	Jacob Naas	55 00	T 7 R 11 West	Mortgage
March 19th 1841	67	Joshua Rose	100 00	T 7 R 11 West	do
do 23rd 1841	68	T Amory Jr	300 00	T 7 R 11 West	do
May 20th 1841	71	Charles Bigley	100 00	T 7 R 11 West	do
Augt 10th 1842	72	William M Walker	200 00	T 7 R 11 West	do
do 26th 1843	74	Wm & S. Barker	190 00	T 7 R 11 West	do
do 16th 1838	75	Wm E Wood	16 40	Surplus Revenue	do
Dec 2nd 1840	78	Joseph Huey	43 38	do do	do
June 13th 1838	83	Leger Ritty	5 00	do do	do
May 27th 1839	85	Charles Hancock	66 67	do do	do
April 23rd 1839	88	George Douseman	50 00	do do	do
Augt 4th 1840	89	William Boyer	100 00	do do	do
June 25th 1840	93	Edward Burtis	20 00	do do	do
April 24th 1840	95	Edmund Fields	25 00	do do	do
Apr 17th 1840	96	George N Kinney	50 00	do do	do
July 22nd 1839	97	David Thomas	75 00	do do	do
April 5th 1842	98	Allen H Eaton	150 00	do do	do
Feby 25th 1842	104	Thomas Gifford	300 00	do do	do
Augt 29th 1842	106	Willard Carpenter	300 00	do do	do
do 10th 1840	107	John Lindsley	33 33	do do	do
Feby 25th 1844	114	Jacob Guisler	65 00	do do	do
Augt 30th 1842	119	John M App	66 00	do do	do
Oct 10th 1841	122	Allark & E Hopkins Trs of SHC	50 32	County Seminary	Note
Nov 11th 1842	123	Wagnon & Tyler	44 26	do do	do
Feby 19th 1843	125	Olmsted & Olmsted	44 43	do do	do
do 13th 1843	127	Benoni Stinson & Stephen	41 19	do do	do
March 1st 1843	128	James G. Jones	100 90	do do	do
do 4th 1843	131	Onyet & Loomis	78 32	do do	do
Dec 11th 1843	132	Kingle & Guisler	35 31	do do	do
July 12th 1843	135	Bourne & Walker	70 05	do do	do
Feby 19th 1844	138	Trafton & Rowley	113 72	do do	do
do do 1844	139	Trafton & Rowley	76 86	do do	do
June 3rd 1843	140	Hillyard & Shankhn	85 00	do do	do
do 16th 1844	141	Walker & Deter	50 00	do do	do
Feby 19th 1844	142	Rowley & Trafton	248 11	do do	do
March 21st 1843	148	Onyet & Loomis	62 66	do do	do
May 8th 1821	149	Zimmerman & Warnick	34 59	do do	do
April 13th 1830	150	Magistrates receipt	33 75	do do	For Notes
June 12th 1837	151	do do	32 02	do do	do do
Feby 15th 1844	153	John M Blair	29 68	do do	Notes
April 20th 1844	155	Kinloch McJohnson	50 00	T 6 R 10 West	Mortgage
May 2nd 1844	156	Joseph Lenants	50 00	T 6 R 10 West	do
May 28th 1844	157	Joseph Lechner Jr	100 00	Surplus Revenue	do
June 4th 1844	159	Joel Malby	175 00	Com School fund	do
June 17th 1844	161	Zerah Fairchild	30 57	T 5 R 10 West	do
Jany 22nd 1844	162	John Erskine	30 00	Common School fund	do
July 3rd 1844	164	Stephens & Schree	290 00	T 6 R 10 West	do
May 15th 1844	168	George Skeels	172 00	T 5 R 10 West	do
Nov 2nd 1844	174	Abel Sullivan	200 00	T 6 R 10 West	do
Nov 8th 1844	175	Edward Hopkins	100 00	T 6 R 11 West	do

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Nov 9th 1844	176	Samuel Moffet	119	00	T 6 R 10 West	Mortgage
Dec 23rd 1844	179	Hiram Hopkins	200	00	Surplus Revenue	do
Jany 3rd 1845	180	William Wood	52	86	T 7 R 11 West	do
Feby 24th 1845	182	Elliott & Denmson	58	84	County Seminary	Note
Apr 5th 1845	185	John Keuchler	78	00	T 5 R 11 West	Mortgage
do 18th 1845	186	Michael Ward	55	00	T 7 R 10 West	do
do 28th 1845	187	Wm C Saunders	57	99	T 6 R 11 West	do
do 28th 1845	188	Wm C. Saunders	61	41	Surplus Revenue	do
May 12th 1845	189	William Moffet	75	00	do do	do
Oct 1st 1845	190	E & W C Saunders	200	00	do do	do
do 23rd 1845	191	James Hill	66	00	do do	do
Nov 4th 1845	193	Saml Kirkpatrick	75	00	T 5 R 10 West	do
do 22nd 1845	194	Saml Benjamin	41	47	T 5 R 10 West	do
Decr 9th 1845	195	George Burkhardt	97	00	T 6 R 10 West	do
Jany 8th 1846	196	Henry Miller	65	00	Surplus Revenue	do
do 12th 1846	197	Edward E Wheeler	300	00	T 7 R 11 West	do
do 22nd 1846	198	John Gillman	150	00	T 6 R 10 West	do
do 30th 1846	199	Joseph P. Elliott	130	00	T 6 R 10 West	do
do 30th 1846	200	Joseph P. Elliott	116	00	Surplus Rev	do
Feby 6th 1846	201	Benedict Shaver	100	00	T 7 R 11 West	do
do 12th 1846	202	James Dolan	200	00	T 7 R 11 West	do
do 27th 1846	203	George W M Chada	250	00	T 7 R 10 West	do
March 26th 1846	205	William Taylor	85	00	T 6 R 11 West	do
April 9th 1846	206	Trustees of St Pauls Church	150	00	County Seminary	do
do 9th 1846	207	Trustees of St Pauls Church	276	00	T 7 R 11 West	do
May 8th 1846	209	Matthew Flannegan	66	00	Saline Fund	do
do 11th 1846	210	Philip Berguitz	100	00	T 7 R 10 West	do
June 3rd 1846	211	Wm Hillyard	100	00	T 6 R 10 West	do
do 20th 1846	212	John Walsh	75	00	T 6 R 10 West	do
do 15th 1846	213	Christ Sour	100	00	Surplus Rev	do
Dec 12th 1846	220	Isaac Hutchenson	175	00	T 6 R 11 West	do
do 12th 1846	221	Isaac Hutchenson	300	00	Surplus Revenue	do
Jany 6th 1847	223	Wm B Schenck	115	00	T 7 R 10 West	do
do 23rd 1847	224	Joseph Fisher	50	00	T 6 R 11 West	do
do 23rd 1847	225	Joseph Fisher	30	89	T 5 R 11 West	do
do 23rd 1847	226	John Inwood	100	00	T 5 R 11 West	do
Feby 2nd 1847	227	Bayless Bennet	300	00	T 7 R 10 West	do
do 15th 1847	228	John Stock	20	00	T 6 R 10 West	do
March 8th 1847	229	Zerah Fairchild	33	00	Com School fund	do
do 5th 1847	230	Winston B Gould	100	00	T 6 R 10 West	do
April 6th 1847	231	Wm M Elliott	225	00	Bank Tax fund	do
do 14th 1847	232	Harvey F Calloway	81	00	T 7 R 10 West	do
do 23rd 1847	233	John Darling	125	00	T 6 R 10 West	do
do 27th 1847	234	Lewis Sour	55	00	T 7 R 11 West	do
May 12th 1847	235	Jeremiah Wyatt	35	00	Surplus Revenue	do
June 18th 1847	236	Thos Smith Wheeler	100	00	do do	do
do 19th 1847	237	James Steele	300	00	County Seminary	do
Augt 25th 1847	239	George Walter	115	00	Surplus Rev	do
Sept 4th 1847	240	Stephen Childs	25	00	T 6 R 10 West	do
Oct 10th 1847	242	John Weber	75	00	T 7 R 10 West	do

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Nov 4th	1847 243	George B. Walker	50000	County Jenny	Mortgage
do 4th	1847 245	George B Walker	20000	T 6 R 10 West	do
do 4th	1847 247	Anthony Letzler	160 00	Surplus Revenue	do
do 17th	1847 248	Benjamin P. Mugg	125 00	T 7 R 10 West	do
Dec 6th	1847 250	Sylvester Boardman	140 00	T 7 R 11 West	do
do 15th	1847 251	Alexander Powell	175 00	Common School fund	do
do 18th	1847 252	Abraham P. Nicholson	150 00	Surplus Revenue	do
do 28th	1847 253	Abel Sullivan	8600	Saline Fund	do
Jany 7th	1848 254	Hugh McCrary	60 00	T. 6 R 11 West	do
Feby 1st	1848 256	Matthias H. Atherton	100 00	Com School fund	do
Feb 12th	1848 257	Thomas Hall	150 00	T. 7 R 10 West	do
do 7th	1848 258	John Thrasty	200 00	T 7 R 10 West	do
March 17th	1848 260	Charles Linn	240 00	T 5 R 10 West	do
do 8th	1848 261	John Hewson	161 00	T 7 R 10 West	do
do 8th	1848 262	Emanuel Null	240 00	Com. School fund	do
do 28th	1848 263	Christian Lutzenich	169 00	do do do	do
do 20th	1848 264	John Taylor	153 00	T 5 R 10 West	do
Apr. 6th	1848 265	Wm H Elliott	200 00	T 6 R 11 West	do
do 12th	1848 266	James W King	200 00	County Jenny	do
do 20th	1848 267	Daniel Morgan	160 00	Common School fund	do
do 20th	1848 268	Daniel Morgan	140 00	County Jenny	do
do 22nd	1848 269	Wm H. H Olds	50 00	Saline Fund	do
May 1st	1848 270	Jacob Reinhardt	5600	Coroners Inquest	do
June 1st	1848 272	Francis A Linch	150 00	Surplus Revenue	do
do 17th	1848 273	Joseph Grim Sen	6000	T 6 R 10 West	do
Apr 15th	1848 275	Onyet J Bennett	169 88	County Jenny	Note
Augt 31st	1848 276	Sebastien Hennich	112 00	T 6 R 10 West	Mortgage
Sept 19th	1848 277	Joseph Wheeler	150 00	T 5 R 10 West	do.
do. 22nd	1848 278	James R Boardman	10000	T 5 R 11 West	do
do 27th	1848 279	Ezekiel Saunders	120 00	T 5 R 10 West	do
do 28th	1848 280	John Martin	100 00	T 5 R 10 West	do
May 5th	1848 270	W J & J. J. Chandler	350.00	County Jenny	Note
Sept 29th	1848 281	James Taylor	53 00	do do	Mortgage
Oct 20th	1848 282	Charles Keenekell	100 00	Surplus Revenue	do
do 20th	1848 283	Charles Keenekell	150 00	T 6 R 11 West	do
Nov 7th	1848 284	George B. Walker	300 00	Surplus Rev	do
do 11th	1848 285	John T. Walker	30000	do do	do
do 13th	1848 286	John Mugg	10000	Bank Tax fund	do
Jany 5th	1849 287	John Green	200 00	Surplus Rev	do
do 10th	1849 288	B.P. Mugg & M J Bray	2400	County Jenny	do
do 2nd	1849 291	Jacob Bonn	60 00	T 5 R 11 West	do
do 2[illegible]th	1849 292	Martin Schmoll	20000	Com School fund	do
Feby 2nd	1849 293	Isaac Cavins	6000	T 6 R 11 West	do
March 12th	1849 294	Barney Cody	150 00	County Jenny	do
do 17th	1849 295	Sherman Fairchild	84 00	T 5 R 10 West	do
Apr 21st	1849 296	Gennen M E Church	300 00	County Jenny	do
May 19th	1849 297	Francis A Linch	17809	T 7 R 10 West	do
do 29th	1849 298	Philip Ramsch	10000	T 7 R 10 West	do
Sept 8th	1849 299	Philip Ramsch	85 00	Com School fund	do
Augt 30th	1849 300	James M Parson	10000	T 6 R 10 West	do

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Augt 30th 1849	301	Edward H DeGarmo	10000	T 6 R 10 West	Mortgage
Oct 25th 1849	302	Francis A Lynch	3800	Saline Fund	do
Nov 20th 1849	303	Edwin Rogers	10000	T 6 R 11 West	do
Decr 8th 1849	304	Francis Lynch Sen	8200	Surplus Rev	do
Ap 8th 1849	305	Francis Lynch Sen	5000	Bank Tax Fund	do
Janry 8th 1850	306	William Rubrecht	8000	T 6 R 11 West	do
Ap 31st 1850	307	Joel C Mills	10000	Com School Fund	do

All of which is respectfully submitted
March 4th ~~1850~~, 1850 Jno H Walker A.C.C.
By James J. Walker deputy

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Now here William Tilly and Richard Browning and Patrick Keegan be and they are hereby appointed to view out and locate a road in Scott Township now running from the State road by Thomas McClellands and that they make report thereof at the present term of this Board

And now here it is ordered that the County Agent be and is hereby directed to convey to George B Walker in fee simple all the interest of said County Agent and of said County and of the Board of commissioners in and to the undivided one third of the following Lots in the Donation Enlargement of the City of Evansville to wit Lots Nos. 222. 221. 220. 219. 213. 215 and 217 & 218 Excepting so much of said Lots 217 & 218 as has been heretofore conveyed to Abraham Myer provided said Walker shall first pay to said Agent the sum of $45.83 in cash and give his note with good security for $45.83 payable to said agent twelve months after the date of said conveyance. And it is further ordered that said Agent also convey to Willard Carpenter in fee simple all the interest of said County and of said Agent in and to the ~~Lot~~ Numbers 271 and the undivided two thirds of said Lots Numbers 222. 221. 220. 219. 213. 215 and 217 & 218 in said Donation Enlargement excepting so much of said Lots 217 & 218 as has been heretofore sold to said A. Myer provided said Carpenter shall first pay to said Agent the sum of $91.67 in cash and shall give his note for the like sum of $91.67.

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Now here the viewers appointed to view & locate a road running partly on the line between Townships number four & five in Range number seven West in Scott Township Commencing at the South West Corner of Section No 35 in Township No 4 thence running due East 20 rods until it strikes a Cartway then due North Twenty eight Rods on the Cartway until it strikes the County road make the following report namely; Feby 9th 1850 We the undersigned viewed the road and approve of the

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way the petition calls for it Thomas Piggel
Thomas Elliott
John Rankin
which report the Board now here approves & the supervisor is hereby required to keep said road in repair

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Now here the viewers appointed to view and locate a road in Knight Township make the following report to wit "To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County We the undersigned Commissioners appointed by your Honorable body do report that we have viewed the premises described in the order hereto annexed and have changed the road mentioned in said order as follows to wit Beginning at or near the North West corner described in said order and running thence into the road generally called the new bridge road to the North Corner of the Stanfield land thence on the line South of Barnes land & A.J. Hesmers land to the Boonville road intersecting said Boonville road on the West or the side towards Evansville of the first Crossway Respectfully submitted
Jesse Jackson
Jerome Ingraham
Samuel his + mark Carlisle
which report is hereby approved and the supervisor of the district through which said road passes is hereby required to keep the same in good repair

Now here Dorastus L Grimes one of the Justices of the Peace of Vanderburgh County makes the following report namely
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 next preceding day of the date of this report to wit

State of Indiana } Fined one dollar for an assault
vs } and Battery Assessed & collected
Archibald Fitzgerald } the 24th day of March 1849

State of Indiana } Fined one dollar for an
vs } assault & Battery assessed
Larkin Fitzgerald } & collected the 24th day
of March 1849

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State of Indiana vs Hugh McCrary } Fined three dollars for an assault and Battery Assessed & collected on the 20th day of August 1849

State of Indiana vs James Wagnon } Fined one dollar for an assault and Battery assessed and collected on the 21st day of Sept 1849

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County I D. 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 of any person whatever by virtue of his office as such Justice within and during the preceeding year commencing on the 5th day of March 1849 and ending on the 4th day of March 1850 D L Grimes Sr Justice of the Peace

Sworn to in open Court March 4th 1850
Wm T Walker Abl By James T. Walker deputy

Issued No 1131 H $1.00/100 Ordered that Thomas Elliott be allowed one dollar for viewing road in Scott Township

Issued No 1132 H 1.00/100 Ordered that Wm Hillyard be allowed one dollar for returning report of Road viewers in Scott Township

Issued No 1133 H 1.00/100 Ordered that Thomas Pigget be allowed one dollar for viewing a road in Scott Township

Issued No 1134 H 1.00/100 Ordered that John Rankin be allowed one dollar for viewing a road in Scott Township

Now here William Johnson having produced to the Board satisfactory proff that he is disabled from working on the Road he is hereby excused from performing labor in the public highways in Vanderburgh County

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 ~~o'clock~~ A M
E Saunders

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Tuesday Morning March 5th 1850 at 9 Oclock A.M. the Board met pursuant to adjournment when the same members were present as yesterday

Issued No 112.376 $2200 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed twenty Two dollars for improper Tax sale

Now here the Auditor of Vanderburgh County presents the following Statements of the receipts and disbursement of the money by the School Commissioner of said county Namely

Auditors office Vanderburgh County March 1st 1850

To the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

In obedience to the provisions of Article No Eight in Chapter No Thirteen 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 Statement of the whole of the receipts and disbursements on account of said fund with the total amount of School funds in the Commissioners on the first day of March. A.D. 1850

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 Range 10 West

No 6 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 4 Range 11 West

No 7 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 5 Range 11 West

No 8 A Statement of the condition of the funds of Town 6 Range 11 West

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No 12 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of District No 4 Town 6 Range 10 West

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No 15 A Statement of the Condition of the Common School funds

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No 1 A Statement of the whole receipts and Disbursements on account of Penn funds with the total amount of School funds in the School Commissioners hands on the first day of March A.D. 1850

Loans

There was outstanding March 1st 1849	14074 73	
Loaned by Auditor from March 1st 1849 to March 1st 1850	1577 00	15651 73
Total Loans		15651 73
Amount refunded by Borrowers to March 1st 1850	962 08	
Outstanding on Loan March 1st A.D. 1850	14689 65	15651 73

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in the Commissioners Hands on the 1st day of March A.D. 1849	1079 50	
There has been received since and up to March 1st 1850 as follows to wit		
From Prin. from purchases & Loans refunded by Borrowers	962 08	
Interest on Loans	1622 44	
From interest from purchasers	549 64	
From incidental receipts	32 04	4245 70

Disbursements

Loans to March 1st A.D. 1850	1577 00	
Interest drawn by Township Treasurers	923 32	
Incidental Expenditures	313 15	2813.47
Bal in School Commrs hands March 1st 1850		1432 23

No 2 A Statement of the condition of the funds of Township 4 South of Range 10 West

Receipts & Disbursement

Receipts

Received from Dividend of Common School fund	3 40

Disbursement

Amount drawn by Township Treasr	3 40

No 3 A Statement of the condition of the funds of Township 5 South of Range 10 West

Loans

There was outstanding on Loans on March 1st 1849 of the funds of this Township	1033 47
Loaned by the Auditor to March 1st 1850	84 00
Total Loans earned up	1127 47

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Total Loans Brought Up	1127	47	
Loans refunded by Borrowers to March 1st 1850	84	00	
Outstanding on Loan March 1st 1850	1043	31	1043 31

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in the School Commissioners Hands of the funds of this Township March 1st 1849	145	94	
Loans refunded by Borrowers	84	16	
From Interest on Loans	102	88	
From interest from purchasers	124	11	
Miscellanious Sources	9	47	
Total Receipts	466	56	466 56

Disbursements

Loans of funds of this Township	84	00	
Incidental Expenditures	326	42	410 42
Bal in Coms Hands on the 1st of March 1850 =			56 14

No 4 A Statement of the condition of the funds of Township 6 South of Range 10 West

Loans

There was outstanding on Loans on the 1st day of March 1849	3112	00	
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1850	200	00	
Total Loans	3312	00	3
Loans refunded by Borrowers	262	00	
Outstanding Loans March 1st 1850	3050	00	3050 00

Receipts & Disbursement

Receipts

Balance in Com Hands March 1st 1849	310	07	
From Loans refunded by Borrowers	262	00	
From principal from purchase	80	00	
From interest from Loans	434	08	
From interest from purchase	157	11	
Incidental Receipts	64	52	
Total Receipts	1307	78	1307 78

Disbursements

Loans of the funds of this Township	200	00	
Incidental Disbursement	696	25	
Total Disbursement	896	25	896 25
Balance in School Com Hands March 1st 1850			411 53

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No 5 A Statement of the condition of the funds of Town 7 Range 10 West

Loans

There was outstanding on Loans		
March 1st 1849 of the funds of this Township		1970 00
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1850		413 00
Total Loans		2383 00
Loans refunded by Borrowers to March 1st 1850		413 00
Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1850		1970 00

Receipts and Disbursement

Receipts

Balance in Commissioners hands March 1st 1849	57 58	
There has been received of this fund		
to March 1st 1850 as follows to wit		
From Loans refunded by Borrowers	413 00	
From int on Loans	118 45	
From interest from purchasers	112 11	
From incidental receipts	445 31	
Total Receipts	1146 45	1146 45

Disbursements

Loans of funds of this Township	413 00	
Incidental Disbursements	498 16	
Total disbursements	911 16	911 16
Balance in School Commissioners hands March 1st 1850		235 29

No 6 A Statement of the condition of the funds of Township No 4 South of Range No 11 West

Receipts & Disbursement

Receipts

There has been received of the funds of this Township from the Common School fund	12 99

Disbursements

Amount Drawn by Township Treasure	12 99

No 7 A Statement of the condition of the funds of Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West

Loans

Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1850	736 89
Refunded by Borrowers	50 00
Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1850	686 89

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Receipts & Disbursement

Receipts

There was in the Commissioners hands		
on the 1st day of March 1849	67 56	
From Loans refunded by Borrowers	50 00	
From Interest on Loans	58 55	
From Interest from purchaser	15 18	
Total Receipts	191 21	191 29

Disbursement

Incidental Disbursement	81 30	81 30
Balance in Com hands March 1st 1850	109 99	109 99

No 8 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Township 6 South of Range 11 West

Loans

There was outstanding on Loans	
March 1st 1849	4070 72
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1850	180 00
Total Loans	1650 72
Refunded by Borrowers to March 1st 1850	183 73
Outstandings on Loans March 1st 1850	1466 99

Receipts and Disbursements

Receipts

Balance in Commissioners hands March 1st 1849	90 56	
There has been received since March 1st 1849 as follows		
From loans refunded by Borrowers	183 73	
From Interest on Loans	209 32	
From Interest from Purchasers	76 22	
Dividend of the common School fund	30 49	
Incidental Receipts	12 75	
Total Receipts	603 07	603 07

Disbursement

Loans of funds of this Township	180 00	
Incidental Disbursement	297 53	
Total Disbursement	477 53	477 53
Bal in Com hands March 1st 1850		125 54

No 9 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 7 ~~South~~ of Range 11 West

Loans

There was outstanding on Loan March 1st 1849	250 60
Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1850	250 60

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Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in the School Commissioners		
hands March 1st 1849	99 96	
Interest on Loans	178 28	
From interest from purchasers	68 00	
Total Receipts	346 24	346 24

Disbursements

Incidental expenditures	186 06	186 06
Bal in Com hands March 1st 1850		160 18

No 10 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 8 South of Range 11 West

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

From dividend of Common School fund 2 45

Disbursement

Amount drawn by Township Treasurer. 2 45

No 11 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 6 South of Range 9 West

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in School Commissioners		
hands March 1st 1849	4 79	
From div from Com School funds	1 21	
Total Receipts	6 00	6 00

Disbursements

Amount drawn by Township Treasurer	5 83	5 83
Total Disbursements	5 83	5 83
Balance in Commissioners hands March 1st 1850		17

No 12 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of district 4 Town 6 South of Range 10 West

Receipts & Disbursement

Receipts

There was in School Com hands Mar 1st 1849	45 12
Deposites by Township Treasurer	14 81
Total Receipts	59 93

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Disbursements

Incidental Disbursement		41
Bal in Com hands March 1st 1850	59	52

No 13 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of District 4 Town 6 Range 11 West

Receipts

Amount of funds belonging to this district since March first 1849 and in School Commissioners hand on March 1st 1850	57 17	57 17

No 14 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of district 1 Township 5 Range 11 West

Receipts

Amount of funds belonging to this district in Commissioners hands March 1st 1850	5 97	5 97

No 15. A Statement of the Condition of the Common School fund

Loans

There was outstanding March 1st 1849 of this fund	3317 00	
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1850	195 00	
Total Loans	3512 00	3512 00
Refunded by Borrowers to March 1st 1850	193 35	193 35
Outstanding on Loan March 1st 1850	3318 65	3318 65

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Com hands of this fund March 1st 1849	233 37	
There has been received to March 1st 1850 as follows to wit from Loans refunded by Borrowers	193 35	
From principal from Miscellaneous sources	2 25	
From interest from Loans	210 73	
Total Receipts	639 70	639 70

Disbursements

Loans of Com School funds	195 00	
Incidental & Township Disbursements	233 97	
Total Disbursements	428 97	428 97
Bal in School Commissioners hands March 1st 1850		210 73

All of which is respectfully Submitted

Wm H Walker A.V.C.
By James T. Walker deputy

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which said report the Board now here approve

And now here it is ordered by the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh in pursuance of an act approved January 16th 1850 entitled an act relative to the County Seminary property of Vanderburgh County that the County Auditor of said County be and he is hereby directed to release and convey to Alvin B. Carpenter and his heirs all that part of the tract of land mentioned in said act which is included in Sillestons Enlargement of Evansville

Now here it is ordered that sealed proposals be received until the 20th day of April 1850 for building a stone culvert Eighty feet long three feet by four in the clear the wall to be two and a half feet thick and laid in good lime and sand mortar to be built of Good Substantial Limestone And the Auditor is hereby required to have fifty handbills printed distributed and stuck up at the public places in Vanderburgh County

Now here Joseph Wheeler Esq one of the Justices of the Peace of Vanderburgh County makes the following report namely

The following are the State actions whom fines where imposed from March 1849 to March 1850

				$ cts
State vs Dol Joiner	Trespass fine	paid	$3,00	3,00
State vs William Madison	A & B do	no	1,00	100
State vs Austin Jones	do	do Replevied	1,00	
State vs Jacob Gussler	do	do paid	100	100
State vs S. Jenkins	do	do paid	400	400
State vs Michael Monson	do	do not paid	100	
State vs Michael Mulnehall	do	do replevied	100	
State vs Henry Helcher	do	do Paid	1333½	1333½
State vs John Miller	do	do Replevied	200	
State vs Augustus Carter	do	do Do	200	
State vs Spencer Glazier	do	do do	100	
State vs John Snider	do	do do	1,00	
State vs Elvira Sink	do	do paid	100	100
State vs Crawford McGregor	do	do not paid	100	
State vs Dan Sullivan	do	do replevied	500	
State vs Dorothy	do	do paid	200	200
State vs Charlotte Grover & Sally Grover	do	do replevied	200	
State vs Daniel Sullivan	Breach of the Peace	paid	100	1,00
State vs Wm Wallace	A & B do	paid	100	100
State vs Kay Miller John Miller Valentine Filger & Mrs Filger	dist Ct	Fine paid		2000
				4700

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I certify the above to be correct transcript from my docket. Joseph Wheeler Seal
Sworn to in open court March 5th 1850 Wm T Walker Atty Justice of the Peace
By James T. Walker dep

Now here Bracket Mills Esq one of the Justices of the Peace of Vanderburgh County makes the following report of the fines assessed and collected by him since the 1st of March 1849 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 Pigeon 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 day of the date of this report to wit

March 4th 1850 Bracket Mills Seal Justice of the Peace

1	State of Indiana vs Constantine Baker	October 23rd 1849 Larceny found Guilty and sent to Jail
2	State of Indiana vs Emanuel Hull	October 17th 1849 Assault & Battery Discharged
3	State of Indiana vs Peter Rease	November 30th 1849 Assault and Battery fined $3.00 dollars paid
4	State of Indiana vs Benoni Stinson	December the 7th 1849 Assault and Battery fined $3.00 Mittimus issued to Thomas Hall Capt
5	State of Indiana vs George Inkenbrand	Assault and Battery December 15th 1849 fined $3.00 Replevied
6	State of Indiana vs William Gerrard	October 30th 1849 Riot fined $3,00 Replevied
7	State of Indiana vs James Millard	Riot October 31st 1849 fined $3.00 Replevied
8	State of Indiana vs William Onyet	October 31st 1849 Riot fined one dollar Replevied

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9 State of Indiana vs Isaac Andrews — October 31st 1849 Riot fined $3.00 paid

10 State of Indiana vs William Onyet — December the 26th 1849 Assault & Ba

11 State of Indiana vs David Allen — December 26th 1849 Assault & Battery fined $1.00 Replevied

12 State of Indiana vs Samuel R Mandel — December the 28th 1849 Assault and Battery fined one dollar paid

13 State of Indiana vs Isaac Andrews & Charles Mack — January the 6th 1850 public indecency Isaac Andrews fined $10.00 & Charles Mack fined $2.00 replevied

14 State of Indiana vs Daniel Sullivan — January 7th 1850 Assault & Battery fined $5.00 replevied

15 State of Indiana vs John Riddle — January 2nd 1850 Assault and Battery with intent to kill discharged

16 State of Indiana vs John Rattingotter — Assault and Battery with intent to kill Recognized to Court January 3rd 185-

17 State of Indiana vs Leopold Labe — Perjury January the 22nd 1850 Recognized to Court

18 State of Indiana vs John Remden — January the 24th 1850 Larceny Recognized to Court

19 State of Indiana vs George McDaniel — January 25th 1850 Assault & Battery fined two dollars Replevied

20 State of Indiana vs Thomas Mead — Assault & Battery January 31st 1850 fined $2.00 Replevied

21 State of Indiana vs James Thomas — February 14th 1850 Assault and Battery fined $4.00 paid

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22 State of Indiana vs Samuel Shumate & James Shumate } February the 13th 1850 Assault and Battery fined one dollar Samuel Shumate discharged

23 State of Indiana vs John Dill & Michael Nunn } February 19th 1850 Assault & Battery fined one dollar each and paid $2 00

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County Set I Bracket Mills a Justice of the Peace do Solemnly swear that the foregoing 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 preceeding year commencing on the 24th day of September 1850 and ending on the day of the date of this report Bracket Mills Seal Sworn to in open Justice of the Peace Court this 5th day of March 1850 Wm H Walker Able By James T Walker dep

Now here Joseph Wheeler one of the overseers of the Poor of Pigeon Township makes a report to this board which report the Board now here approves

Now here Bracket Mills one of the Justices of the Peace of Pigeon Township makes a report to the Board of his doing as such overseer of the poor which report the Board now here approve

Now here John A Morgan and Dorastus Grimes overseers of the poor of German Township make their report of their proceedings as such overseers of the poor which report the Board now here approves

Issued No 1135 Fl $60 00/100 Ordered that Joseph Wheeler be allowed sixty dollars for services as overseer of the poor of Pigeon Township

Issued No 1136 Fl $60 00/100 Ordered that Bracket Mills be allowed sixty dollars for services as overseer of the poor of Pigeon Township

Issued No 1137 Fl $4 00/100. Ordered that John A Morgan be allowed four dollars for serving as overseer of the poor of German Township

Issued No 1138 Fl $1 00/100 Ordered that Dorastus L Grimes be allowed one dollar for services as overseer of the poor of German Township

Issued No 1139 Fl $3 00/100 Ordered that J. P. & G Schwing be allowed three dollars for 1 Mattress furnished Jail

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Issued No 1140 H $2 00/100 Ordered that Saml Sister be allowed two dollars for Blank Books furnished Auditor & Assessor

Issued No 1141 H $2 00/100 Ordered that Stephen Runnels be allowed two dollars for taking paupers to the poor house

Issued No 1142 H $3 00/100 Ordered that J. P. & G Schwing be allowed three dollars for 2 Bedticks furnished the Jail

Issued No 1143 H $15 37/100 Ordered that Matthias Renschler be allowed fifteen dollars and thirty seven cents for articles furnished the County ~~poorhouse~~ Jail

Issued No 1144 H $9 00/100 Ordered that Oliver Ladd & Co be allowed nine dollars for Blankets furnished County Jail

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 O' Clock

E Saunders Pres't

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Wednesday Morning March 6th 1850 The Board met pursuant to adjournment when the same members were present as yesterday

Now here James T. Walker one of the Justices of the Peace presented the following report namely

To the Hon the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

The undersigned one of the Justices of the Peace of Pigeon Township in Vanderburgh County would respectfully State that since the last March term of the Board of Commissioners he has had no criminal trials nor collected any fines

Sworn to in open Court
March 6th A.D. 1850
E Saunders
President of the Board

Respectfully Submitted
James T. Walker Pea'g
Justice of the Peace

Now here R W Dunbar Treasurer of Vanderburgh County submits the following report namely

The County Treasurer submits to the Board doing County Business for Vanderburgh County the following as his report for the previous six Months being for the quarters ending December 1849 & March 1850 Report of the amount and Kind of Funds by him collected from all Sources as follows to wit

Account	Scrip & Orders	Cash	R Orders	Total
Revenue of 1848 & 9	2667 95	10700 56	952 10	188 82	23083 43
Delinquent Revenue 1847			1 65		1 65
Delinquent Rev 1848		40 00	22 62		62 62
Redemption of Lands			102 64		102 64
County Lots		264 35			264 35
Principal County Seminary			18 50		18 50
Interest			143 11		143 11
Interest Surplus Rev			303 35		303 35
Interest Bank Tax			10 50		10 50
Interest Saline			6 02		6 02
Incidental		118 42	154 07		272 49
Poorhouse		700 00			700 00
Merchants License		5 00	45 00		50 00
Pedlers License		5 00			5 00
Jerry License		2 00			2 00
Estrays			50		50
+	2667 95	11835 33	1033 406	188 82	25026 16

Evansville March 6th 1850

Respectfully submitted
R W Dunbar T.V.C

which report is now here approved

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Issued — No 1145 76 $ 5 00/100 — Ordered that Babcock Brothers be allowed five dollars for ox furnished for paupers

Issued — No 1146 76 $ 1 00/100 — Ordered that Peter Kuhlman be allowed one dollar for making a drawer for table in the Auditors Office

Issued — No 1147 76 $ 5 25/100 — Ordered that J & N Reilly be allowed five dollars and twenty five cents expens of paupers during Cholera

Issued — [illegible] — Ordered that Thomas E Gannin be allowed twelve dollars and fifty cents for services as County agent to March 4th 1836

Issued — No 1148 76 $ 0 90/100 — Ordered that Mr Iddleson be allowed ninety cents for Glazing Jail windows

Issued — No 1149 76 $ 2 80/100 — Ordered that Saml Sisler be allowed two dollars and eighty cents for 1 Ream of Foolscap paper for Clerks Office

Issued — [illegible] — Ordered that James T Walker be allowed seventy eight dollars and seventy nine cents for services as County Auditor

Issued — No 1150 76 $ 20 00/100 — Ordered that John S Terry be allowed twenty dollars for ex officio services as Sheriff of Pendenbergh County

Issued — No 1151 76 $ 8 00/100 — Ordered that John S Terry be allowed Eight dollars for guarding Jail

Issued — No 1152 76 $ 10 00/100 — Ordered that John S Terry be allowed ten dollars for expense of Prisoners

Issued — No 1153 76 $ 10 00/100 — Ordered that John S Terry be allowed ten dollars for expense of Prisoners

Issued — No 1154 76 $ 10 00/100 — Ordered that John S Terry be allowed ten dollars for expense of prisoners

Issued — No 1155 76 $ 10 00/100 — Ordered that John S Terry be allowed ten dollar for expense of Prisoners

Issued — No 1156 76 $ 10 00/100 — Ordered that John S Terry be allowed ten dollars for expense of prisoners

Issued — No 1157 76 $ 10 00/100 — Ordered that John S Terry be allowed ten dollar for expense of Prisoners

Issued — No 1158 76 $ 10 00/100 — Ordered that John S Terry be allowed ten dollars for expense of prisoners

Issued — No 1159 76 $ 10 00/100 — Ordered that John S Terry be allowed ten dollars for expense of prisoners

Issued — No 1160 76 $ 5 00/100 — Ordered that John S Terry be allowed five dollars for expense of Prisoners

Issued — No 1161 76 $ 5 00/100 — Ordered that John S Terry be allowed five dollars for expense of prisoners

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Issued No 1162 H $ 5.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed five dollars for expense of prisoners

Issued No 1163 H $ 5.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed five dollars for expense of prisoners

Issued No 1164 H $ 5.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed five dollars for expense of prisoners

Issued No 1165 H $ 5.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed five dollars for expense of prisoners

Issued No 1166 H $ 5.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed five dollars for expense of prisoners

Issued No 1167 H $ 5.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed five dollars for expense of prisoners

Issued No 1168 H $ 5.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed five dollars for expense of prisoners

Issued No 1169 H $ 5.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed five dollars for expense of prisoners

Issued No 1170 H $ 1.15/100 Ordered that John S Terry be allowed One dollar and ~~eighteen~~ fifteen cents for expense of prisoners

Issued [illegible] ordered that Ellis I Schlamp be allowed Forty three dollars and ninety three cents for Groceries furnished County Poorhouse

Issued No 1171 H $ 0.80/100 Ordered that Henry Henn Henn be allowed Eighty cents for cash paid hand for work at Brickkiln

John Walsh having produced to the Board satisfactory proof that he is unable to perform manuel labor he is therefore hereby exempted from working on the public Highways in Vanderburgh County

Issued No 1172 H $ 8.00/100 Ordered that John S Terry be allowed one dollar and ninety three cents for expense of prisoners

Issued No 1172 H $ 8.00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed Eight dollars for cash paid for land improperly sold for taxes

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

E Saunders

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Thursday Morning March 7th A D 1850 the Board met pursuant to adjournment when the same members of the Board were present as yesterday

Issued No 1173 H $1 00/100 Ordered that Benjamin Harvey be allowed one dollar for returning report of road viewers in Scott Township

Issued No 1174 H $1 00/100 Ordered that William Hillyard be allowed one dollar for viewing a road in Scott Township

Issued No 1175 H $1 00/100 Ordered that Richard Browning be allowed one dollar for viewing a road in Scott Township

Issued No 1176 H $1 00/100 Ordered that Patrick Keegan be allowed one dollar for viewing a road in Scott Township

Issued No 1177 H $1 00/100 Ordered that James Ensle be allowed one dollar for going to Evansville for Coroner

Now here the viewers appointed to view out and Locate a road in Scott Township now running from the State road by Thomas McClellands makes the following report namely

"We the viewers have reviewed the above road and find the difference 12 rods from the old road and consider the above difference but very little damage to the public but a benefit to the owners of the land it runs through

Richard Browning
P. Keegan
William Hillyard

which report is hereby approved and the supervisor is authorised and required to keep said road in good repair

Issued No 1178 H $28 00/100 Ordered that John M Blair be allowed twenty eight dollars for superintending work done at the Bayou Embankment

Now here John M Blair one of the Justices of the Peace of Vanderburgh County makes the following report namely

The undersigned one of the Justices of the Peace of Union Township in Vanderburgh County would respectfully state that I have not collected any fines since I have been elected Justice of the Peace March 7th 1850 John M Blair Seal Justice of the Peace

Sworn to & subscribed before me this 7th day March 1850

Wm H Walker A.C.
By James T Walker dep

which report the Board now here approves

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Issued No 11792 $6 35/100 Ordered that Samuel T. Jenkins be allowed six dollars and thirty five cents for expenses of elections &c as per bill filed

Issued No 11803 $25 00/100 Ordered that Samuel T Jenkins be allowed twenty five dollars for ex officio services as clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court.

Issued No 11817 $ .50/100 Order that Samuel Delzel be allowed ten dollars and fifty cents for Stationary furnished the clerks office

Now here the Board of Commission of Vanderburgh County enters into an agreement with Thomas Gifford and John Smith to build an embankment at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek which agreement is substantially as follows "This article of agreement made and entered in to between Ezekiel Saunders Michael P. Jones & Leroy Calvert members of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County of the one part and Thomas Gifford and John Smith of the other part Witnesseth that the said Thomas Gifford and John Smith agree to put up an embankment of earth against the abutment at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek on the lower side thereof for which the said Board of Commissioners agrees to pay to the said Thomas Gifford and John Smith fifteen cents per cubic yard to be paid for as the work progresses to be measured according to the usual method of measuring embankments and to allow for the usual settling of the earth in said embankment said work to be completed by the first monday in June 1850 unless the high water of the Ohio River will prevent them from performing said work

E. Saunders
M.P. Jones

Thoma Gifford
John Smith

It is ordered that said Thomas Gifford and John Smith enter into a bond in the to be approved by the Board for the sum of three hundred dollars with Nathan Rowley as their Surety which said bond has been signed as the Board requires and said Board of Commissioners Now here approves of said bond

Issued No 11827 $4 50/100 Ordered that Joel C Mills be allowed four dollars and fifty cents for making Coffins for paupers

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Now Here Bracket Mills Esq
School Commissioner of Vandenburgh County
submits the following report namely
" School Commissioners office Vandenburgh County
March the 4th 1830 To the Hon the Board of
Commissioners of Vandenburgh County Gentlemen
In accordance with the several Statutes in
such case made and provided the School
Commissioner of Vandenburgh County
submits his annual report showing the
amount of cash on hand at last report
together with the amount of receipts and
expenditures from March 5th 1849 to March
the 4th 1830

Receipts

There was remaining in the School Commissioners hands last settlement the sum of	1078 91
Amount received from March 5th 1849 to March 4th 1830 as	2926 78
	4005 69

Expenditures

There has been paid on warrants from March 5th 1849 to March 4th 1830	2598 00
Balance remaining on hand March the 4th 1830	1407 69

Respectfully Submitted
By Bracket Mills Sch. C. V. C.

which report the board now here approves

Ordered that the Board adjourn until
tomorrow Morning at 9 Oclock
E Saunders Pres't

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Friday Morning March 8th 1850 at 9 O'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when the same members were present as yesterday Leroy Calvert Esqr having been absent all of this Term

Issued No 1183 Fb $1 50/100 Ordered that Peter Wool be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for cleaning & Limeing privey

Copied Now here it is ordered that the County Agent be instructed to collect twenty dollars and Eighty three cents from the Guardian out of the property of John Muggs for expenses incurred by him in a trial for insanity and twenty two dollars and fourteen cents for trial of the wife of Henry Jackson for insanity

Issued No 1127 Fb $22 00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed twenty two dollars for services as County Auditor as per bill filed

Issued No 1184 Fb $4 55/100 Ordered James T. Walker be allowed four dollars and fifty five cents for services as per bill filed

Issued No 1185 Fb $25 00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed twenty five dollars for ex officio services as County Auditor

Now here Joseph Lechner the keeper of County Poorhouse makes his report to the Board of Commissioners of the doing at said poorhouse since the 1st day of January 1850 which report the board now here approves

Copied Now here it is ordered that Richard Jenkins be authorised to build a fence of posts and Boards around the public Square to enclose the Court house Clerks office Woodhouse & privey

Now here the Board of Commissioners levies for road purposes for the year 1850 ten cents on each one hundred dollars valuation of property on all personal and real estate subject by law to taxation for road purposes

Copied Now here it is ordered that Joseph Lechner be authorised to purchase a horse and 2 Cows for the use of the County Poorhouse and also a cart & harness a one horse pough and harness and to hire ~~hands~~ hands to fix the fences or do any other work that is really necessary and draw orders on the County Auditor who is hereby authorised to draw orders on the County Treasurer for said amounts until the next term of this Board

Issued No 1186 Fb $37 83/100 Ordered that Robert W Dunbar be allowed thirty seven dollars and eighty three cents for Printing Books & Stationery &c as per bill filed

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Issued No 11876 $ 2.00/100 Ordered that Charles Keller be allowed two dollars for repairing Lock & door of the County Jail

Copied Now here a petition is presented signed by by Christian Nagenheimer and fifty seven others for a road to commence at a point on the Evansville and Princeton State road where the line dividing sections twenty one and twenty eight in Township four South of Range Ten west intersects said State road thence running due west on the line dividing the land of James Perry and George Hawthorn on the sections abovenamed thence following the same line due west between sections twenty and twenty nine and sections nineteen and thirty all in the abovenamed Township and range until it intersects the Evansville and Princeton County on the land owned by Christopher Stasel and at or near the South West qua of the South East quarter of section nineteen Township four South of Range Ten west to which petition a remonstrance was presented signed by J.C. Stasel and twenty seven others against the location of said road at the place asked for by said petitioners when the board after investigating the subject and duly considering the same order that David Powel Sen William Palmer and John Sanson be appointed viewers to view out and locate said road according to the request of said petitioners said board being satisfied that said petitioners had proceeded in all things according to law and said viewers are to make Report of their proceedings at the next term of this Board

Issued No [illegible] Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed ten dollars for five days as County Commissioner service at the present term of this board

Issued No [illegible] 10.00/100 Ordered that Michael B. Jones be allowed Ten dollars for five days service a Commissioner at the present term of this Board

Ordered that the Board adjourn until the next term of this Court

E Saunders

M B Jones

In Vacation April 9th 1830

Know all men by theses presents that I James White of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana do assign over and transfer to John Bowles all my right title and interest of in or to the South East quarter of the North West quarter of Section Number sixteen in Township number five South of Range numbei ten west containing thirty nine acres known as certificate or lot number six In testimony whereof I have ~~hereunto~~ set my hand and seal this 9th day of April 1830

James White Seal

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Set

This certifies that James White whose name appears to the foregoing assignment personally appeared before me and acknowledged that he signed and sealed the foregoing transfer for the uses and purposes therein mentioned

The seal

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and impressed the seal of the Board of Commissioners at Evansville this 9th day of April A.D. 1830 Wm Walker A.V.C.

By James J. Walker dep

Recorded April 9th 1830
Wm Walker A.V.C.
By James J. Walker dep

Special April Session A D 1850

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 Tuesday the 9th day of April A.D. 1850 for the purpose of considering the best way of repairing the damage done to the work at the mouth of Pigeon Creek and any othe business that may come before them when Ezekiel Saunders and Michael P. Jones two of the members of said Board were present

Issued No 1373 H $50 98/100 Ordered that John T Terry be allowed Fifty dollars and ninety eight cents for expense of prisoners as per bill filed

Issued No 1374 H $13 25/100 Ordered that Samuel T Jenkins be allowed thirteen dollars and twenty five cents for books and Stationary furnished the Clerks Office

Issued No 1375 H $33 33/100 Ordered that Joseph Lechner be allowed thirty three dollars and thirty three cents for keeping the County Poor up to the first day of March 1850

Issued No 1376 H $2 00/100 Ordered that Sherman Fairchild be allowed two dollars for sevices as Inspector of election in centre Township

Issued No 1377 H $1 50/100 Ordered that Samuel Woolsey be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for serving as Clerk of an April election 1850 as per bill filed

Issued No 1378 H $13 75/100 Ordered that Alexander Laughlin be allowed thirteen dollars and seventy five cents for articles furnished for Pigeon Bridge

Issued No 1379 H $1 50/100 Ordered that Michael Mentzer be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for serving as Judge of the April election in Pigeon Township for 1850

Issued No 1380 H $1 50/100 Ordered that Charles H Thorn be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for serving as Judge of an election in Pigeon Township on the First Monday in April 1850

2 Copies Now here Peter Kuhlman agrees under the penalty of fifty dollars to make all the Coffins necessary to bury the paupers that die in Pigeon Township for one dollar and fifty cents each and he also agrees to bury all the paupers that die out of the Poorhouse in Pigeon Township for one dollar and twenty five cents each to be done under the order of the Overseers of the Poor of said Pigeon Township for one year

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Issued No 138176 $17 25/100 Ordered that Peter Kuhlman be allowed seventeen dollars and twenty five cents for expense of paupers as per bill filed

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow Morning at 10 O'clock.

E. Saunders

Wednesday Morning April 10th 1830 The board met pursuant to adjournment when Ezekiel Saunders Michael P. Jones and Leroy Calvert Esqrs all the members of said Board were present

Issued No 1382 76 $ 11 50/100 Ordered Allis & Howes be allowed Eleven dollars and fifty cents for expense of Paupers as per bill filed

Issued No 1383 76 $ 29 71/100 Ordered that Samuel Orr be allowed twenty nine dollars and seventy one cents for Pork furnished County Poorhouse

Issued No 1384 76 $ 1 50/100 Ordered That Charles F Sullivan be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for serving as clerk of the April election for Pigeon Township in 1830

Issued No 1385 76 $ 3 50/100 Ordered that John N Snider be allowed three dollars and fifty cents for work done as per bill filed

Issued No 1386 76 $ 3 18/100 Ordered That Augustus Kollenburg be allowed three dollars and eighteen cents for articles furnished the County poorhouse

Issued No 1387 76 $ 50 00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed Fifty dollars for services as per bill filed

Issued No 1388 76 $ 6 29/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed six dollars and twenty nine cents for cash paid for blanks for Auditors office

Issued No 1389 76 $ 30 00/100 Ordered that Robert Fergus be allowed thirty dollars and [illegible] cents for plank for fence around the public Square

Issued No 1390 76 $ 1 00/100 Ordered that Satchel & White be allowed one dollar for hauling a sick pauper to the County Poorhouse

Issued No 1391 76 $ 0 50/100 Ordered that Samuel Woolsey be allowed fifty cents for services rendered for the county Commissioners

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Issued No 13926 $ 0,50 Ordered that Samuel Woolsey be allowed fifty cents for work done for County Commissioners

Now here the Board enters into an agreement with Philip H Hoke to rebuild an abuttment at the Mouth of Pigeon creek out of the stone now in the abuttment that has slipped from its place and Hoke agree to build said abuttment for the sum of one dollar and fifty cents per perch out of the stone now in the fallen abuttment and if any more stone are required three dollars and fifty cents per perch shall be allowed if not more than twenty perch are required but if more than twenty perch of stone shall be required then the board agrees to pay said Hoke four dollars for every perch he shall furnish for the rock and putting up the same and he shall also be allowed ten cents per cubic yard for excavation and he shall put in the foundation good substantial White oak timber twenty five feet long and twelve feet wide and one foot thick and upon said timber shall be put Good Oak or Pine timber twelve feet long and ten inches thick the whole to be done in a good and substantial manner

Issued No 13931 $ 2 00/100 Ordered that Edward Lockwood be allowed two dollars for hauling timber for bridge at the Mouth of Pigeon creek

Issued No 13947 $ 100 00/100 Ordered that Philip H Hoke be allowed one hundred dollars for work done at the Mouth of Pigeon creek

Issued No 13957 $ 20 00/100 Ordered that Wm Dobbyns be allowed twenty dollars for taking down abuttment at the Mouth of Pigeon creek

Issued No 13967 $ 4 00/100 Ordered that Ezekiel Sanders be allowed four dollars for serving 2 days as County Commissioner at the present term

Issued No 13977 $ 2 00/100 Ordered that Michael P. Jones be allowed four dollars for serving 2 days as County Commissioner at the present Term

Issued No 13987 $ 2 00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed Two dollars for serving 1 day as County Commissioner at the present Term

Ordered that the board adjourn until the next Term

E Saunders
M P Jones
Leroy Calvert

Special Apnl Term A.D. 1870

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 Saturday the 20th day of April A.D. 1870 for the purpose of ~~Considering~~ Receiving proposals for building an ~~abutment~~ ~~across~~ Veals Branch and any other business that may come before them when the Hon Ezekiel Saunders Michael P. Jones and Leroy Calvert all of the members composing said Board were present

Issued No 1410 Vo $ 0.50/100 Ordered that J. R. E. S. Morgan be allowed fifty cents for a hat for a prisoner in Jail named Jones

Issued No 1411 Vo $ 1.50/100 Ordered that Ahlering & Brumm be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for clothing for a prisoner in Jail named Jones

Issued No 1412 Vo $ 25.00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed twenty five dollars for services as per bill filed

Issued No 1413 Vo $ 3.20/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed three dollar and twenty cents for cash paid for Blanks for Auditors Office

Issued No 1414 Vo $ 38.50/100 Ordered that Benjamin R Harden be allowed thirty eight dollars and fifty cents for services as assessor of Vanderburgh County

Issued No 1415 Vo $ 4.00/100 Ordered that Martin Schmoll be allowed four dollar for serving as Inspector of elections in Pigeon Township

Now here John S. Gavitt is appointed a Constable of Pigeon Township in Vanderburgh County and he is required to give a bond as such Constable in the sum of one thousand dollars to the approval of the County Board or County Auditor

Whereas at the March Term A.D. 1870 of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County County Indiana a certain order was then made directing the County agent to convey certain lots therein named to George B. Walker and Willard Carpenter and wherein it was also intended to include in said order lot No 214 in the Donation Enlargement of Evansville in said State of Indiana which said lot was by said agent omitted in his deed to them Therefore it is hereby ordered that said County Agent in consideration of said Mistake convey the said lot to said Walker and Carpenter in fee

Ordered that the Board adjourn until Monday Morning at 9 O'clock

E Saunders

Special April Term A.D. 1850

Monday Morning at 9 O'clock April 22nd 1850
The Board met pursuant to adjournment when all the Member were persent as on Saturday

Issued No 1420 W $ 0 38/100 Ordered that John G. Meisner be allowed thirty seven & ½ cents seving as Constable at a Coroners Inquest

Issued No 1421 W $ 100 00/100 Ordered that Gifford & Smith be allowed one hundred dollars for embankment at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Now here William H Chandler John M Stockwell and George B. Wagnon Esqr three of a Committee of five appointed appointed by a meeting of the Citizens of Vanderburgh County appeared and presented the proceedings and resolutions of said meeting requesting the County Commissioners to suspend operations of the work at the Bridge now building at the mouth of Pigeon Creek until a survey of the site be made by Messrs Bewly and Woodward two practical engineers and a report be made by said engineers whether it is not best to abandon the work and remove the materials to a point higher up the breck when the board duly considering said proceedings and resolutions and also considering that as a large sum of money has already been expended on said work and the wooden part of said bridge and the embankments are contracted for and the contractors preparing the materials for said work and it being the opinion of a large number of the inhabitants of this County and many of them large taxpayers that the place where the bridge is now building is the best place for a bridge to be built
The Board therefore respectfully decline acting on the suggestions of said meeting as presented by said Committee and conceive it their duty to finish said work as fast as it can be done

Issued No 1422 W $ 10 06/100 Ordered that John S Terry be allowed Ten dollars six cents for keeping prisoners in Jail

Now here the board authorise Grampee W Hardin to appoint a person to assist ~~them~~ him in German Township and also to appoint some person to assist him in making out an assessors abstract

Special April Term A.D. 1850

Now here the board enters into an agreement with John Stubenger to build a culvert in Neals Branch according to an agreement on file in the Auditors office and for the completion of said work in a good workmanlike manner the said John Stubenger has filed his bond in the sum of nine hundred dollars with Philip Rouch and John Snedeline as his sureties which bond is now here approved by the board

Now here the Board has rented to Richard Raleigh the County farm many lot of Vanderburgh County for the term of one year from the first day of May 1850 ~~this~~ rent to be paid quarterly as appears by an agreement between the said Richard Raleigh and the Board on file in the Auditors office the amount of rent fixed on in said agreement is to be fifteen dollars per year

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at at 9 Oclock

E Saunders

Special April Term A.D. 1850

Tuesday Morning at 9 Oclock the Board met Pursuant to adjournment when all of the members of said Board were present as on yesterday

Issued No 14234 $6 00/100 Ordered That Ezekiel Saunders be allowed six dollars for three days services as County Commissioner at the present Term

Issued No 14244 $6 00/100 Ordered that Michael P Jones be allowed six dollars for three days services as County Commissioners at the present Term

Issued No 14254 $6 00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed six dollars for three days services as County Commissioners at the present Term

Ordered that the Board do now adjourn

E Saunders

M P Jones

Leroy Calvert

In Vacation April 23rd 1870

Jonathan W Cochrum is hereby appointed Supervisor of Road District No 6 in Knight Township to serve until his successor is appointed and qualified

Simon Williams is hereby appointed Supervisor of Road district No 1 in Armstrong Township to serve until his successor is appointed and qualified

Arthur Mc Johnson is hereby appointed Supervisor of Road district No 1 in Pigeon Township to serve until his successor is appointed and qualified

Mr Thomas E Collins you are hereby appointed Supervisor of Road district No One in Union Township for the ensuing year May 1st 1870

June Session A.D. 1830

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 City of Evansville on the Third day of June A.D. 1830 (that being the first Monday of said Month) when Ezekiel Saunders Michael B. Jones and Leroy Calvert Esqrs. all of the members of said Board were present

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Now here it is ordered that Andrew Herschelman be and he is hereby exempted from Working on the roads in Vanderburgh County he having produced to this board satisfactory evedence that unable to perform road labor

Monday Morning June 3rd 1830 (being the first Monday in said Month) the Board of County Commissioners of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana to wit Ezekiel Saunders Michael B. Jones and Leroy Calvert Esqr members composing said Board of Commissioners and Grampee N. Harding Assessor of Vanderburgh County and James T. Walker deputy County Auditor of said Vanderburgh County Convened at the Court house in said County and formed themselves into a board of equalisation for the purpose of hearing and examining into any Complaints of any person charged with a poll or personal property tax or for improvements on real estate assessed by the assessor in the assessment of said County returned by the assessor of said County for the year 1830

And now here the County Auditor produces to said Bd Board the assessment Roll for the year 1830 and the Board after the appointment of Ezkiel Saunders Esqr. President of said Board proceed to examine the same

Now here Mason O Newman Supervisor of Road district No 4 in Pigeon Township makes his report as such Supervisor which report the Board now here approves and his successor in office is authorised to pay him the sum of twenty five dollars and sixty cents for money expended by him over and above the amount he received from the County Treasurer

Now here James T McDonald Supervisor of Road district No 4 in Armstrong Township makes his report as such Supervisor which report the Board now here approves

Now here Henry Setluga Supervisor of Road District No 1 German Township which report the board now here approves

Issued No 62 $3 00/100

Ordered that James T. Mc Donald be allowed three dollars for services as Supervisor of Roads

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Now here John Hogue produces to this Board satisfactory evedence that he is unable to perform Road labor he is therefore hereby exempted from working on the Roades in Vanderburgh County

June Session A D 1850.

Issued No 631. Ordered that William Kelly and be allowed one dollar for renewing a road in Scott Township

Issued No 632. Ordered that James Kellyand be allowed one dollar for viewing a road in Scott Township

Issued Ordered that Richard Langford be allowed one dollar for returning road review from Scott Township

Issued Ordered that Samuel McDonald be allowed three dollars for Supervisor of Roads ~~district No 4~~

Issued Ordered that Charles F Sullivan be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for serving as Clerk of an election in Pigeon Township

Issued Ordered that Washington Scott be allowed three dollars and seventy five cents for serving as supervisor of roads

Issued Ordered that John H Bier be allowed three dollars and seventy ~~five~~ cents for services as Supervisor of Roads

Issued No 633. Ordered that Henry Plump be allowed three dollars and seventy five cents for serving as supervisor of Roads

Issued Ordered that Thomas Hampton be allowed three dollars and seventy five cents for serving as supervisor of Roads

Issued Ordered that Josiah Elliott be allowed two dollars and seventy five cents for work done as supervisor of roads

Issued Ordered that James Moffet be allowed three dollars for serving as supervisor of Roads

Issued Ordered that Ellsbery Armstrong be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for serving as supervisor of Roads

Issued Ordered that Orville Kelsey be allowed three dollars for serving as supervisor of Roads

Issued Ordered that William T. Bromfield be allowed one dollar for ~~serving~~ returning poll books of an election in Armstrong Township as supervisor of Roads

Issued Ordered that William Moffet be allowed three dollars for serving as supervisor of Roads

Issued Ordered that Enoch C. Dusky be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for summoning Jury for Coroners Inquest

Now here the board appoints Enoch C Dusky a Constable of Union Township whereupon he files his bond in the sum of three hundred dollars with John T. Fisher and Lewis K Steel as his sureties which bond is now here approved by the board

Issued No 634. Ordered that Wm Fisher be allowed two dollars and sixty two cents for serving as supervisor of Roads

Issued Ordered that Matthew Parke be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for serving as supervisor of Road

Issued Ordered that Lewis Sour be allowed three dollars and seventy five cents for serving as supervisor of Roads

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Issued No 822 $3.75/100 Ordered that Moses Barnes be
Issued allowed three dollars for work done as Supervisor of Roads.

Issued No 831 $2.00/100 Ordered that Ira P. Granger be allowed two dollars for serving as Inspector of Elections in Knight Township

Issued No 834 $2.25/100 Ordered that George Trusler Jr be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for services as Supervisor of Roads

Issued No 835 $3.75/100 Ordered that Jacob Danzer be allowed three dollars and seventy five cents for services as Supervisor of Roads

Issued No 836 $4.50/100 Ordered that John Hogue be allowed four dollars and fifty cents for services as Supervisor of Roads

Issued No 837 $1.00/100 Ordered that William Johnson be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for serving as Clerk of an election in Pigeon Township

Issued No 838 $50.00/100 Ordered that Joseph Leehner be allowed fifty dollars for 3 months services as keeper of the County Poorhouse

Issued No 839 $1.81/100 Ordered that Robert Barnes be allowed one dollar and eighty one cents for nails &c for the public money

Issued No 840 $2.25/100 Ordered that Lewis Long be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for services as Supervisor of Roads

Issued No 841 $1.88/100 Ordered that William Longworth be allowed one dollar and eighty eight cents for serving as Supervisor of Roads

Copied Now here it is ordered that a sum not exceeding one hundred and twenty five dollars be appropriated for building a bridge across big creek at or near the redbank ford on the Princeton Road to be expended by Samuel McDonald Esq who is hereby authorised to ~~become~~ superintend said work and draw orders on the County Auditor who is authorised to issue County ~~Auditor~~ Orders to the above amount if required said bridge to be in Armstrong Township and not more than 12 feet wide to be built with two bents and two good Mudsills under the same supported by hanging and standing Braces to the mud sills and the flooring timbers to be five in number and 3 lengths to be six by 3 inches the bents to be twenty seven feet apart and the length of the balance to suit the bank. Caps fourteen feet long twelve by fourteen inches the posts twelve inches square Braces six inches square & Mudsills Twenty three feet long

Issued Ordered that Moses Rapp be allowed Fourteen dollars for sinking stone at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued Ordered that Clarkson Mapes be allowed seven dollars of work done on County Jail

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Issued

Ordered that Drs Williams Wilcox & Walker be allowed ninety nine dollars for attending paupers sick with the Smallpox

Issued

Ordered that Peter Kullman be allowed Eleven dollars for making Coffins and burying Paupers

Issued

Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed four hundred dollars for filling up and signing County Bonds and making a register of the same

Issued

Ordered that James T Walker be allowed fifty one dollars and thirty cents for cash expended for assisting in signing County Bonds

Issued

Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed Eight dollars for signing County bonds

Issued

Ordered that Thomas E Garvin be allowed twelve dollars and fifty cents for services one quarter as County Agent to June 1st 1850

And now at this time comes Thomas E Garvin County Agent and reports that he has paid over to the County Treasurer the sum of five hundred and eighty eight dollars and thirteen cents being in full of amount received by him up to June 1st 1850 which report is now here received and approved

Issued

Ordered that B L Parker be allowed fifty five dollars for taking care of Pauper sick with the Smallpox

Issued

Ordered that B L Parker be allowed two dollars for taking care of sick pauper with the Small pox

Ordered that the Board of equalization adjourn until tommorrow morning at 9 O'clock

Ordered that the board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 O'clock

E Saunders

June Session AD 1850

Tuesday Morning June 4th 1850 at 9 O'clock A.M. the Board met pursuant to adjournment when all of the members said board were present as yesterday

Tuesday Morning at 9 O'clock A.M. June 4th 1850 the Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment when all the members were present as yesterday

Issued No 1001 $75.00/100 Ordered that William Sheets be allowed seventy five dollars for Books furnished Auditor & Treasurers offices

Now here Samuel T. Jenkins Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court presents the following list fines assessed at the March Term 1850 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court namely

"A list of fines assessed at the March Term AD 1850 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

State of Indiana VS Contempt John Mitchel	Fine	$3.00
State of Indiana VS Contempt Lewis Howes	Fine	$3.00
State of Indiana VS Contempt Elisha S. Babcock	Fine	$3.00
State of Indiana VS Contempt Harvey F Calloway	Fine	$10.00
State of Indiana VS Betting John Jones	Fine	$10.00
State of Indiana VS Ret. Spts George Meisinger	Fine	$5.00
State of Indiana VS Ret Spts No 1 Bernard Nurse	Fine	$5,00
State of Indiana VS Ret Spts No 2 Bernard Nurse	Fine	$5,00
State of Indiana VS Contempt John Losa	Fine	$2,00

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State of Indiana VS } Ret Spirits No 3 Bernard Nurse	Fine	$5.00
State of Indiana VS } Ret Spts No 1 Peter Bush	Fine	$5.00
State of Indiana VS } No 2 Ret Spts Peter Bush	Fine	$5.00
State of Indiana VS } Ret Spts No 3 Peter Bush	Fine	$5.00
State of Indiana VS } Ret Spts No 4 Peter Bush	Fine	$5.00
State of Indiana VS } Ret Spts No 1 John P Henderson	Fine	$5.00
State of Indiana VS } ~~Contempt~~ Ret Spts No 2 John P. Henderson	Fine	$5.00
State of Indiana VS } Contempt Henry Scriber	Fine	$3.00
State of Indiana VS } Ret Spts Lawrence Duri	Fine	$5.00
State of Indiana VS } Betting Elijah Decamp	Fine	$5.00
State of Indiana VS } A & B John J. Chandler	Fine	$10.00
State of Indiana VS } Contempt Edward Wheeler	Fine	$3.00
State of Indiana VS } A & B Joseph C Barnet	Fine	$5.00

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State of Indiana vs. G. Larceny John Jones	Fine	$1.00
State of Indiana vs. Forgery Isaac Pohr	Fine	$15.00
State of Indiana vs. Contempt Peter Bush	Fine	$3.00
State of Indiana vs. Ret Spts No 1 Joseph Rausch	Fine	$5.00
State of Indiana vs. Ret Spts No 2 Joseph Rausch	Fine	$5.00
State of Indiana vs. Ret Spts Conrad Herschelman	Fine	$5.00
State of Indiana vs. Ret Spts Martin Schmoll	Fine	$5.00
State of Indiana vs. Official Negligence Samuel McCutcheon	Fine	$1.00
State of Indiana vs. Extortion Samuel T. Jenkins	Fine	$14.60

List of fines now remaining in my hands

State of Indiana vs. John Jones	Fine	$10.00
" " " " Lorance Dun	"	5.00
E. Wheeler		3.00
Peter Bush		3.00
John Jose		2.00
Saml McCutcheon		1.00
B. Nunn		15.00
Peter Bush		20.00
Henry Seyber		3.00
Martin Schmoll		5.00
Saml T. Jenkins		14.60

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State of Indiana Vanderburgh County Set

I Samuel T. Jenkins do solemnly swear that the foregoing contains a true statement of the fines assessed at the March term 1850 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court and of the amount of fines now remaining in my hands according to the best of my knowledge and belief Saml T. Jenkins

Sworn to June 3rd 1850 Wm H Walker A.V.C.

By Jas T. Walker dep

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Philip H Hoke be allowed twenty three dollars and eighty eight cents for excavation at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Philip H Hoke be allowed six dollars and seventy two ~~cents~~ for excavation at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Philip H Hoke be allowed thirty one dollars and sixty eight cents for timber furnished for Bridge at the mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued 1049 $ 20 [illegible] Ordered that H. C. Herschelman be allowed twenty dollars for a flat boat to be sunk at the Mouth of Pigeon ~~Bridge~~ Creek

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Lewis Lenns be allowed three dollars and seventy five cents for services as supervisor of Roads

Issued No 1061 $ 1 00/100 Ordered that Samuel Carlisle be allowed one dollar for viewing a road in Knight Township

Issued No 1071 $ 1 00/100 Ordered that Jerome Ingraham be allowed one dollar for viewing a road in Knight Township

Issued No 1081 $ 1 00/100 Ordered that Jesse Jackson be allowed one dollar for viewing road in Knight Township

Issued No 1091 $ [illegible] Ordered that Michael Herschelman be allowed three dollars and seventy five cents for serving as supervisor of Roads

Issued No 1101 $ 7 35/100 Ordered that Edward H De Garmo be allowed seven dollars and thirty five cents for expenses for County Jail

Copied Now here a petition and remonstrance was received in relation to a road in German Township which road begins on the New Harmony road on land owned by one Henry Fink about 50 yards beyond the German Church and runs on a ridge over and by land owned by Jacob F Raber and one Mill John Risinger and John Mann to the line dividing Vanderburgh & Posey Countys the change or alteration petitioned for is to straiten the road on the land of Jacob Raber for the distance of about one eighth of a mile to which a remonstrance is presented when the board after considering the same hereby appoint Hiram T. Forquer Samuel Kirkpatrick and John Jarvis viewers to view out and locate said road and report their proceedings to to the next term of this board

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Now here the viewers appointed to view out and locate a road in Scott Township beginning at a point on the Evansville and Princeton State Road where the line dividing sections twenty one & twenty eight in Township Four South of Range Ten West intersects said State road thence running West until it intersects the Evansville and Princeton County road on the land owned by Christopher Stiser and at or near the South West quarter of the South East quarter of section Nineteen in Township Four South of Range Number Ten West come and make the following report namely: "To the Honorable Court of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County we the undersigned have attended to your request and the request of the petitioners and we believe as a County road it is not of General utility to the public therefore we condemn it May 25th 1850

William Palmer
David Powell
John Samson

Which report the board now here accept and approve

Issued Ordered that Charles Kimble be allowed twelve dollars and sixty cents for work done at the County Poorhouse

Now here John M Blair submits his report of the doings at the Bayou Embankment which report the board now here approves

Issued Ordered that Peter Bool be allowed three dollars for whitewashing and cleaning public Buildings

Issued Ordered that Frederick Rosap be allowed fifty cents for taking a pauper to the County Poorhouse

Issued Ordered that John A Reitz & Co be allowed sixty two dollars and twenty five cents Lumber furnished for the County Poorhouse

Issued Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed twenty five dollars for ex Officio Services to June 1st 1850 as County Auditor

Issued Ordered that Samuel T. Jenkins be allowed twenty five dollars for ex Officio Services to June 1st 1850 as Clerk of the C C C

Issued Ordered that James A Irwin be allowed three dollars for serving as Supervisor of Roads

Issued Ordered that Lewis Richter be allowed seventy five cents for serving as supervisor of Roads

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Now here the County Treasurer submits the the following quarterly report to wit

"The County Treasurer submits to the board doing County business for Vanderburgh County the following as his quarterly Report of the amount of funds and fines by him received from the first day of March to the first day of June 1850

Nature of account	County orders	Cash	Total
Principal County Seminary fund		517 05	517 05
Interest do do "		125 59	125 59
Principal Surplus Revenue "		380 00	380 00
Interest do do "		47 84	47 84
Principal Common School funds		230 13	230 13
Interest do do "		140 40	140 40
Principal Salme "		74 50	74 50
Interest do "		13 37	13 37
Principal Bank tax "		35 06	35 06
Principal Town 5 R 10 West "		10 79	10 79
Interest Town 5 R 10 West "		46 83	46 83
Principal Town 6 R 10 " "		345 92	345 92
Interest " 6 R 10 " "		71 63	71 63
Principal Town 7 R 10 " "		75	75
Interest " 7 R 10 " "		49 94	49 94
Principal Town 5 Range 11 "		46 21	46 21
Principal Town 6 R 11 " "		4 19	4 19
Interest " 6 R 11 " "		10 35	10 35
Principal Town 7 R 11 " "		258 21	258 21
Interest " 7 R 11 " "		28 41	28 41
Interest Coroners Inquest "		4 64	4 64
District No 1 T. 5 R 11 " "		5 97	5 97
District No 4 " 6 R 10 " "		70 13	70 13
District No 4 " 7 R 11 " "		57 17	57 17
County Lot	192 83		192 83
Tavern License	20 00	40 00	60 00
Ranch License	15 00	70 00	85 00
Estrays		13 50	13 50
Redemption of Land		5 73	7 3
	$ 227 83	$2704 31	$ 2932 14

Respectfully submitted
Evansville June 1st 1850 R. W. Dunbar T. B. C.

which report the board now here accepts and orders the same to be filed

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And now here the following report is submitted and ordered a Copy ~~sent~~ to be transmitted to the Auditor of State and another to the Superintendant of Common Schools namely

"Auditors office Vanderburgh County State of Indiana June 15th A.D. 1850

To the Hon Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

In obedience to the provisions of Article seventh and eighth in Chapter No Thirteen of the revised Statutes of the year 1843 The Auditor of Vanderburgh County submits his annual report in Relation to the Congressional Township funds of said County & Surplus Revenue fund

No 1 Is a Statement of the Condition of the whole of the receipts and disbursements on account of said funds with the total amount school funds in the hands of Commissioners on the first day of March A.D. 1850

No 2 Is a Statement of the Condition of the funds of Township No 4 South of Range No 10 West

No 3 Is a statement of the Condition of the funds of Township No 5 South of Range No 10 West

No 4 Is a Statement of the Condition of the funds in Township No 6 South of Range No 10 West

No 5 Is a Statement of the Condition of funds of Township No 7 South of Range No 10 West

No 6 Is a Statement of the Condition of the funds of Township No 4 South of Range No 11 West

No 7 Is a Statement of the Condition of the funds of Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West

No 8 Is a Statement of the Condition of the funds of Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West

No 9 Is a Statement of the funds of Township No 7 South of Range No 11 West

No 10 Is a Statement of the Condition of the funds of Township No 8 South of Range No 11 West

No 11 Is a Statement of the Condition of the funds of Township No 6 South of Range No 9 West

No 12 Is a Statement of the Condition of the funds of District No 4 Township No 6 South of Range No 10 West

No 13 Is a Statement of the Condition of the funds of District No 4 Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West

No 14 Is a Statement of the condition of the funds of district No 1 in Township No 1 Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West

No 15 Is a Statement of the Condition of the Surplus Revenue fund

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No 1

Loans

There was outstanding March 1st A.D. 1849	15385	66					
Loaned by Auditor since to March 1st 1850	959	00					
Total Loans	16344	66					
Amt refunded by borrowers up to March 1st 1850	1074	73	Paid in School Commissioners Hands up to March 1st 1850			Outstanding on Loans up to March 1st 1850	15269 93

Receipts and Disbursements

Receipts

There was in the hands of the Commissioner & Treasurer on the 1st day of March A.D. 1849 — 1035 25

There has been received since and up to March 1st A.D. 1850 as follows to wit

From Borrowers	1072	89
From purchases from Principal	80	00
From interest on Loans	1368	73
Interest from purchases	352	73
Incidental Receipts	532	05
Dividend of Common School fund	65	35
Total Amt of Receipts	4707	00

Disbursements

Loans to March 1st A.D. 1850	9590				
Int drawn by Township Treasurer	250	64			
Incidental expenditures	2126	32	3335	96	1340 94

No 2

Receipts

Received from the dividend of the Common School fund — 340

Disbursements

Amount drawn by Township Treasurer — 340

No 3

Loans

There was outstanding on Loans on March 1st 1849	1033	47		
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1850	84	00		
Total Loans	1117	47		
Loans refunded by Borrowers up to March 1st 1850	84	00		1033 47

Receipts

There was in the hands of the School Commissioner on March 1st 1849 of this fund	145	94
Loans refunded by borrowers	84	16
From Interest on Loans	102	88
To Interest from Purchases	12	11
Miscellaneous Sources	9	47
Total Receipts	$ 466	56

Disbursements

This amount of fund loaned $ 8400					
Incidental expenditures	3264	2410	42	56	14

No 4

There was outstanding on Loans March 1st 1849	3112	00		
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1850	200	00		
Total Loans	3312	00		
Loans refunded by Borrowers	262	00		3050 00

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			Balance in School Commissioners hands up to March 1st 1850	Outstanding on Loans up to March 1st 1850
Receipts				
There was in the hands of the School Comm on March 1st 1849		310 07		
From Loans refunded by Borrowers		262 00		
From Principal from purchasers		80 00		
From Interest from Loans		434 08		
From Interest from Purchasers		157 11		
Incidental receipts		64 52		
Total Receipts		1307 78		
Disbursements				
This amount of funds Loaned 20000				
Incidental Expenditures	69625	896 25	411 53	4083 47
Amount Brought forward			467 68	4083 47
No 5				
Loans				
There was outstanding on Loans on March 1st 1849		1970 00		
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1850		413 00		
Total Loans		2383 00		
Loans refunded by Borrowers up to March 1st 1850		413 00		1970 00
Receipts				
Bal. in School Comm hands up to March 1st 1850		57 58		
There has been received the following sums up to March 1st 1850				
From Loans refunded by borrowers		413 00		
Interest on Loans		118 45		
Interest from Purchases		112 11		
Incidental Receipts		445 31		
Total Receipts		1146 45		
Disbursements				
This amount of funds Loaned $41300				
Incidental disbursements	49816	911 16	235 29	
No 6				
Receipts				
There has been recd from Com School fund this Amt		12 99		
Disbursements				
Amount drawn by Township Treasurer		12 99		
No 7				
Loan				
Outstanding on Loans on March 1st 1850		736 89		
Refunded by Borrowers		50 00		686 89
Receipts				
There was in School Comm hands on March 1st 1850		67 56		
Loans refunded by Borrowers		50 00		
Interest on Loans		58 55		
Interest from Purchases		15 18		
Total Receipts		191 29		
Disbursements				
Incidental Disbursements		81 30	109 99	
Amt Carried forward			212 96	6740 36

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Amount Brought Forward			$812 99	6740 36
No 8				
Loans				
There was outstanding on Loans March 1st 1850		4070 72		
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st A.D. 1850		180 00		
Total Loans		4250 72		
Refunded by Borrowers to March 1st 1850		183 73		4066 99
Receipts.				
Balance in Comms Hands on March 1st 1849		90 56		
There has been received the following amounts to March 1st 1850				
Ten Loans refunded by Borrowers		183 73		
Interest from Loans		209 32		
Interest from Purchases		76 22		
Dividend of the Com School fund		30 49		
Incidental Receipts		12 75		
Total Receipts		603 07		
Disbursements				
This amt of fund Loaned	180 00			
Incidental disbursements	297 53	477 53	125 54	
No 9				
Loans				
There was outstanding on Loan March 1st 1849		250 60		
Receipts				
There was in the hands of the School Comr				
March 1st 1849 $		$ 99 96		
Interest on Loans		178 28		
Interest from Purchases		68 00		
Total Receipts		346 24		
Disbursements				
Incidental disbursement		186 06	160 18	
No 10				
Receipts				
From the Div of Com School funds		245		
Disbursements				
Amt drawn by Township Treasurers		245		
Carried Forward			1098 67	11057 95
Amt Brot Forward			1098 67	11057 95
No 11				
Receipts				
There was in the hands of School Comm on				
March 1st 1849		479		
From dividends from Com School fund		1 21		
Total Receipts		600		
Disbursements				
Amt Drawn by Township Treas		5 83	17	
No 12				
Receipts				
There was in School Coms hands on				
March 1st 1849		4512		
Reports by Township Treasurers		1481		
Total Receipts		5993		
Disbursements Incidental disbursements		41	59 52	

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No 13

Receipts

Amt of funds in School Comrs hands	March 1st 1850	57	17

No 14

Receipts

Amt of funds in School Comrs hands	March 1st 1850	5	97

No 15

Loans

There was outstanding on Loans

March 1st 1849		4211	98
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1850		82	00
Total amount of Loans		4293	98
Refunded by Borrowers		82	00
			4211 98

Receipts

There was in Treas hands March 1st 1849		151	53
There has been received to March 1st 1850 as follows			
Loans refunded by Borrowers		80	00
From Interest on Loans		267	17
Total Receipts		498	70

Disbursements

Loans to March 1st 1850	82 00			
Distributed to Township Treasurs	226 97			
Incidental Expenditures	40 20	349	17	149 53
				1371 03 1526 93

The undersigned Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana together with the County Auditor do report that we have examined the accounts of the Auditor and Treasurer in relation to the funds in the above and foregoing report and believe the same to be correct and are satisfied that the principal of said funds are all safe and the undersigned Treasurer of said County so far as the Surplus Revenue is concerned do concur in said report

E Saunders
N.P. Jones
Leroy Calvert
} Commissioners of Vanderburgh County Indiana

William H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh Indiana By James T. Walker deputy

R.W. Dunbar Treasurer V.C.

The above report is now here accepted by the Board and approved

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Now here the Treasurer of Vanderburgh County submits the following report namely

"The County Treasurer submits to the Board doing County business for Vanderburgh County the following as his annual report of the receipts and expenditures on account of the County from the 1st day of June A.D. 1849 to the 31st day of May A.D. 1850 both inclusive

Receipts

Balance last settlement	$	3582	89		
Vanderburgh County		1542	06		
State of Indiana		6561	00		
Road Tax		936	04		
Delinquent Tax		737	17		
Principal Surplus Rev fund		380	00		
Interest do do		373	26		
County Seminary fund		868	75		
Principal Saline do		74	50		
Interest do do		28	07		
Principal Bank Tax do		35	06		
Interest do do		26	25		
Principal Coroners Inquests		96	57		
Interest do do		4	64		
Principal Com School do		230	13		
Interest do do		220	40		
Principal T. 5 R 10 West		10	79		
Interest T. 5 R 10 do		46	83		
Principal T. 6 R 10 W		345	92		
Interest T. 6 R 10 West		71	63		
Principal T. 7 R 10 West			75		
Int T 7 R 10 do		37	94		
Principal T. 5 R 11 do		46	21		
Carried Up	$	30153	86		
Amount Up	$	30153	86		
Principal T. 6 R 11 West			4	19	
Interest T. 6 R 11 do			10	15	
Principal T. 7 R 11 do			258	21	
Interest T. 7 R 11 do			28	41	
District 4 T 6 R 10 do			70	13	
District No. 1 T 5 R 11 do			5	97	
District 4 T. 6 R 11 do			57	17	
Special District Tax			91	22	
Incidental			323	99	
Poor house			700	00	
Redemption Lands			130	93	
County Tax			518	45	
Estrays			14	00	
Merchants Income			365	00	
Tavern do			80	00	
Peddlers do			5	00	
Circus do			50	00	
Jury do			2	00	
Rail Road tax			1000	00	
	$	33868	68		

Expenditures

Vanderburgh County		11	78		
State of Indiana		6436	96		
Road tax		809	50		
Delinquent Tax		130	86		
Principal Surplus Rev		437	00		
Interest do do		391	15		
County Seminary		936	61		
Principal Saline fund		133	00		
Interest do do		35	06		
Principal Bank Tax do		30	00		
Interest do do		45	11		
Prin Cor Inquest do		24	57		
Interest do do do			66		
Principal Com School do		100	00		
Principal T 6 R 10 W		345	00		
Principal T 7 R 10 W		258	00		
Amount up	$	12598	88		
Public Buildings			326	22	
Prisoners			257	41	
Paupers			739	86	
Poor house			1983	55	
County Auditor			250	67	
County Treasurer			1154	07	
Assessing Revenue			112	12	
Bayou Embankment			1814	73	
Bridges			4835	79	
Roads & Highways			177	57	
Coroners Jury			198	29	
Stationary			150	72	
Printing			250	02	
Improper Tax sold			79	53	
Redemption of Lands			130	93	

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Expenditure Continued

Special District Tax	91	22	Interest on County orders	228	46
County Library	1000	00	Outstanding Claims	1783	28
Jury Allowances	474	79	County Agent	37	50
Bailiff do	111	25	County Commissioner	184	00
Associate Judges	103	60	Elections	98	50
Ex Officio	200	37	Rail Road Tax	2000	00
Incidental	17	37	Balance in Treasury	4476	66
Specific	45	62			
Carried Up	$ 12598	88		$ 33868	68

$6727 98/100 There are outstanding Orders which have been presented and not paid for want of funds amounting to six Thousand seven Hundred and twenty seven dollars and 98/100

Respectfully Submitted
Evansville June 4th A.D. 1850 Resp. Ogden Lumbar T. V.C.

which report the board now here approves

Now here the County Auditor submits the following Report namely

" A Statements of the receipts and expenditures at the Treasury of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana from June 1st 1849 to June 1st 1850

	Receipts		Expenditures		
Bal in the Treas on the 1st day of June 1850	$ 4426	14	County Library	1000	00
County Revenue for the year 1849	1577	64	Expenses of elections	89	35
Errors	14	00	Assessing Revenue	109	25
County Lots & Lands	515	43	Public Printing	152	00
Pedlars Licenses	5	00	Surplus Revenue principal	437	00
Ferry License	2	00	Improper tax sale	64	14
Theatre & Circus License	50	00	Redemption of Lands sold for taxes	125	71
Merchants License	365	00	County Auditor	709	37
Tavern & Grocery License	80	00	Outstanding Claims	2075	75
Delinqt Tax for 1848 & 1849	379	34	County Agent	37	50
Specific Allowances	1023	13	County Seminary Int	558	37
Com School fund Principal	131	13	County Treasurers fees	1195	06
Town 5 S. of R 10 W. Interest	46	83	Ex officio Allowances	260	00
76 S R 10 W Int	71	63	Bailiff Allowances	118	00
77 S R 10 W Int	56	12	Jury Allowances	553	50
75 S of R 11 W Int	5	46	Bank tax fund Principal	50	00
76 S of R 11 W Int	10	15	Bank tax fund Interest	44	91
77 S of R 11 W Int	4	99	Saline fund Principal	75	00
Surplus Rev Principal	360	00	Saline fund Interest	33	47
Redemption of Lands sold for taxes	130	93	Surplus Revenue Interest	391	51
Bank tax fund Int	10	50	Deposits by Coroner	24	57
Surplus Revenue Int	373	26	Road Revenue	556	30
Deposits by Coroner	96	59	Roads & Highways	166	83

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Receipts Continued		Expenditures Continued	
Road district No 3 Union Township	10 00	Expenses of Bridges	7815 52
Coroner Inquest Fund Interest	4 64	Coroners Inquests	147 40
Principal of Town 6 South of Range 10 West	345 92	Expense of Prisoners	530 67
Principal of T. 7 S. of R 10 W	75	Public Building	55 72
Principal of T. 5 S. of R 11 W	46 21	County Seminary fund	605 00
Principal of T. 6 S. of R 11 W	4 19	County Revenue	175 63
Principal of T. 7 South of R 11 W	276 17	Specific Allowances	650 37
Principal of T. 5 S. of R 10 W	10 79	Books & Stationary	150 72
Common School fund Interest	220 40	Associate Judges	104 00
District No 1 T. 5 S. of R 11 W	5 97	County Poorhouse	2673 64
District No 4 T. 6 S. of R 10 W	70 13	Bayou Embankment	1953 05
District No 4 T. 6 South of R 11 W	57 17	Coroners Inquest fund Interest	66
Bank Tax fund Principal	35 06	County Commissioners	196 00
Saline Fund Principal	74 30	Expenses of Paupers	2425 05
Saline Fund Interest	22 68	Taxes Improperly Paid	2 00
Road Revenue	1003 76	Evansville & Ill. R Road Company	1000 00
County Seminary fund Principal	784 57	Principal T. 7 R 11 West	258 00
County Seminary fund Int	268 70	Road Revenue	585 64
Amt of Expenditures over receipts	961 48	Total expenditure	28158 30
Total Receipts	28158 30		

Respectfully Submitted Jn N Walker A.C. By James T. Walker

Which report the Board now here accepts and approves

Ordered that the Board of equalization adjourn until tomorrow Morning at 9 O Clock

Ordered that the Board of Commissioners adjourn until To morrow Morning at 9 O clock

E Saunders

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Wednesday Morning June 5th A.D. 1850 at 9 O Clock Ack the board met pursuant to adjournment when all of the members of said Board were present as yesterday

Wednesday Morning June 5th A.D. 1850 at 9 O Clock the board of equalizations met pursuant to adjournment when all the members of said board were present as yesterday

Issued No 118 J $1 50/100 Ordered that Horace Plumer be allowed one dollar 50/100 for seving as Clerk of an election in Pigeon Township

Issued [illegible] Ordered that John Stubenger be allowed seventy two dollars and fifty cents for stone furnished for culvert a cross Neals branch

Issued No 120 J $2 50/100 Ordered that Julia Ann Jones be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for attending sick paupers at the County Poorhouse

Issued No 121 J $2 [illegible]/100 Ordered that Theodore Medsker be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for seving as Supervisor of Roads.

Now here the Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court comes and draws the Competent number of Grand & Traverse Jurors for the ensuing year.

Issued No 122 J $3 [illegible]/100 Ordered that Samuel Lister be allowed three dollars and fifteen cents for Stationary furnished the County

Issued No 123 J $1 [illegible]/100 Ordered that Robert W Dunbar be allowed one dollars for amt paid John Bixler for expense of Jurors

Issued No 124 J $2 [illegible]/100 Ordered that Martin Schmoll be allowed two dollars ~~and~~ for serving as Inspector of elections in Pigeon Township

Issued No 125 J $2 [illegible]/100 Ordered that David D. Grimes be allowed two dollars for seving as Inspector of elections in German Township

Issued No 126 J $1 50/100 Ordered that Michael Mentzer be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for serving as Judge of an election in Pigeon Township

Issued No 127 J $1 [illegible]/100 Ordered that Allen C. Halleck be allowed one ~~hundred~~ dollar for cash pd for Guarding dead body

Issued No 128 J $1 [illegible]/100 Ordered that Wm Dobbons be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for guarding dead body

Issued No 129 J $9 00/100 Ordered that William Jared be allowed [illegible] dollars for attending paupers sick with the Small pox

Issued No 130 J $7 00/100 Ordered that James Millard be allowed seven dollars for attending paupers sick with the small pox

Ordered that the Board of equalization adjourn until tomorrow Morning at 9 O Clock

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Ordered that the Board adjourn until Tomorrow Morning at 9 O'clock

Ezekiel Saunders

Thursday Morning June 6th 1850 at 9 O'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when all of the members of said Board were present as yesterday

Thursday Morning June 6th at 9 O'clock 1850 the Board of equalization met when all the members of said Board were present as yesterday

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Vincent Roth be allowed eight dollars and twenty five cents for expensing paupers as per bill filed

Issued [illegible] Ordered that John B. Stinson be allowed one dollar for penning as Clerk of an election in Perry Township

Now here the board appropriates fifty dollars for repairing an embankment over Magnon Creek in Perry Township and that John McNamara be and he is hereby appointed to superintend said Work and draw orders on the County Auditor who is hereby authorized to draw orders on the County treasurer to a sum not exceeding said sum of fifty dollars

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Joel F Sherwood be allowed one dollar for summoning a Coroners Jury

Issued [illegible] Ordered that J. Carothers & Co be allowed two hundred dollars for work done at the Bridge at the mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued [illegible] Ordered that J Carothers & Co be allowed one hundred dollars for work done at the Bridge at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued [illegible] ordered that John Burbank be allowed three dollars and thirty five cents for attending sick pauper

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Dyre Morgan be allowed twenty dollars & eighty three cents for medical attendance at County Poorhouse upt to June 1st 1850

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Isaac Casselberry be allowed twenty dollars & eighty three cents for medical services at County Poorhouse up to June 1st 1850

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Isaac Casselberry be allowed twenty five dollars for medical attendance on paupers out of the poorhouse

Ordered that the Board of Equalization adjourn until tomorrow Morning at 9 O'clock

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Ordered that the Board of Commissioners adjourn until to morrow morning at 9 O'Clock
E Saunders

Friday Morning June 7th A.D. 1850 the Board met pursuant to adjournment when all the members of the board were present as yesterday

Friday Morning June 7th A.D. 1850 the board of equalization met pursuant to adjournment when all the members of said board were present as yesterday

Issued No 1403 $3.00 Ordered that R M Garret be allowed three dollars for services as supervisor of Road

Issued No 1419 $2.25 Ordered that Samuel T. Jenkins be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for services as per bill filed

Now here R W Dunbar Treasurer of Vanderburgh County files the following affidavit namely

I Robert W Dunbar Treasurer of Vanderburgh County do Solemnly Swear that the funds which I have presented to the County Commissioners of Vanderburgh County at my annual settlement with them at their June Session 1850 are bona fide the funds belonging to said County and that the same have not been borrowed by me or any other person for me for the purpose of such settlement R W Dunbar T.V.C.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of June A.D. 1850 Wm H Walker A.V.C
By James T Walker dep

Issued No 1420 $25.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed twenty five dollars for ex officio services as Sheriff of Vanderburgh County

Issued No 1439 $19.64 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed nineteen dollars and sixty four cents for expense of Prisoners as per bill filed

Issued No 1440 $6.00/100 Ordered that Kennada Higgenbothem be allowed ~~two~~ six dollars for assisting assessor of County

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Gifford and Smith be allowed one hundred dollars for making embankment at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Thomas Hall be allowed seven dollars for serving as Constable at Coroners Inquests

Issued [illegible] 50.00/100 Ordered that J Carothers & Co be allowed fifty dollars for lumber for Pigeon Bridge

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Now here the board agrees to pay Benoni Stinson five dollars for pulling up at the lower end or the end towards the River of the Bayou Embankment a good substantial frame to hang a waste gate and shall hang said gate to said frame the frame to be supported with good braces

Now here the ~~County Auditor~~ the Board authorise and require the County Auditor to cause a copy of his report of the receipts and expenditures to be posted up at the Court house door and two other places in the County and published the same in one of the Newspapers of the City.

Issued No 1483 $ 100/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed one hundred for services as per bill filed

Issued No 1473 $ 37 43/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed thirty seven dollars and forty three cents for services as per bill filed

Issued No 1500 $ 117/100 Ordered that G. W. Hardin be allowed one hundred and nineteen dollars and seventy five cents for assessor of ~~Revenue~~ Vanderburgh County as per bill filed

It is now here ordered that the Revenue for 1850 be levied and fixed by this board as follows to wit For State purposes the Board levies and fixes the taxes at twenty five cents on each one hundred dollars of the value of all property entered for taxation in the general list of taxables and seventy five cents on each poll subject by law to taxation and the sum of three and one half cents to meet the expenses of the Convention to revise and amend the Constitution of the State of Indiana and the sum of one cent and seven and a half mills for the Indiana Hospital for the Insane and the sum of two cents and two and one half Mills for the Asylum for the Asylum for the deaf and dumb and the sum of one cent for the Institution for the education of the Blind and for the purpose of increasing the common School fund to be appropriated exclusively for the support of Common Schools First on the list of property taxable for State purposes there shall be levied and paid the sum of ten cents on each and every one hundred dollars Second there shall be paid by every person liable to pay a poll tax for State purposes twenty five cents provided that all the taxes required or authorised by ~~this act~~ (~~the~~ an act to increase and extend the benefit of Common Schools approved Jany 17th 1849) in any provisions thereof shall be assessed only on free white persons and upon the property of such persons only Third a tax of three dollars on each one hundred dollars shall be assessed on the amount of all premiums received in this State for insurance on property or lives within the Same by the agents of insurance companies

not chartered therein And for the purpose of County Revenue the Board now here levies and fixes the taxes as follows to wit for the ordinary expenses of the County the sum of seventy cents ~~on~~ each one hundred ~~dollars~~ valuation of all ~~land~~ property entered for taxation in the General list of taxables and one dollar on each and every poll subject by law to taxation and to pay the interest on the Bonds issued by order of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County as authorised by a vote of the ~~Majority~~ majority of the legal voters of this County the Board levies and fixes the said taxes as follows to wit the sum of thirty ~~dollar~~ cents on each ~~hundred~~ one hundred dollars valuation of all propicity entered for taxation in the general list of taxables

For each Caravin menagerie or other collection of animals and for each show of any figures and for each Circus or Theatre Rope or wire dancing or slight of hand exhibited for reward twenty five dollars for each days exhibition or performance to be levied and collected for County purposes

The board now here fixes the license to keep a ferry across Green River on the land owned by Aeneas McCallister for 1830 the sum of three dollars and for a license to keep a ferry across the Ohio River opposite the Ohio River the Town of Henderson in the State of Kentucky on the land owned by William Anthony for 1830 at Five dollars and the rates of Ferriage shall be for a man or woman ten cents for a man and horse twenty five cents and for one horse and buggy forty cents and for team of two horses and a wagon sixty cents and for team of four horses and a wagon one dollar

For a license to vend or retail Spirituous The board now here fixes at Ten dollars

Issued No 151 $ 3.75/100 Ordered that Robert M Dunbar be allowed three dollars and seventy five cents for waiting for the assessor

Issued No 152 $ 50.00/100 Ordered that G. M Hardin be allowed fifty dollars on account of making out the census for State purposes & if a majority of the Counties in the first Judicial District construe the law to allow him as much as for the ordinary duties of assessor that balance whatever it may be shall afterwards be allowed him

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Ordered that the Board of equalization adjourn until to morrow morning at 9 O Clock

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed Ten dollars for five days services as County Commissioner at the present Term

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Michael P Jones be allowed Ten dollars for five days services as County Commissioner at the present Term

Issued [illegible] Ordered Leroy Calvert be allowed Ten dollars for five days services as County Commissioner at the present Term

Ordered that the board do now adjourn

E Saunders

M P Jones

Leroy Calvert

June Session Special A.D 1830

Saturday Morning June 8th A.D. 1830 the Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment at 9 O'clock when all the members of said Board were present as on yesterday

Now here the Board of Commissioners convened in special session On Saturday June the 8th at 9 Oclock A.M. for the Purpose of transacting such business as may come before them

Issued No 1563 for $2.50/100 ordered that Daniel Morgan be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for medical attendance on pauper sick with Small Pox

Issued No 1564 for $3/100 Ordered that Benj F Freeborn be allowed three dollars for serving as supervisor of roads

Issued No 1565 for $54.72/100 ordered that Philip H Hoke be allowed fifty four dollars and seventy two cents for timber furnished for abuttment at the Mouth of Pigeon ~~Bridge~~ Creek

Now here it is ordered that Michael O Jones be and he is hereby appointed to superintend the building of the abuttment now building at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek and give orders on the Auditor for such estimates made by said Superintendant for County Orders in payment of said work

Issued No 1569 for $4.00/100 Ordered that B. Shop be allowed four dollars and fifty cents for services as overseer of the Poor in the case of a man sick with the Small pox in Union Township

Now here Daniel Morgan comes and complains to the board that he is assessed too high when the board agree after fully investigating said complaint do hereby reduce his tax from $600.00 to 400.00/100

Now here the board raise the value of Capables on the following named persons for the property assessed to them for the year A.D. 1830 to wit

On the property of	John McAfee	from	300	to 500	Personal
do do do	John L Buttolph	do	1000	to 1500	do
do do do	John H Boffendeck	do	800	to 1000	do
do do do	Brunner & Co	do	1000	to 1300	do
do do do	Crawford Bell	do	1250	to 1500	Imprts.
do do do	Crawford Bell	do	1500	to 4500	Personal
do do do	Peter Burk	do	2000	to 2500	do
do do do	Charles I Battel	do	450	to 1500	do
do do do	Thomas Butler	do	50	to 300	do
do do do	Babcock Brothers	do	18000	to 20000	do
do do do	Elisha Babcock	do	150	to 400	do
do do do	Charles Babcock	do	150	to 300	do
do do do	M J. Bray	do	250	to 300	do
do do do	George Bates	do	125	to 300	do
do do do	Millard Carpenter	do	4500	to 7000	Imprts

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On the property of Benj F Dupuy From 300$ to 500$ personal
do do do do J & N. Fix do 125 to 500 do
do do do do John Farrel do 400 do 1200 do
do do do do Jacob Gresler 75 do 100
John W Gerhardt 125 300
Michael Gavish 350 460
John Gavish 50 200
John Hewson 800$ impts on planing machine
Allen C. Hallock From 1500$ to 2000$ person
James G. Hatchet do 750 do 1200 do
John S. Hopkins do 1800 do 2000 Impts
John Hennich 225 to 400 Personals
Mitchel Ross Sherwood & Co 22000 Wharf
Kinlock McJohnson from 50 to 300 Personals
Richard Jenkins do 200 to 300 do
Kraner & Reis do 500 to 1000 do
Saml Lister do 1000 to 1650 do
Joseph Lechner Jr do 60 to 300 do
John McLockwood do 9000 to 12000 do
Joseph Lechner Sr do 50 do 300 do
Francis Muhlhausen do 100 do 300 do
J. R. E. G. Morgan do 1500 do 2000 Impts
J. R. E. G. Morgan do 3000 do 4000 Personals
Michael Mentzer do 150 do 350 do
Arthur McJohnson do 600 do 1200 do
John H Maghee & Co do 21000 do 25000 do
Jacob Miller do 25 do 200 do
Allen Norcross do 300 do 500 do
Horace Plumer do 100 do 130 do
James M. Parvin do 300 do 600 do
John Paine do 1000 do 1500 do
Bement & Viele do 20000 do 25000 do
Philip Rousch do 300 do 400 Impts
Philip Rousch do 25 do 50 Personals
John Rech do 20 do 100 do
Joseph Rought do 150 do 345 do
Clements Reitz do 100 do 200 do
J & C Reitz do 900 do 1200 do
John Reitz do 100 do 200 do
James Steele do 250 do 400 do
Shanklin & Reilly do 8000 to 9000 do
Satterlee & Colvin do 600 do 800 do
Giles Colvin do 100 do 300 do
J. J. Scanlin & Co 100 additional Impts on Foundry
James Swanson do 100 to 200 Personal
Jacob Smazich do 400 do 800 Improvement
A H Sander do 1000 do 1500 Personal
Scriber & Co do 3000 do 4000 do
Henry Scriber do 200 do 800 do
John M Spear do 200 do 400 do
Oliver Ladd & Co do 8000 do 10000 do
N W Foster do 8000 do 8500 do

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on the property of Horace Dunham	From	1500 $	to	2500 $	personals
George Vennemen & Co	do	~~8000~~ 1500	do	~~8500~~ 2000	do
David Aikins	do	725	do	1000	do
Daniel Aikins	do	745	do	1000	do
Moses Aikins	do	745	do	1000	do
John C. Staser	do	260	do	400	do
James Calvert	do	250	do	350	do
Charles Martin	do	180	do	250	do
William Rogers	do	200	do	350	do
Rhodes Rogers	do	200	do	350	do
John F. Sensmire	do	200	do	500	do
John Edmond	do	1200	do	1500	do
Andrew Lirch	do	230	do	400	do
Edward Burton	do	180	do	300	do

Ordered that Samuel McCutcheon be allowed three dollars and twenty five cents for services as overseer of the Poor of Centre Township

Now here the Board require the Auditor to issue ~~an~~ County ~~Auditor~~ order to Mr C Saunders on said Saunders producing said Auditor an order ~~for one hundred dollars~~ from Carothers for one hundred dollars for lumber delivered by said Saunders for the Bridge at the Mouth of Pigeon ~~Bridge~~ Creek

Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed Two dollars for serving as County Commissioners at the present Session

Ordered that Michael P Jones be allowed two dollars for serving as Commissioner at the present Session

Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed Two dollars for serving as County Commissioner at the Present Session

Ordered that G. W. Hardin be allowed ~~Twelve~~ 12 dollars for six days serving as a member of the Board of equalization at the present term

Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed twelve dollars for six days service as a member of the Board of equalization at the Present term

Ordered that the board of equalization do do now adjourn

E Saunders } County
M P Jones } Commissioners
Leroy Calvert
Prampee W Hardin Assessor of Vanderburgh Co
Wm H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County
By James T. Walker Clerk

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Ordered that the Board of Commissioners do now adjourn

Ezekiel Saunders
N. P. Jones
Leroy Calvert

Mr William Wilson you are hereby appointed Supervisor of Road district No 4 in Scott township for the ensuing year June 10th 1837

Wm Walker A.C.C.
By James T. Walker deputy

Mr Thomas R Collins you are hereby appointed Supervisor of Road district No 1 in Union Township for the ensuing year June 10th 1837

Wm Walker A.C.C.
By James T. Walker deputy

Special June Session A.D. 1830

At a meeting of the the board of commissioners of the ~~Commissioners~~ County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana for the purpose of making an estimate for Culvert across Veals Branch and any other business that may come before them when ~~the~~ Ezekiel Saunders & Michael P. Jones Esqrs two of the members composing said board were present the following orders were passed

Issued No 2613 $1.50 cts Ordered that John Stuberger be allowed one hundred and fifty dollars for work done & materials furnished for Culvert across Veals Branch

Issued No 2622 $12.63 cts Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed twelve dollars & sixty three cents for services as County Auditor as per bill filed

Issued No 2639 $2.00 cts Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed two dollars for one days services at the present session

Issued No 2640 $2.00 cts Ordered that Michael P Jones be allowed a two dollars for one days services at the present session

Ordered that the Board adjourn

E Saunders
M P Jones

Zachariah B. Aydelott You are hereby appointed Supervisor of Road district No 3 in Pigeon Township for the ensuing year June 18th 1830

Wm H Walker Clk
By James T. Walker Dep

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At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County and State of Indiana held at the Court house in the City of Evansville in the said County & State for the purpose of making an estimate on the bridge now being built at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek and making orders to pay the workman on said bridge and any other business that may come before them held on the 20th day of July A.D. 1850 when Ezekiel Saunders Michael C. Jones and Leroy Calvert Esqrs members of said board were present

Issued No 384 I $ 15 00/100 Ordered that John T. Walker be allowed fifteen dollars for Medicine and attendance on a sick pauper

Whereas at the March Term A.D. 1850 of the Board of Commissioners an order was made directing the County agent to convey to Willard Carpenter the interest of said County to Lot No 171 in the Donation Enlargement of the City of Evansville and whereas by said order said lot 171 was by mistake described as Lot No 271 Now therefore to correct said error it is hereby ordered that said agent convey said Lot 171 to said Carpenter in fee

Deed made to Willard Carpenter for Lot 171 D.C. July 29 1854

Issued No 385 I $ 3 75 Ordered that M & W Raleigh be allowed Three dollars and seventy five cents for dry goods for County Jail

Now here it is ordered that Thomas E Garvin County agent be and he is hereby ordered to collect from Andrew L Robenson Thirty six dollars for rent of office in the Court house for two years and that said money when collected be paid over to the Treasurer of said County

Issued No 383 I $ 50 00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed fifty dollars for services as per bill filed.

Issued No [illegible] I $ 40 37/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Forty dollars and thirty seven cents for dieting prisoners in Jail

Issued No 387 I $ 61 42/100 Ordered that John Stubbenger be allowed sixty one dollars and forty two cents for work done on culvert in Neals Branch

Issued No 388 I $ 4 50/100 Ordered that Matthew Hartlein be allowed Four dollars and fifty cents for services as supervisor of roads

Issued No 389 I $ 1 00/100 Ordered that Hedrick & Felker be allowed one dollar cash paid for attending sick pauper

Issued No 390 I $ 100 00/100 Ordered that Saml Corothers & Co be allowed one hundred dollars for work done on Bridge at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 391 I $ 100 00/100 Ordered that Saml Corothers & Co be allowed one hundred dollars for work done on bridge at the mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 392 I $ 100 00/100 Ordered that Saml Corothers & Co be allowed one hundred dollars for work done on bridge at the mouth of Pigeon Creek

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Issued No 393 I 100 00/100 Ordered that Saml Carothers & Co be allowed one hundred dollars for work done at the bridge at the mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 394 I 100 00/100 Ordered that Saml Carothers & Co be allowed one hundred dollars for work done at the bridge at the mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 395 I 100 00/100 Ordered that Saml Carothers be allowed one hundred dollars for work done at the bridge at the mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 396 I 12 00/100 Ordered Eliza Edwards be allowed twelve dollars for attending sick pauper

Issued No 397 I 35 50/100 Ordered that Peter Kullman be allowed thirty five dollars and fifty cents for furnished coffins and burying paupers

Issued No 398 I 1 05/100 Ordered that James McAvoy be allowed one dollar and five cents for tax overpaid by him in 1849

Issued No 399 I 20 00/100 Ordered that John Stubbenger be allowed twenty dollars for work done on Culvert in Neals Branch

Copied Now here the board appoints Thomas Gifford Superintendant of the Embankment to be built on the upper side of Pigeon Creek at the bridge now building at the mouth of said Pigeon Creek or any other work to be done at the mouth of said Creek directed by the Board of Commissioners for which service the board agree to to pay said Gifford two dollars per day for every day actually employed in superintending said work said Gifford to hire hands to do said work and draw on the County Auditor for the amount due said hands as they earn their wages, & said County Auditor is hereby authorised to issue orders ~~therefor~~ on the County Treasurer therefor said Gifford to hire said hands as cheap as hand can be got to perform the work on said Embankment said work to be done under the direction of said Board of Commissioners

Issued No 400 I $5 00/100 Ordered that Jenkins T Hugo be allowed Five dollars for passage of Pauper from Evansville

Issued No 401 I $5 25/100 Ordered that Allen C Hallech be allowed Five dollars and twenty five ~~cents~~ for Clothing for pauper

Copied Now here the order appropriating fifty dollars for Repairing the Embankment at Wagnons Creek and appointing John McNamara to superintend said work be and the same is hereby rescinded so far as the appointment of John McNamara superintendant is concerned and the board now hereby appropriate said sum of fifty dollars to be expended under the direction of Joseph H. Brandis who is hereby authorised to draw orders on the Auditor of Vanderburgh County in sums in all not to exceed fifty dollars for work to be done to said embankment and the Board agree to allow said Joseph H Brandis

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one dollar per day for every day that he is actually employed superintending said work.

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed two dollars for one day service as County Commissioner during the present session

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Michael B. Jones be allowed two dollars for one days service as Commissioner at the present session

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed two dollar for one days service as Commissioner at the present session

Ordered that the Board do now adjourn

E Saunders
M B Jones
Leroy Calvert

Mr Charles Knowles You are hereby appointed Supervisor of Road district No 5 in Scott Township for the year 1850 and until your successor is appointed and qualified

July 22nd 1850

Wm H Walker C.B.C.
By James S. Walker deputy

In Vacation July 29th 1850

Whereas George Deafenbaugh assignee of William Trafton of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana having produced to me the certificate of Nathan Rowley formerly School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County by which it appears that William Trafton aforesaid did on the 25th day of September A.D. 1837 purchase of said School Commissioner the South West quarter of the South West quarter of section number (Lot No. 13 on the plat) being part of the School section belonging to Congressional Township six South of Range Eleven West in said Vanderburgh County containing forty acres more or less And said George Deafenbaugh having also filed in my office the School Commissioners receipt for part of the purchase money and after the expiration of the office of the School Commissioner the said George Deafenbaugh filed in my office the County Treasurers receipt for the balance in full for said tract of land the amount remaining due on said certificate or bond after the first payment; Being eighty seven dollars and the said George Deafenbaugh having demanded a deed for said tract of land above described

Therefore Know all men by these presents 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 six South of Range number Eleven West in the County and State aforesaid do give and grant the said South West quarter of the South West quarter of section number sixteen (Lot No 13 on the plat) in Township number six South of Range number Eleven West containing forty Acres more or less to the said George Deafenbaugh and to his heirs and assigns forever in as full and ample a manner as I the said William H Walker by virtue of the authority vested in me as Auditor of said County in said State and by virtue of the authority of the Statutes in such case made and provided May or can convey the same In testimony whereof I William H Walker Auditor of said County have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners at my office in the City of Evansville this 29th day of July A.D. 1850 William H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County Indiana By James T. Walker deputy

L. S.

Attest R.W. Dunbar T.V.C.

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Set

I Samuel T. Jenkins Recorder of said County do hereby certify that the

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aforesaid James T. Walker deputy Sheriff of Randolph County personally came before me and acknowledged that he executed the foregoing Conveyance as his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned Given under my hand and seal this 29th day of July A.D. 1850

Saml T. Jenkins Clerk
By R Jenkins Depty

September Term A.D. 1850

Monday morning September 2nd 1850
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 City of Evansville in said County and State on the First Monday being the second day of September 1850 when the Honorable Lenby Calvert and Simeon Long two of the members of said board were present

Now here Robert W Dunbar produces the the following as his quarterly report 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 at his office from the 1st Monday in June to the 1st Monday of September 1850

Nature of accounts	County Fund		Loans		Totals	
Principal County Seminary			856	32	856	32
Principal Common School Fund			42	50	42	50
Principal Surplus Revenue			10	00	10	00
Principal T. 5 R 11 West			30	80	30	80
Principal T. 6 R 11 West			45	00	45	00
Interest County Seminary			54	92	54	92
Interest Common School			44	95	44	95
Interest Surplus Revenue			38	03	38	03
Interest T. 6 R 11 West			16	05	16	05
Interest T. 6 R 10 West			28	70	28	70
Interest T. 7 R 10 West			110	46	110	46
Interest Bank Tax			18	20	18	20
Redemption of Lands			12	42	12	42
Merchants Licence	145	00	57	50	202	50
Tavern License	40	00			40	00
Pedlers License	5	00			5	00
	$190	00	$1365	85	$1555	85

Respectfully Submitted
R.W. Dunbar T. V.C.

which report the board now here approves

Issued No 7831 $6 00/100. Ordered that Martin Schmoll be allowed six dollars for services as Inspector of elections in Pigeon Township

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Now here Robert W Dunbar files his two several bonds for the safe keeping and proper disbursing of the funds that may come to his hands as Treasurer of Vanderburgh County to wit

Know all men by these presents that we Robert W. Dunbar Charles Harrington Bernard Shive Nathan Rowley William Caldwell are held and firmly Bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of fifteen thousand dollars for the payment whereof well and truly to be made and done we do bind ourselves our heirs executors & administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this second day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty. Whereas the above bound Robert W. Dunbar was on the first Monday in August A.D. 1850 duly elected County Treasurer for the County of Vanderburgh in the State aforesaid by the qualified voters of said County to serve for the term of three years from the time of his said election and until his successor is chosen and qualified Now therefore the Condition of the above obligation is such that if the said Robert W Dunbar shall faithfully perform the duties of his said office connected with the Internal Revenue County Revenue and three per cent funds of said County and shall faithfully pay over to the persons entitled thereto the said funds which may come to his hands during his continuance in said office and shall faithfully transfer to his successor in said office all money books and papers belonging or relating to the said funds then the above obligation shall be null and void otherwise it shall be and remain in full force and virtue

R W Dunbar (Seal)
Chas Harrington (Seal)
Bernard Shive (Seal)
Nathan Rowley (Seal)
W Caldwell (Seal)

Know all men by these presents that we Robert W Dunbar Madison L Gray George B. Walker Crawford Bell Silas Stephens John M Stockwell Levi L Laycock John H Hoffandick Abraham Gumbert are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of Thirty five thousand dollars for the payment whereof well and truly to be made and done we do bind ourselves our heirs executors & administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this second day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty. Whereas the above bound Robert W Dunbar was on the first Monday in August A.D. 1850 duly elected County Treasurer for the County of Vanderburgh in the State aforesaid by the

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qualified voters of said County to serve for the term of three years from the time of his said election and until his successor is Chosen and qualified Now therefore the conditions of the above obligations are such that if the said Robert W Dunbar shall pay over all monies according to law which shall come into his hands for State County road or other purposes and if he the said Robert W Dunbar shall also well faithfully and promptly discharge all the duties of his said office according to law then the above obligation shall be null and void but otherwise it shall be and remain in full force & virtue:

R W Dunbar (Seal)
M J Bray (Seal)
George B Walker (Seal)
Crawford Bell (Seal)
Silas Stephens (Seal)
John M Stockwell (Seal)
Levi L Lacock (Seal)
J H Boffandick (Seal)
A Gumbert (Seal)

State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } I Robert W. Dunbar do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Indiana and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of County Treasurer for said county of Vanderburgh according to the best of my ability

R. W. Dunbar

Sworn to and subscribed by the said Robert W Dunbar before me James T. Walker a Justice of the Peace within & for said county on this 2nd day of September A.D. 1850 as witness my hand and official seal

James T. Walker (Seal)
Justice of the Peace

which said bonds the board now here approve

Issued No 7849 $5 88/100 Ordered that Matthew Hartlein be allowed five dollars and eighty eight cents for services as Supervisor of Roads in Germen Township

Issued No 7850 $ 5 00/100 Ordered that Horace Plumer be allowed five dollar for serving as Clerk of an election in Pigeon Township

Issued No 7869 $ 1 00/100 Ordered that James F. McDonald be allowed one dollar for retiring Poll books of an election in Armstrong Township

Issued No 7879 $ 1 00/100 Ordered that Daniel White be allowed one dollar for serving as clerk of an election in Pigeon Township

Issued No 7880 $ 1 00/100 Ordered that Jacob Luntenhamer be allowed one dollar for serving as Clerk of an election in Germen Township

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Issued No 7893 $2.25/100 Ordered that Joseph Litchfield be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for work done as supervisor of roads in Scott Township

Issued No 7902 $4.00/00 Ordered that John C. Henson be allowed four dollars for serving as Judge of ~~the~~ elections in Pigeon Township

Issued No 7913 $ 1.34/100 Ordered that Luke Grant be allowed one dollar & Thirty four cents for summoning a jury to try a case of Insanity &c

Issued No 7923 $1.00/100 Ordered that Luke Grant be allowed one dollar for taking a crazy woman to the poorhouse &c

Issued No 7933 $ 0.75/100 Ordered that Felker & Heddenich be allowed seventy five cents for taking a pauper to the poorhouse

Issued No 7943 $ 1.75/100 Ordered that Joseph Wheeler be allowed one dollar and seventy five cents for costs in the case of the State U.S. Martin Dunn

Issued No 7953 $ 1.18/100 Ordered that be allowed one dollar and eighteen cents for costs in the case of the State U.S. Martin Dunn

Issued No 7963 $ 0.92/100 Ordered that William Grigsby be allowed ninety two cents for serving as Constable at 2 Coroners Inquest

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 8 O'clock.

Leroy Calvert

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Tuesday Morning September 3rd 1830 the board met pursuant to adjournment when the same members were present as yesterday Michael B. Jones Esq. being absent on account of sickness

Issued No 7793 $1.50/100 Ordered that Joseph Turner be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for attending sick paupers at the Poorhouse

Issued No 7794 $2.00/100 Ordered that J. S. Catlett be allowed Two dollars for taking a sick pauper to the poorhouse

Issued No 7795 $10.00/100 Ordered that John S. Fisher be allowed Ten dollars for Medical attendance on sick paupers

Issued No 8003 $5.62/100 Ordered that John S. Fisher be allowed five dollars for Medical attendance on a pauper sick with the small pox

Issued No 8.19 $11.00 Ordered that Clark and McDonald be allowed eleven dollars for printing

Issued No 8004 Ordered that Joseph Lechner be allowed fifty dollars for three months services as County poorhouse keeper up to the 1st day of September 1830

Issued Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed seventy five dollars and eighty one cents for services as Jailor of Vanderburgh County

Issued Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Twenty five dollars for ex officia services as Sheriff of Vanderburgh County

Now here Joseph Lechner the keeper of the County Poorhouse produces his report by which it appears that there are Ten paupers now in said County Poorhouse which report the board now here approves

Issued Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed ~~Five~~ Four dollars for taking election returns for Senator and Lenatorial delegate to Mt Vernon

Issued No 7799 $2.50/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed two hundred and fifty Dollars for services as County Auditor

Issued No 8065 $43.75/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed forty three dollars and twenty five cents for services as County Auditor

Issued No 8066 $20.00 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed twenty dollars for services as per bill filed

Issued No 8067 $5.05/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed five dollars and five cents for services as per bill filed

Issued No 7801 $23.00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed twenty five dollars for ex officia services as County Auditor

Issued No 8069 $1.00/100 Ordered that Jno P. Granger be allowed one dollar for returning a certificate of an election in Knight Township

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Copied Now here a petition is presented according to law signed by Philomen Cloninger & 37 other County asking for a road commencing at a point on the Evansville and Princeton State road ~~(signed by Philemon Cloninger and thirty seven others)~~ at or near the South west corner of the East half of the North East quarter of section No 28 in Township No 4 South of Range No 10 west thence running due west as near as the ground will admit of until it intersects the Evansville and Princeton County road at or near the South west corner of the East half of the North East quarter of Section No 30 in Township No 4 South of Range No 10 West which said petition was publicly read and a Remonstrance was also presented signed by William Thurston and and seventeen others against the location of said Road when the Board after duly considering the petition and remonstrance hereby appoint Kirby Armstrong John Pruet and Ellison Martin to view out and if they think proper locate said road and report their proceeding to the next term of said Board

Issued No 816 I $4 00/100 ordered that M. W. Safford be allowed four dollars for serving as a Clerk of an election in Pigeon Township

Issued No 810 I $5 00/100 ordered that John Walsh be allowed five dollars for serving as a Judge of elections in Pigeon Township

Issued No 811 I $7 00/100 Ordered that John M Blair be allowed nine dollars for superintending the work done on the Bayou Embankment

Now here John M Blair presents his report of the work done on the Embankment across the Bayou which said report the Board now here approves

Issued No 812 I $2 00/100 ordered that David D. Grime be allowed two dollars for serving as Judge of an election in German Township

Issued No 813 I $ Ordered that Morrisson Fitzgerald be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge of an election and returning poll books in Germany Township

Issued No 814 I $5 00/100 Ordered that Archibald Fitzgerald be allowed Five dollars for taking care of Edward Lake a pauper

Issued No 815 I $20 00/100 Ordered that Benoni Stinson be allowed twenty dollars for making a Wastegate and doing other work on the bayou Embankment

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 8 O clock

Leroy Calvert

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Wednesday Morning September 4th at 8 O clock The Board met pursuant to adjournment when the same members as yesterday were present

Issued No 818 $ 10 00/100 Ordered that John R Wilcox be allowed Ten dollars for medical attendance to sick paupers

Issued No 818 $ 10 00/100 Ordered that John T. Baker be allowed Ten dollars for medical attendance to sick paupers

Issued No 819 $ 12 50/100 Ordered that Daniel Morgan be allowed twelve dollars and fifty cents for medical attendance at the County Poorhouse

Issued No 820 $ 12 50/100 Ordered that Isaac Casselberry be allowed twelve dollars and fifty cents for medical attendance to County Poorhouse

Now here Michael B Jones Esq appeared and took his seat as a member of this board

Now here the board appoints Michael B. Jones President of the Board for the ensuing year

Issued No 821 $ 25 00/100 Ordered that Samuel T. Jenkins be allowed twenty five dollar for ex Officio Services as Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

Issued No 822 $ 28 00/100 Ordered that Samuel T Jenkins be allowed Twenty eight dollars and ten cents for books and Stationary furnished the County

Issued No 823 $ 7 00/100 Ordered that Samuel T Jenkins be allowed seven dollars for Specific charges against the County as per bill filed

Issued No 824 $ 12 50/100 Ordered that John R Wilcox be allowed Twelve dollars and fifty cents for medical attendance on sick paupers

Issued No 825 $ 12 50/100 Ordered that Lloyd William be allowed twelve dollars and fifty cents for medical attendance on sick paupers

Issued No 826 $ 2 00/100 Ordered that Edward Guilty be allowed two dollars for nursing and boarding sick pauper

Issued No 827 $ 3 00/100 Ordered that John R Wilcox be allowed three dollars for medical attendance on sick Pauper

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Now here two of the Viewers appointed by this board to view out and locate a road in Germans Township beginning on the New Harmony road on land owned by Henry Fink about fifty yards beyond the Lutheran Church and runs on a ridge over and by the the land owned By Jacob F Raber and Mr Will John Risinger and John Manns to the line dividing Vanderburgh and Posey Counties said road to be straightened on the land of Jacob Raber for a distance of one eighth of a mile come and make the following

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report namely "We two of the within named Viewers viewed the piece of said road running by Jacob Rabers and after viewing it we are of opinion that the said road had as well remain where it now is on the East line of said Jacob Raber Samuel Kirkpatrick
John Jarvis

Which report the board now here approves and the supervisor of the district through which said road runs is hereby authorized and required to keep said road in repair

Issued No 8287 $2.00 Ordered that Samuel Kirkpatrick be allowed two dollars for services as viewer of a road and returning said report

Issued No 8288 $1.00 Ordered that John Jarvis be allowed one dollar for serving as viewer of a road in German Township

Issued No 8306 $1.00 Ordered that Isaac Castelbery be allowed twelve dollars for Medical attendance on a pauper in Perry Township

Issued No 8316 $20.07½ Ordered that Ellis V Schlamp be allowed one hundred and twenty dollar and seven cents for Groceries furnished for County poor house up to the 1st day of September 1830

Issued No 8326 $2.91 Ordered that Goodlet Morgan be allowed two dollars and ninety one cents for a shroud furnished for a pauper

Issued No 8533 $8.50 Ordered that Joel F Sherwood be allowed, Eight dollars and fifty cents for services as Constables at Coroners Inquest

Issued [illegible] Ordered that William Gregg be allowed one dollar and fifteen cents for a shroud for Mrs Chappel a pauper

Issued No 8335 $2.00 Ordered that Miles Fisher be allowed two dollars for nursing Mrs Harrel a pauper

Issued No 8369 $8.25/100 Ordered the Peter Hullman be allowed Eight dollars and twenty five cents for making coffins and burying dead paupers

Now here Joseph H Brandis presents his report of his doings as superintendant of the Embankment at Magnons Creek Bridge which said report the Board now here approves

Issued No 8374 1.25/100 Ordered that Benoni Stinson Jr be allowed seven dollars and twenty five cents for timber furnished for embankment at Magnons Creek

Issued No 8375 $8.00/100 Ordered that Joseph H Brandis be allowed Eight dollars for superintending embankment at Magnons Creek Bridge

Issued No 8396 $2.50/100 Ordered that Jesse M Mc Callister be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for assisting to bury a dead man found in the Ohio River

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Issued No 8401 $ 2.50/100 Ordered that Perry Atkins be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for assisting to bury a dead man found in the Ohio River

Issued No 8411 $ 1.00/100 Ordered that Joseph H Brandes be allowed one dollar for returning Poll Books of the August Election 1850

Issued No 8420 $ 12.00/100 Ordered that Daniel Morgan be allowed Twelve dollars for Medical attendance on sick paupers

Issued No 8433 $ 15.07/100 Ordered that Benoni Stinson be allowed fifteen dollars and seventy seven cents for payment for rock delivered at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Now here Edward Ingle is exempted by the Board from working on the roads in Vanderburgh County he having produced satisfactory evedence that he is unable to perform road labor

Issued No 8444 $ 42.50/100 Ordered that Gifford & Smith be allowed forty two dollars and a fifty cents for work done on Embankment at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 8455 $ 223.85/100 Ordered that Gifford & Smith be allowed Two hundred and twenty three dollars and eighty five cents for work done on embankment at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 8464 $ 3.00/100 Ordered P. H Woodward be allowed three dollars for measuring embankment at the mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 8471 $ 1.00/100 Ordered that Gifford & Smith be allowed one dollar for cutting trees at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 7829 $ 10.00/100 Ordered that William Boyle be allowed ten dollars measuring Culvert & Surveying County Poorhouse Property

Issued No 8481 $ 3.40/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed three dollars and forty cents for passage money to send a pauper from Vanderburgh County

Now then a petition is presented signed by Samuel McDonald and Twenty five others asking the board to change the place of holding elections in Armstrong Township when the Board after duly considering said petition hereby order and direct that the place of holding elections be now changed from Charles Martins to the brick Road in said Township

Issued No 8495 $ 4.00/100 Ordered that John R Wilcox be allowed Four dollars for attending to Peter Lacey a pauper

Issued No 8501 $ 2.37/100 Ordered that John R Wilcox be allowed Two dollars and thirty seven cents for medical attendance on a sick pauper

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Issued [illegible] Ordered that Floyd Williams
he allowed Two dollar and thirty seven cents
for medical services on a sick Pauper.
Now here the Board appoint Jesse
Jackson a Constable of Pigeon Township to fill the
vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Thoma Hall
upon his giving bond in the sum of one thousand
dollars with Coinelius Jackson and Richard Jenkins
as his sureties
Ordered that the Board adjourn
until tomorrow morning at 8 O Clock
W. H. Jones
President

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Thursday Morning September 5th 1850 ~~at 8~~ O Clock
AM the board met pursuant to adjournment
when all the members of said Board were present

Issued No 852 J $7 84/100 Ordered that Luke Grant
be allowed seven dollars and eighty four cents for
services as Constable at Coroners Inquests

Now here John Rankin is ap-
pointed a Student in the Indiana University for Vanderburgh County to fill
the vacancy occassioned by Charles Wheeler who has
failed to comply with his appointment from this
board

Now here Thomas Gifford be and
he is hereby appointed to superintend the Em
bankment on the Culvert in Neals Branch and
draw orders on the County Auditor who is
hereby authorised to issue County orders on
the Treasurer of Vanderburgh County for the
payment of the labor done in making said embank
ment

Now here Jesse Jackson heretofore
appointed Constable of Pigeon Township Township
by this Board Comes and files his bond
according to the requirements of the Board in the sum of one thousand dollars with
Cornelius Jackson and Richard Jenkins as
his sureties which bond the Board now here
approves

Issued No 853 J $2 00/100 Ordered that Gerah Fairchild
be allowed Two dollars for serving as clerk of
elections in Centre Township

Issued No 854 J $2 00/100 Ordered that Sherman
Fairchild be allowed two dollars for serving as Inspector
of elections in Centre Township

Now here the Board appoints Christian
Decker Keeper of the Pound of Vanderburgh
County for one year from the first days
of September A.D. 1850

Ordered that the Board adjourn
until tomorrow morning at 8 O. Clock

Mr Jesse
President

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Friday Morning September sixth 1850 at 8 O clock the board met pursuant to adjournment the board met pursuant adjournment when all the members of said board were present as yesterday

Issued No 853 J $12.50/100 Ordered that Thomas E Garvin be allowed twelve dollars and fifty cents for sevices as County agent to Sept 1st 1850

Issued No 856 J $2.00/100 Ordered that James Neal be allowed two dollars for seving as Judge & Clerk of an electrons in Perry Township

Issued No 857 J $3.00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed three dollars for taking depositions in Murder case for Coroner

Issued No 858 J $18.75/100 Ordered that John Snider be allowed eighteen dollars and seventy five cents for lumber furnished for bridge at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 859 J $21.75/100 Ordered that Michael P. Jones be allowed twenty one dollars and seventy five cents for superintending public works in Vanderburgh County

Issued No 860 J $2.50/100 Ordered that P. H. Woodward be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for measuring Culvert in Neals Branch

Issued No 861 J $3.63/100 Ordered that Enoch C Duskey be allowed three dollar and sixty three cents for seving as Constable at Coroners Inquests

Issued No 862 J $13.66/100 Ordered that John A Reitz & Co be allowed thirteen dollars and sixty six cents for plank furnished for Bridge at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 863 J $1.50/100 Ordered that George L Schnee be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for carrying chain to survey Cor Poorhouse land

Issued No 864 J $1.50/100 Ordered that J Delong be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for carrying chain to survey poor house land

Issued No 865 J $1.00/100 Ordered that Joseph Wahnserdler be allowed one dollar for Shaving & cutting hair of prisoners in Jail ~~Ordered that Christian Decker~~

Issued No 866 J $1.50/100 Ordered Christian Decker be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for seving as pound keeper up to the 1st day of September 1850

Issued No 867 J $6.50/100 Ordered that G. A Mayer be allowed six dollars and fifty cents for house rented for paupers sick with Cholera by the overseers of the Poor's order

Issued No 868 J $.50.00/100 Ordered that John Stubbenger be allowed fifty dollars for work done on Culvert in Neals Branch

Issued No 869 J $50.00/100 Ordered that John Stubbenger be allowed fifty dollars for work done on Culvert in Neal Branch

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C/O 8709 $ 50 00/100 Ordered that John Stubbenger be allowed fifty dollars for work done on Culvert in Neals Branch

C/O 8710 $ 50 00/100 Ordered that John Stubbenger be allowed fifty dollars for work done on Culvert in Neals Branch

C/O 8722 $ 1 00/100 Ordered that Barny Cody be allowed one dollar for serving as Judges of an election in Centre Township

C/O 8723 $ 5 00/100 Ordered that M J Bray be allowed five dollars for amt paid for burying sick pauper

C/O 8743 $ 4 00/100 Ordered that M J Bray be allowed four dollars for attending sick paupers

C/O 8755 $ 4 00/100 Ordered that R & E Garrett be allowed four dollars for Medical attenace on sick paupers

Now here it is by the Board ordered that the Auditor of Vanderburgh County be and he is authorised to issue to Samuel Casiothers & Co one Year from ~~this~~ date (September 5th 1830 the sum of nineteen hundred and twenty one dollars being half the amount due them for Building of the Bridge at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek.

C/O 8761 $ 861 00/100 Ordered that Samuel Casothers & Co be allowed Eight hundred and sixty one dollars for building a bridge across Pigeon Creek at the Mouth thereof

C/O 8771 $ 25 12/100 Ordered that John Stubbenger be allowed twenty five dollars and twelve cents for extra services at the Culvert in Neals Branch

C/O 8733 $ 60 00/100 Ordered that John Stubbenger be allowed sixty dollars for work done on the Culvert in Neals Branch

C/O 8 $ 44 25/100 Ordered that John Snyder be allowed forty four dollar and twenty five cents for work done at the Bridge at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

C/O 8801 $ 6 00/100 Ordered that Michael Jones be allowed six dollars for three days service as Commissioner of Vanderburgh County

C/O 8811 $ 10 00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed ten dollars for five days Service as Commissioner of Vanderburgh County

C/O 8821 $ 10 00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long be allowed ten dollars for five days services as Commissioner of Vanderburgh County

Now here James T. Walker deputy Auditor of Vanderburgh County is hereby authorised and required to have the delinquent list of said County published in the Evansville Journal for the Sale of lands for non payment Taxes according to Law

Order to Pay Hinkle & Co $174 58/100
Order to Pay Hinkle & Co $205
Order to Pay Bailey $2 50
Order to Pay Hinkle & Co $1 50
Order to Pay Hinkle & Co $1 50
Order to Pay Hinkle & Co $2 50
Order to Pay Caswell Calvert for $11 50

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Ordered that the Board do now adjourn

M P Jones
Leroy Calvert
Simeon Long

In Vacation September 18th 1850

The following is a copy of a Receipt that was given for the County Bonds delivered to day namely

" Rec'd of William H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County per the hand of James T. Walker the following bonds issued by the County of Vanderburgh and payable to the Evansville and Ill. R.R. Co or bearer to wit

250 bonds of 50$ ea.	from No 1 to 250	inclusive	payable	10	years	from	Feby 1st/50	$12,500
277 " " 50 "	" 251 to 527	"	"	15	"	"	" "	13850
43 " 50 "	" 528 to 570	"	"	25	"	"	" "	2150

[from 571 to 584 inclusive = none issued]

16 bonds of 50$ ea from No 585 to 600	payable 15 years	800
398 bonds of 50$ ea & one bond of 100$ from No 601 to 1000 payable in 20 years No 714 is not in the lot - but bond No 715 for 100$ is put in place of No 714 & 715 of fifty dollars each. which makes it equal to 400 bonds of 50$ each		20.000
25 bonds of 100$ ea from No 76 to 100 inclusive	payable 20 years	2.500
397 " " 100$ " " " 101 to 497	payable 25 years	39.700
		$91,500

There was heretofore paid to [redacted] Hopkins late Treasurer 75 bonds of 100$ ea numbered from 1 to 75 inclusive payable 20 years which added to the above 7.500

$99.000

Add to the above 1000$ in cash makes 100.000 dollars the amt subscribed by said County for which a certificate of stock for two thousand shares in said R.R. Co has been issued

Sept 18th 1850

Samuel Hall Pres.
of the Ev & Ill. R.R. Co

Special September Session A.D. 1857

At a Special session of the board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County held at the Court house in the City of Evansville on the 24th day of September 1857 and called for the purpose of appointing some person to cast the vote of Vanderburgh County for Rail Road directors in the Evansville and Illenois Railroad Company and any other business the board think proper to transact when the Hon Michael P. Jones and Leroy Calvert two of the members of the board were present

Copied Ordered that Michael P. Jones Esq be and he is hereby appointed agent attorney and proxy to cast of the votes on two thousand shares of Stock in the Evansville & Illenois Rail Road Company (which Stock is owned by the County of Vanderburgh) for nine directors of said Rail Road on the first Monday in October next ~~for the ensuing year~~

Issued No 1072 $2.00 Ordered that Michael P. Jones be allowed two dollar for one days service as Commissioner at the present term

Issued No 1073 $2.00 Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed two dollars for one days service as Commissioner at the present term of this board

Ordered that the board do now adjourn

M. P. Jones
Leroy Calvert

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In Vacation October 16th 1850

Whereas Perry Aikin did on the sixteenth day of October 1850 produce to the undersigned William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana a certificate of purchase in writing in the words and figures following to wit "Whereas Jesse Lane died 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 appear that said Jesse Lane was the owner by assign-ment of a certificate of purchase given by Nathan Rowley a School Commissioner of [redacted] 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 192nd Section of Chapter 13 of the Revised Statutes of 1843 And he 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 dollars and eighteen and three fourth cents being the three quarters of the original purchase and that said Jesse Lane has faithfully paid up all interest due on said balance of 501 18 3/4/100 dollar Therefore It is hereby Certified that Jesse Lane assignee of Joseph Lane assignee of F. E. Goodsell assignee of J. P. Cochrum did on the 15th day of October 1836 purchase of the School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County Fractional section six-teen 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 one hundred and six dollars and six and one fourth cents and interest Now therefore be it known that if the remaining balance of 501 18 3/4/100 dollars be paid to the School Commissioner of said County or his successor in office in accordance with the laws 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. V. C.

which said Certificate was legally assigned by said Jesse Lane to Daniel Aikin Moses Aikin and David Aikin Jr. and by them assigned to Perry

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Atkin which assignments were duly acknowledged and recorded according to law And it appearing from the receipts of the Treasurer of said County that Perry Atkins has paid and discharged the full amount of principal and interest due on the tract of land mentioned in said Certificate And the said Perry Atkins having demanded a deed for the Tract of land in the Certificate aforesaid Therefore this Indenture made this sixteenth day of October 1850 between Wm H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana of the first part and Perry Atkin of the Same County and State 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 and sell and convey by these presents to the said Perry Atkin the following described tract or parcel of land to wit Fractional section number sixteen in Township number seven South of Range number 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 thereunto belonging to the said Perry Atkin his heirs and assigns forever in as full and ample a manner as the 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

L. S.

William H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County By James S. Walker deputy

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County Set

I Samuel I Jenkins Recorder in and for said County do certify that on this the 16th day of October 1850 the above named James S. Walker deputy Auditor of Vanderburgh County personally came before me and acknowledged the above and foregoing conveyance to be his voluntary act and deed

Given under my hand and seal at Evansville this 16th day of October 1850

Saml I Jenkins Recr

In Vacation November 29th A.D. 1850

Whereas Robert Barnes having demanded a deed for the South East quarter of the South East quarter of section number sixteen in Township number six South of Range number Ten West known as lot number sixteen on the plat of said land and being in the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana and having paid the full amount for said land and having also produced to me the following Certificate of purchase to wit "Neriah Barnes having this day purchased lot number sixteen (16) being 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 South East quarter of the South East quarter of section number sixteen in said Township containing forty and 64/100 hdths acres more or less for the sum of four hundred and fourteen dollars and two cents of which he has paid one hundred and twenty two dollars and thirteen cents being one fourth of the purchase money and one years interest in advance on the residue of the principal which is three hundred and ten dollars and fifty two cents and payable in ten years from this date together with six percentum interest thereon annually in advance and if full payment be made of said principal and interest within ten years from this date then the said Neriah Barnes 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 any year or the residue of said 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 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 revest to the said Township for school purposes Witness my hand and seal this 14th day of December A.D. 1839

Chas D. Bourne Seal Acting School Comr V County

Upon said Certificate appear the following endorsement to wit "For value received I assign hereby all my right title interest and claim to the land described in the within Certificate to Robert Barnes May 14th 1841 Neriah Barnes" State of Indiana Vanderburgh County Ss I Bracket Mills a Justice of the Peace in and for said County do hereby certify that on the 12 day of November A.D. 1841 the above named Neriah Barnes personally appeared before me and acknowledged the above assignment of the

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within Indenture to be his voluntary act and deed In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal at Evansville this day and date last above written Bracket Mills J.P. Seal

Now therefore Know Ye that in consideration of premises and in conformity with the Statutes in such case made and provided I William H Walker Auditor of the County of Vanderburgh for and in the name of the inhabitants of Congressional Township number six South of Range number Ten West in the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana do give and grant the said South East quarter of the South East quarter of section number sixteen in said Township number six South of Range number Ten west to the said Robert Barnes his heirs and assigns forever In as full and ample a manner as I the said William H Walker as Auditor of Vanderburgh County by virtue of the Statute in such cases made and provided may or can convey the same

In testimony whereof I the said William H Walker as Auditor as aforesaid have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 29th day of November A.D. 1830

(The place of the seal)

Wm H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County Indiana
By James T. Walker deputy

State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } Set

I Samuel T. Jenkins Recorder of the County aforesaid do hereby certify that the above named James T. Walker deputy Auditor personally came before me and acknowledged that he signed sealed and delivered the foregoing indenture for the uses and purposes therein mentioned

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the date last above written

Sam'l T. Jenkins Seal
By R Jenkins dept

December Term A.D. 1850

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 City of Evansville on Monday the second day of December A.D. 1850 (that being the first Monday in said month) When there Honorable Michael P Jones Leroy Calvert and Simion Long all the members of said Board where present

Now here James Patton applies to this board for the appointment of Constable of Pigeon Township and presents his bond in the sum of one thousand dollars with Richard Jenkins Isaac Hutchenson and James Scantlin Sen as his sureties when the Board after due examination appoint said James Patton Constable of Pigeon Township until the next April election and said Board now here approves of said Bond

Issued [illegible] Ordered that John S Terry be allowed twenty five dollars for ex Officio services as Sheriff of Vanderburgh County

Issued [illegible] Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for Summoning Grand & Traverse Juries at the September Term of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Samuel Lester be allowed seven dollars and eighty five cents for books and Stationary furnished the County

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Robert W Dunham be allowed forty eight dollors and twenty cents for books and Stationary furnished the Treasurer and Auditors office

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Daniel Brodee be allowed one dollar for taking paupers to the County poorhouse"

Issued [illegible] Ordered that William Killyard be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge of an election

Issued [illegible] Ordered that A H Sanders be allowed one hundred and twenty dollars for advertising delinquent list of Vanderburgh County

Copied Now here Hugh Mc Cravy be and he is appointed Constable of Perry Township to serve until the next April Election by his giving bond to the approval of the County Auditor

Issued [illegible] Ordered that Andrew J Rowden be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for bringing a trunk from Bayou for Hadpen

Issued [illegible] Ordered that John S Terry be allowed Twenty dollars for expense of Prisoner as per bill filed

Issued [illegible] Ordered that John S Terry be allowed Twenty dollars for expense of [redacted] as per bill filed

Issued [illegible] Ordered that John S Terry be allowed Twenty dollars for expense of prisoners as per bill filed

December Session AD 1850

Now here comes Robert W Dunbar Treasurer of Vanderburgh County and presents the following as his quarterly report of the amount and kind of funds up to the 1st day of December A.D. 1850 to wit

"The County Treasurer submits to the board doing County business for Vanderburgh County the following as his quarterly report of the Amt and kind of funds by him received from the 1st day of September to the 1st day of December A.D. 1850 Inclusive

Nature of account	Scrip		C. Orders		R Orders		Cash		Total	
Revenue of 1849 & 50	322	95	1343	30	37	05	1925	65	3628	95
Principal Surplus Revenue							350	00	350	00
Interest do do							48	01	48	01
Principal County Sem							134	00	134	00
Interest do do							3	85	3	85
Principal Common School							20	00	20	00
Interest do do							52	10	52	10
Principal T6 R10 W							407	52	407	52
Interest do do							70	63	70	63
Interest T7 R10 W							12	25	12	25
Interest T5 R10 W							39	35	39	35
Interest T5 R11 W							25	70	25	70
Interest T6 R11 W							17	07	17	07
Interest T7 R11 W							5	25	5	25
Interest Saline fund							4	06	4	06
Interest Coroners Inquest							6	40	6	40
Redemption of Lands							17	82	17	82
Merchants License							120	00	120	00
Tavern License							50	00	50	00
Making in all	$ 322	95	$ 1343	30	$ 37	05	$ 3309	66	$ 5012	96

Respectfully Submitted
R W Dunbar T.V.C.

which report the board now here approves

Issued No 1603 $ 10.00 Ordered that John S Terry be
Issued allowed Ten dollars for expense of paupers as per bill filed
Issued No 1604 $ 10.00 Ordered that John S. Terry be
allowed Ten dollars for expense of paupers as per bill filed
Issued No 1605 $ 10.00 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed
Ten dollars for expense of Paupers as per bill filed
Issued [illegible] $ 10.00 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Ten dollars for expense of paupers as per bill filed
Issued [illegible] Ordered that John S. Terry be
allowed Ten dollars for expense of Paupers as per bill filed

December Session A.D. 1852

Issued — Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Five dollars for expense of prisoners as per bill filed

Issued — Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Five dollar for expense of prisoners as per bill filed

Issued — Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed five dollars for expense of prisoner as per bill filed

Issued — Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed five dollars for expense of prisoners as per bill filed

Issued — Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed seven dollars for expense of prisoners as per bill filed

Issued — Ordered that Hiram P. Casselberry be allowed ten dollars and fifty cents for serving as Commissioner to locate a State Road from West Franklin to Evansville that part in Vanderburgh County of the

Issued — Ordered that Alexander Keller be allowed three dollar for services as Chainman that part in Vanderburgh County of the for State road from West Franklin to Evansville

Issued — Ordered that Jacob Keller be allowed three dollars for serving as Chainman for that part in Vanderburgh County of the State road from West Franklin to Evansville

Issued — Ordered that J. Phelps be allowed Eleven dollars for surveying State Road that part in Vanderburgh County of the from West Franklin to Evansville

Issued — Ordered that Urban Marrs be allowed seven dollars and fifty cents for serving as Commissioner to locate that part of the Vanderburgh County of the State Road from West Franklin to Evansville

Issued — Ordered that Hugh Caldwell be allowed three dollars for serving as Chainman that part of the in Vanderburgh County of the on a State road from West Franklin to Evansville

Issued — Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders be allowed three dollars for serving as Commissioner that part of the Vanderburgh County of the to locate a State road from West Franklin to Evansville

Issued — Ordered that James Houston be allowed five dollars and sixty five cents for expense of paupers as per bill filed

Issued — Ordered that James Houston be allowed five dollars and sixty cents for expense of paupers as per bill filed

Issued — Ordered that James Houston be allowed thirteen dollars and sixty nine cents for expense of Prisoners as per bill filed

Issued — Ordered that James Houston be allowed thirteen dollars for expense of prisoners as per bill filed

Issued — Ordered that Morgan & Keenle allowed fourteen dollars and sixty eight cents for articles for the for County Jail as per bill filed

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Issued — ordered that Jesse Burns be allowed seven dollars for attending and nursing sick pauper child

Issued — ordered that Jesse Burns be allowed fifteen dollars for attending sick pauper

Issued — Ordered that Jesse Burns be allowed Ten dollars for attending sick pauper

Issued — Ordered that Jesse Burns be allowed Ten dollars for attending sick pauper

Copied — Now here a petition is present signed by Moses Barnes and fifteen others asking for this Board to appoint viewers to view out and locate a road in Scot Township in Vanderburgh County Indiana to commence at point on the State Road leading from Evansville to Princeton where the line dividing Sections number Twenty one and twenty Eight in Township four South of Range Ten West intersects said State road thence running due west on said line dividing the land of James Perry and George Cawthorn on the section above above named thence following the same line due West between section twenty and twenty nine and Sections nineteen and thirty all in the above named Township and Range until it intersects the Evansville and Princeton Court Road on the land owned by Christopher Slater and at or near the South West quarter of the South East quarter of Section nineteen in Township Four South of Range ten West. When the board after duly investigating said petition and satisfactory proof having been given that the petitioners had acted in all things according to law they hereby appoint William Martin Sam'l McDonald and John Shelton to view out and locate said road and make report of there proceedings to the next term of this Board

Issued — Ordered that James Scantlin Son be allowed nine dollars for one coal stove & pipe for County Jail

Issued — Ordered that Crawford Bell be allowed Ten dollars and ninety Eight cents for Articles furnished the County as per bill filed

Issued — Ordered that John Whitehead Jr be allowed Four dollars for trees taken by Supervisor of Roads

Issued — Ordered that J Allen be allowed Nine dollars and seventy five cents work done on the Bridge at Junkins Ferry

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Now here comes Urban Mavis and Hiram Casselbery two of the Commissioners appointed by the Legislature of Indiana to view and lay out a road from West Franklin to Evansville and submit the following report and survey of said road to wit.

"To the Honorable the board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh. We the ~~undersigned~~ ~~Commissioners~~ appointed by the said In pursuance of an act of the Indiana Legislature approved January the 19th 1850 to locate a State road from West Franklin in the County of Posey to Evansville in the County of Vanderburgh. We the undersigned commissioners appointed by the said act to view and layout the road therein mentioned having been first duly sworn according to law have viewed and laid the same for which purpose we employed a surveyor and the necessary chain carriers and ax man whose report is herewith returned and we are of the opinion that said road will be of Public utility all of which is respectfully submitted Witness our hands this the 2nd day of December 1850

Urban Mavis
Hiram Casselbery
Ezekiel Saunders

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Set

I N. C. Saunders a Justice of the Peace in and for said County do hereby certify that on the 30th day of September 1850 personally came before me Urban Mavis Hiram P Casselberry and Ezekiel Saunders Commissioners appointed by the Indiana Legislature of 1850 to locate a State road from West Franklin in Posey County to Evansville in Vanderburgh County and took an oath that they and each of them will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of Indiana and that they will faithfully and impartially discharge their duties as such Commissioners to the best of their Judgement and ability Urban Mavis
Hiram P Casselbery
E Saunders

Sworn and subscribed before me on the day and date first above written N. C. Saunders J.P.
Justice of the Peace

County Surveyor Report of a State Board running from West Franklin Mavis Township to Evansville Vanderburgh County State of Indiana as laid off by Urban Mavis Hiram P. Casselberry and Ezekiel Saunders by authority of an act of the Legislature passed 1850 Commencing on the South side of Fifth Street and middle

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of Locust in the Town of West Franklin

Thence N 45½ E 24 = 2 poles 6 chains
" N 70 E 16
" N 15½ E 8
" N 4½ E 11
" N 36 E 14
" N 63 E 11
" N 6 E 11½
" N 2 E 14½
" N 51 E 18
" N 14 E 11
" N 33½ E 21 = 1 mile 160

" N 33½ E 5
" N 81¾ E 11 = 16 Vandenburgh line
" N 81¾ E 11
" N 71½ E 7
" N 82½ E 6
" S 61½ E 14
" N 65 E 5
" N 23 E 11
" N 73 E 4
" N 7 E 9
" N 41½ E 15
" N 30 E 10
" N 24 E 5
" N 38½ E 16
" N 28 E 7½
" N 17½ W 16½
" N 30 E 4 = 2 miles 160

" N 30 E 13
" N 72 E 4
" N 71 E 9
" N 35 E 5½
" N ½ E 5½
" N 30 E 21
" N 48 E 10½
" N 16 W 20½ = 3 miles 160

" N 16 W 30
" N 2 E 12
" N 33½ E 20
" N 45½ E 8
" N 46 E 28
" N 17½ E 35
" N 78½ E 4 = 4 miles 160

" N 70 E
" N 35 E 6
" N 8½ E 19
" N 43 E 37

Thence N 16 E 10
" N 2½ E 10
" N 4 E 11½
" N 54 E 14½
" N 35 E 14½
" N 51½ E 26½ = 5 miles 160

" N 81½ E 9½
" S 87½ E 10
" S 81 E 8½
" S 88½ E 10
" S 77½ E 11
" N 61 E 5
" N 49 E 11
" N 60½ E 10
" N 45½ E 9
" N 69½ E 8
" N 6 1/2 E 11
" N 53 E 5
" N 18 E 6
" N 34½ E 8
" N 28 E 11
" N 51 E 22
" N 65¾ E 5 = 6 miles 160

" N 65¾ E 6
" N 84½ E 8
" N 43¾ E 18
" N 80¾ E 17
" S 88½ E 42
" N 74 E 9
" N 65¼ E 42
" N 71¾ E 18 = 7 miles 160

" N 71¾ E 11
" N 79 E 17
" N 77½ E 16
" N 89½ E 18
" N 76 E 31
" S 70½ E 11
" N 84 E 32
" N 77¼ E 23
" S 82½ E 1 = 8 miles 160

" S 82½ E 18
" S 61½ E 9
" N 80 E 17
" N 60¾ E 34
" N 57¼ E 16
" N 63 E 36
" N 16½ E 8 = 9 miles 160

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~~Thence~~

Thence N 16¾ E 42
" N 8½ E 34
" N 50¾ E 26
" S 86½ E 15
" N 67¼ E 13
" N 63 E 26
" N 85¾ E 4 10 mile 160

" N 85¾ E 47
" S 61¼ E 10
" S 80½ E 22
" S 65 E 40
" S 51¾ E 34 154 N

To west side of Vine St Evansville
Wm F Philips
By J Philips Dep Co Sr

And the supervisors of the districts through which said road passes are hereby authorised & required to keep the same and keep it in repair

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 O Clock
M P Jones President

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Tuesday Morning December 3rd 1830 at 9 O' Clock AM the board met pursuant to adjournment when all the members were present as Yesterday

Issued — Ordered that Samuel Delzell & Co be allowed Ten dollars and fifty cents for books for Clerks office

Issued — Ordered that Saml T Jenkins be allowed Two dollars and fifty five cents for Stationary for Clerks office

Issued — Ordered that Saml T Jenkins be allowed twenty one dollars Transcript of Index for Deed Record

Issued — Ordered that Saml T Jenkins be allowed ~~four~~ Ten dollars for Statistics for Convention

Issued — Ordered that Saml T Jenkins be allowed Twenty five dollars for ex Officio Services as Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

Issued — Ordered that Elizabeth Sallwen be allowed fourteen dollars for nursing Pauper sick with the Cholera

Issued — Ordered that Bracket Mills be allowed Seven dollars and fifty cents for cash furnished to pay the passage of sick Paupers from Evansville

Copied — Now here a petition is presented signed by Charles Wade and thirty five others for a Road leading from the North End of Second Street in the City of Evansville to the South End of Centre Street in the Town of Lamasco City when the board being satisfied that all things relating to said road had been done according to law they hereby appoint Charles Harrington Allanson Warner and Thomas Gifford to view out and locate said Road and make their report at the next term of this board

Issued — Ordered that Michael Mentzer be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge of a Special election in Pigeon Township

Issued — Ordered that A. H. Sanders be allowed twelve dollars for advertising Coroners Inquest

Issued — Ordered that John Stubenger be allowed Eighteen dollars for pounding the piers of the Bridge at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued — Ordered that Matthias Benscher be allowed seventeen dollar and three cents for Blacksmith work for bridges as per bill filed

Issued — Ordered that John R Wilcox be allowed twenty dollars for medical attendance on sick paupers

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Issued — Ordered that Floyd Williams be allowed twenty dollars for medical attendance on sick pauper

Issued — Ordered that Charles O Hale be allowed Ten dollars for taking care of sick pauper

Issued — Ordered that Samuel Mc Cutcheon be allowed two dollars bringing pauper to County Poorhouse

Issued — Ordered that Samuel Mc Cutcheon be allowed two dollars for bringing a pauper to the County poorhouse

Issued — Ordered that Samuel Mc Cutcheon be allowed one dollar for serving as Clerk of an election in Centre Township

Issued — Ordered that Samuel Mc Cutcheon be allowed one dollar for serving as Clerk of an election in Centre Township

Now here Bracket Mills submits the following report namely

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County Set

I Bracket Mills a Justice of the Peace of Pigeon Township do hereby certify that on the 19th day of September A.D. 1849 I assessed a fine against Robert Nightingale of $5 00 dollars and costs for an assault and battery committed on the 25th day of August A.D. 1849 on the body of Thomas Ward and that on the 11th day of March A.D. 1850 I paid the said fine of five dollars to R W Dunbar treasurer of said County and took his receipt for the same which I deposited with the Auditor Given under my hand and seal this 3rd day of December A.D. 1850

Bracket Mills Seal
Justice of the Peace

which said report the board refuse to take action upon

Issued — Ordered that James Cook be allowed one dollar for watching dead pauper for the Coroner

(Cancelled by the board) Ordered that James Steele be allowed fourteen dollar and fifty cents for one thousand feet of pine lumber for County Poorhouse

Now here Joseph Lechner files his report as keeper of the County Poorhouse showing the condition and number of paupers under his Charge which report the board now here approves

Now here John Miller files his petition before the board for damages claimed by him for timber cut on his land in Centre Township by the Supervisor when the board hereby appoint John Erskine Samuel Mc Cutcheon and Patrick Keegan commissioners to assess the

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damage if any and make report at the next term of this board

ordered that John R Wilcox be allowed Ten dollars for medicine and attendance on sick pauper with Cholera

Ordered that John R Wilcox be allowed six dollars for medical attendance on sick pauper

Ordered that James Cook be allowed five dollars for nursing sick pauper

Ordered that Isaac Casselberry be allowed six dollars for medical attendance on sick paupers

Ordered that John T. Walker be allowed six dollars for medical attendance on sick pauper

Now here Samuel T. Jenkins presents his report of the fines assessed by the Vanderburgh Circuit Court at the September Term 1850 to wit "A List of fines assessed at the September Term A.D. 1850 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court to wit

State of Indiana vs. Retailing Spirits Bernard Kline	Fine	$5.00
State of Indiana vs. Neglect as Supervisor Adoniram Taylor	Fine	$10,00
State of Indiana vs. Retailing Spirits Emanuel Gumbert	Fine	$5.00
State of Indiana vs. Ret Spts John Farrel & Patrick Boyle	Fine	$10.00
State of Indiana vs. Ret Spts No1 Thomas Wakefield	Fine	$ 5.00
State of Indiana vs. Ret Spts No 2 Thomas Wakefield	Fine	$ 5.00
State of Indiana vs. A&B John Rottengatter	Fine	$1.00

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State of Indiana vs } A D B William Gregsby	Fine	$3.00
State of Indiana vs } Contempt Francis D Allen	Fine	$3.00
State of Indiana vs } Petit Larceny Jeremiah Sullivan	Fine	$1.00
State of Indiana vs } Contempt Robert Gill Harvey	Fine	$3.00
State of Indiana vs } Contempt No 1 George Savage	Fine	$1.00
State of Indiana vs } Contempt No 2 George Savage	Fine	$1.00

A list of fines received by me since my last report & previous to the last term of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

State of Indiana vs } Betting John Jones	Fine	$1000
State of Indiana vs } Ret Spts Lorance Duri	Fine	$500
State of Indiana vs } Contempt Edward Wheeler	Fine	$300
State of Indiana vs } Contempt Peter Bush	Fine	$300
State of Indiana vs } Contempt John Losee	Fine	$2[illegible]
State of Indiana vs } Official Negligence Saml. McCutcheon	Fine	$100

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State of Indiana vs} Ret Spts No 1 Burnard Nurse	Fine	$ 500
State of Indiana vs} Ret Spts No 2 Bernard Nurse	Fine	$ 500
State of Indiana vs} Ret Spts No 3 Bernard Nurse	Fine	$ 500
State of Indiana vs} Ret Spts No 1 Peter Burke	Fine	$ 500
State of Indiana vs} Ret Spts No 2 Peter Burke	Fine	$ 500
State of Indiana vs} Ret Spts No 3 Peter Burk	Fine	$ 500
State of Indiana vs} Ret Spts No 4 Peter Burk	Fine	$ 500
State of Indiana vs} Contempt Henry Schreiber	Fine	$ 3.00
State of Indiana vs} Ret Spts Martin Schmoll	Fine	$ 500
State of Indiana vs} Extortion Samuel T. Jenkins	Fine	$1460
State of Indiana vs} Contempts Lewis Howes	Fine	$ 300
State of Indiana vs} Ret Spts No 1 John P. Henderson	Fine	$ 500
State of Indiana vs} Ret Spts No 2 John P Hendersons	Fine	$ 500

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State of Indiana vs Ret Spts Leonrad Herschelman	Fine	$5.00
State of Indiana vs Contempt. John Mitchel	Fine	$ 3.00
State of Indiana vs Contempt Elisha J Babcock	Fine	$ 3,00

State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } ss

I Samuel T. Jenkins do Solemnly Swear that the foregoing contains a true Statement of the fines assessed at the September Term A.D. 1850 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court and also of the fines received by me since my last report & previous to the last term of said Court according to the best of my knowledge and belief Saml T. Jenkins Subscribed & Sworn to before me the Auditor of Vanderburgh County this 3rd day of December A.D. 1850 Wm Walker A.V.C. By James T. Walker D.

Which report the board now here approves

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 O' Clock

Mr Jones
President

Now here John Prewet and Henry Armstrong two of the Viewers appointed by the board to locate an road therein named submit the following report "To the Honorable the board of Commissioners 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 having been first duly sworn according to law have viewed and laid out the same and return it as a road of public utility as follows to wit beginning at a point on the Evansville and Princeton State Road at the South West corner of the East half of the North East quarter of Section No 28 in Township No 4 South of Range No 10 West thence running due West one mile and nearly one quarter where it turns and running North of West until it leaves the line about Eight or ten rods again turning and running a little South of West until it strikes the same the same line again about

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Wednesday morning at 9 O'clock A.M December 4th A.D. 1830 The board met pursuant to adjournment when all of the members of said board were present as yesterday

Issued No 1644 $33.50/100 Ordered that John Stubenger be allowed thirty three dollars and fifty cents for work done on Culvert across Neals Branch

Issued No 1645 Ordered that George B. Walker be allowed five dollars for medical attendance on sick Pauper

Estimate of work done on Main Street by Moses Rof between second and third Street through the public Square

Earth Excavation	Cubic yards 95
Feet of Curbing	296
Perch of 16½ Paving	104

Evansville Dec 1830

P. H. Woodard

Price of said work agreed to be paid by the City. For excavation 25 cts per cubic yard
For Curbing 30 cents per foot
For Paving $2.50 per perch of 16½ feet

Attest
John J. Chandler City Clerk

Issued No 1646 $312.50/100 Ordered that Moses Rof be allowed three hundred and seventy two dollars and fifty cents Curbing and paving the lower part of the Public Square on Main Street

Copied Now here John Prewit and Kirby Armstrong two of the viewers appointed by this board at a former term thereof to view out and locate a certain road therein named submit the following report to wit

To the honorable the board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh

In pursuance of an order of this honorable Court herewith returned we the undersigned appointed by the said order to view and lay out the road therein mentioned having been first duly sworn according to law have viewed and laid out the same and return it as a road of public utility as follows to wit beginning at a point on the Evansville and Princeton State road at the South West corner of the East half of the North East Quarter of Section No 28 in Township No 4 South of Range No 10 West thence running due West one mile and nearly one quarter where it turns and

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running North of West until it leaves the line about eight or ten rods again turning and running a little South of West until it Strikes the same line again about 80 rods west of the first turn thence running due west until it intersects Evansville and Princeton County road about 10 or 12 rods west of the South West corner of the East half of the North East quarter of Section No 30 in Township No 4 South of Range No 10 West about two miles and 15 or 20 rods from the beginning point which is respectfully submitted.

Witness our hands this 29th day of November 1850

John Brewet

Kirby Armstrong

which report having had a remonstrance against by Philip Hornbrook for himself and for Mr Davis & Moses Baynes claim damages to their land the board now here appoints Wm Martin Saml McDaneld and John Shellin are hereby appointed by this board to assess the damage claimed by the above named persons and report at the next term of this board

Issued Ordered that Thomas Smith be allowed Twenty one dollars and two cents for taxes on property paid by him to Collector

Issued Ordered that John Brewet be allowed two dollars for viewing a road in Scott Township & returning report

Issued Ordered that Kirby Armstrong be allowed one dollar for viewing and laying out a road in Scott Township

Issued Ordered that John Clark be allowed one dollar for serving as Judge of an election in Centre Township

Issued Ordered that Peter Kullman be allowed twelve dollars and twenty five cents for furnishing coffins and burying paupers

Issued Ordered that William Dobbins be allowed twenty dollars for a flat boat sunk at the mouth of Pigeon Creek

Now here it is ordered that Ten dollars of the above order be deducted from Moses Rose's bill for stone sunk in flatboats at the Mouth of said Creek that have never been measured

Issued Ordered that Charles Knowles be allowed three dollars for expenses of elections in Scot Township

Issued Ordered that William Dobbins be allowed thirty dollars for stone delivered at the ~~County~~ Bridge at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

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Now here the board having heard of the Supreme Court of the State of Indiana granting them the power to sell the public square and wishing to consult the people of the county to know if they are willing the public Square shall be sold hereby authorise an election to be held in the different precincts in the County to to elect a delegate from each Township to meet with the County Commissioners to consult with said Commissioners as to the propriety of disposing of the public square (to be held on the 14th day of December 1850) and also to consult the propriety of purchase a site for a Courthouse and the public building and that said delegates meet said Commissioners on the 25th day of December 1850 and that 50 printed handbills be printed and signed by said Commissioners and that the Auditor cause said handbills to be posted up in every Township in Vanderburgh County

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tommorrow morning at 9 O'clock

M P Jones
President

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Thursday Morning at 9 O C
Thursday Morning at 9 O Clock December 5th A.D. 1850 the board met pursuant to adjournment when all of the members of said board where present as yesterday

Issued No 1655 I $ 84 00/100 Ordered that Thomas Gifford be allowed Eighty four dollars for superintending Culvert across Neals Branch

Issued No 1656 I $ 113 00/100 Ordered that Thomas Gifford one hundred and thirteen dollars for superintending work at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Now here it is ordered that when satisfactory proof is given to the Auditor of Vanderburgh County that the Job of paving main Street above third Street in front of the public Square is complete he shall issue orders on the County Treasurer to Sherwood & Parvin for the amount due them according a the contract between them & the City of Evansville

Issued No 1657 I $ 25 00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed twenty five dollars for ex officio Services as Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Issued No 1658 I $ 200 00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed Two hundred dollars for Services as Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Issued No 1659 I $ 30 00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed thirty dollars and ninety cents for services rendered as per bill filed

Issued No 1660 I $ 50 00/100 Ordered that Joseph Lechner be allowed fifty dollars for one quarters services as keeper of the County poorhouse

Now here the board agree to release Andrew L Robenson from all further liability for rent of the office now occupied by the Sheriff by his paying into the County Treasurer the sum of thirteen dollars and fifty cents

Issued No 1661 I $ 3 00/100 Ordered that James Braselton be allowed three dollars for measuring Stone at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 1662 I $ 2 75/100 Ordered that E H De Garmo be allowed two dollars and seventy five cents for expense of prisoners blacksmith work

Issued No 1663 I $ 3 00/100 Ordered that Orr & Swanson be allowed three dollars and twenty cents for coal furnished the County Jail

And now here the County agent is directed to bring any suit against John M Stockwell which he may deem necessary for the recovery of money belonging to the County deposited with said Stockwell by John N Kikendall late County agent of the County of Vanderburgh

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Issued No 1664 $ 5 00/100 Ordered that Decker & Kramer be allowed five dollars for burying a man forma dead

Ordered that the board receive bids for keeping the County Poor for the ensuing year on the 20th day of December 1850 at which time the board will meet to open and receive said proposals and the Auditor is hereby authorized to have fifty handbills struck off and distributed through County

Issued No 1665 $ 12 50/100 Ordered that Thomas C Garvin be allowed Twelve dollars and fifty cents for 1 quarters salary as County Agent to December 1st 1850

No 1666 $ 8 00/100 Ordered that Michael B. Jones be allowed Eight dollars for four days services as County Commissioners at the present term

No 1667 $ 8 00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed Eight Dollars for four days services as County Commissioner at the present term

No 1668 $ 8 00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long be allowed Eight dollars for four days services as County Commissioners at the present term

Ordered that the board do now adjourn

M B Jones
Leroy Calvert
Simeon Long

Special December Session AD. 1850

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 Friday the 20th day of December AD 1850 at 11 O'Clock A M of said day for the purpose of consulting about the Sale of the public Square and to receive sealed proposals for keeping the County Paupers present Hon M. P. Jones Leroy Calvert & Simeon Long all of the members of said board

Issued No 1763 I $18 40/100 Ordered that James Laughlin Jr be allowed Eighteen dollars and forty cents for articles furnished for bridge at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Issued No 1762 I $5 25/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed five dollars and twenty five cents for posting up advertisements throughout the County for County Commissioners

Issued No 1763 I $8 25/100 Ordered that Thomas Gifford be allowed Eight dollars and twenty five cents for work done for Pigeon Bridge

Issued No 1764 I 4 00/100 Ordered that John R Wilcox be allowed four dollars for medical attendance on sick paupers

Issued No 1765 I 4 00/100 Ordered that P. E. Garrick be allowed four dollars for medical attendance on sick paupers

Issued No 1766 I 11 25/100 Ordered that James Houston be allowed Eleven dollars and twenty five cents for keeping paupers in Jail

Issued No 1767 I 21 45/100 Ordered that James Houston be allowed twenty one dollars and forty five cents for keeping prisoners in Jail

Issued No 1768 I $1 20/100 Ordered that Peter Kullman be allowed one dollar and twenty cents for glazing in Clerks & Auditors office

Issued No 1769 I $1 00/100 Ordered that Wm Wills be allowed one dollar for carrying chains to lay out culvert

Issued No 1770 I $2 40/100 Ordered that Orr & Swanson be allowed two dollars and forty cents for Stone coal for County Jail

Now here Wm B. McDowell Esqr produced his credentials as a delegate from Union Township Everton Kennerly Esqr from Centre Township Wm S Bromfield Esqr from Armstrong Township Edmond Maidlow Esqr from Scott Township to consult with the board in relation to the Public Square of Evansville

Issued No 1771 I $62 [illegible] Ordered that Elles & Schlamp be allowed sixty two dollars for Groceries furnished the County Poorhouse

Issued No 1772 I $1 50/100 Ordered that Wm Wills be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for repairing a bridge across Neal Branch

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Now here the board appropriates a sum not exceeding twenty Dollars for putting a plank pavement three feet wide made out of good two inch oak plank along the Princeton Road in front of the County Seminary lot the whole length thereof to be paid out of the funds belonging to the County Seminary

Issued No 11705 $ 10/100 Ordered that John Ballen be allowed one dollar for returning poll book for union Township

Issued No 11775 $ 8 25/100 Ordered that Peter Hullman be allowed Eight dollars and twenty five cents for making Coffins and ~~[illegible]~~ pamphs

And now here it is ordered that Conrad Baker John A Stockwell and Edmond Macdlow be and they are hereby appointed a Committee to prepare a memorial to the General Assembly for the passage of the necessary legal enactments to authorise a sale and conveyance of the Public Square in Evansville and the application of the proceeds thereof to the purchase of a new site for the public buildings of the County and to the erection of new public buildings thereon and providing also in such enactments, that current funds alone shall be received in payment of said Square and that three disinterested commissioners who are not residents of the County may be appointed by the General Assembly to receive and act upon sealed proposals for the donation or sale of a sufficient quantity in Evansville Suburbs or immediate vicinity as a site for the public Buildings of the County and authorising said Commissioners after receiving said proposals and viewing the premises proposed to be donated or sold to relocate the public buildings at such point as to them may seem most for the advantage of the County and provided also in said enactments that before before said public Square shall be sold the propriety of selling the same shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified Electors of Vanderburgh County at the General election to be held on the first Monday in August 1851 and that said committee above named in said memorial also petition the General Assembly to authorise the sale and conveyance of the tract of land heretofore purchased by said Commissioners for the site of the County Seminary ~~land~~ of said County.

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provided the said semmary land should be selected by the Commissioners appointed by the Legislature as the site of said Public Buildings for the use of said County

Issueca - No 1776 I $ 1.25 Ordered that James Sauce be allowed one dollars and twenty five cents for summoning a Jury for a Coroners inquest

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 O clock

M P Jones President

Special December Session A.D. 1857

Saturday Morning at 9 O'clock A.M. the board met pursuant to adjournment when all the members were present as yesterday

Now here the County Auditor is hereby authorised & empowered on behalf of and in the name of the State to execute quit claim deeds releasing and conveying to Oliver Ladd Lot No 6 to Esther Lawson Lot No 7 and a to Alvin B. Carpenter and the balance of the lots in Lillistons Enlargement of the City of Evansville

Issued No 17775 $33 33/100 Ordered that Morgan and Casselberry be allowed thirty three dollars and thirty three cents for medical services up to the first day of January 1857 at the County Poorhouse

Now here George Bates agrees to ~~attend~~ to the County Poorhouse for one year from the first day of January 1857 for the sum of two hundred dollars according to a contract on file in the Auditors Office

Now here Thomas E. Garvin is appointed to take an inventory of the Goods in the County Poorhouse at the expiration of the term of Joseph Lechner the present occupants and deliver the same over to George Bates by his receipting for the same to be returned to the order of the Board in as good a condition as the said property now is the usual wear and tear excepted

Now here the board enter into an agreement with Drs Morgan and Casselberry to attend all the paupers in Pigeon Township and at the County Poorhouse and the prisoners in Jail who may be sick for the sum of one hundred and forty dollars payable quarterly as per agreement on file in the Auditors office

Issued No 17783 $100 0/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed one hundred dollars for services rendered

Now here Michael P. Jones and George Bates be and they are hereby authorised to purchase for the County Poorhouse twenty five hundred pounds of Pork for the ~~County House~~ The same can be obtained and Michael P. Jones is authorised to draw orders for the same on the County Auditor and he is hereby authorised and required to draw orders on the County Treasurer for said Jones' orders for the above purpose

Now here George Bates agrees to enter into bond for the keeping the County poor according to agreement with Thomas R Smith as his surety which said bond when given the board approves

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Issued No 17779 $2.00/100 Ordered that Wm G. McDowel be allowed two dollars for 1 days services as delegate to consult with the Co. Commissioners in relation to the public Square

Issued No 17809 $2.00/100 Ordered that Everton Kennaly be allowed two dollars for 1 days services as delegate to consult with the Co. Commissioners in relation to the public square

Issued No 17819 $2.00/100 Ordered that Wm S. Bromfield be allowed two dollars for 1 days services as delegate to consult with the Co. Commissioners in relation to the public Square

Issued No 17829 $2.00/100 Ordered that Edmund Maidlow be allowed two dollar for 1 days services as delegate to consult with the Co Commissioners in relation to the public Square

Issued No 17839 $100.00/100 Now here Joseph Hyde agrees to build a house on the property belonging to the County for the purpose of keeping sick paupers that have contagious deseases for the sum of two hundred and seventy dollars fifteen feet by forty with two petitions one story high to be done under the direction M P. Jones to be done as expeditiously as possible one hundred dollars to be paid immediatley to said Joseph Hyde and the balance at the March term of the ~~Vanderburgh Circuit~~ Board of Commissioners

Issued No 17849 $4.00/100 Ordered that Michael P Jones be allowed Four dollars for 2 days services as County Commissioners at the present Term

Issued No 17859 $4.00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed Four dollars for 2 days services as County Commissioners at the present term

Issued No 17869 $4.00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long be allowed Four dollars for 2 days services as County Commissioners at the present term

Ordered that the board adjourn until ~~the next term~~ at M P Jones

Leroy Calvert
Simeon Long

Special January Session A D 1851

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 Saturday the 18th day of January AD 1851 at 11 o'clock AM said day The Honorable Michael P Jones and Leroy Calvert two of the members of said Board were present the object of the meeting of the board is for the purpose of taking into consideration the best method of repairing the embankment across the Bayou at the late residence of Martin Stinson Deceased and for any other business that may regularly come before them

Copied Now here Willard Carpenter Esq presents a bill for twenty five dollars for timber cut by the supervisor on the land of James W Sever signed by Alfred Kirkpatrick supervisor of Road in the district where said Land lies when the board hereby appoints Edward Burtis Henry Mull and John Clark to examine the damages and report how much anything them is entitled to receive and report the same at the next regular term of this Board

No 1866 I $20 00/100 Ordered that Jesse Burns be allowed Twenty dollars for attending paupers sick with the Cholera in 1850

No 1867 I $6 00/100 ordered that John S. Terry be allowed six dollars for expenses for the assest of a prisoner who broke Jail

No 1868 I $1 00/100 Ordered that Thomas E Garvin be allowed one dollar for taking inventory of furniture at the poorhouse

No 1869 I $4 00/100 Ordered that Setchel & White be allowed Four dollars for Hack hire by order of the Board

No 1870 I $21 75/100 ordered that G. W. Hardin be allowed Twenty one dollars and seventy five cents for services as County Assessor

No 1871 I $8 25/100 ordered that Morgan & Keen be allowed Eight dollars and twenty five cents for articles furnished prisoners in Jail

No 1872 I $46 55/100 Ordered that James Houston be allowed Forty six dollars and fifty five cents for dieting prisoners in Jail

No 1873 I $7 50/100 Ordered that Edward Williamson be allowed seven dollars and fifty cents for dieting prisoners in Jail

No 1874 I $27 62/100 ordered that George Bates be allowed twenty seven dollars and sixty two cents for articles furnished the County poorhouse

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No 1873 I $8 50/100 Ordered that Samuel T. Jenkins be allowed Eight dollars & fifty cents for a book furnished for the County ~~Clerk~~ Clerk's office

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Now here Charles F. Sullvan is appointed a Constable of Pigeon Township and that he will be authorised to enter upon the duties of his office upon his giving a bond in the sum of one thousand dollars to the approval of the County Auditor

Now here the County Auditor is authorised to allow Moses Ross a County order for work done on Main Streets opposite the public square below third Street upon a Certificate from P. H. Woodward the engineer that the work has been done according to contract

Now here the board after an actual view of the Bayou embankment conclude that it is not necessary at this time to repair said embankment

Now here George Bates is required to enter into bond in the sum of fifteen hundred dollars for the faithful performance of his duties as poor house keeper according to a contract heretofore made with said board with Wm Bates as his surety

No 1876 I $0 50/100 Ordered that Edward Williamson be allowed fifty cents for tinplates for County Jail

No 1877 I $2 00/100 Ordered that Michael P. Jones be allowed two dollars for one days services as County Commissioner at the present term

No 1878 I $2 00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed two dollars for one days services as County County Commissioner at the present term

Ordered that the board do now adjourn

M P Jones
Leroy Calvert

In Vacation. February 4th A.D. 1857

Whereas Lot number Fourteen being the South East quarter of the South West quarter of Section number sixteen belonging to Congressional Township number seven South of Range number Eleven West was struck off to the State and forfeited on the failure of the purchaser to pay the annual installments due thereon on the 28th day of January A.D. 1848 a register of which is recorded on the records of the proceedings of the Board of Commissioners in Book I at page 422 and Peter Miller having this day purchased said South East quarter of the South West quarter of Section number sixteen in Township number seven South of Range number Eleven West containing forty acres for the sum of one hundred and fifty five dollars and ninety four cents of which he has paid sixty and sixty four cents for interest up to the 28th day of November A.D. 1857 and seven dollars and thirty five cents for five per cent damages and one dollar and forty nine cents for costs of advertising and the residue of the purchase money which is one hundred and twenty three dollars and seventy five cents is to be paid in ten years from date and the interest on the said residue at seven per cent per annum to be paid annually in advance and when the said principal and all the interest and all costs that may accrue are fully paid then the said Peter Miller will be entitled to a deed in fee simple for said tract of land; But on failure to pay said interest for any year or the residue of the principal for six months after either becomes due together with all costs and charges that may accrue due on said tract of land then the said tract of land shall become forfeited and revert to said Township for school purposes

In testimony whereof I William H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County Indiana have hereunto set my hand this 4th day of February A.D. 1857

William H Walker A.V.C.
By James T. Walker deputy

March Session A.D. 1851

At a session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana began and held at the Courthouse in the City of Evansville on the first Monday in March A.D. 1851 that being the third day of said Month when the Honorable Michael P. Jones Leroy Calvert and Simeon Long all the members of said Board were present

The Auditor of Vanderburgh County in accordance with the regulations of Section No Sixty four in Article No Three of Chapter No 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

Date	No	Names of Borrowers	Amount $	Cts	To what fund the same by	Remarks
April 8th 1839	1	Shaver & Sugar	175	00	Common School funds	Mortgage
do 20th 1839	2	Preston H Brown	100	00	do do do	do
do 29th 1839	4	Bunah Short	60	00	do do do	do
June 26th 1839	6	James R Kirkpatrick	100	00	do do do	do
Oct 25th 1839	8	John A Morgan	300	00	do do do	do
June 24th 1840	11	Conrad Schmidt	100	00	do do do	do
Jany 26th 1841	13	David Stinchfield	25	00	do do do	do
Feby 26th 1842	16	Thomas Gifford	300	00	do do do	do
Dec 28th 1843	19	George Haag	100	00	do do do	do
Oct 20th 1843	20	George Haag	125	00	do do do	do
Feby 14th 1844	21	George B. Walker	40	00	do do do	do
Dec 29th 1843	24	Mark H Wheeler	100	00	do do do	do
Ap 7th 1840	27	George & Wm Sheels	172	00	do do do	do
Augt 16th 1842	30	Wm Linxwiler	55	00	T. 5 Range 10 West	do
Dec 17th 1839	31	Silas Stephens	200	00	T 6 do 10 do	do
Jany 24th 1844	37	Joseph H Phelps	81	00	T 6 do 10 do	do
July 24th 1843	38	Henry Harwood	200	00	T 6 do 10 do	do
do 27th 1843	39	Wm G. McDowel	150	00	T 6 do 10 do	do
Jany 24th 1844	42	Sebastian Henrich	100	00	T 6 do 10 do	do
Feby 5th 1844	43	John Hewson	160	00	T 6 do 10 do	do
do 5th 1844	45	George B. Walker	50	00	T 6 do 10 do	do
March 9th 1842	49	C. & J. M. C. Garret	220	00	T 7 do 10 do	do
Oct 22nd 1839	52	Hiram Nelson	100	00	T 5 do 11 W	do
Sept 21st 1840	53	F. Amory Jr	158	00	T. 5 R 11 W	do
Augt 3rd 1842	54	Frederick Kron	50	00	T 5 R 11 W	do
Oct 24th 1843	55	Jesse Henson	100	00	T 5 R 11 W	do
do 25th 1839	57	Walter Beal	200	00	T 6 R 11 W	do
do 21th 1839	58	George B Wagner	200	00	T 6 R 11 W	do
May 30th 1839	59	John McCutcheon	200	00	Surplus Revenue	do
Dec 19th 1839	62	Strother Catlett	120	00	T 7 R 11 W	do
July 19th 1840	63	Barker & Barker	85	00	T 7 R 11 W	do
Jany 9th 1840	64	John Fickas	200	00	T 7 R 11 W	do
Dec 14th 1840	65	John M Blair	123	75	T 7 R 11 W	do
July 3rd 1841	66	Jacob Isaac	55	00	T 7 R 11 W	do
May 23th 1840	68	F. Amory Jr	300	00	T 7 R 11 West	do

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Date	No	Name of Borrowers	Amount $	Amount do	To what fund the same belongs	Remarks
May 20th 1841	71	Charles Bigby	100	00	T 7 R 11 West	Mortgage
Augt 26th 1843	74	Wm S Barker	190	00	T 7 R 11 W	do
June 16th 1838	75	Wm E Wood	16	40	Surplus Revenue	do
Dec 2nd 1840	78	Joseph Huey	43	38	do do	do
May 27th 1839	85	Charles Hancock	66	67	do do	do
April 23rd 1839	88	George Douseman	50	00	do do	do
Augt 4th 1840	89	William Bowyer	100	00	do do	do
June 25th 1840	93	Edward Burtis	120	00	do do	do
April 17th 1840	96	Geo N. Kinney	75	00	do do	do
July 2nd 1839	97	David Thomas	75	00	do do	do
April 5th 1842	98	Allen H Eaton	100	00	do do	do
Feby 25th 1842	104	Thomas Giffora	300	00	do do	do
Augt 29th 1842	106	Willard Carpenter	300	00	do do	do
do 10th 1840	107	John Lindsly	33	00	do do	do
Feby 25th 1844	114	Jacob Guisler	65	00	do do	do
Augt 30th 1842	119	John M App	66	00	do do	do
Nov 11th 1842	123	Wagnon & Tyler	44	26	County Seminary	Note
Feby 19th 1843	125	Olmsted & Olmsted	44	43	do do	do
do 13th 1843	127	Benoni Stinson & Stephens	41	19	do do	do
March 1st 1843	123	Wagnon & Tyler	44	26	do do	do
March 1st 1843	128	James G Jones	100	90	do do	do
Dec 11th 1843	132	Kinkle & Guisler	35	31	do do	do
July 12th 1843	133	Wagnon & Miller	176	75	do do	do
Feby 19th 1844	139	Trafton & Rowley	79	86	do do	do
June 3rd 1843	140	Wm Hillyard & John Shackly	85	00	do do	do
Feby 19th 1844	142	Rowly & Trafton	248	11	do do	do
March 26th 1843	148	Onyet Loomis	62	66	do do	do
April 13th 1830	150	Magistrates Receipt	33	75	do do	Receipts
June 12th 1837	151	do do	32	02	do do	do
Feby 15th 1844	153	John M Blair	29	68	do do	Mortgage
Ap 20th 1844	155	Kinlock McJohnson	50	00	Town 6 R 10 W	do
May 3rd 1844	156	Joseph Senents	50	00	T 6 R 10 W	do
do 28th 1844	157	Joseph Lechner Jr	100	00	Surplus Reve	do
June 2nd 1844	162	John Erskine	59	00	County Seminary fund	do
May 15th 1844	168	George Skeels	172	00	T 5 R 10 W	do
Nov 8th 1844	175	Edward Hopkins	100	00	T 6 R 11 W	do
do 9th 1844	176	Saml Moffet	119	00	T 6 R 10 W	do
Dec 23rd 1844	179	Hiram Hopkins	200	00	Surplus Revenue	do
Feby 24th 1845	182	Elliott & Dennison	58	84	County Seminary	do
Ap 5th 1845	185	John Renchler	78	00	T 5 R 11 West	do
do 18th 1845	186	Michael Ward	55	00	T 7 R 10 W	do
do 18th 1845	187	Wm C. Saunders	51	99	T 6 R 11 W	do
do 28th 1845	188	Wm C Saunders	61	41	Surplus Revenue	do
May 12th 1845	189	Wm Moffet	75	00	do do	do
Oct 1st 1845	190	E & W C Saunders	200	00	do do	do
do 23rd 1845	191	James Hill	66	00	do do	do
Nov 4th 1845	193	James Kirkpatrick	75	00	do do	do
do 22nd 1845	194	Saml Benjamin	41	47	T 5 R 10 W	do
Jany 8th 1846	196	Henry Miller	65	00	Surplus Revenue	do
do 12th 1846	197	Edward E Wheeler	300	00	T 7 R 11 West	do

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Date	No.	Names of Borrower	Amount	To what fund the same belong	Remarks
			$ Cts		
January 22nd 1846	199	John Gilman	150 00	T. 6 R 10 West	Mortgage
do 30th 1846	200	Joseph P Elliot	66 67	Surplus Revenue	do
Feby 6th 1846	201	Benedict Shaver	100 00	Town 7 R 11 West	do
do 12th 1846	202	James Dolan	200 00	T. 7 R 11 W	do
do 27th 1846	203	George W. Chadsey	255 00	T. 7 R 10 W	do
March 26th 1846	205	William Taylor	85	T. 6 R 11 W	do
April 9th 1846	206	Trustees of St Paul Chur	150 00	County Seminary	do
do 9th 1846	207	Trustees of St Pauls Chu	270 00	Town 7 R 11 W	do
May 8th 1846	209	Matthew Flannegan	66 67	Saline fund	do
do 11th 1846	210	Philips Bergund	100 00	T 7 R 10 We	do
June 3rd 1846	211	William Hillyard	100 00	T 6 R 10 W	do
do 20th 1846	212	John Walsh	75 00	T 6 R 10 W	do
do 15th 1846	213	Ebenezer Sour	100 00	Surplus Revenue	do
Dec 12th 1846	220	Isaac Hutchenson	175 00	T 6 R 11 We	do
do 12th 1846	221	Isaac Hutchenson	300 00	Surplus Revenue	do
Jany 6th 1847	223	Wm B Schenck	113 00	T. 7 R 10 West	do
do 23rd 1847	224	Joseph Fisher	50 00	T 6 R 11 West	do
do 23d 1847	225	Joseph Fisher	30 89	T 5 R 11 W	do
do 23d 1847	226	John Inwood	100 00	T 5 R 11 W	do
July 27th 1847	227	Bayles Bennet	300 00	T 7 R 11 We	do
do 15th 1847	228	John Sloth	200 00	T 6 R 11 W	do
March 8th 1847	229	Jerah Fanchier	39 00	Common School fund	do
do 5th 1847	230	Winston B. Soule	100 00	T 6 R 10 W	do
do 6th 1847	231	Wm H Elliott	225 00	Bank Tax fund	do
do 14th 1847	232	Harvey J Calloway	81 00	T 7 R 10 W	do
do 23rd 1847	233	John Darling	100 00	T 6 R 10 W	do
do 27th 1847	234	Louis Sour	25 00	Surplus Rev	do
June 1st 1847	236	Thomas Smith Wheeler	100 00	do do	do
do 19th 1847	237	James Steele	300 00	do do	do
Augt 25th 1847	239	George Walker	115 00	do do	do
Sept 4th 1847	240	Stephen Childs	25 00	T 6 R 10 W	do
Oct 1st 1847	242	John Nelson	75 00	T 7 R 11 W	do
Nov 4th 1847	245	George B Walker	200 00	T 6 R 10 W	do
do 4th 1847	247	Anthony Litzler	160 00	Surplus Revenue	do
Nov 17th 1847	248	Benjamin P Hugg	125 00	T. 7 R 11 West	do
Dec 6th 1847	250	Sylvester Boardman	140 00	T 7 R 11 W	do
do 15th 1847	251	Alexander Brooks	175 00	Common School Fund	do
do 18th 1847	252	Abraham Hutchenson	150 00	Surplus Revenue	do
do 28th 1847	253	Abel Sullivan	86 00	Saline Fund	do
Jany 7th 1848	254	Hugh McCrary	60 00	Town 6 R 11 West	do
Feby 5th 1848	256	N H Atherton	100 00	Com School fund	do
do 12th 1848	257	Thomas Heale	150 00	T 7 R 10 W	do
do 7th 1848	258	John Kinsley	200 00	T 7 R 10 W	do
March 17th 1848	260	Charles Linn	210 00	T 5 R 10 W	do
do 8th 1848	261	John Hewson	161 00	T 7 R 10 W	do
do 8th 1848	262	Emanuel Hale	290 00	Common School fund	do
do 28th 1848	263	Christian Lenhardt	169 00	do do do	do
do 20th 1848	264	John Taylor	155 00	T 5 R 10 West	do
April 6th 1848	266	Wm H Elliott	200 00	T 6 R 11 W	do

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Date	No	Names of Borrowers	Amount $	cts	To what fund the same being	
April 6th 1848	265	Wm M Ellcott	200	00	Town 6 R 11 West	do
do 12th 1848	266	James King	200	00	County Seminary	do
do 20th 1848	267	Daniel Morgan	160	00	Common School fund	do
do 20th 1848	268	Daniel Morgan	140	00	County Seminary fund	do
do 22nd 1848	269	Wm H H Olds	269	00	Saline fund	do
May 1st 1848	270	Jacob Reinhardt	58	00	Coroners Inquest	do
do 5th 1848	271	W H & J J Chandler	350	00	County Seminary	do
June 1st 1848	272	Francis A Linck	114	50	Surplus Revenue	do
do 17th 1848	273	Joseph Grimm Sen	60	00	T 6 R 10 W	do
Augt 31st 1848	276	Sebastian Hennick	112	00	T 6 R 10 W	do
Sept 19th 1848	277	Joseph Wheeler	150	00	T 5 R 10 W	do
do 22nd 1848	278	James R Boardman	100	00	T 5 R 11 W	do
do 27th 1848	279	Ezekiel Saunders	120	00	T 5 R 10 W	do
do 28th 1848	280	John Martin	100	00	T 5 R 10 W	do
Oct 20th 1848	282	Charles Keenckle	100	00	Surplus Revenue	do
do 20 1848	283	Charles Kinckle	150	00	T 6 R 11 W	do
Nov 13th 1848	286	John Mugge	100	00	Bank Tax Fund	do
Jany 5th 1849	287	John Greek	200	00	Surplus Revenue	do
do 23rd 1849	291	Jacob Bonn	90	00	T 5 R 11	do
do 20th 1849	292	Martin Schmoll	200	00	Common School fund	do
Feby 2nd 1849	293	Isaac Cavins	60	00	T 6 R 11 West	do
March 12th 1849	294	Benny Cody	150	00	County Seminary	do
do 17th 1849	295	Sherman Fauchold	84	00	T 5 R 10 W	do
Apr 21st 1849	296	Gemrauch E Church	300	00	Bon Sem Fund	do
May 19th 1849	297	Francis A Linck	178	00	T 7 R 10 W	do
do 29th 1849	298	Philip Rousch	100	00	T 7 R 10 W	do
Sep 8th 1849	299	Philip Rany	85	00	Common School fund	do
Aug 30th 1849	300	James M Parvin	100	00	T 6 R 10 W	do
do 30 1849	301	Edward H DeGarmo	100	00	T 6 R 10 W	do
Oct 25th 1849	302	Francis A Linck	58	00	Saline fund	do
Nov 20th 1849	303	Edwin Rogers	100	00	T 6 R 11 W	do
Dec 8th 1849	304	Francis Linck Sen	82	00	T 6 R 10 W	do
do 8th 1849	305	Francis Linck Sen	50	00	Bank Tax fund	do
Jany 8th 1850	306	Wm Rubrecht	80	00	T 6 R 11 West	do
do 31st 1850	307	Joel C Miller	110	00	Common School fund	do
March 4th 1850	308	Edward Ingle	172	00	do do do	do
do 7th 1850	309	Robert Parke	90	00	T 7 R 10 W	do
do 11th 1850	310	Frederick Myer	150	00	County Seminary	do
do 14th 1850	314	Edward Binter	145	00	T 6 R 10 W	do
do 14th 1850	312	Edward Binter	75	00	Saline Fund	do
do 19th 1850	313	Jacob Neidheimer	100	00	Common School fund	do
do 28th 1850	314	Elizabeth Sullivan	200	00	T 6 R 10 W	do
do 28th 1850	315	John B Neel	100	00	County Seminary	do
Feby 26th 1850	316	Bernard Nurse	300	00	Surplus Revenue	do
Apr 12th 1850	317	George Widig	53	00	do do	do
do 29th 1850	318	George Rocket	200	00	County Seminary	do
May 1st 1850	320	Wm M Walker	258	00	T 7 R 11 W	do
June 4th 1850	321	George H Hahn	25	00	Surplus Revs	do
do 4th 1850	322	George H Hahn	35	00	Bank Tax Fund	do
July 24th 1850	323	George B Walker	300	00	County Seminary fund	do

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Date	No	Names of Borrowers	Amount $	Ct	To what fund the same belongs	Remarks
July 25th 1850	325	Harrison C Huntington	115	00	Common School fund	Mortgage
Aug 27th 1850	326	Wm M Walker	300	00	County Seminary	do
do 27th 1850	327	Wm M Walker	300	00	T 7 R 10 W	do
do 27th 1850	328	William Newman	100	00	T 7 R 10 W	do
do 27th 1850	329	Jonathan Newman	100	00	T 7 R 10 W	do
Sept 17th 1850	330	George B. Walker	300	00	T 7 R 10 W	do
do 17th 1850	331	Wm Jenis	100	00	Common School fund	do
Oct 2nd 1850	332	Joseph Krummenhaer	80	00	Coroners Inquest fund	do
Nov 15th 1850	333	George Rocket	125	00	T 6 R 10 W	do
do 28th 1850	334	William M Walker	300	00	T 6 R 10 W	do
Dec 14th 1850	335	John T. Walker	300	00	County Semi fund	do
Jany 13th 1857	336	Thomas Barnet	100	00	do do do	do
do 13th 1857	337	Francis Kreonzle	85	00	T 5 R 11 W	do
do 15th 1857	338	John Onyet	300	00	County Seminary	do
Feby 3rd 1857	339	James Carter	51	00	T 7 R 10 W	do
do 3rd 1857	340	James T. Walker	49	00	T 6 R 11 W	do
do 18th 1857	341	Ellison Martin	100	00	County Seminary	do
do 22nd 1857	342	Rodolph Lobacher	120	00	do do	

All of which is respectfully submitted
Wm T Walker A.V.C.
By James T Walker deputy

Copied — Now here a petition is presented signed by Peter Bonn and Sixty three others asking for a change in the County road running from the Bridge on the Harmony road near Jacob Danyers to the Tobacco Road near John Hemas in said Township to commence at a Black oak tree marked A near the South west corner of the South East quarter of Sect No 20 Town No 5 South of Range No 11 West thence from said Black oak tree marked A running due east between Section No 21 and 28 on the Section line until it intersects the said Tobacco Road near Godfrey Pfifers to a Black oak tree marked B. ~~[illegible]~~ ~~[illegible]~~ being satisfied that all things had been done according to law it is hereby ordered that William Pruet Simon Williams and Charles Martin be and they are hereby appointed to view out and locate said road and report their proceedings to the next term of this Board.

Copied — Now here the board exempt William Divine from working on the Public Highways of Vandalia Co. he having produced satisfactory evidence that he is unable to perform road road labor from bodily infirmity

Issued No 1954 $ 2 25/100 — Ordered that Edward Burtis be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for services as assessing damages to W Carpenter by order of this Board.

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Now here Saml Mc Donald Wm Martin and John Shelton viewers appointed at a former Term of this Board make the following report namely "Now here Samuel Mc Donald Wellam Martin and John Shelton Viewers appointed by the Board at a former term thereof to assess damages claimed by Philip Hornbrook William Vaux and Moses Barnes on a certain road therein named submit the following report — to wit To the Honorable the Board of County Commissioners of Vanderburgh County — In pursuance of an order of this Honorable Court heretofore returned we the undersigned appointed by said order to assess the damage therein claimed having been first duly sworn according to law have assessed the damage claimed by the above named persons as follows to wit we believe Philip Hornbrook will be damaged fifteen dollars and that William Vaux and Moses Barnes will not be damaged by said road which is respectfully submitted witness our hands this 6th day of July 1837

Saml Mc Donald
John Shelton
Wm Martin

which report the board now hereby approve and it is ordered

Issued No 1960 $ 15 00/100 Ordered that Philip Hornbrook be allowed fifteen dollars for damage done his land by a road made running through said land

Now here Wm S Bromfield a Justice of the Peace of Armstrong Township Submits the following report to wit

State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } ss

I William S Bromfield a Justice of the Peace I have no fines to report at this term of the Board of Commissioners

Given under my hand and seal March the 3rd 1837

Wm S Bromfield Seal
A Justice of the Peace

Issued No 1961 $ 8 00/100 Ordered that Margaret Gentry be allowed eight dollars for attending a sick Pauper

Issued No 1962 $ 1 00/100 Ordered that John Blank be allowed one dollar of assessing damage done by Supervisor of roads

Issued No 1963 $ 1 70/100 Ordered that Saml Lisles be allowed one dollar and seventy cents Blank books furnished County Assessor

Issued No 1964 $ 1 00/100 Ordered that Henry Nolt be allowed one dollar for assessing damage done by Supervisor of Roads

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Now here a petition is presented signed by Lorence Droll and Twenty others asking for a road or cart way leading from Lawrence Drolls farm to the Harmony and Evansville road when the board having duly considered said Petition and being satisfied that all things had been done in relation to the same according to law it is ordered that David D Grimes John Jarvis and Reuben Hopkins be and they are hereby appointed to view out and locate said road or cart way and report their proceedings at the next term of this board and that said Lawrence Droll pay all the expenses of said review and report

Now here Brackett Mills one of the Justices of the Peace of Vanderburgh County Indiana files the following report to wit

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

The undersigned one of the Justices of the Peace of in and for Pigeon Township in said County report the following list of all the fines 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 No 1
vs } Assault & Battery
Aaron R Clark } Fine $ 3 00 August 15th 1851 paid

No 2 State of Indiana
vs } Assault and Battery
Alexander Jones } Fine $1 00 Sept 11th 1849 paid

No 3 State of Indiana No 3
vs } Assault & Battery
George Hildebrandt } Fine $3 00 December 15th 1849 fine paid

No 4 State of Indiana
vs } Riot
Wm Onyet } Fine 100 $ October 31st 1849 paid

No 5 State of Indiana
vs } Assault and Battery
Wm Onyet } Fine $ 3 00 Dec 26th 1849 paid

No 6 State of Indiana
vs } Assault and Battery
Davis Allen } Fine $1 00 Dec 26th 1849 paid

No 7 State of Indiana
vs } Publick Indecency
Isaac Andrews } Fine $ 20 00 Jany 9th 1850 paid

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No 8 State of Indiana
vs } Assault & Battery } Fine $2.00 July 1st 1850 paid a
Thomas Vand

No 9 State of Indiana
vs } Assault & Battery } Fine $1 00 March 7th 1850 paid
Saml Morgan

No 10 State of Indiana
vs } Assault & Battery } Fine $2 00 March 23rd 1850 paid
John Smith

No 11 State of Indiana
vs } Assault & Battery } fine $1.00 March 25th 1850 paid
George Thompson

No 12 State of Indiana
vs } Assault & Battery } Fine $1.00 April 18th 1850 paid
Leopold Lake

No 13 State of Indiana
vs } Assault & Battery } Fine $3.00 April 22nd 1850 paid
Harmon F Kruger

No 14 State of Indiana
vs } Assault & Battery } Fine $1.00 April 24th 1850 paid
Isaac Andrews

No 15 State of Indiana
vs } Assault & Battery } Fine $1.00 May 6th 1850 paid
William Hand

No 16 State of Indiana
vs } Assault & Battery } Fine $1.00 June 25th 1850 paid
Nicholas Tailer

No 17 State of Indiana
vs } Assault & Battery } Fine $3.66 Sept 2nd 1850 paid
George Cave

No 18 State of Indiana
vs } Assault & Battery } Fine $3.00 Sept 20th 1850 paid
Philip Puttin

No 19 State of Indiana
vs } Assault & Battery } Fine 100 Sept 28th 1850 paid
Frederick Krown

No 20 State of Indiana
vs } Assault & Battery } Fine $1.00 Nov 16th 1850 paid
Alvin Beach

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No 21 State of Indiana
vs 3 Assault & Battery
William McDowel } Fine $100 Nov 5th 1830 paid

No 22 State of Indiana
vs 3 Assault & Battery
John Weiner } Fine $200 Dec 10th 1830 paid

whole amount $58.69

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State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } set

I Bracket Mills a Justice of the peace do solemnly swear that the above is a true and complete list of all the fines collected by me of any person whatever by virtue of my office as such Justice of the Peace within and during the preceeding year commencing on the 1st Monday in March AD 1830 and ending on the day of the date of this report

Subscribed & sworn to this March the 3rd 1837 before me James H Walker A.V.C
By James H Walker dep } Bracket Mills (Seal) Justice of the Peace

Which report the Board now here approves

Now here Joseph Wheeler presents his report as one of the overseers of Pigeon Township which report the Board approves

Issued No 1965 I $25.00/100 Ordered that Joseph Wheeler be allowed twenty five dollars for services as overseer of the Poor of Pigeon Township

Issued No 1966 I $25.00/100 Ordered that Joseph Wheeler be allowed twenty five dollars for services as overseer of the Poor of Pigeon Township

Issued No 1967 I $50.00/100 Ordered that Bracket Mills be allowed fifty dollars for services as overseer of Pigeon Township

Issued No 1968 I $15.00/100 Ordered that G. W. Hardin be allowed fifteen dollars for ten days services as assessor

Now here Joseph Wheeler one of the Justices of the Peace of Vanderburgh County submits the following report to wit

"State Cases had before me between March 1st 1830 and March 1st 1837

State of Indiana vs George Gastel Malicious Trespass Recognised to Court
State of Indiana vs Paul Haag Malicious Trespass recognised to Court
State of Indiana vs The mate of Steamboat Confidence assault & Battery fine $100 pd
State vs Jacob Henselman assault paid 100
State of Indiana vs Charlotte Groves assault & Battery not paid
State of Indiana vs Herman Pauly assault & Battery fine paid 100
State of Ia vs George Grip assault & Battery fine 100 paid 100
State of Indiana vs Wm Scranton A & B do 100 do 100
State of Ia vs Hiram E Bead A & B do 100 do 100
State of Ia vs Harriet Jones Surety of the Peace dismissed

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State of Ia vs Thomas Cook assault & Battery Replevied
State of Ia vs John Harbaugh A&B fine 100 pa 100
State of Ia vs Isaac Hutcheson A&B fine 300 pd 300
State of Ia vs James Hudson A&B fine 100 paid 100
State of Ia vs Benj Flood A&B fine 100 paid 100
State of Ia vs Danl Rogers A&B fine 100 paid 100
State of Ia vs Wm Davis A&B & disturbing Peace Fine paid 100
State of I vs Valentine Meyer Assault fine 100 paid 100
State of Indiana vs Pat Tiney assault fine 10 cents paid 10
State of Ia vs Joseph Letchel A&B fine 100 paid 100
State of Ia vs Martin Dunn A&B fine 100 paid 100
State of Ia vs John Foster A&B fine 100 paid 100
State of Ia vs Christopher Fen A&B fine 100 not paid
State of Ia vs Sands Pauly A&B fine 100 not pd
State of Ia vs John Kehoe A&B fine 100 not pd
State of Ia vs Thos Butler A&B fine 200 paid 200
State of Ia vs John Mehouse A&B fine 100 pd 100
State of Ia vs Fredk Binder A&B fine 100 pd 100
State of Ia vs Wm Creek Assault Dismissed
State of Ia vs Henry Roseman A&B Change of Venue to C Bippus
State of Ia vs Fredk M Williams A&B fine 200 paid 200
State of Ia vs Major Harris A&B dismissed
State of Ia vs John Snitzer A&B fine 100 paid 100
State of Ia vs Abner Bishop action Basterdy taken to Mills Ey
State of Ia vs James Rousch A&B fine 100 paid 100
State of Ia vs Julia Soders A&B fine 100 paid 100
State of Ia vs Harris Connell & B. Recognised to Court
State of Ia vs Edward Gore A&B to Eagr Rowly
State of Ia vs Thomas Sheels Assault fine 100 paid 100
State of Ia vs Wm Brinkmann A&B appear to Court
State of Ia vs Brachett Mills Official Negligence dismissed
State of Ia vs Elihu Matt Burns Basterdy taken to B. Mill Ey
State of Ia vs Abner Bishop A&B fine paid 100
State of Ia vs Crawford McGregor A&B fine 100 Replevied
State of Ia vs Thomas Smith A&B fine 100 paid 100
State of Ia vs Hiram Boiad & B fine 100 pd 100
State of Ia vs Davis Dorothy A&B fine 100 pd 100
State of Ia vs Watchman on S.B. Metzel & & B fine 100 replevied

$3110

I hereby certify the above are the State cases had before me within the dates above specified

Joseph Wheeler (Seal)
Justice of the Peace

From my return of 1848
State vs Robert Wilke Playing bullets on the highway fine pd 100
From my return of 1850
State vs Charlotte Groves & Sally Groves A&B fine 1$ each 200

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Joseph Wheeler (Seal)
Justice of the Peace

which report the Board now here approve

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Now here Samel Mc Donald one of the Justices of the Peace of Scandenburgh County returns the following report to wit

"I Samel Mc Donald a Justice of the Peace of Armstrong Township do hereby certify

State of Indiana
Vs.
Wm Rubricht Henry Rubricht Christian Rubricht and Philip Rubricht
For an assault committed on the body of Charles Martin at the same Wm Rubricht on the 5th day of October 1836 Fined & fined Ten dollars and fine & cost to the County Treasurer

State of Indiana
Vs
George Marshal Alvin Marshal & Henry Peck
For an affray and assault committed on the bodies of Theodore Clay and Anton Clayon the 10th day of July 1837 at the house of said Theodore Clay fined and fined a ten dollar and committed to Jail for want of bail

I Samuel Mc Donald a Justice of the Peace of Armstrong Township do hereby certify the within to be a true return from my docket since the first of March 1836 Given under my hand and seal this 3rd day of March 1837

Samuel Mc Donald Seal
Justice of the Peace

which report the board now here approves

Issued No 19693 $1.00/100 Ordered that Samuel Mc Donald be allowed one dollar for assessing damage to property on a new road in Orange Township

Issued No 19703 $1.00/100 Ordered that John Shelton be allowed one dollar for assessing damages to property on a new road in Scott Township

Issued No 19713 $1.00/100 ordered that Wm Martin be allowed one dollar for assessing damage to property on a new road in Scott Township

Issued No 19723 $1.75/100 Ordered that Brunner & be allowed one dollar & seventy five cents for Clothing for prisoner in Jail

Issued No 19739 $25.00/100 Ordered that John S Terry be allowed Twenty five dollars for ex Officio Services as Sheriff of Scandenburgh County

Issued No 19749 $2.25/100 Ordered that John S Terry be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for Summoning Jurors for the Scandenburgh Circuit Court

Issued No 19753 $3.00/100 Ordered that Samuel Mc Donald be allowed Three dollars for superintending the building of a bridge across big creek

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Now here Saml McDaniel Superintendent of the Bridge across Big Creek in Armstrong Township makes the following report to wit

"To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

In pursuance of an order of said Board at their June term last in appointing the undersigned to superintend the building of a bridge across big creek at or near the red bank ford on the Princeton Road the undersigned reports as follows to wit The said Bridge was let out to the lowest bidder at Eighty eight dollars and was completed and received in December last and is ready for travelers Sworn the AD 1837

Samuel McDonald

Which report the Board now here approves

Now here Robert W Dunbar Treasurer of Vanderburgh County submits the following report 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 received by him as collector for the quarter commencing Dec 1st 1837 and ending March 1st 1838.

Kinds of funds	Scrip	Co Order	R Order	Cash	Total
Revenue of 1849 & 50	2046 79	11209 24	127 52	14353 94	27739 49
Principal Co Lemmy				828 60	828 60
Int do do				215 02	215 02
Prin T7 R11 W				50 00	50 00
Int T7 R11 W				141 02	141 02
Prin T5 R11 W				43 00	43 00
Int T5 R11 W				37 85	37 85
Int T5 R10 W				24 92	24 92
Int T6 R10 W				55 97	55 97
Int Saline fund				6 02	6 02
Int Bank Tax fund				3 50	3 50
Int Com School				85 10	85 10
Int T6 R11 W				69 19	69 19
Int T7 R10				31 29	31 29
Int Sur Rev				98 68	98 68
Incidental to County		266 99			266 99
Tavern License		30 00			30 00
Merchants License		50 00		10 00	60 00
Redemption of Land				7 66	7 66
Estray Hog				1 25	1 25
Totals	2046 79	11554 23	127 52	16065 00	29795 55

Respectfully Submitted R W Dunbar

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Which report the Board now here approves
Ordered that the Board adjourn until tommorrow morning at 9 O'clock AM
M. F. Jones President

Tuesday Morning March 1st AD 1851 The Board met pursuant to adjournment at 9 O'clock AM when all the members of said Board were present as yesterday
Now here Joseph Lechner submits his report of his doings as keeper of the County Poorhouse during the month of December last which report the Board now here approve
No 1976 I $16.66/100 Ordered that Joseph Lechner be allowed sixteen dollars and sixty six cents for keeping the County Poorhouse to Jany 1st 1851
No 1977 I $40.00/100 Ordered that Patrick G. O'Riley be allowed forty dollars for cash paid for furnishing sick paupers with necessarys and medicine
Now here the Board on the Petition of Ira A Fairchild and thirty three other freeholders and citizens of Centre Township and Vanderburgh County due and legal proof being made to the satisfaction of the Board of the sufficiency and qualifications of signers to said petition and of due and & legal notice thereof having been given for the vacating or change of a part of the State Road leading from Evansville to Princeton And it being satisfactory proved by the testimony of Alanson Warner Richard Jenkins & John Henson that that part of said State Road in Centre Township in Vanderburgh County running nearly north from where the Petersburgh road so called comes into said road to the farm owned by J. H. Maghee & Co and over the land owned by John Stroeber E Kennerly and others has not been worked or used as a public Highway for more than 20 years and could not be made passable except by great expense and that a road running within a few rods and over land owned by the same men has been the only road used for a State Road and Public Highway for more than 20 years It is ordered that the road now in use and which has been in use more than 20 years as the State Road Beginning at the Junction of the Princeton & Evansville & the Petersburgh & Evansville Road running then North Westerly until it again strikes the State road heretofore heretofore laid out and recorded be a State Road and be recorded as such of the same width as the State Road heretofore recorded and that the same be

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henceforth kept in repair & worked as the State Road And it is further ordered that the said State road heretofore laid out and recorded be the State road and recorded as such of the same width as the State road heretofore recorded and that the same be henceforth kept in repair and worked as the State road and it is further ordered that the said road heretofore laid out and not used for more than 20 years be vacated disannulled and no road and that the same cease to be a Highway and the supervisor of said road now in use is hereby authorized and required to keep said Road that is now in use in good repair

Issued No 19783 $ 0 90/100 Ordered that Brunson & Co be allowed ninety cents for clothing for prisoners in Jail

Issued No 19784 $ 33 90/100 Ordered that James Longstreet be allowed thirty three dollars and ninety cents for provisions furnished for County Jail

Issued No 19803 $ 8 80/100 Ordered that E O Bellamy be allowed Eight dollars and eighty cents for articles furnished prisoners in Jail

Issued No 19819 $ 1 00/100 Ordered that Willard Carpenter be allowed one dollar for timber cut on the land of James H Sevier by the supervisor of Roads

Now here Richard Raleigh applies to the Board to rent the County Seminary lot when the board agree by his paying the same sum he paid last year to have said lot for one year from the expiration of the time for which said rent ceases & the County should dispose of said Lot before the expiration of said year said Raleigh is to give immediate possession to the purchaser

Now here the County Auditor presents a report of the Condition of the Common School and Congressional Township funds as follows to wit

"To the Board of Commissioners of Bedenbaugh County In obedience to the provisions of Article No Eight in Chapter No thirteen of the Revised Statutes of 1843 the Auditor of Bandenburgh County submits his annual report in relation to the Congressional Township funds of said County and also of the Common School fund

No 1 A Statement of the ~~Condition~~ whole of the receipts and disbursements on account of said funds with the total amount of said School fund in the County Treasurers hands on the 1st monday in March AD 1837

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

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No 4 A Statement of the funds of Town 6 South of Range Ten West

No 5 A Statement of the condition of the funds of Town 7 Range 10 West

No 6 A Statement of the condition of the funds of Town 4 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 7 South of Range 11 West

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 in 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 said School funds on the first Monday in March AD 1837

Loans

There was outstanding March 1st 1836	1468	65		
Loaned by Auditor from March 1st 1836 to March 1st 1837	2290	00		
Total Loans	16979	65	16979	65
Amt refunded by borrowers to March 1st 1837	1860	87		
Outstanding on Loan March 1st 1837	15118	78	16979	65

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in the Co Treasurers hands on the 1st day of March 1836	14323		
There has been rec'd since and up to March 1st 1837 as follows viz:			
Iron Principal from purchasers and Loans refunded by Borrowers	1860	87	
Interest on Loans & purchases	1387	64	
Incidental Receipts	8	84	

Disbursements

Loans to March 1st 1837	2290	00		
Interest drawn by Township Treasurers	944	72		
Incidental Expenditures	46	84	3281	56
Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 1837			14202	

No 2 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 4 South of Range 10 West

Receipts & Disbursemen

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Receipts

Received from dividends of Leon School fund	7 90	
Received from dividends of Surplus Rev fund	10 12	
Total Receipts	18 02	
Disbursement		
Amount drawn by Township Treasurer	1818 02	

No 3 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 5 South of Range 10 West

Loans

There was outstanding on Loan of the funds of this Township on the 1st day of March 1850	1043 31	
Refunded by Borrowers to March 1st 1857	10 00	
Outstanding on Loan March 1st 1857	1033 31	1033 31

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in the Treasurers hands of the funds of this Township on the 1st day of March 1850	56 14	
Loans refunded by Borrowers	10 00	
From interest from Loans & Purchases	98 49	
Total Receipts	164 63	164 63

Disbursements

Distributed to Township Treasurer	40 24	
Incidental Expenditures	6 69	46 93
Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 1857		127 70

No 4 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 6 South of Range 10 West

Loans

There was outstanding on Loan on the 1st day of March 1850 of the funds of this Township	3050 00	
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1857	770 00	
Total Loans	3820 00	3820 00
Loans refunded by Borrowers	637 52	637 52
Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1857	3182 48	3182 48

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in the Treasurers hands of the funds of this Township on the 1st day of March 1850	411 53	
From Loans refunded by Borrowers	637 52	
From interest from Loans & Purchases	214 03	
Total Receipts	1263 08	1263 08

Disbursements

Loans of the funds of this Township to March 1st 1857	770 00	
Distributed to Township Treasurer	227 68	
Incidental Disbursements	12 90	1010 58
Balance in Treasurer hands March 1st 1857		252 50

No 5 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 7 Range 10 West

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Loans

There was outstanding on Loan of the funds of this Township				
on the first day of March 1850	1970	00		
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1857	641	00		
Total Loans	2611	00	2611	00
Loans refunded by Borrowers to March 1st 1857	557	19	557	19
Outstanding on Loan March 1st 1857			2053	80

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in the Treasurers hands on the 1st day of March				
1850 of the funds of this Township	235	29		
There has been received to 1st day of March 1857 as follows to wit				
From Loans refunded by Borrowers	557	19		
From interest on Loans & Purchases	204	13		
Total Receipts	990	61	990	61

Disbursements

Loans of the funds of this Township to March 1st 1857	641	00		
Distributed to Township Treasurer	123	99		
Incidental disbursements	5	96	770	95
Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 1857			219	66

No 6 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 4 South of Range 11 West

Receipts & Disbursements Nothing

No 7 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 5 South of Range 11 West

Loans

There was outstanding on Loan of the funds of this Township on the 1st day of March 1850	686	89		
Loaned by Auditor	85	00		
Total Loans	771	89	771	89
Loans refunded by Borrowers to March 1st 1857	43	00	43	00
Outstanding on Loan March 1st 1857	728	89	728	89

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Treasurers hands on the 1st day of March 1850				
1850 of the funds of this Township	109	99		
From Loans refunded by Borrower	43	00		
From interest on Loans & Purchases	68	23		
Total Receipts	621	22	621	22

Disbursement

Distributed to Township Treasurer	47	74		
Incidental Expenditures		78	48	54
Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 1857			572	68

No 8 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 6 South of Range 11 West

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Loans

There was outstanding on Loan on the 1st day of March 1850 of the funds of this Township	1460	99		
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1837	49	00		
Total Loans	1515	99	1515	99
Refunded by Borrowers to March 1st 1837	45	00	45	00
Outstanding on Loan March 1st 1837	1470	99	1470	99

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 1836	125	54	
There has been received since up to March 1st 1837 as follows to wit From Loans refunded by Borrowers	45	00	
From interest on Loans & Purchases	111	01	
Total Receipts	281	55	281 55

Disbursements

Loans of the funds of this Township	49	00	
Distributed to Township Treasurer	104	02	
Incidental Disbursements	1	45	154 47
Balance in Treasurer hands March 1st 1837			127 08

No 9 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 7 South of Range 11 West

Loans

There was outstanding on Loan March 1st 1836	250	60	
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1837	258	00	
Total Loans	508	60	508 60
Refunded by Borrowers to March 1st 1837	252	86	252 86
Outstanding on Loan March 1st 1837	255	74	255 74

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Treasurers hands of the funds of this Township on the 1st day of March 1836	160	18	
There has been received up to March 1st 1837 as follows to wit			
From Loan refunded by borrowers	252	86	
From interest from Loans and purchases	143	20	
Incidental Receipts	8	84	
Total Receipts	565	08	565 08

Disbursements

Loans of the funds of this Township to March 1st 1837	258	00	
Distributed to Township Treasurer	132	71	
Incidental expenditures	8	06	398 77
Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 1837			166 31

No 10 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 8 South of Range 11 West

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

From dividends from Common School fund	5	20	
From dividends from Surplus Revenue	6	60	
Total Receipts	11	80	11 80

Disbursement

Amount Drawn by Township Treasurer	11	80	11 80

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No 11 A Statement of the Condition of the the fund of Town 6 South of Range 9 West

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

From dividends of Common School fund	2	10		
From dividends of Surplus Revenue fund	2	80		
Total Receipts	4	90	4	90

Disbursements

Amount drawn by Township Treasurer	4	90	4	90

No 12 A Statement of the Condition of the funds of District 4 Town 6 Range 10 West

Receipts and Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Treasurers hand on the 1st day of March 1850	59	52		
Deposited by Township Treasurer	10	61	70	13
Amount in Treasurers hands March 1st 1851			70	13

No 13 A Statement of the Condition of the funds in district 4 Town 6 Range 11 West

Receipts

There was in the Treasurers hands March 1st 1850	57	17	57	17
Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 1851	57	17	57	17

No 14 A Statement of the Condition of the Common School fund

Loans

There was outstanding on Loans of this fund on the 1st day of March 1850	3318	65		
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1851	487	00		
Total Loans	3805	65	3805	65
Refunded by Borrowers to March 1st 1851	308	80	308	80
Outstanding on Loan March 1st 1851	3496	85	3496	85

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in the Treasurers hands on the 1st day of March 1850 of this fund	210	73		
There has been received to March 1st 1851 as follows to wit				
From Loans refunded by borrowers	308	80		
Principal from Miscellanious sources	12	50		
Interest from Loans	402	55		
Total Receipts				

Disbursement

Loans of Common School fund to March 1st 1851	487	00		
Distributed to Township Treasurers	168	32		
Total Disbursements	655	32	655	32
Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 1851			269	26

All of which is Respectfully Submitted

Wm H Walker A D

By James T. Walker deputy

which report the Board now here approves

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Now here the Auditor submits the following Statement of the Condition of the Surplus Revenue fund of Vanderburgh County To wit

"A Statement of the condition of the Surplus Revenue Fund of Vanderburgh County

Loans

There was outstanding on Loan of this fund on the 1st day of March 1836	4211 98	
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1837	680 00	
Total Loans	4891 98	4891 98
Amount refunded by Borrowers to March 1st 1837	740 00	740 00
Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1837	4151 98	4151 98

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in the Treasurers hands March 1st 1836	149 50	
There has been received to March 1st 1837 as follows to wit From Loans refunded by Borrowers	740 00	
From Interest on Loans	221 98	
Total Receipts	1111 48	1111 48

Disbursements

Loans to March 1st 1837	680 00	
Incidental expenditures	7 12	687 12
Balance in Treasurers hands		424 36

Respectfully Submitted
Wm H Walker A.C.
By James T. Walker deputy

which report the board now here approves

Now here the following report is made in pursuance of the law of the Condition of the Surplus Revenue fund is submitted to wit

Report of the condition and operations of the Surplus Revenue Fund of Vanderburgh County for the year ending March 1st 1837

Surplus Revenue Fund	[illegible]
Total amount of Fund	4478 44
Amount refunded within the year	740 00
Amount Loaned	68 00
Balance on hand	60 34
Amount of fund loaned on real estate security	4418 08
Amount Loaned on personal Security None	
Amount of fund lost or unsafe None	
Amount of interest received within the year	221 95
Amount of Interest Distributed None	
Balance of Interest on hand	221 95
Incidental expenses of Fund	7 12

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County, Set
The undersigned Commissioners Auditor and Treasurer of said County certify that the foregoing report is Correct as appears from the record in the office of said Auditor

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Given under our hands this 4th day of March 1837

N. O. Jones
Leroy Calvert } Commissioners
Simeon Long
Jn Walker Auditor
By James T Walker deputy Auditor
R W Dunbar Treasurer

Now here the following report is of the condition of the Congressional Township fund is submitted to wit "Report of the Condition and operation of the Congressional Township Fund of Vanderburgh County for the year ending March 1st 1837

	$	cts
Congressional Township Fund		
Total amount of Fund	1938	02
Amount refunded within the year	155	07
Amount reloaned	1803	00
Balance on hand	146	74
Amount of Fund loaned on real estate	1924	28
Amount of Fund loaned on personal security	none	
Amount of Fund lost or unsafe	none	
Amount of interest ~~distributed~~ received within the year	879	09
Amount of interest distributed	None	
Balance of interest on hand	879	09
Incidental expenses of Fund	46	84

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Set

The undersigned Commissioners and Auditor of said County certify that the foregoing report is correct as appears from the records in the office of said Auditor

Witness our hands this 4th day of March 1837

N O Jones
Leroy Calvert } Commissioners
Simeon Long
Jn Walker Auditor
By James T. Walker deputy Auditor
R W Dunbar Treasurer

Issued No 1982 $4 80/100 Ordered that Taylor & Harvey be allowed four dollar and eighty cents for Coal furnished in the County Jail

Issued No 1983 $63 75/100 Ordered that William Sheets & Co be allowed sixty three dollars and seventy five cents for Book & Stationery furnished the County

Issued No 1984 $10 15/100 Ordered that J Ullom be allowed ten dollars and fifteen cents for work done on the County Jail

Issued No 1985 $1 20/100 Ordered that Taylor & Harvey be allowed one dollar and twenty ~~cents~~ for Coal furnished the County Jail

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Now here James Neale one of the Justices of the Peace of Vanderburgh County Submits the following report to wit

" State of Indiana Vanderburgh County Township A list of fines assessed by James Neale one of the Justices of the Peace of said Township is as follows to wit A.D 1830

State of Indiana Plaintiff
vs } Assault & Battery
Job H Hendricks &
John Hendricks defendants
} Committed on the 24th day of May 1830 fined & fined $2.00 paid $2.00

State of Indiana
vs } Assault & Battery
Thomas K Boyd
Hugh McCrary
} Committed on the 24th day of May 1830 fined & fined $1.00 paid 1.00

State of Indiana
vs } Assault & Battery
Caroline Rice
Mary Ann Redrow
} Committed on the 20th day of July 1830 fined and fined $2.00 paid 2.00

State of Indiana
vs } Assault and Battery
Silas Casey
} Committed on the 25th of November 1830 fined and fined $1.00 not paid

State of Indiana
vs } Assault & Battery
Joseph Fisher
} Committed on the 25th day of November 1830 fined and fined $1.00 paid 1.00

State of Indiana
vs } Assault and Battery
William Jennis
} Committed on the ~~25th~~ 3 day of ~~November~~ Dec 1830 fined and fined $1.00 not paid 1.00

State of Indiana
vs } Assault
Joseph H Mennis
} Committed on the 3rd day of December 1830 fined and fined $1.00 not paid

State of Indiana
vs Assault
Job Henry Hennicks
John Hennicks
August Hennicks
} Dismissed for want of Evedence

I hereby certify that the foregoing Causes of action is all that Came before me in the last year as finable actions March 3rd 1837.

James Neal Seal
Justice of the Peace

I have collected of the above fines nine dollars and paid the same to the County Treasurer

Which report the board now here approves

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Now here James T. Walker one of the Justices of the Peace of Pigeon Township submits the following report to wit "To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County I James T. Walker a Justice of the Peace of Pigeon Township in and for the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana submit the following report of my doings since the 1st day of March AD 1850 on my criminal Docket

State of Indiana } Tried September 21st 1850 and
VS } Assault & Battery } found Guilty & Fined $ 100 paid
Hugh McCrary }

State of Indiana } Cause came on for hearing
VS } Perjury } December 7th 1850 and
Joseph Fisher } found Not Guilty

The following fines have been collected and paid to County Treasurer since March 1st 1850

State of Indiana } John Snider Fined 3$ & pd
VS } Assault & Battery } to Treasurer E Fitzmorices
John Snider & } fined 1$ and paid before
Elizabeth Fitzmorice } March 1st 1850

State of Indiana } Fined 1$ and paid Treasurer
VS } Assault & Battery }
John Snider }

State of Indiana } Fined 1$ & paid Treasurer
VS } Assault and Battery }
Hugh McCray }

I James T. Walker a Justice of the Peace of Pigeon Township do hereby certify that the within is a true and correct report of the trials had before me as Justice of the Peace to the 1st Monday in March 1850.

James T Walker (Seal)
Justice of the Peace

Sworn to in Open Court March 4th 1851

Which report the board now here approves

Now here John Hall ~~report~~ a Justice of the Peace of Vanderburgh County submits the following report namely
Report of fines for the year 1849 and were paid over to the County Treasurer March 14th 1850

State of Indiana } found Guilty fine assessed $300
VS } Assault and Battery }
John Beach }

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State of Indiana
VS Assault & Battery
George McDonal
Wm Atherton
} found guilty fine assessed $200

State of Indiana
VS Assault & Battery
Enoch Hugy
} Found Guilty fine assessed $100

I John Hall Justice of the Peace of Knight Township do certify that the foregoing is a true report of all the fines assessed and collected by me within the year ending the 1st of March.
Sworn to March 4th 1851 Wm H Walker A.V.C
By James T. Walker dep

John Hall Seal
Justice of the Peace

Now here John Hall one of the Justices of the Peace of Vanderburgh County makes the following report to wit

State of Indiana
VS Assault
Perry Aikin
} Fine $1.00 100

State of Indiana
VS Assault & Battery
Daniel Aikin
} Fined 05
10

Whole amount 105

I J Hall Justice of the Peace of Knight Township do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true report of all the fines assessed and collected within the time therein specified

John Hall Seal
Justice of the Peace

Which report the Board now here approves
Wm Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 90 black

M P Jones President

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Wednesday Morning March 5th 1857 The board met pursuant to adjournment when a all the member where present as yesterday

No 19863 $ 1.00/100 Ordered That Joseph Hyde be allowed one dollar and sixty cents for lumber for County Poorhouse

Now here Geroge Bates keeper of the County Poorhouse reports the number and Condition of the Paupers in said Poorhouse under his care which report the Board now here approves

Now here the Auditor of Vanderburgh County is hereby authorized tan make the requsite number of Maps required by law for the Appraiser or appraiser and Assessor and assistants

No 19873 $ 23.32/100 ordered that Morgan and Casselberry be allowed twenty three dollars and thirty two cents for services as Physicians for County Poor to March 1st 1857

No 19883 $ 1.00/100 ordered that John Whitehead be allowed one dollar for serving as Clerk of an election Scott Township

No 19893 $ 25.00/100 ordered that Samuel T. Jenkins be allowed twenty five dollars for ex officio Services as Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

No 19903 $ 2.15/100 Ordered that Samuel T. Jenkins be allowed two dollars and fifteen cents for Specific allowances as per bill filed

No 19913 $ 1.00/100 ordered that Vincennes Roth be allowed one dollar for drayage for Hogs & Salt to County Poorhouse

No 19923 $ 1.65/100 Ordered that B. Ahlering be allowed one dollar and sixty five cents for Clothing furnished Prisoner

No 19933 $ 20.00/100 Ordered that Esther Cawron be allowed twenty dollars for amount overcharged on tax duplicate of 1856

Now here Lewis Richter one of the Justices of the Peace of Vanderburgh County maked the following report to wit

To the Honorable the Board of Commissions of Vanderburgh The Report of Louis Richter one of the Justices of the Peace of the County of Vanderburgh aforesaid respectfully sheweth that said Louis Richter has not assessed or collected any fines whatever for the preceding year Which is respectfully submitted to your Honorable Body by

March 5th 1857 Lewis Richter

Justice of the Peace

I hereby certify that the above is true and correct In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 5th day of March A.D. 1857

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Subscribed & Sworn to
March 5th 1851
William H Walker A.C.
By James T. Walker deputy

Lewis Richard (Seal)
Justice of the Peace

The Evansville & Illenois Rail Road Company on application to exchange bonds to said company of the denomination of $50 & $100 for bonds of $500 each

And now said Company files its petition by John Angle Jr Secretary of said Company and the Board being fully advised of the premises

It is ordered said Company have the privilege of delivering up to be Cancelled Bonds of the County now in possession of said Company to an amount not exceeding $60000 and that there be issued to said Company the same amount pay $60000 in Bonds of the County of $500 each having 15 & 20 years to run from the 1st day of February 1850 That the bonds to be delivered up be as near as may be thereof the following desenption to wit

10 year	Bonds	$9500
15 year	Bonds	14450
20 year	Bonds	24800
25 year	Bonds	6250
		$60000

and that the bonds be issued in there place be as near as can be done of the following discription

15 year Bonds from February 1st 1850	$35000
20 year Bonds from February 1st 1850	25000
	$60000

Provided if said Company desire it they may exchange any portion of the said 25 year bonds for bonds of said denomination of $500 and having the same length of time to run to wit 25 years so that the whole amount exchanged under this order shall not exceed the said sum of sixty Thousand dollars

And it is ordered that the proper officers to wit The President of this Board and the County Auditor execute said County Bonds upon demand of said Company

And it is further ordered that Michael D. Jones of this Board James T. Walker deputy Auditor and Richd Jenkins or William Hughes of Evansville be authorized to receive & cancel said old bonds to said Company

Provided further that said Company shall

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defray all expenses incident to said exchange

Issued No 1994 $ 8.25/100 Ordered that Peter Shulman be allowed Eight dollars and twenty five cents for Coffins and burying ~~sick~~ paupers

Now here the Board appoints Levi L Laycock ~~he and he is hereby appointed~~ a Trustee of the County Library in the place of E.A. Corbet who has left the State

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 O Oclock

M B Jones President

Thursday Morning March 6th 1857 The board met pursuant to adjournment when all the members were present was yesterday

Issued No 1995 $ 1.30/100 Ordered that Henry Hen be allowed one dollar and thirty cents for Stone ware furnished the County Poorhouse

Issued No 1996 $ 6.00/100 Ordered that D Negley & Son be allowed six dollars for Chopped wheat for County Poorhouse

Issued No 1997 $ 8.00/100 Ordered that John Rolf be allowed Eight dollars for meat tubs for County Poorhouse

Issued No 1998 $ 20.50/100 Ordered that Peter Shulman be allowed Twenty dollars and fifty cents for furniture for County Poorhouse

Issued No 1999 $ 2.00/100 Ordered that Michael S Jones be allowed two dollars for making door for County Poorhouse

Issued No 2000 $ 50.00/100 Ordered that H. C. Huntington be allowed fifty dollars for printing blanks for appraisers and assessors

Issued No 2001 $ 53.84/100 Ordered that Foster & Brown be allowed fifty three dollars and eighty four cents for articles furnished the County Poorhouse

Issued No 2002 $ 123.12/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed one hundred and twenty three dollars and twelve cents for services as per bill filed

Issued No 2003 $ 25.00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed twenty five dollars for ex officio services as County Auditor

Issued No 2004 $ 50.00/100 Ordered that Joseph Hyde be allowed fifty dollars for building ~~an additional~~ house for contagious diseases on Poorhouse property

Issued No 2005 $ 50.00/100 Ordered that Joseph Hyde be allowed fifty dollars for building a House for Contagious diseases on Poorhouse property

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Issued No 2006 I $25 00/100 Ordered that Joseph Hyde be allowed twenty five dollars for building a house for Contagious deseases on Poorhouse property

Issued No 2007 I $25 00/100 Ordered that Joseph Hyde be allowed twenty five dollars for building a house for contagious deseases on Poorhouse property

Issued No 2008 I $20 00/100 Ordered that Joseph Hyde be allowed twenty ~~five~~ dollars for building a house for contagious deseases on Poorhouse property

Now here the board appoints Alanson Warner appraiser and Wilson Shook Ira P. Granger and Saml McDonald assistants to the appraiser of real estate in Vanderburgh according to an act approved Feby 13th 1851

Issued No 2009 I $2 75/100 Ordered that Peter Kullman be allowed two dollars and seventy five cents for making Coffin & Burrying pauper

Now here Philip Hornbrook be and he is hereby appointed assistant assessor of Vanderburgh County

Now here John M Blair one of the Justices of the Peace of Vanderburgh County makes the following report to wit

"To the Honorable board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

The report of John M Blair of his acting as Justice of the Peace of Union Township to March 1857

State of Indiana
VS Assault & Battery with intent
Edward Kirkbride
} Tried Augt 3rd 1850 & Discharged

State of Indiana
VS Riot
S. R. Neal
E Shook
John McVey &
John Barker
} Tried Nov 1st 1850 S R Neal E Shook and John Barker fined $1 each & John McVey discharged and S R Neals fine paid Treasurer

State of Indiana
VS Riot
Franklin Williamson
} Tried Nov 18th 1850 fined $1 & pd Treas

State of Indiana
VS Petit Larceny
James Parker
} Found Guilty and committed to Jail for want of Bail

I hereby certify that the above report to be correct

John M Blair
Justice of of the Peace

which Report the Board Nowhere approves

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Now here Saml McCutcheon one of the Justice of the Peace of Vanderburgh County submits the following report to wit

"A Schedule of all the fines and penalties or assessed or collected by me Saml McCutcheon a Justice of the Peace in and for the County of Vanderburgh since the first day of last term

Mr Blank
vs } Blank all right in my Town
Mr Blank

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Sct

I Samuel McCutcheon 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 me of any person whatever by virtue of my office March the 6th 1857

Sworn to March 6th 1857
Wm H Walker A.V.C.
By James T. Walker deputy

Saml McCutcheon Recd
Justice of the

Which report the Board now here approves

Issued No 2010 I $25.00/100 Ordered that Blythe Baker & Garvin be allowed twenty five dollars for attending cause in the Supreme Court in relation to the sale of the Public Square

Issued No 2011 I $25.00/100 Ordered that Blythe Baker & Garvin be allowed twenty five dollars for attending cause in the Supreme Court in relation to the sale of the Public Square

Issued No 2012 I $25.00/100 Ordered that Blythe Baker & Garvin be allowed twenty five dollars for attending cause in the Supreme Court in relation to the Public Square

Issued No 2013 I $25.00/100 Ordered that Blythe Baker & Garvin be allowed twenty five dollars for attending cause in Supreme Court in relation to the Public Square

Issued No 2014 I $25.00/100 Ordered that Blythe Baker & Garvin be allowed twenty five dollars for attending cause in Supreme Court in relation to the Public Square

Issued No 2015 I $25.00/100 Ordered that Blythe Baker & Garvin be allowed twenty five dollars for attending cause in Supreme Court in relation to the Public Square

Issued No 2016 I $25.00/100 Ordered that Blythe Baker and Garvin be allowed twenty five dollars for attending cause in the Supreme Court in relation to the Public Square

Issued No 2017 I $25.00/100 Ordered that Blythe Baker & Garvin be allowed twenty five dollars for attending cause in the Supreme Court in relation to the Public Square

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Issued No 20189 $25.00/100 Ordered that Blythe Baker & Garvin be allowed twenty five dollars for attending cause in the Supreme Court in relation to the Public Square

Issued No 20199 $25.00/100 Ordered that Blythe Baker and Garvin be allowed twenty five dollars for attending cause in the Supreme Court in relation to the Public Square

Issued No 20209 $25.00/100 Ordered that Blythe Baker and Garvin be allowed twenty five dollars for attending cause in the Supreme Court in relation to the Public Square

Issued No 20219 $25.00/100 Ordered that Blythe Baker and Garvin be allowed twenty five dollars for attend cause in the Supreme Court in relation to the Public Square

Issued No 20229 $79.30/100 Ordered that Edward Williamson be allowed seventy nine dollars and thirty cents for dieting prisoners in Jail

Issued No 20239 $1.00/100 Ordered that William Coots be allowed one dollars for witness in case of assessing damage done by Supervisor of Roads in cutting timber

Issued No 20249 $2.25/100 Ordered Samuel McCutcheon be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for services as viewer of damages done by Supervisor of Roads

Issued No 20259 $1.00/100 Ordered that Patrick Keegan be allowed one dollar as viewer of damage done by Supervisor of Roads

Issued No 20269 $1.00/100 Ordered that John Erskine be allowed one dollar as viewer of damage done by supervisor of Roads

Issued No 20279 $33.40/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed thirty three dollars and forty cents for keeping County Poor house up to March 1st 1857

Issued No 20289 $16.25/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed sixteen dollars and twenty five cents for hired help for County Poorhouse

Now here the persons appointed to asses the damage done to the land & timber of Jacob Miller by the Supervisor of Road submits the following report to wit

"We the Commissioners appointed for to appraise the damage claimed by said Miller do assess the damage sustained to the amount of $3.00 this 23rd January 1857

Samuel McCutcheon
John Erskine
Patrick Keegan

which report the Board now here approves

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Issued No 20291 $ 3 00/100 Ordered that Jacob Miller be allowed three dollars for damage done by supervisor by cutting timber on his land

Issued No 20301 $ 12 50/100 Ordered that Thomas E Garvin be allowed twelve dollars and fifty cents for services as County agent

Issued No 20311 $ 3 57/100 Ordered that Thomas E Garvin be allowed three dollars and fifty seven cents for Clerks fees in Supreme Court in relation to Public Square

Issued No 20321 $ 5 00/100 Ordered that Harvey F Calloway be allowed five dollars for keeping pauper Children

Issued No 20331 $ 8 00/100 Ordered that Michael P. Jones be allowed Eight dollars for four day services as County Commissioner at the present term

Issued No 20341 $ 8 00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed Eight dollars for four day services as County Commissioner at the present term

Issued No 20351 $ 8 00/100 Ordered that Semeon Long be allowed Eight dollars for four day services as County Commissioner at the present term

Ordered that do now adjourn

M P Jones
Leroy Calvert
S Long

Special April Session A.D. 1851

At a special Term of the board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County began and held at the Court house in the City of Evansville on Wednesday the 2nd day of April AD 1851 at 10 O Clock of said day for the purpose of appointing a deputy or deputies for the assessor of Vanderburgh County and any such other business as may legally come before them when the Honorable Michael P. Jones Leroy Calvert and Simeon Long all of the members of said Board were present

Now here the Board authorise the Auditor of of Vanderburgh County to have one hundred handbills published to receive sealed proposals for repairing and extending the Culvert at Bayou Embankments near the residence of the late Martin Stinson and that sealed proposals will be received by said Board at their June Term of said Board for repairing of said Culvert under said Embankment at the lower side thereof to be extended 10 or 12 feet with a wing wall

Issued No 2150 I $1 00/100 Ordered that Wm W. McPherson be allowed one dollar for returning poll books of an election in Perry Township

Issued No 2151 I $14 84/100 Ordered that Willard Carpenter be allowed ~~twenty one~~ fourteen dollars and eighty four cents for taxes improperly paid in 1850

Issued No 2152 I $246 85/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed two hundred and forty six dollars and eighty five cents for services rendered as per bill filed

Issued No 2153 I $3 50/100 Ordered that Watson Bates be allowed three dollars and fifty cents for hauling Cedar posts to County Poorhouse

Issued No 2154 I $34 13/100 Ordered that Saml Orr be allowed thirty four dollars and thirteen cents for Cedar posts and nails for County Poorhouse

Issued No 2155 I $1 00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed one dollar for taxes improperly paid

Now here the Board appoints John C Staser Leroy Calvert Lewis Richter Theodore Venneman and William Dean deputy assessors of Vanderburgh County for the ensuing year at the suggestion of G. W Hardin County assessor

Issued No 2156 I $2 50/100 Ordered that Archibald Fitzgerald be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for taxes improperly paid

Issued No 2157 I $45 00/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed forty five dollars for a waggon for a County Poorhouse

Now here Michael P. Jones is hereby authorised to employ Thomas Gifford to repair the embankment at the mouth of Pigeon Creek to expend a sum not exceeding fifty dollars on said work to be done under the superintendence of said Michael P Jones who is hereby authorised to draw on the County Auditor of County orders to pay for said work not to exceed the above sum

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Now here P H Woodward is hereby requested to survey the Tract of land in Centre Township sold by the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County to George Granger and report said survey to the said Board at their June Term 1857

Now here George B. Wagnon is appointed assistant to the appraisor of Real estate of Vanderburgh County

Issued No 2158 I $2 00/100 Ordered that Michael O Jones be allowed two dollars for one days services as County Commissioner at the present Term

Issued No 2159 I $2 00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed two dollars for one days services as County Commissioner at the present Term

Issued No 2160 I $2 00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long be allowed two dollars for one days services as County Commissioner at the present Term

Ordered that the Board do now adjourn

M P Jones
Leroy Calvert
Simeon Long

In Vacation April 7th 1837

Know all men by these presents that whereas William P Negley assignee of Davis Negley who was the of Horace Woodworth all of Vanderburgh County and State of Indiana has endorsed to me the certificate of Charles D Bourne acting School Commissioner of said County by which it appears that Horace Woodworth aforesaid did on the 14th day of December 1839 purchase of said School commissioner the South West quarter of the North West quarter of Section Sixteen (16.) in Township No six (6.) South of Range No Ten (10.) West in the Vincennes land district and in Vanderburgh County Indiana and being lot No Five (5.) on the appraisers plat of said School section as appears on said certificate and containing Thirty nine 92/100 Acres more or less and whereas said William P. Negley has filed in the office of the Auditor of Vanderburgh County the receipt of the County Treasurer of said County to him for the sum of two hundred and ninety nine 40/100 dollars the balance in full for the purchase of said tract of land and has now demanded a deed for the same ~~And whereas said William P. Negley has filed in the office of the Auditor of Vanderburgh County the receipt of the County Treasurer of said County~~ Therefore in Consideration of the premises and in conformity with the Statutes in such cases made and provided I William H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana for and in the name of the inhabitants of Congressional Township No Six (6.) South of Range No Ten (10.) West in Vanderburgh County and in the name of the County of Vanderburgh and for and in the name of the State of Indiana do grant bargain sell alien release convey and confirm by these presents unto the said William P Negley his heirs and assigns forever the said South West quarter of the North West quarter of Section No Sixteen (16.) in Township No Six (6.) South of Range No Ten (10.) West in the Vincennes land district and in Vanderburgh County Indiana; Together with all the appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining To have and to hold the same unto the said William P. Negley his heirs and assigns forever

In witness whereof I William H Walker as Auditor of Vanderburgh County have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal and the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County on this 22nd day of March A.D 1837

(The place of the Seal)

Wm H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County Indiana

By James T. Walker deputy

In Vacation April 7th 1851

State of Indiana }
Vanderburgh County } Set

I Samuel T. Jenkins recorder in and for said County do hereby certify that the abovenamed James T Walker deputy Auditor of the County aforesaid personally came before me this day at my office and acknowledged that he signed sealed and delivered the above and foregoing conveyance to be his voluntary act and deed

Given under my hand and seal at Evansville the 2nd day of April 1851

Samuel T. Jenkins Seal

Recorded April 7th 1851
Wm H Walker A V C
By James T. Walker dep

Special May Session AD 1837

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 Monday the 5th day of May AD. 1837 Commencing at 10 Oclock A.M. of said day for the purpose of appointing a deputy assessor of Vanderburgh County and for any other business that may regularly come before them when the Honorable Michael B. Jones and Simeon Long two of the members Composing said board were present

Now here it is ordered that Francis C. Hagan be and he is hereby appointed Deputy assessor of Vanderburgh County his name having been suggested by the County Assessor

Issued No 23472 $26 95/100 ordered that Jacob Blaugh be allowed twenty six dollars and ninety five cents for work done at the County Poorhouse

Issued No 23481 $12 80/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed Twelve dollars and Eighty cents for cash paid for sending off Paupers

Issued No 23491 $50 00/100 ordered that H. C. Huntington be allowed Fifty dollars for printing Blanks for County appraisers & assessors

Issued No 23501 $50 11/100. Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed fifty dollars and Eleven cents for services rendered as per bill filed

Ordered that the County Auditor be and he is hereby authorised to draw an order on the County Treasurer in favor of David Negley & Son for the amount of their bill of lumber for the County Poorhouse on the order of Michael B. Jones

Issued No 23571 $56 82/100 Ordered that William E Green be allowed fifty six dollars and Eighty two cents for keeping Prisoners in Jail

Issued No 23521 $2 00/100 Ordered that Michael B. Jones be allowed two dollars for one days services as County Commissioner at the present term

Issued No 23531 $2 00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long be allowed two dollars for one days service as County Commissioner at the present ~~term~~

Issued No 23541 $1 00/100 Ordered that James L Patten be allowed one dollar for Sheriffs Allowance as per bill filed

Ordered that the board do now adjourn

M B Jones

Simeon Long

Evansville June 2nd 1857

Mr Michael Daub

Sir

You are hereby appointed

Copied Supervisor of Road district No 2 Armstrong Township for the ensuing year and to serve until your successor is appointed and qualified

Mr H Walker Ave.

By James T. Walker deputy

June Session A.D. 1851

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 City of Evansville in said County and State on Monday the 2nd day of June being the first Monday of said Month When Michael P Jones Leroy Calvert and Simeon Long Esquires all the members of said Board were present

Now here Charles McClain Constable of Union Township produces his bond in the sum of three hundred dollars with Bernah Moss and and A M Garrard as his sureties which bond the board now here approves

Issd No 2 f $3.00/100 Ordered that William Earl be allowed three dollars for services as Supervisor of Road ~~district~~ in Scott Township

Issd No 3 f $3.00 Ordered that Esau Newman be allowed three dollars for services as Supervisor of roads

Issd No 4 $3.00/100 Ordered that Levi Hooker be allowed three dollars for services as supervisor of Roads

Issd No 5 f $29.25/100 Ordered that Lewis Richter be allowed twenty nine dollars and twenty five cents for services as deputy assessor of Vanderburgh County

Monday Morning June 2nd 1851 being the first Monday of said month the Board of Equalization for personal property consisting of Michael P. Jones Leroy Calvert and Simeon Long members of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County Grampee W Hardin County Assessor and James T Walker deputy Auditor convened at the Court House in the City of Evansville in said County and formed themselves into a Board of Equalization for the purpose of hearing and examining into any complaints of any person charged with a poll or personal property in the assessment of said property returned by the Assessor of said County for the year 1851 And now here the Auditor of Vanderburgh County produces the Assessment roll of said County for the year 1851 and the Board after the appointment of Michael P Jones President of said Board of Equalization proceed to the examination of said Assessment Roll

Issd No 6 f $3.00/100 Ordered that Robert Nightingale be allowed three dollars for serving as Inspector of Elections in German Township

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Issd No 7 $3.00/100 Ordered that William Wilson be allowed Three dollars for services as supervisor of Roads

Issd No 8 $3.00/100 Ordered that Conrad Smith be allowed Three dollars for services as supervisor of Roads

Copied Now here a petition is presented signed by J. Hollis and fourteen other asking for a road to be opened from the West Franklin and Evansville State road running from said road commencing opposite the dwelling house of Wilson Shook Esq and running on the best ground to the Ohio River near E. C Whites and from thence up said River to intersect the road running from said Ohio river to Evansville when the board hereby appoint Wm C. Sanders Thomas Barnet and Jesse Hollis viewers to view out and locate said road and make they report at the present term of this Board.

Issd No 9 $3.00/100 Ordered that Matthias Hamilton be allowed three dollars for services as supervisor of Roads

Issd No 10 $3.00/100 Ordered that Henry A Wheeler be allowed three dollars for services as Supervisor of Roads

Now here Edward J Williamson produces his bond as constable of Union Township in the sum of five hundred dollars with James Stearns as his security which the Board now here approves

Issd No 11 $3.00/100 Ordered that James Perry be allowed three dollars for services as supervisor of Roads

Issd No 12 $3.00/100 Ordered that Arthur Mc Johnson be allowed Three dollars for services as supervisor of Roads

Issd No 13 $13.44/100 Ordered that Samuel Lister be allowed thirteen dollars and forty four cents for books and Stationary furnished Auditors office

Issd No 14 $3.00/100 Ordered that Lewis Sour be allowed three dollars for services as supervisor of Roads

Issd No 15 $3.00/100 Ordered that Jacob Denner be allowed three dollars for services as supervisor of roads

Issd No 16 $3.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed three dollars for summoning Jurors for the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

Issd No 17 $3.00/100 Ordered that Henry Steinkuhl be allowed three dollars for services as Supervisor of Roads

Issd No 18 $3.00/100 Ordered that Samuel Hitchcock be allowed three dollars for services as supervisor of Roads

Issd No 19 $6.00/100 Ordered that Alfred Kirkpatrick be allowed six dollars for services as supervisor of roads for two years

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Issd No 20 f $3,00/100 Ordered that Ellison Martin be allowed three dollars for serving as supervisor of roads

Issd No 21 f 3,00/100 Ordered that Simon Williams be allowed Three dollars for serving as Supervisor of Roads

Issd No 22 f $2,50/100 Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for serving as Inspector of Elections in Knight Township

Issd No 23 f $4,00/100 Ordered that Setchell & White be allowed four dollars for expense of Paupers

Issd No 24 f $2,25/100 Ordered that William Linxwiler be allowed Two dollars and twenty five cents for services as supervisor of Roads

Issd No 25 f $1,50/100 Ordered that William M Knight be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for services as supervisor of Roads

Issd No 26 f $1,80/100 Ordered that Frederick Roeder be allowed one dollar and Eighty cents for services as supervisor of roads

Issd No 27 f $3,00/100 Ordered that James Newman be allowed three dollars for services as supervisor of roads

Issd No 28 f 3,00/100 Ordered that Conrad Smith be allowed three dollars for services as Supervisor of roads

Issd No 29 f $2,25/100 Ordered that Daniel H Duty be allowed Two dollars and twenty five cents for services as supervisor of Roads

Issd No 29 f $3,00/100 Ordered that Thomas Gifford be allowed Three dollars for services as supervisor of roads

Appt of Road Viewers in Perry & German

Copied

Now here a petition is presented signed by William H H Olds and Thirty seven others citizens of Perry Township asking for a road Begining at a County road running East and West on the South side of James Tupmans farm commencing near a certain poplar Tree thence running in a Northwardly direction on the ridge that the redbank and Princeton road formerly ran and running through a part of section No 22 and part of section No 15 belonging to James Tupman in Township six South of Range No 11 West and through a part of section 16 until it strikes the Township line dividing Perry and German Township and a petition was also presented signed by David Chidler and Thirty seven others citizen of German Township asking for a continuation of the above described Road begining at the Township line dividing Perry & German Township to intersect the road petitioned for as above mentioned on a certain ridge on which the redbank and princeton Road formerly ran thence with said ridge through German Township to intersect

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the New Harmony and Evansville road in Section No 9 in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West on the land of John Rockenmire so as not to run through any improvements of one years standing either in Perry and German Townships When the board after due consideration of said petitions and being fully satisfied that all things had been done according to law it is ordered that Samuel Kirkpatrick Morrow Fitzgerald and William Martin be appointed to view out and locate said road and make report of their proceeding at the next term of this Board

Copied

Now here David D Grimes Reuben Hopkins and John Jarvis proceed to view out and locate a road or roadway leading from Lawrence Drolls farm to the Harmony and Evansville road to run East from said Lawrence Droll farm on the line between the lands of Adah and Lepert to said New Harmony road according to an order heretofore made appointing them viewers to view out and report said road and if practicable to report their proceeding to the present term and if not to report to the next term of this Board

Copied.

Issd No 30 for $3.00/100 Ordered that Jacob Frymire be allowed three dollars for services as Supervisor of Roads

Issd No 31 for $134.07/100 Ordered that Ellis & Schlaich be allowed one hundred and thirty four dollars and seven cents for provisions furnished the County poorhouse

Ordered that the Board of Equalization adjourn until to morrow morning at half past Eight Oclock

Ordered that the Board of Commissioners adjourn until tomorrow morning at half past eight oclock

M B Jones
President

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Tuesday morning June 3rd 1851 The board met at half past Eight eight oclock pursuant to adjournment when all of the members of said board were present as yesterday

Tuesday morning June 3rd 1851 at half past eight oclock the board of equalization met when all the members of said board were present as yesterday

Issd No 32 $33.00/100 Ordered that Wm Sheets & Co be allowed thirty three dollars for book furnished the Auditors office

Now here the County Treasurer Robert W Dunbar submits the following report namely "The County Treasurer submits to the Board doing business for Vanderburgh County the following as his quarterly report of the amount and kind of funds by him received for the quarter ending ending June 1st 1851

Nature of account	County Orders	Cash	Total
Principal T. 6 R 10 West		35940	359 40
Interest T 6 R 10 West		14161	141 61
Principal County Seminary		16631	166 31
Interest do do		12606	126 06
Principal Bank Tax fund		3147	31 47
Principal Saline fund		4196	41 96
Interest Saline fund		875	8 75
3 pr cent fund		9656	96 56
Interest Town 5 R 10 West		1960	19 60
Interest Town 5 R 11 West		966	9 66
Interest T 6 R 11 W		2369	23 69
Interest T 7 R 10 W		9884	98 84
Interest T. 7 R 11 W		4485	44 85
Interest Coroners Inquest funds		464	4 64
Merchants License	4500	8500	130 00
Tavern License	3000	2000	50 00
	7500	149314	1568 14

Respectfully Submitted
R W Dunbar T.V.C.
which report the board now here approves

Issd No. 33 $40.75/100 Ordered that Thomas Gifford be allowed forty dollars and seventy five cents for work done on the embankment at the mouth of Pigeon Creek

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The County Treasurer submits to the Board of County business for Vanderburgh County the following as his annual report of the receipts and expenditures on account of the County from the first day of June A.D. 1856 to the 31st day of May 1857 both inclusive

Receipts		Expenditures	
Bal from last Settlement	4476 66	Vanderburgh County	585 79
Three per cent fund	96 56	State of Indiana	7898 36
Vanderburgh County	15976 57	Road tax	1155 39
State of Indiana	7898 36	Principal Surplus Rev	325 00
Road Tax	847 37	Interest do do	235 42
Principal Surplus Revenue	460 00	Principal County Seminary	1820 00
Interest do do	229 76	Interest do do	122 60
Principal Co. Seminary	1985 83	Interest Saline funds	33 42
Interest do do	348 04	Principal Bank Tax fund	33 00
Principal Bank Tax fund	3147	Interest do do do	27 95
Interest do do	2170	Principal Coroners Inquest fund	80 00
Interest Coroners Inquest fund	11 04	Interest do do do	15 68
Principal Com School	10250	Principal Common School	216 30
Interest do do	30881	Interest do do	422 45
Interest T5 R10 West	83 87	Interest T5 R10 W	91 83
Principal T6 R10 do	791 52	Principal T6 R10 W	795 00
Interest T. 6. R. 10 W	296 91	Interest T6 R10 W	468 18
Prin T 7 R 10 W	501 19	Principal T7 R 10 W	557 00
Int T 7 R 10 W	252 85	Interest T7 R 10 W	232 98
Principal T5 R11 W	74 69	Coroners Jury	216 52
Interest T5 R11 W	73 21	Stationary	172 83
Prin T6 R11 W	45 00	Printing	131 00
Interest T6 R11 W	143 00	Improper Tax Sale	17 13
Prin T 7 R11 W	50 00	Redemption of Lands	49 11
Interest T7 R11 W	184 12	Interest on Co Orders	271 85
Special district School tax	147 43	Outstanding Claims	3998 44
Incidental	266 99	County Agent	50 00
Redemption of Lands	37 90	County Commissioner	116 69
Estrays	1 25	Elections	70 85
Merchants License	512 50	Culverts	528 31
Tavern License	170 00	County Com School	2459 45
Pedlars License	5 00	Interest on Co Bonds	5940 00
Evansville & Ill R R Co	602 81	Prin T. 5 Range 11 West	85 00
County Com School fund	2459 45	Interest T5 Range 11 West	56 61
		Principal T 6 R 11 West	49 00
		Interest do do	30 06
		Interest T. 7 R 11 West	36 36
		District No 17 5 R 11 W	5 97
		Special District School	147 43
		Jury Allowances	352 02
		Bailiffs do	95 50
		Associate Judges	93 00
Carried over	44978 13	Carried over	30284 99

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Treasurers Annual report Continued

Receipts			Expenditures		
Amt Brot over	34782	13	Amt Brot over	30284	99
			Ex Officio	391	63
			Specific	1432	75
			Public Buildings	231	54
			Prisoners	446	25
			Paupers	1810	49
			Poorhouse	690	00
			County Auditor	617	20
			County Treasurer	533	62
			Assessing Revenue	59	50
			Bayou Embankment	223	22
			Bridges	2950	47
			Roads & Highways	148	00
			Taxes Improperly paid	15	84
			Balance remaining in Treas	5214	98
	20135	43		44978	48

$7500.00

There are outstanding orders which have been presented and not paid for want of funds amounting to seven Thousand Five hundred dollars

Respectfully Submitted

R. W. Dunbar T.V.C.

which report the board now here approves

Rescinded see page 264 Ordered that Jesse Burns be allowed fifteen dollars for medical services to paupers sick with small pox

Issd No 34 J ,50/100 Ordered that Andrew J Monroe be allowed fifty cents for serving as witness at a Coroners inquest

Issd No 35 J ,50/100 Ordered that David Holbrook be allowed fifty cents for serving as witness at a Coroners inquest

Issd No 36 J ,50/100 Ordered that George Woolf be allowed fifty cents for serving as witness at a Coroners inquest

Issd No 37 J ,50/100 Ordered that A Vanvorfenburgh be allowed fifty cents for serving as witness at a Coroners inquest

Issd No 38 J 50/10 Ordered that William Waddle be allowed fifty cents for serving as witness at a Coroners inquest

Issd No 39 J ,50/100 Ordered that Robert Sullivan be allowed fifty cents for serving as witness at a Coroners Inquest

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Issd No 40 f $1,50/100 Ordered that John Walsh be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for serving as Judge of an election in Pigeon Township

Issd No 41 f $2,00/100 Ordered that H. C. Huntington be allowed two dollars for printing handbills for the County

Issd No 42 f $40.20/100 Ordered that William E. Green be allowed forty dollars and twenty cents for keeping prisoners in Jail

Issd No 43 f $11,96/100 Ordered that John S Terry be allowed Eleven dollars and ninety six for keeping prisoner in Jail

Issd No 44 f $13,60/100 Ordered that Samuel T Jenkins be allowed thirteen dollars and sixty cents for Books and Stationery for the Clerks office

Issd No 45 f $4,75/100 Ordered that Martin Schmoll be allowed four dollars and seventy five cents for services as Inspector of elections in Pigeon Township

Issd No 46 f $56.25/100 Ordered that Theodore Vennemann be allowed fifty six dollars and twenty five cents for services as deputy assessor of Vanderburgh County

Issd No 47 f $25,00/100 Ordered that Samuel T Jenkins be allowed twenty five dollars for ex officio services as Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

Issd No 48 f $25,00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Twenty five dollars for ex officio services as Sheriff of Vanderburgh County

Issd No 49 f $25,00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed Twenty five dollars for ex officio services as County Auditor

Issd No 50 f $10,00/100 Ordered that H. C. Huntington be allowed ten dollars for printing blanks for the County assessor

Issd No 51 f $3,00/100 Ordered that Michael Herschelmen be allowed three dollars for services as Supervisor of Roads

Now here the Auditor of Vanderburgh County submits the following report namely "A Statement of the receipts and expenditures at the Treasury of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana from June 1st 1850 to June 1st 1851

Receipts	$	cts.	Expenditures	$	cts
Com School fund Principal	133	30	Amt of expenditure over rects June 1st 1850 =	961	48
T.5 R10 West Interest	83	83	Assessing Revenue	166	25
T6 R10 W Interest	368	54	Town 5 Range 10 West Interest	137	20
T7 R10 W Interest	238	81	T6 Range 10 West Interest	468	18
Town 5 R 11 W Interest	73	21	T7 R 10 W Interest	237	98
T6 R 11 West Interest	143	00	T5 R 11 W Interest	11	24
T7 R 11 West Interest	198	12	T6 R 11 W Interest	30	06
	1238	81		2012	39

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Auditors Statement of the Receipts & Expenditures Continued

Receipts	$	Cts	Expenditures	$	Cts
Amt brot forward	1238	81	Amt brot forward	2012	39
Estrays	1	25	Town 7 Range 11 West Int	36	36
Pedlars License	5	00	Surplus Revenue fund principal	325	00
Surplus Rev Fund Principal	460	00	Public Printing	231	00
Co Seminary fund Int	348	04	Lands improperly sold for taxes	33	97
Special School tax	147	43	Co Seminary fund Int	122	00
Co Common School fund	2459	45	County Agent	50	00
Redemption of land sold for taxes	37	90	Special School tax	147	00
Surplus Revenue fund Int	229	76	Co Common School fund	2459	45
Tavern & Grocery License	170	00	Redemption of Land sold for taxes	40	75
Co Seminary fund Principal	1985	83	Co Treasurers per centage	533	62
Co Revenue for 1850	15976	57	County Auditor	600	06
Coroners Inquest fund Interest	11	04	Bailiffs Allowances	170	90
Interest on County Bonds	6025	81	Surplus Revenue fund Int	235	42
Town 6 R 10 W Principal	796	92	Deposits by Coroner	80	00
T 7 R 10 W Principal	551	94	Expense of Prisoners	577	81
T 5 R 11 W do	90	10	Public Buildings	580	05
T 6 R 11 W do	49	19	Co Seminary fund Principal	1820	00
T 5 R 10 W do	10	79	Books & Stationary	312	58
Common School fund Interest	200	24	Associate Judges	70	00
Bank Tax fund Principal	31	47	Bayou Embankment	99	65
Saline fund Principal	41	96	Coroners Inquest fund Int	15	76
Saline fund Interest	18	83	County Commissioner	150	00
Road Revenue	847	37	Taxes refunded improperly paid	2	00
Merchants License	507	50	Interest on Co Bonds	6147	89
Bank Tax fund Interest	21	70	T 6 R 10 W Principal	795	00
Specific Allowances	266	99	T 7 R 10 W do	550	00
Three per cent fund	96	56	T 5 R 11 W do	85	00
			T 6 R 11 W do	49	00
			Common School fund Interest	420	64
			Bank Tax fund Principal	35	00
			Saline fund Interest	33	42
			Road Revenue	713	04
			Bank Tax fund Interest	27	95
			Coroners Inquests	243	64
			Expense of Bridges	5718	92
			Incidental Expenditures	3138	70
			Culverts	1275	98
			Expense of Elections	64	00
			Jury Allowances	648	20
			Outstanding Claims	15709	05
			Roads & Highways	188	63
Amt of expenditures over Receipts	16105	41	Expense of Paupers	1888	97
			Ex Officio Allowances	300	00
	48733	80		48733	80

Respectfully submitted
Rev Wm H Walker A.V.C.
By James T. Walker deputy

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which report the board now here approves and the County Auditor shall cause a copy of said Statement and report to be posted up at the Court house door and two other places in the County and also published in some news paper in said County

Now here a petition is presented & signed by George Deafenbaugh and seventeen others asking for a road Beginning at a black oak stump in Section sixteen in Town six Range Eleven West on the road on a ridge that divides the waters of big Creek and Dragoon Creek thence running in a Southerly direction on the ridge through and over the land of John J Clowser in said section sixteen thence in the Southeasterwardly direction and over a part of the land of John M Lockwood in Section Twenty one until it intersects a County road leading through said Lockwoods land to Evansville to intersect said road near a poplar tree marked with a letter H when the board after duly considering said petition and being satisfied that all things had been done in relation to the same according to law do hereby appoint William Martin Ira Cain and Hugh McCreary viewers to view out and locate said road and report their proceedings to the next Term of this board and that the George & George D Deafenbaugh Joseph Schowenden and Martin Headenbaugh pay all expenses of said road

Now here a petition is presented & signed by John Brumfieldbaugh and sixteen others asking for a Private Road beginning at the North East Corner of John Brumfieldbaughs land near a tree marked with a letter H. thence running Eastwardly on part of the land of Leonard Young in Section seven and through a part of Tolle and Youngs land in Section eight in Township six South of Range Eleven West thence on the best ground until it intersects the New Harmony and Evansville road near the Corner of John Rockenmiers land in section nine so as not to run through any improvements when the board being fully satisfied that all things had been done in the premises according to law do hereby appoint Lewis Richter Lewis Cook and Archibald Fitzgerald viewers to view out and locate said private road and that John Brumfieldbaugh pay all expenses of said Road

No 52 $1,30/100

Ordered that John J Chandler be allowed one dollar and thirty Cents for taxes improperly paid

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Issd No 53 $0.62/100 Ordered that Augustus Kollenburgh be allowed sixty two cents for stovepipe for County Poorhouse

Issd No 54 $5.40/100 Ordered that Augustus Kollenburgh be allowed five dollars and forty cents for articles for County Poorhouse

Issd No 55 $4.67/100 Ordered that Augustus Kollenburgh be allowed four dollars and sixty seven cents for articles for the County Jail

Issd No 56 $1.00/100 Ordered that William S Bransfield be allowed one dollar for setting poll books for an election in Armstrong Township

Issd No 57 $0.37/100 Ordered that Johnathan Ballenmine be allowe thirty seven cents for delivery supervisors certificates

Now here the Board being sufficiently advised of the inability of Edwin Rogers to work on the public Highways in consequence of a

Edwin Rogers

desease of the kidneys now here the board releases him from all road labor in Vanderburgh County

Report of Road View

Now here the Viewers heretofore appointed by this Board to view out and locate a road running from the Bridge on the Harmony road near Jacob Danners to the Tobacco road near John Hems in said Township to commence at a Black oak tree marked A near the South West Corner of the South East quarter of section No 2 Town 5 Range 11 West thence from said black oak tree marked A running due East between Section 21 & 28 on the section line until it intersects the said Tobacco Road near Godfrey Pfifer to a Black oak tree marked B: make the following report. 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 this Honorable board heretofore returned we having been first duly sworn according to law have viewed the ground where the road mentioned in the said order is proposed to be changed and are of opinion that the said change if made will be of utility to the Community the difference in the distance is twelve feet the proposed change makes it 12 feet the further to the tobacco road and about one mile nearer to Evansville all of which is respectfully submitted

June 2nd 1857

Jn Prewit
Charles Martin
Simon Williams

which report the board now here accepts and approves and the supervisors of districts

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Through which said road passes are hereby authorized and required to open said road thirty feet wide and keep the same in repair

Issd No 58 f $2,00/100 Ordered that Simon Williams be allowed two dollars for viewing said road make a report of the same

Issd No 59 f $1,00/100 Ordered that Charles Martin be allowed one dollar for viewing ~~a said~~ road

Issd No 60 f $1,00/100 Ordered that Mr Prewet be allowed one dollar for viewing a road

Issd No 61 f $3,00/100 Ordered that Adam Martin be allowed three dollars for services as supervisor of roads

Ordered that the board of Equalizations be adjourned until tomorrow morning at half past Eight Oclock

Ordered that the Board of Commissioners adjourn until tomorrow morning at half past Eight Oclock

M P Jones President

June Session A.D. 1837.

Wednesday morning June 4th 1837 at half past Eight o clock the Board met pursuant to adjournment when all the members were present as yesterday

Wednesday morning June 4th 1837 at half past eight O'clock the Board of equalization met pursuant to adjournment when all the members of said board were present as yesterday

Issd No 62 $4.50/100 Ordered that William F Phelps be allowed four dollars and fifty cents for Surveying State road from Poseyville to Mr Shentzer

Issd No 63 $4.50/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed four dollars and fifty cents for articles for County poorhouse

Now here a petition is presented signed by Anton Stolz and twelve others asking for a private road commencing at a Black oak tree marked A ten or twelve rods East of the North East corner of the North West quarter of the South East quarter of Section 35 in Town 4 Range 11 West on the County road leading from Evansville to Owensville thence running west one mile and a quarter on the line between John Kissel and John S. Fisher Henry Wolf and Christopher Lockhart Godfrey Gerhardt heirs and Benjamin Bowens heirs to the North West corner of the North West quarter of the South East quarter of Section No 34 Belonging to Henry Shaker Thence South one half mile through the lands of the said Henry Shaker and Elpes Bernhardt to the South West corner of the South West quarter of the South East Quarter of Section 34 thence West one half mile on the Section line between Section 34 in Town 4 and Section 3 in Town 5 between Joseph Lechner Senr and John G Berger to the North West Corner of the North West quarter of Section No 3 thence South one half mile to the South West corner of said North West quarter between Joseph Lechner Senr and Jacob Moll and John Haag Thence West one quarter of a mile between the said John Haag and John A Keller to the North West corner of the East half of the South East quarter of Section 4 thence South one quarter of a mile between John A Keller and Stolz to the South East corner of the North West quarter of the South East quarter of said Section 4 thence West one quarter of a mile between the said Anton Stolz and John Lortz to the North West Corner of the South West quarter of the South East quarter of said Section No 4 thence South one quarter of a mile between the

Private Road Viewers Low Armstrong

Ordered

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said John Lootz and Charles Martin to the South East Corner of the South West quarter of section 4 Thence west one quarter of a mile between the said Charles Martin and Frederick Myer to a hickory tree marked B. on the road leading from Evansville to Cynthiana at the South East corner of of the South West quarter of the South West quarter of section 4 Town 5 Range 11 West when the board having been fully satisfied that all thing relating to said petition and road had been done according to law it is ordered that Edwin Rogers William Richey and John Henry Bier be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view out and locate said Road and report their proceedings to the next term of this board and all the expenses of said private road ~~pays all expenses~~ is to be paid by said Anton Stotz

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Road Vice vs Armstrong

No 64 f $68.00/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed sixty eight dollars for keeping County Poorhouse up to June 2nd

No 65 f $11.25/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed Eleven dollars and twenty five ~~cents~~ for balance for sinking stone at the Mouth of Pigeon Creek

Now it appears that the amount due Moses Ross was twenty dollars and he bought of County wheelbarrows to the amount of Eight dollars and seventy five cents and the above order for Eleven dollars and twenty five cents making the full amount due him at this date

M. Ross

No 66 f $2.95/100 Ordered that John Burbank be allowed two dollars and ninety seven cents for grating for County poorhouse

No 67 f $5.00/100 Ordered that Setchel & White be allowed five dollars taking paupers out of the County

Now here George Bates presents his quarterly report showing a statement of the condition of the paupers in the County poorhouse which report the board now here approves

Now here Samuel T. Jenkins Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court present the following report namely

"A list of fines assessed at the March Term A.D. 1857 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

State of Indiana VS } Official Negligence Thomas Hall	Fine	$1000
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State of Indiana vs. Ret Spts John N Applp	Fine	$ 5,00
State of Indiana vs. Ret Spts Leopold Lake	Fine	$ 2,50
State of Indiana vs. Ret Spt No 1 Samuel Williams	Fine	$ 3 00
State of Indiana vs. Ret Spts No 2 Saml Williams	Fine	$ 3 00
State of Indiana vs. Contempt Moses Rose	Fine	$ 3 00
State of Indiana vs. Ret Spts No 1 Charles C. Dutton	Fine	$ 2 00
State of Indiana vs. Ret Spts No 2 Charles C Dutton	Fine	$ 2 00
State of Indiana vs. Ret Spts No 3 Charles C Dutton	Fine	$ 2 00
State of Indiana vs. Petit Larceny No 1 James Penkel	Fine	$ 3 00
State of Indiana vs. Petit Larceny No 2 James Parker	Fine	One cent
State of Indiana vs. Grand Larceny James Hall	Fine	$ 2,00
State of Indiana vs. Ret Spirits Joseph Woods	Fine	$ 5 00
State of Indiana vs. A. & B. James L Patten	Fine	$ 1 00

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State of Indiana vs Contempt Oliver Ladd	Fine	$ 3.00
State of Indiana vs A & B. William Roxbury	Fine	$ 10 00
State of Indiana vs G Larceny Daniel A Tking	Fine	$ 4 75-
State of Indiana vs G. Larceny Florence Birkenfelt	Fine	75-00
State of Indiana vs G. Larceny Henry Klusmin	Fine	10 00

A list of fines received by me since my last report

State of Indiana vs Ret Spts Bernard Nunn	Fine	$ 5-00
State of Indiana vs A & B. John Rottengatter	Fine	$ 1 00
State of Indiana vs Ret Spts Emanuel Gumbert	Fine	$ 5.00
State of Indiana vs Ret Spts No 1 Hiram Wakefield	Fine	$ 5.00
State of Indiana vs Ret Spts No 2 Thomas Wakefield	Fine	$ 5.00

which report the board now here approves

Now here the Board reconsider the order made to Jesse Burns for fifteen dollars for medical attendance to paupers sick with the Small pox and order same order to be cancelled

And No 110 $ 20, 00/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed twenty dollars for building an outhouse at the county poorhouse

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Issd No 68 f $1,50/100 Ordered that John F Crisp be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for services as clerk of an election in Pigeon Township

Issd No 69 f $2,00/100 Ordered that Wilson Shook be allowed two dollars for making Coffin for pauper child

Issd No 70 f $2,40/100 Ordered that the Telegraph Company be allowed two dollars and forty cents for telegraphic dispatch from Indianapolis ~~with~~ in relation to state Levy

Issd No 71 f $27,00/100 Ordered that Isaac Casselberry be allowed Twenty seven dollars for medical attendance on sick pauper

Issd No 72 f $8,00/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed Eight dollars for furnishing coffins and burying dead paupers

Issd No 73 f $23,33/100 Ordered that Daniel Morgan be allowed twenty three dollars and thirty three cents for services as physician to the County Poor house to this date

Issd No 74 f $11,66/100 Ordered that Isaac Casselberry be allowed Eleven dollars and sixty six cents for services as physician to the County poor house to this date.

Issd No 75 f $2,50/100 Ordered that B. Moss be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for services as over seers of the poor of Union Township

Issd No 76 f $30,00/100 Ordered that Wilson L Parker be allowed thirty dollars for attending sick pauper

Issd No 77 f $15,00/100 Ordered that George B. Wagner be allowed sixty five dollars for services as assistant appraiser of Vanderburgh County for 1851

Issd No 78 f $5,00/100 Ordered that Joseph Pratt be allowed five dollars for burying a man found drowned in the Ohio River

Issd No 79 f $1,00/100 Ordered that John Hall be allowed one dollar for services as overseer of the poor of Knight Township

Now here the Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court proceeds to draw the Grand and Traverse Jurors for the September Term 1851 and the March Term 1852

G & T. Jurors

Ordered that the board of Equalization adjourn until tomorrow morning at half past Eight Oclock

Ordered that the board of Commissioners adjourn until tommorrow morning at half past Eight O clock

M B Jones
President

June Session A.D. 1857.

Thursday June 5th 1857 the board met pursuant to adjournment at half past eight o clock when all the members of said Board were present as yesterday

Thursday June 5th 1857 at half past eight o clock the board of equalization met pursuant to adjournment when all the members of said board were present

Issd No 80 $3,00/100 Ordered that George H Todd be allowed three dollars for drawing petition to the board of Directors of the Evansville and Illinois Rail Road Company for said Company

Issd No 81 $13,00/100 Ordered that Henry Fitzsimmons be allowed thirteen dollars for work done at an outhouse at the County Poorhouse

Issd No 82 $21.30/100 Ordered that Robert W Dunbar be allowed twenty one dollars and thirty cents for books & Stationary furnished Treasurers office

Issd No 83 $4.00/100 Ordered that William Miller be allowed four dollars for work done on outhouse at the County Poorhouse

Issd No 84 $2.75/100 Ordered that Peter Kull man be allowed Two dollars and seventy five cents for making coffins and burying dead paupers

Issd 133 No 104 $12.50/100 Ordered that Peter Kullman be allowed twelve dollars and a fifty cents for furnishing for County poorhouse

Issd 135 No 105 $5.50/100 Ordered that Peter Kullman be allowed five dollars and fifty cents for making coffins and burying dead paupers

Issd 135 No 106 $10.00/100 Ordered that James Laughlin Jr be allowed Ten dollars for hand cuffs for the Sheriff

Issd 134 No 107 $2.75/100 Ordered that Peter Kullman be allowed two dollars and seventy five cents for making coffins and burying dead paupers

Issd 136 No 108 $1.50/100 Ordered that Samuel J Jenkins be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for Certificates of Appeal elections Recording Indentures for pauper Children

Issd No 90 $2.50/100 Ordered that Bryson Blackburn be allowed two dollars and fifty cents for services as supervisor of roads

In Issd No 91 $113.62/100 Ordered that S. W Hardin be allowed one hundred and thirteen dollars and sixty two cents for services as County Assessor

Issd No 92 $14.38/100 Ordered that Morgan & Keen be allowed fourteen dollars and thirty eight cents for articles for County Jail

Issd No 93 $37.20/100 Ordered that Edward J Williamson be allowed Thirty seven dollars and twenty cents for services as Jailor

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Issd No 94 $1.50/100 Ordered that Christian Bippus be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for serving as clerk of an election in Pigeon Township

Issd No 95 $12.50/100 Ordered that Thomas E Garvin be allowed twelve dollars and fifty cents for one quarter services as County agent to June 1st 1857

Issd No 96 $48.70/100 Ordered that Johnson & French be allowed forty eight dollars and seventy cents for articles furnished the County Poorhouse

Issd No 97 $20.00/100 Ordered that Edward J Williamson be allowed twenty dollars for attending a sick Pauper in the Bayou

Issd No 98 $12.75/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed twelve dollars and seventy five cents for services as deputy assessor of Vanderburgh County for 1857

Issd No 99 $12.81/100 Ordered that James Scantlin and Son be allowed twelve dollars and eighty one cents for Stove pipe for County poor house

Issd No 100 $10.00/100 Ordered that William Dean be allowed sixty dollars for services as deputy assessor of Vanderburgh County for 1857

Issd No 101 $24.37/100 Ordered that Francis S Fagan be allowed twenty four dollars and thirty seven cents for services as deputy assessor for 1857 of Vanderburgh County

Now here the Board of Equalisation reduce the personal property assessed against James T Walker from $490 to 400.

Issd No 102 $3.55/100 Ordered that William Hughes be allowed Three dollars and fifty five cents for Clothing furnished paupers

Issd No 103 $5.75/100 Ordered that Ahlering & Brummer be allowed five dollars and seventy five cents for clothing furnished paupers

Now here the board reduces Marcus Sherwoods tax for 25$ for telegraft Stock less than the assessment

Equalization of Taxables

& Wm Bell reduced from 815$ to 400$ & Michael P Jones agent reduced from 235$ to 150$ on his Insurance Stock & Ahlering & Brummer reduced from 1800$ to 2000$ & Brummer & Co from 1800$ to 2000$ & that Satterlee & De Garmo's total amount be reduced from 2850$ to 1350$

Now here Robert W Dunlap files the following Affidavit as Treasurer of Vanderburgh County namely

"I Robert W Dunlap Treasurer of Vanderburgh County do solemnly sweer that the funds which I have presented to the County Commissioners of Vanderburgh County at

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my annual settlement with them at their June
term 1837 are bona fide the funds belonging
to said County and that the same have not
been borrowed by me or any other person
for me for the purpose of such settlement

R.W. Dunbar J.V.C

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th
day of June 1837 Jm Walker A.V.C.

By James T. Walker deputy

Ordered that the Board of Equalization
adjourn until tomorrow morning at half past
eight o'clock

Ordered that the Board of Commissioners
adjourn until tomorrow morning at half past eight
o'clock

M B Sykes President

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Friday morning June 6th 1851 the board met pursuant to adjournment at half past Eight O'clock the Board met pursuant to adjournment when all the members of said board were present as yesterday

Friday Morning June 6th 1851 the board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment when all the members of said board were present as yesterday

Issd No 104 f $4.00/100 ordered that Gumberts & Gottleib be allowed four dollars for potatoes for County poorhouse

Issd No 105 f $15.00/100 Ordered that Satterle & Degarmo be allowed fifteen dollars for repairing County Jail

Issd No 106 f $11.50/100 ordered that Andrew L Robenson be allowed Eleven dollars and fifty cents to be paid out of the County Seminary fund of Vanderburgh County for services rendered

Now here the account against Andrew L Robenson for rent of a an office for thirteen dollars and fifty cents recorded at a former term of this board be and the same is hereby cancelled and paid

Issd No 107 f 50/100 Ordered that Henry Gumberts be allowed fifty cents for services as Traverse Juror at the adjourned March Term 1851 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

Ordered that an appropriation of fifty dollars be made to secure the bottom of the ravine near Rieth mills to be expended under direction of John Rieth provided he enterst into a contract with the County to keep said work secure for six years from this date for said appropriation

Now here the board of Equalization reduces the Stock of Gumberts & Gottleib be reduced from 600$ to 400$

Issd No 108 f $10.00/100 Ordered that Ellis & Schlamp be allowed ten dollars and twenty cents for provision furnished pauper sick with dropsey.

Issd No 116 f $2.00/100 Ordered that Clark & McDonald be allowed two dollars for printing in relation to the public Square

Issd No 117 f $98.98/100 Ordered that Francis Amory be allowed ninety eight dollars and ninety eight cents for taxes improperly paid by him on County lots

Issd No 118 f $30.00/100 Ordered that Samuel McDonald be allowed thirty dollars for services as assistant to the appraiser of Vanderburgh County for 1851

Issd No 119 f $30.00/100 Ordered that Ira P. Granger be allowed thirty dollars for services as assistant to the appraiser of Vanderburgh County for 1851.

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Issd No 120 $30.00/100 Ordered that Wilson Shook be allowed thirty dollars for services as assistant to the appraiser of Vanderburgh County for 1857

Issd No 121 $80,60/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed one hundred and eighty dollars and sixty cents for services as County Auditor

Issd No 122 $8,00/100 Ordered that George Bales be allowed eight dollars for expenses at the county poorhouse

Now here it is ordered that Charles G. Olmsted be and he is hereby appointed County surveyer for three years from the first Monday in June A.D. 1857 and that he file his bond according to law

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Now here the Board enters into an agreement with Thomas Gifford to construct twelve feet at the lower end of the Bayou Embankment of the Culvert to be made in a good substantial and workman like manner of good limeston laid in good lime mortar and repair that part of said Culvert that is now broken to build a protector or wing wall at the end of said culvert to run above said Culvert to three feet and said wing wall to be three feet thick for which said Board agree to allow said Thomas Gifford Four dollar per perch, for said work the new work to be the same size wall and arch as the old work and the top of said wing wall to be battered the whole end of said wing wall to be battered about an inch to the foot.

Now here the Viewers to view out and locate a road in Perry and Union Township make report as follows to wit "The report of William C Saunders and Jesse Hollis who being appointed by the County Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana to view and survey out a certain road to run from Perry Township through the Bayou to the Ohio river the said viewers report as follows Commencing at the centre of the road in front of Wilson Shooks residence and running a South East direction along the old road through Shook seventy Acre tract and through Shooks four acre tract to cross the Bayou at the old crossing, then a South East course until it strikes the middle line of Section Eighteen in township seven South of Range No Eleven West thence on said line with slight variation to strike the river just above E. C. White thence up the Bank of said river to the road leading to Evansville June 6th 1857 W C Saunders Jesse Hollis

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which report the board now here accepts and the supervisors of the Districts through which said road runs are hereby authorised to keep said road in repair and make the same thirty feet wide

Appropriation of $400,c Copied

Now here it is ordered that an appropriation of four hundred dollars to build a bridge across the Bayou on section 18 near Mrs Gillespies to be done under the superintendance of Mr Simeon Long be given out of the County Treasury to be drawn by said Simeon Long as the work progresses and Wilson Shook and William C Saunders esqr be appointed to act with said Simeon Long to collect subscriptions for said bridge

Appropriation of $296,c Jones 96 McNurry 40 Copied

Now here an appropriation of two hundred dollars be appropriated to build a Stone culvert across the ravine near Fulton avenue being a continuation of the Salt well road running through the lands belonging to Daniel Morgan on South line of the land belonging to Joseph Hyde and that the three per cent fund in the County Treasury be also appropriated for said purpose which is about ninety six dollars and that Michael P. Jones be appointed superintendant of said work said money to be drawn by said Michael P. Jones as the work progresses

Issd No 50 f ~~No 12~~ f $2.00/100 Ordered that Jesse Hollis be allowed two dollars for viewing road in Perry & Union Township

Issd No 51 f ~~No 12~~ f $2.00/100 Ordered that Wm C Saunders be allowed two dollars for viewing road in Perry & Union Township

Issd No 62 f $12.50/100 Ordered that Jesse Burns be allowed ~~twenty~~ ~~five~~ Twelve dollars & fifty cents for medical attendance on paupers sick with the small pox

No 130 f $12.50/100 Ordered that Jesse Burns be allowed Twelve dollars and fifty cents for medical attendance on paupers sick with the small pox

No 114 f .50/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed fifty cents for services rendered

No 125 f $10.00/100 Ordered that Michael P Jones be allowed ten dollars for five days service a County Commissioner at the present term

No 126 f $10.00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed ten dollars for five days service as County Commissioner at the present term

No 124 f $10.00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long be allowed ten dollars for five day service as County Commissioner at the present term

No 125 f $10.00/100 Ordered that Grampee W Hardin be allowed ten dollars for services a member of the Board of equalization at the present Term of this board

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No 126 Jr $10.00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed ten dollars for services as a member of the Board of equalization at the present term of this Board

Ordered that the board do now adjourn

M P Jones
Leroy Calvert
Simeon Long

Ordered that the Board of equalization do now adjourn

M P Jones
President } County
Leroy Calvert } Commissioners
Simeon Long
Grampee W. Hardin. Assessor of V.C.
William H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County
By James T. Walker deputy

Special July Session A D 1851

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 Monday July Seventh A.D. 1851 at 10 Oclock A.M. of said day for the purpose of hearing and acting ~~sutch~~ matters that may come before said board connected with the proposed plank road to run from the Ohio River to the interior, the proposed sale of the public square and sutch others business that said County Commission may deem of sufficient importence for their immedient action. When present Michael P. Jones Simeon Long and Leroy Calvert Esqs members composing said County Board

Now here the Hon John Law produces & presents to this board the petition of John Law and others which said petition prays the release of a certain State road leading from Evansville to Princeton to Saml L. Olmsted, and & others, & their ~~successors~~ in Office, for the purpose of Constructing a plank road from Evansville northwards as Contemplated by a Special Act of the Legislature of the State of Indiana approved Feb 11th 1851, which petition is laid over for further Consideration at this term.

No Ordered that Thomas Gifford be allowed One hundred dollars for part of the ~~pay~~ for Calvert in Perry Township said sum to be drawn by said Gifford upon the presentation of a panel bond ~~Signed~~ by him ~~for~~ in the sum of 600 $ signed by P.G. Jones or Rowly

Issd No 163 J $3.75/100 Ordered that F.A. Stone be allowed three dollars and seventy five cents for Service as supervisor for 1850

Issd No 164 J $62.87/100 Ordered that Wm E. Green be allowed Sixty two dollars and eighty seven cents for feeding prisoners ~~paupers~~ in the County jail & ~~for~~ turnkey services &c to July 7th 1851

Issd No 165 J $3.50/100 Ordered that James L. Patten be allowed three dollars, and fifty Cents for Constable allowance at an Inquest held by the Coroner

Issd No 166 J $1.25/100 Ordered that Saml T. Jenkins be allowed One dollar and twenty five Cents for cash paid for freight & drayage on ~~School~~ laws of ~~for~~ 1850 & 51

Issd No 167 J $3.25/100 Ordered that Saml T. Jenkins be allowed three dollars and twenty five cents for Stationary for Clerks Office

Issd No 168 J $9.13/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed ~~H~~ Nine dollars & thirteen cents for Stationary furnished Auditors Office

Now here upon further Considering the petition of John Law and Others Commissioners appointed under the Act entitled "An Act to incorporate the Central Plank Road Company of Vanderburgh County Approved February 1st 1851

It is Ordered by this Board, that the said plank road Company may locate said plank road over and upon any part of the State Road leading from Evansville to Princeton, And this Board do hereby give their Consent to the Appropriation and Accupation of said State Road or any part thereof lying in Vanderburgh County by said plank Road Company over and upon which the said Company may desire

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to locate the same, the Consent of this board is hereby given to the Commissioners named in the first Section of the Act above named or to the Directors of the Company hereafter to be elected, and is given as fully as the Board is authorized to give said consent by the provisions of the 5th Section of the Act above refured to provided that said Company cause to be made a double track plank road from Evansville to Pigeon Cocke near Negleys mill = And it is expressly understood That if said plank road should be located on or along said State Road - Neither the County or its agents are to pay any tolls for the Conveyance paupers to or from the County poor house or for any wares goods Merchandize or other thing Carried along said Road for the use of said Poor House or its ~~inmates~~ or the farm thereto attatched And that the Consent of this Board for the use and Occupation of said State Road by the Company is expressly made on the foregoing Conditions

Issd No 169 f $11.00/100 Ordered that E. Saunders be allowed Eleven dollars for ~~Costs~~ Lawyers fees in Case of State vs County Commissioners

Issd No 170 f $11.00/100 Ordered that M. P. Jones be allowed Eleven dollars for Attorney fees in Case of State vs County Commissioners

Issd No 171 f $12.00/100 Ordered that Felker & Hedrick be allowed twelve dollars for Attending to pauper at Washington house per bill on file

Issd No 172 f $8.00/100 Ordered that F. A. Flow be allowed eight dollars for Counsel fee in suit as supervisor vs Strill

Issd No 173 f $100 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed one hundred dollars for part of bill for tax duplicate of 1851 & writing connected with the same

Issd No 174 f $2.00/100 Ordered that M. P. Jones Esqr be allowed two dollars for Services as County Commissioner at the present term of this board

Issd No 175 f $2.00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long Esqr be allowed two dollars for Services as County Commissioner at the present term of this board

Issd No 176 f $2.00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert Esqr be allowed two dollars for Services as County Commissioner at the present term of this board

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in Course

M P Jones
Leroy Calvert
Simeon Long

July 8th 1851. George Burkhart is hereby Appointed Superviser of road district No 3 Knight township for 1851 to serve until his successor is duly qualified. = (sworn in & Oath July 8th 1851.)

Wm H Walker A.V.C.

Aug 15th. Benjamin Freeborn is hereby Appointed Superviser of road district No 2 Union Township for A.D 1851 to serve until his successor is duly qualified

Wm H Walker A.V.C.

Know all men by these presents that Alvin B. Carpenter having on this day purchased the North west quarter of the North East quarter of Section Number four in Township Number Seven South of Range number Ten west in Vanderburgh County Indiana. it being a part of the lands selected by the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States for School, And belonging to said Township, for the Sum of four hundred and twenty two Dollars and twelve and a half Cents, of which he has paid one hundred and twenty four, and fifty four and a half Cents, being one fourth part of such Purchase money and one Years interest in advance on the residue of the Principal Which is three hundred and Sixteen dollars and fifty 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 Alvin B. Carpenter his Assigns or representatives shall be entitled to a deed in fee simple for said tract of land in the name of said Township, but on failing to pay said interest for any year or the residue of said Principal for sixty days after either becomes due the said tract of land and all payments heretofore made thereon, and this Contract of Sale shall be forfeited and revert to said Township for School purposes.

Witness my hand and Seal this fifteenth day of October 1836.

Nathan Rowley (Seal)
School Commissioner V.C.

"I hereby Assign unto P. D. O'Riley all my right title & interest in and to the within Certificate Witness my hand and Seal this 5th day of July A. D. 1851."

Alvin B. Carpenter (Seal)
By Willard Carpenter Atty

State of Indiana } ss
Vanderburgh County }

Before me Wm H. Walker Auditor in and for said County personally Appeared Alvin B. Carpenter by Willard Carpenter his Attorney, And Acknowledged the Above transfer to be his Voluntary Act and deed for the uses & purposes therein Mentioned

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand And Seal at Evansville in said County for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

Wm H. Walker (Seal)
Auditor of Vanderburgh County.

Recorded August 29th 1857
W. H. Walker A.V.C.

Know All men by these presents that Alvin B. Carpenter having on this day purchased the South West quarter of the North East quarter of Section Number four in Township Number Seven South of Range Number Ten West in Vanderburgh County Indiana it being a part of the land selected by the Secretary of the Treasury of the United State for Schools, and belonging to said Township for the Sum of Two hundred and eighty dollars and fifty Cents

of which he has paid Sixty One dollars and fifty and three fourth Cents being one fourth part of such purchase money and one years interest in advance on the residue of the principal which is one hundred and fifty six dollars and thirty seven and a half Cents. And payable in Ten years from this date together with six percentums 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 Alvin P. Carpenter his Assigns or representatives shall be entitled to a deed in fee simple for said track of land in the Name of said Township but on failure to pay said interest for any years or the residue of said principal for sixty days after either becomes due the said tract of land and all payments heretofore made thereon and this Contract of sale shall be forfeited and revert to said Township for School purposes

Witness My hand and seal this fifteenth day of October 1836

Nathan Rowley Seal
School Commissioner P.C.

For value rec'd I hereby Assign unto P. S. O'Riley all my interest to the within Certificate. Witness My hand and seal this 3rd day of July A.D. 1851

Alvin P. Carpenter Seal
By Willard Carpenter Atty

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } ss

Before me Wm Hall. Walker Auditor in and for said County personally Appeared Willard Carpenter Attorney for Alvin P. Carpenter And Acknowledged that he signed the foregoing Transfer for the uses and purposes therein Mentioned

In testimony Whereof I have hereunto set My hand and seal at Evansville in said County on this 28th day of August AD 1851

Wm H. Walker Seal
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Recorded Aug 29th 1851
Wm H. Walker Ave

For value received I do hereby sell assign and set over to Anthony Osterman all my right title interest & claim of in or to the annexed Certificate of Purchase of School Land. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 17th day of November AD 1851

Joseph Buchmann Seal

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } ss

I Wm H. Walker County Auditor in and for said County do hereby Certify that the above named Joseph Buchmann personally Appeared before me and acknowledged that he signed & sealed the foregoing transfer for the uses & purposes therein named

In witness Whereof I have hereunto set My

hand and official seal at Evansville in said County on this 17th day of November A.D. 1851

Wm H Walker C.L.V.C.

Recorded Nov 24th 1851

W.H.W. a.v.c.

Certificate of former transfers recorded on Pages 96 & 97 of this record

W.H.W.

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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 on the first monday (it being the first day) in September ~~in~~ A.D. 1851 when present Simeon Long Leroy Calvert and Alanson Warner Esqrs Members composing said board

At a meeting of the Special Board of Equalization for the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana began and held at the Court House in Evansville on the first monday in September A D 1851 (it being the first day of said month) the following persons were present who composed said board, viz; Simeon Long Leroy Calvert & Alanson Warner members of the Board of County Commissioners Ira P. Grainger Saml. McDonald George B. Wagnon & Wilson Shook "Assistant Appraisers & Wm. H. Walker County Auditor

Now here the County Auditor produces to the board of Equalization the Abstracts of the Assessment and appraisement of real property of Vanderburgh County as returned by the Appraisor and assistant appraisers for the year 1851 and the board proceeds to the examination of the valuation of the ~~proper~~ real estate contained in said abstracts for the purpose of hearing the complaints of any and all property holders listed in said abstracts and determining the same and equalizing the valuation of the real estate ~~of~~ in the County in said abstracts contained by adding to or deducting from the valuations so returned, as to said board may ~~be~~ appear right and equitable

Now here R. W. Dunbar Treasurer of Vanderburgh County appears and presents his quarterly report as Sutch Treasurer which report is now here approved.

Now here John Hogue and thirty nine other citizens and freeholders of Perry Township in Vanderburgh County present a petition to this board asking the appointment of viewers to view & mark out a certain county road beginning at the line dividing the County's of Vanderburgh and Posey at a certain Poplar Tree marked with a letter "B" in Section No 19 Township Six South of Range No 11 West on the land of John Stiner thence running in an easterly direction across the lands of John Stiner Godfrey Mila John Hogue and the heirs of James McPherson & James S. Wills in Section No 19 Also across the land of Wendel Schnner William Poggmire Conrad Herschelman in Section No 20 And the land of Wm Stone in Section No 21 also a part of the land of Robert Parrett & Charles F. Ridgeway in Section No 22 thence to intersect a County road near a ~~little~~ small bridge on the East side of an old field in Section No 22 on the land of Francis Amory And the board being satisfied that the proper notices have been given & that the proceedings agree with the Statute in such case made & provided, do Now Here Order that Wilson Schook Wm Martin and Ira P. Grainger be and they are hereby

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appointed Viewers to View Out and Mark said Road for a County road & Make report of said View at the next Regular session of this board

Now here Wm Martin and Other Viewers heretofore appointed by this board Come and Make report of their View of a Certain Road in the Words & figures following to Wit

"To the board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana We Samuel Kirkpatrick Morrison Fitzgerald and William Martin the persons appointed by this honourable board at their last June Session to View and Mark and lay Out a County Road beginning at a County Road on the South side of the farm of the heirs of James Jefferson at a White Oak Stake on said land in Section No 22 in Congressional Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West Thence running in a Northwardly direction across a part of Section No 22 and Section No 15 and a part of Section No 16 in Perry Township Thence across the line dividing Perry & Jefferson Township, and thence in a Northwardly direction in Section ~~in Section~~ No 9 across the lands of David Chittler and George Nabb and across a part of the land of Andrew Syfert and a part of the land of John Rockenmire to intersect a County road leading from Newharmony to Evansville near a White Oak Stump on the land of John Rockenmire in Section No 9 that in pursuance of the above described order we have viewed marked and layed Out and do return the above described road as a road of public utility August 30th 1851

William Martin
Samuel Kirkpatrick
Morrison Fitzgerald
} Viewers

The board duly Considering said report it is now here Ordered that the above report be Approved & the road Opened to the width of 30 feet

It is now here Ordered that Lewis Muller be and he is hereby excempted from labour on the public roads in Vanderburgh County in Consequence of bodily disability

It is now here Ordered that Charles Dutton be and he is hereby excempted from labour on the public roads in Vanderburgh County in Consequence of bodily infirmity

Now here D & Grimes and Other Viewers heretofore Appointed to View a Certain road & report thereon present to the board the following report, to wit;

"We the undersigned viewers appointed by the board of County Commissioners to View and locate a road or Cartway on the Petition of Lawrence Dorll do Report that we have met and Viewed said road and report as follows, to Commence on or at the west corner of Neals Close, and runs east on the line between said Dipert and Naabs until it intersects the road from Harmony to Evansville and said road to run on Dipers land and be sixteen feet wide all of which we respectfully submit to the Honourable Board"

The board duly Considering said report it is now here

Ordered that said road be Opened by the petitioners & kept in repair

Now here George Bates Keeper of the Asylum for the County poor Produces to the board his quarterly Report which the board Now here Considers & Approve and Order to be filed

Now here Geo B McCutchan applies to the board for an Appropriation to build a bridge in road district No 4 Scott Township And the board duly Considering said Application It is now here ordered that an Appropriation be made of Seventy dollars for the purpose of erecting said bridge and George B McCutchan Supervisor of said district is now here Appointed to Superintend said work & he is Authorized to draw the Appropriation When said bridge is Completed

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Now here Thomas Martin & Others of Armstrong Township Petition this board for an Appropriation to build a bridge Across the "pond Creek" in Armstrong Township & the board duly Considering said petition it is now here Ordered that an Appropriation be made of Seventy dollars for the purpose of building said bridge to be drawn when the work is fully Completed & Jesse P Bourne be and he is hereby Appointed to Superintend the erection of said bridge & he is hereby Authorized to draw said Order When said work is Completely Finished with good timber & white oak plank floors of the most durable Kind

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No 225 $113 82/100 Ordered that Wm Green be Allowed One hundred & thirteen dollars & eighty two Cents for feeding Prisoners to Sept 1st 1857 per bill on file

No 226 $ 8 42/100 Ordered that Wm Green be Allowed eight dollars and forty two Cents for repairing jail per bills on file

No 227 $ 2 40/100 Ordered that Chas T Cuttle be Allowed two dollars forty Cents for printing ticket for vote on the Constitution

No 228 $ 8 00/100 Ordered that Wm R Price be Allowed Eight dollars for printing for County per bill on file

No 229 $ 25 00/100 Ordered that John D Terry S.V.C. be allowed Twenty five dollars for three Months Services Ex Officio as Sheriff to Sept 1st 1857

No 230 $ 2 25/100 Ordered that John D Terry S.V.C. be allowed two dollars and twenty five Cents for Summoning jurors for Sept Term as 1857 of the C.C.C.

No 231 $ 2 00/100 Ordered that John D. Terry be Allowed two dollars for advertising elections per bill filed

No 232 $ 1 00/100 Ordered that Ezerah Fairchild be Allowed One dollar for Services as Clerk of an election in Centre township in April as 1857

No 233 $ 3 00/100 Ordered that Ehrist Bippens be Allowed three dollars for services as Clerk at the last August election in Pigeon Township

No 234 $ 1 00 Ordered that Ezrah Fairchild be Allowed One dollar for Services as Clerk at the last August election in Centre Township

No 235 $ 1 00/100 Ordered that John Clark be Allowed One dollar for Services as Judge at the last August election in Centre Township

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No 236 p $1^{00}/_{100}$ Ordered that Barney Leody be allowed one dollar for Services a Judge at an April election in Centre Township in A.D. 1857

No 237 p $1^{00}/_{100}$. Ordered that Barney Leody be allowed One dollar for Services as Judge at the August Election in Centre Township for A.D. 1857

No 238 p $1^{00}/_{100}$ Ordered that D. D. Grimes be allowed One dollar for services as Judge at an April election in A.D. 1857

No 239 p $5^{50}/_{100}$ Ordered that Dr. I. Fisher be allowed Five dollars & fifty Cents for attending upon a pauper in Union Township per bill on file

No 240 p $11^{00}/_{100}$ Ordered that R. Mass be allowed Six dollars for burying pauper in Union Township, per bill on file

No 241 p $18^{00}/_{100}$ Ordered that Saml. Leady be Allowed Eighteen dollars for attendance upon a pauper in Perry Township, per bill on file

No 242 p $42^{14}/_{100}$ Ordered that George W. Bates be Allowed forty-two dollars & fourteen Cents for Provision & Clothing furnished the paupers per bill on file

No 243 p $75^{00}/_{100}$ Ordered that Geo Bates be Allowed Seventy five dollars for provisions &c furnished the County poor house per bill on file

No 244 p $18^{00}/_{100}$ Ordered that Geo Bates be Allowed Eighteen dollars for keeping County poor to Septr 1st 1851 per bill filed

No 245 p $53^{05}/_{100}$ Ordered that Johnston & French be Allowed fifty three dollars & five Cents for goods furnished the County poor per bill on file

No 246 p $2^{00}/_{100}$ Ordered that Morrison Fitzgerald be Allowed two dollars for Viewing & marking return of a road in German Township per bill on file

No 247 p $1^{00}/_{100}$ Ordered that E. Saunders be Allowed One dollar for Services as Supervisor of road in Perry Township per bill on file

No 248 p $1^{00}/_{100}$ Ordered that Wm Martin be Allowed One dollar for Viewing road in ~~Armstrong~~ Kerr & Perry Townships per bill filed

No 249 p $1^{00}/_{100}$ Ordered that R. Hopkins be Allowed One dollar for Viewing road in German Township per bile on file

No 250 p $1^{00}/_{100}$ Ordered that D. D. Grimes be Allowed One dollar for Viewing a road in German Township, per bill on file

No 251 p $1^{00}/_{100}$ Ordered that John Jarvis be Allowed One dollar for Viewing a road in German Township per bile filed

No 252 p $5^{00}/_{100}$ Ordered that James G. Grimmwood be allowed fifve dollars for timber taken from his land for a bridge in Scott Township

~~No 253 p~~ Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow Morning at Seven Oclock & that the Equalization board adjourn until tomorrow Morning at Nine Oclock

Leroy Calvert

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Tuesday morning at Seven Oclock the board met pursuant to adjournement when present as yesterday

No 253 J $7\frac{00}{100}$ Ordered that F A Stone be Allowed Seven dollars for services & expenses as supervisor of roads in Centre Township in A D 1851

No 254 J $1\frac{00}{100}$ Ordered that S. Kirkpatrick be allowed One dollar for services as road viewer in German Township

Now here Louis Richter & Louis Soner viewers Heretofore appointed to view and locate a certain road therein named make report as follows, 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 this honourable board herewith returned we have reviewed 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 nor private utility

Witness our hands this 29th day of August A. D. 1851

Louis Richter
Louis Soner

We the above named viewers do hereby Certify that the above report is a true Copy of our proceedings

Louis Richter
Louis Soner

August 29th 1851

The board duly Considering said Report Approve the same

Tuesday morning Septr 2nd at nine Oclock sik ~~the~~ —

The board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournement when present Simeon Long Leroy Calvert & Alanson Warner members of the County board Ira P. Grainger Saml McDonald Geo B. Wagnon Assistant Appraisers & Wm H Walker County Auditor Members Composing said Word Wilson Shook one of the Assistant Appraisers being Absent

No 256 J $27\frac{00}{100}$ Ordered that John C. Stacer be Allowed Twenty Seven dollars for 18 days services as Assistant Assessor of the personal property for A D 1851 in Vanderburgh County

No 257 J $1\frac{00}{100}$ Ordered that E Saunders be Allowed One dollar for services as judge at the last August Election

No 258 J $8\frac{00}{100}$ Ordered that Sutterlee & Degarmo be Allowed Eight dollars for ironing prisoners for sheriff pr bill on file

Henry Baty Copd

Ordered that Henry Baty be exempted from labour on the public roads in Vanderburgh County he being a Cripple

Ordered that the County Auditor be and he is hereby authorized to have the list (returned for non payment of taxes of 1850) published in the Evansville journal — as the law requires —

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E Saunder applies to the board and complains of being unable to attend to the duties of Supervisor at the same time tenders his resignation as supervisor of road district No 1 Perry Township and the board learning that Mr Saunders is over age & not therefore compelled to serve as such Supervisor & not being able to serve and perform the duties of supervisor. It is ordered that his resignation be accepted by this board, ~~& that~~

Ordered that Wm Barker be & he is hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in ~~and for~~ road district No 1 Perry Township for the year 1851 to serve until his successor is elected & qualified

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Ordered that the Supervisor (R Nightengale) of road district No 3 German Township be authorized and required to pay M Hartline Eight dollars & fifty cents out of the road money that may come into his hands belonging to said road district being the amount paid out by said Hartline as Supervisor of said district in 1850 above the amount received by him

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Now here E Saunders applies to this board for an appropriation out of the County Treasurary for the purpose of erecting a bridge on the Mt Vernon road in road district No 1 Perry Township. And the board duly considering said application consider that said bridge should be built from the labour of the district.

Now here Henry Beckele and fifteen others Citizens of Armstrong Township petition this board for ~~view~~ the appointment of Viewers to view and mark out a road for a private road commencing at a point at the North East Corner of the South West quarter of the South East quarter of Section No Eight (8) in Township No five (5) South of Range No Eleven (11) West thence running South on the line between John N Barva John Hoffhar William Rogers Junr William O Conner and Christian Swetfiger to the South East Corner of the West half of the North East quarter of Section No Seventeen (17) thence West on the line between William O'Conner and Henry Beckly to the South West Corner of the West half of the North East quarter of Section No Seventeen (17) thence South on the line between Henry Beckly John N Kottee and Peter Bumgard to a hickory tree marked "A" thence South West across the South East Corner of the East half of the South West quarter of Section No Seventeen (17) and still running South West till it intersects the old Tobacco road near John A Hellers. And the board duly considering said report. It is now here ordered that John A Ewin John Prewitt & Simon Williams be and they are hereby appointed Viewers to view and mark out said road according to the prayer of said petitioners & that they make report to this board at the next session thereof

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No 259 p $1.50/100 Ordered that Theodore Masker be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for services as supervisor of roads in 1850

Ordered that the board adjourne until tomorrow morning at 8 O'Clock & that the Equalization board adjourne until the same hour

Leroy Calvert

September Session A. D. 1851

Wednesday morning September 3rd the board met pursuant to adjournement when present as yesterday. The board of Equalization also met pursuant to adjournement when present as of yesterday.

Now here at the March Session A. D. 1851 ~~this board appointed~~ Saml. McDonald John Shelton & Wm Martin, viewers heretofore appointed to review a certain County road, leading from the Princeton State road at Moses Barnes & terminating at a point on the Princeton County road near ~~P. Hornbrooks~~ J. C. Stacey ~~old place~~ and assess the damages sustained by Moses Barnes, P. Hornbrook & others made their which report was ~~made and recorded~~ at said March Term recorded on page 218 of this record, (+) & it appearing to this board that said road is not yet opened and an application having been made for an order to open said road. It is therefore now here ordered that the supervisors in Scott Township through whose districts said road passes are authorized & required to open said road 30 feet in width & keep the same in good repair

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No 260 f $23.25/100 Ordered that Saml. Delzell & Co be allowed Twenty three dollars & twenty five cents for books & stationary for the County per bill on file

No 261 f $8.25/100 Ordered that Christian Decker be allowed Eight dollars & twenty five cents for keeping pound & furnishing a plough ~~share~~ for Geo. Bates per bill filed

No 262 f $25.00/100 Ordered that Saml. T. Jenkins be allowed Twenty five dollars for Ex Officio services as Clerk of the V. C. C.

No 263 f $25.00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed Twenty five dollars for Ex Officio services as Auditor of V. C. to sep. 1851

No 264 f $12.70/100 Ordered that Saml. T. Jenkins be allowed Twelve dollars & seventy cents for cash by him pd for book for the Clerk & Recorder Office

No 265 f $3.00/100 Ordered that C. Knowles be allowed ~~four~~ three dollars & seventy five cents for services as supervisor of roads in Ap. 1850 per bill filed

No 266 f $3.00/100 Ordered that John F. Crispt be allowed three dollars for services as clerk at the late August in Pigeon election,

Ordered that the board adjourne until tomorrow morning at seven o'clock & that the board of Equalization adjourne to meet at the same hours

Leroy Calvert P. R.

September Session A. D. 1851

Thursday morning September 4th the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as of yesterday

The board of Equalizers also met pursuant to adjournment when present as yesterday & Wilson Shook appears & takes his seat on the Equalization Board

No 267 p $23.25/100 Ordered that Robert Fergus be allowed twenty three dollars and twenty five cents for Chairs &c furnished the poor house

No 268 p $1.80/100 Ordered that Dawn & Ille be allowed one dollar and eighty cents for stone work furnished the poor Asylum

No 269 p $2.50/100 Ordered that J. Burbank be allowed two dollars & fifty cents for a plough furnished Geo. Bates for the poor house

No 270 p $2.00/100 Ordered that Geo. Bates be allowed two dollars for corn furnished the County poor house

No 271 p 11.00/100 Ordered that Geo Bates be allowed Eleven dollars for burying dead paupers to Sept 1851 per bill filed

No 272 p $10.00/100 Ordered that Elizabeth Fogdery be allowed ~~ten~~ dollars for attending James Edwards at her house who died of Cholera

No 273 $12.00/100 Ordered that Wm Miller be allowed twelve dollars for wood for poor house per bill filed

Now here the State Associate judge C. M. Griffith produces a bill for 45 days services as Dutch judge & asks the board for an extra Allowances. and the board duly considering said bill Consider two dollars per day sufficient pay for Dutch services & disallow said bill for Extra pay

Ephraim Phar Supervisor of road district No 1 Knights Township for 1850. Make report of his services as Dutch Supervisor. and the board duly Considering said report do now here approve the same

No 274 p $2.25/100 Ordered that Ephraim Phar be allowed two dollars & twenty five cents for services as Supervisor in 1850

No 275 p $1.25/100 Ordered that E. Phar be Allowed one dollar & twenty five cents for straw furnished the County jail

Ordered that the board adjourn until ~~to~~ tomorrow morning at seven oclock And that the Equalization board adjourn to meet at the same hour

Leroy Calvert J P

September Session A. D. 1851

Friday morning September fifth the board met pursuant to adjournement when present as of yesterday
The board of Equalization also met pursuant to adjournement when present as of yesterday

No 276 p $2.00/100 Ordered that ~~N. Farling~~ Wm Hays be allowed two dollars for services rendered as Constable at an inquest held over the body of N Farling in union Township.

No 277 p $1.50/100 Ordered that Geo W. Glover be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for summonsing a jury for the Coroner at an inquest held over the body of Mitchell Cook in Pigeon Township

No 278 p $3.00/100 Ordered that John Walsh be allowed three dollars for services as judge at the late August election in Pigeon Township

No 279 p $4.00/100 Ordered that Sherman Fairchild be allowed four dollars for services as Inspector of elections in Centre Township per bill on file

No 280 p $4.65/100 Ordered that Martin Schmoll be allowed four dollars & sixty five cents for services as inspector of Elections in Pigeon Township

No 281 p $2.75/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed two dollars & seventy five cents for cash paid for burrying a pauper child per bill filed

No 282 p $2.00/100 Ordered that A. H. Saunders be allowed two dollars for advertising notice of Meeting of the board of Equalization p

No 283 p $60.42/100 Ordered that Ellis & Schlamp be allowed sixty dollars & forty two cents for groceries & clothing furnished the county poor house to Geo. Bates per bill on file

No 284 p $24.00/100 Ordered that Thomas Gifford be allowed twenty four dollars for balance of bill for building a culvert & wing wall at the bayou below Martin Stinsons per bill filed.

No 285 p $10.16/100 Ordered that Thomas Gifford be allowed Ten dollars and sixteen cents for diging ditch for wing wall &c per bill on file

No 286 p $55.50/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed fifty five dollars & fifty cents for burry paupers per bill on file

No 287 p $10.00/100 Ordered that Dr. Jesse Burns be allowed Ten dollars for ~~allen~~ medical attendance upon Mrs Young by order of the overseer of the poor

No 288 p $168.00/100 Ordered that Alanson Warner be allowed One hundred & sixty eight dollars for 84 days service Assessing & appraising real Estate for the year 1851 per bill on file

No 289 p 90.00/100 Ordered that Saml. McDonald be allowed One hundred & twenty dollars for sixty days services assistant Appraisor of V.C. for ad 1851 per bill on file, thirty dollars of which was issued at the June session

No 290 p 44.75/100 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed forty four dollars & seventy five cents for part of his bill for making duplicate for 1851

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No 291 J $162,00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be Alloued One hundred and sixty two dollars for part of bill for making duplicates for 1851

No 292 J $50,86/100 Ordered that Wm H Walker be Alloued fifty dollars & eighty six cents for balance of bill for making Tax duplicates for A.D. 1851

No 293 J $50,00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed fifty dollars for services as County Auditor per bill on file

No 294 J $38,80/100 Ordered that Wm H Walker be Alloued thirty eight dollars & eighty cents for services as County Auditor per bill on file

No 295 J $3,75/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be Alloued three dollars & seventy five cents for cash pd for paper & repairing lock on Clerks office per bill filed

No 296 J $20,00/100 Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be Allowed fifty dollars for part of his bill for Assessing & Appraising the real Estate of the County as Assistant Appraiser for 1851 per bill on file thirty dollas of which was issued at the June session

No 297 J $52,00/100 Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be Alloued fifty two dollars for part pay for fifty One days services as Assistant Appraiser of the County of Vanderburgh for the year 1851

Now here D. D. Grimes and Others viewers heretofore Appointed by this board come in & make their report in words & figures following to wit:

"We the undersigned viewer appointed by the board of County Commissioners, to view and locate a road or Cart way on the petitions of Lawrence Droll do report that we have met and viewed said road and report as follows, to Commence on or at the west Corner of Naabs line and runs east on the line between said Ciperts and Naabs, till it intersects the road from Harmony to Evansville, and said road runs on Ciperts land, and be sixteen feet wide all of which we respectfully submit to the Honorable board.

this 27th day of August 1851

D. D. Grimes
Reuben Hopkins
John Jarvis

No 298 J $108,00/00 Ordered that Wilson Shook be Alloued One hundred ~~dollar~~ & thirty eight dollars for sixty nine days services as Assistant Appraiser of Vanderburgh County in A.D. 1851, less thirty dollars which was alloued at the June session

Now here Thomas E. Garvin Esqr County Agent Comes before this board & makes report as such County Agent in words and figures following, to wit;

"The undersigned reports that since the last meeting of the Board of Commissioners he has recd. and paid into the Office of the Treasurer the sum of 183 91/100 being balance of money left in hands of Jno. M. Kitchknell by Jno N. Kikendall late Co Agent

Sept 5th 1851

Thos. E. Garvin
Co. Agent

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No 299 p 12,50/100 Ordered that Thomas E Garvin Co agt be Allowed twelve dollars & fifty cents for one quarters Services as County Agent to Septr A.D. 1851

Now here the board ~~board~~ Appropriates the sum of fifty dollars Out of the County Treasury for the purpose of building a bridge on the State road leading from Evansville to Mt Vernon at a point on said road in district number One Perry Township where Saunders' creek crosses said road, And this board agrees with Wm C Saunders to build said bridge for the said sum, to be Completely finished & with two framed bents one on the Evansville side of said bridge & one in the Centre with a good ground sill on the Oposite side or end thereof to be floored with two inch oak plank (to use the Old plank wherein it is suitable) and have substantial hand rails from end to end & finish the aprons And when said bridge is Completed to the Acceptance of Simeon Long who is hereby Authorized to oversee the work and receive the same, then said Saunders will be entitled to the above appropriation on the Order of said Long drawn on the Auditor of the County Who is hereby Ordered to issue the same

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~~Now here John Haag And Others Citizens of Armstrong Township present their Remonstrance to this board against the opening of a certain road~~

Now here Wm Ritchey & John H Bier two of the Viewers heretofore appointed to view out & mark a certain road therein named make report of their proceedings as follows, to wit;

"The Honourable the board of Commissioners of 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 to view and lay out the road therein mentioned having been first duly sworn according to law have viewed and laid out the same And return it as a road of utility as follows to wit Beginning [at] A Black Oak Tree marked "A" ten or twelve rods East of the North Corner of the North West quarter of the South East quarter of Section No 35 in township 4 South of range 11 West [to a] County road leading from Evansville to Owensville ~~thence running from Evansville to Owensville~~ thence running West One Mile and a quarter On the line between John Kissel And John G Fisher Henry Wolf And Christopher Sautenschliger Hephory Gerhart heirs And Benjamin Bourns heirs to the North West Corner of the North West quarter of the South East quarter of Section 34 belonging to Henry Walker thence South One half mile to the South West Corner of the South West quarter of the South East quarter of Section 34 thence West One half mile on the Section line between Section 34 in Town 4 And Section 3 in Town 5 to the North West Corner of the North West quarter of Section No 3 thence South One half

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Mile to the South West Corner of said North west quarter thence west one quarter of a Mile to the North west Corner of the East half of the South East quarter of Section No 4 thence South one quarter of a Mile to the South East Corner of the North West quarter of the South East quarter of said Section (4 thence west one quarter of a Mile to the North west Corner of the South West quarter of the South East quarter of said section 4 thence South one quarter of a Mile to the South East Corner of the South West quarter of Section 4 thence west one quarter of a Mile to a Hickory tree Marked "13" on the road leading from Evansville to Cynthiana at the South East Corner of the South West quarter of the South west quarter of Section 4 Town 5 Range 11 West all of which is respectfully reported witness our hands this 20th day of August 1851

Wm Richey
John Henry Bier

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And now here at the time of Presenting & reading & filing ~~presenting~~ said Report "~~Georg~~ John Haag and others present a remonstrance which is ordered to be placed on file. And the board Appoints Joseph Cater, George W. Finch & Kirby Armstrong be ~~and~~ they are hereby appointed to examine the complaints of the Owners of land through which the said road passes and report the damages sustained by reason of the Opening of said road through their premises, the ~~meeting~~ said viewers to meet at Saml. McDonald's on the 4th monday in October next & decide upon the duties of their Appointment, & report to this board at the next ensuing Term

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It is now here Ordered that John W. Foster be & he is hereby Appointed as a Student to the State University at Bloomington for the County of Vanderburgh if the vacancy ~~should~~ is not at present filled

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Now here Wm C. B. Scranton and thirty two others Citizens of Centre & Germans Townships present a Petition to this Board Asking the Appointment of Viewers to view and mark out & locate a certain County road Beginn at a certain Blazed Dogwood Tree on the West ~~half~~ side of the County road leading from Lamasco City to Princeton on the land of Sullivan Pratt & Thatcher, it being the North East quarter of Section No 13 Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West thence running in a North westerly direction through said Section 13. and a part of Section 12 belonging to Andrew Erskine and through Wm B Scrantons land in said Section. Thence ~~through~~ Mary Smiths or Thomas Krons land land in Section (11) Eleven, Thence through a part of John Bomb & Elizabeth Johnstons land in said Section Eleven to intersect a County road at the South East Corner of George B. Wagnons land And the board duly considering said petition and the thing therein. and being satisfied that the notices had been given according to law, ~~& the proceeding~~ ~~[illegible]~~ regular

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It is Now here Ordered that J. H. Messick William McCrary & Hiram Stinchfield be and they are hereby Appointed to view locate & mark out said road according to law and report to this board at the next Term thereof

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Report of Wm Martin & Ira Cavins two of the viewers heretofore appointed appointed by this board. ~~Make report in the~~ words & figures following; to wit;

To the honourable the board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County and State of Indiana. We the undersigned viewers having been appointed by this honourable board at their June Session 1851 after being duly sworn. Proceeded to view mark and lay out a private ~~road~~ ~~mark~~ in Perry Township beginning at a black oak stump on the land of John F. Clauside in Section Sixteen in Township No 6 South of range No 11 West on the road on a ridge that divides the waters of big Creek and Wagnons Creek. Thence running in a Southerly direction on the ridge through and over the land of John F. Clauside in Section Sixteen. Thence in a Southwardly direction. Thence across a part of Martin Headenbach land in Section No 16. thence on the same direction on the line dividing the land of Martin Headenbach, and George Meyres in Section No 16. Thence in a Southwardly direction on the line dividing George Defenbaugh and Joseph Schavender. ~~and Joseph Schavender~~ until it strikes the Cornfield of said Defenbaugh in said Section No 16. Thence in a Southeasterly direction across a part of the land of John M. Lockwood in Section No 21 until it intersects a County road at a Pawpaw bush on Creek at the road leading from Evansville to William's Ferry. in pursuance of an Order of appointment, we met on the 9th day of August 1851 We have viewed marked and laid out a private road we are of opinion that the above described road is a road of great utility to the Petitioners. As witness our hands August 9th 1851

William Martin }
Ira Cavins } Viewers

It is ordered that said report be approved and the road opened by the petitioners to the width of twenty feet & kept in good condition

It is Now here ordered that the sum of One hundred dollars be appropriated out of the County Treasury for the purpose of building a culvert on a ravine or creek near the north line of Lamasco City ~~town~~. and that Alanson Warner Esq be & he is hereby appointed to superintend the construction of said Culvert & the said appropriation to be drawn on his order as the work progresses

It is Ordered that Alanson Warner Esq be and he is hereby Authorized ordered & directed to act as agent for the County in ~~the~~ letting the work of grading the public square and repaving the same. And it is further Ordered that said Warner be & he is hereby Authorized to draw orders on the County Auditor for Orders from time to time to pay the expenses of grading & repaving in front of the public square in Evansville as the same progresses And the Auditor is Ordered to issue orders on said orders when presented to him.

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Ordered that the County Auditor be and he is hereby Authorized & directed to issue to Thomas Gifford from time to time Orders for work on the embankment near Morton Stevensons across the Bayou on the road leading from Evansville to Henderson, the Amount to be issued to the 2/3 of the estimate of work done on said embankment estimate to be made by P. H. Woodward

Ordered that Manson Warner be and he is hereby Authorized & directed to send from this County such Paupers as he may deem it advantageous to the County to send off. And that the Auditor Authorize the County Auditor to draw such Orders on the Co Treasury as may be necessary to carry into effect this Order & that the Auditor be & he is hereby Ordered & directed to issue Orders to A Warner or upon his authority to an Other for the purpose of enabling said Warner to perform the duties enjoined upon him by this Order

Ordered that Christian Decker be and he is hereby Appointed Pound Keeper for the County of Vanderburgh to serve for One year from 1st September AD 1851 & until his Successor is qualified

Ordered that twenty dollars be appropriated out of the County Treasury to build an Apron to the new bridge near Shoops over the bayou & Simpson Long be Authorized to draw for said Appropriation when said work is Completed & the Auditor Ordered to issue an Order for the same on the production of said Vouchers

It is now here Ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County that the following taxes be levied and assessed for the purposes of Revenue for the Year 1851 as follows to Wit.

For State purposes the Board levies and fixes the taxes as follows On each and every One hundred dollars Valuation of all the property entered on the general list of taxable for purposes of taxation, twenty five Cents And for each and every Poll subject by law to taxation ~~thirty two~~ Cents, And also the further sum of One Cent And seven and a half mills for the Indiana Hospital for the Insane, And the sum of two cents and two and one half mills for the Asylum for the Deaf & Dumb And the sum of One and one half Cents for the Institution for the Education of the Blind. And for the purposes of County Revenue the board now here levies and fixes the taxes for said Year 1851 As follows, to wit. On each and every One hundred dollars Valuation of taxable property entered as aforesaid the sum of thirty three and one half Cents And on each and every Poll subject by law to taxation One dollar, And for Common School purposes two Cents on each One hundred dollars Valuation as aforesaid

(according to an Act Approved January 1st 1849) to be assessed on free white persons and also on the amount of premiums on insurance received in this state the sum of three dollars on each & every one hundred dollars thereof. And a tax of twenty five cents on each and every white male citizen subject by law to pay a pole tax And to pay the interest on County Bonds issued by Order of the Board of County Commissioners of Vanderburgh County the Board levies and fixes the tax at sixteen cents on each and every one hundred dollars valuation of taxables as aforesaid

No 300 p $21.50/100 Ordered that Dr John R Wilcox be allowed Twenty one dollars & fifty cents for medical attendance upon paupers per bill on file

No 301 p $6.00/100 Ordered that Drs Bray & Ronalds be allowed Six dollars for medical attendance on paupers per bill on file

No 302 p $8.00/100 Ordered that Geo B. Wagnon be allowed Eight dollars for 4 days services as assistant Appraiser of V.C. per bill on file

No 303 p $1.00/100 Ordered that Setchell & White be allowed One dollar for hack hire for Commissioners per bill on file

No 304 p $16.50/100 Ordered that Bray & Ronalds be allowed Sixteen dollars & fifty cents for medical attendance upon paupers per bill on file

No 305 p $7.25/100 Ordered that Peter Cutman be allowed Seven dollars ~~for~~ and twenty five cents for stands &c furnished poor house per bill on file

No 306 p $8.25/100 Ordered that Geo Bates be allowed Eight dollars & twenty five cents for burrying Paupers per bill on file

No 307 p $10.00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long be allowed ten dollars for 5 days Official Services at the September Term 1851 of the board of Commissioners of V.C.

No 308 p $10.00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed ten dollars for five days Official Services at the Septr Term AD 1851 of the Board of Commissioners of V.C.

No 309 p $10.00/100 Ordered that Alanson Warner be allowed ten dollars for five days Official Services at the September Term AD 1851 of the board of Commissioners of V.C.

Ordered that the Board adjourne until Court in Course

Ordered that the Board of Equalization adjourne until tomorrow morning at Eight O'Clock

Leroy Calvert P.R.
Simeon Long
A Warner

Special Board of Equalization September 6th A.D. 1851

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } ss

This Certifies that at an Election legaed and held at the School House in district No. 8 in Town 6 South Range 11 West in Perry Township James Houston was duly elected to serve for the term of three years & until his successor has been elected & qualified

Saturday Morning September 6th the Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment as of Yesterday, when present

The Board of Equalization have made the following changes after a thorough examination of the property on the Assessors abstract for Pigeon Township to and including part of the lists & to & letter "L" and including part of the list in said letter

							Present Value	Equalized Value	Increase	Present Reduction	Equalized Value	decrease
No 2	Ellis & House on 48 x 75 Corner Lot				O.P. Lot	20	9,800	11,000	1,200			
					D. Ent "	165	1,000	1,500	500			
No 4	Anthony Mc Kains of				O.P. "	127	1,000	1,200	200			
	" " "				" " "	128	1,000	1,500	500			
	"	and 4/5 of			D. Ent	165	800	1,200	400			
No 20	" James " Robert				D. Ent 4/6 of 141 & 2					1,400	1800	6
					D. Ent 1/6 of 142 + all of 143		1,875	2,500	625			
No 22	Baker & Garvin pt S.E. qr of Sec	29	6	10	10 acres					1,000	500	
No 35	Battolf J. L. pt of Sec	19	6	10	1		150	200	50			
No 33	Blackford Isaac S 1/3 S 1/3 N.W. qr	29	6	10	26 6/100		4,000	5350	1,350			
"	"				O.P.	1	1,000	2,000	1,000			
					Prior A. & L. &	1	500	1,000	500			
No 35	Bray M. L.				L.E. = 16 3/4 of	6				4,100	3800	
No 42	Bloodgood & Richards N.E. Cor. fr	30	6	10	10		3,000	8,000	5,000			
" 45	Bell Crawford				W. Ent	45						
					" "	46	4,000	5,000	1,000			
					D. Ent	178	1,000	1,500	500			
" 59	Bates Wm				O.P.	125	1,000	1,700	700			
					" "	126	1,000	1,300	300			
" 57	Blythe James E.				East Ent	10	1					
	" " "				E " "	11	1					
					" "	12	1	1,300	1,500	200		
" 62	Bullock & Gresh N.W. qr S.E. qr	18	6	10	40		400	600	200			
" 79	Brinkman Fred. S.E. pt S.E. qr	19	6	10	17		3,400	4,200	800			
	pt S.E. qr	19	6	10	2 50/100		500	625	125			
" 82	Battell & Law				O.P.	21						
	" " "				& 30 feet of	22	10,500	12,000	1,500			
+	Orr Samuel 40 feet by 75 N.E. pt of				= L.E.	5				2,000	1,300	700
No 93	Carpenter Willard pt N.E. qr	29	6	10	42		1,600	2,500	900			
	N. end of A. Lot 4 S.E. qr	19	6	10	7 75/100		1,875	3,000	1,125			
	pt W. fr. sec	30	6	10	4 85/100		4,000	7,275	3,275			
	E fr N.W. qr	21	6	10	80		1,600	2,400	800			
					O.P. pr	19				4,700	4200	550
					" " 69 &	28	1,500	2,000	500			
					" "	25				4,000	3,000	1,000
					" N.W. 1/4	83	425	4,250	3725			
					L. Ent	2			1,000	4,000	3500	500
					" " W. 1/4	6				875	750	125

Board of Equalization September 6th A.D. 1857

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Board of Equalization September 6th 1851

No Foster M.W.						O.P.	36						
						+ 5 feet of	35		14,000	15,250			
Fergus Robert						D. Eul	174		1,000	2,000			
						1/2 " "	179		2,375	2,725			
Mitchell John	W pt N Eq	24	6	11	106 67/100				4,000	6,000			
" "						5/6 of	12		10,000	11,000			
	frac 5 & 6	7	10	679 02/100					12,000	13,000			

The board after having deliberately examined the lists in Pigeon Township to have made the foregoing alterations

Ordered that the board of Equalization adjourne until ~~tomorrow~~ Monday morning the 8th inst at 9 O'Clock. Leroy Calvert

Monday Morning September 8th 1851 the board of Equalizers met pursuant to adjournement when present as of Saturday with the exception of Leroy Calvert who was not present

Groesbeck J. H.	pt S W gr	29	6	10	7 38/100				1,200	1,850			
Gavin & Carpenter	2 1/2 Subd				of	81 O.P.				450			
Grebb						E. Eul	1	B 4				1500	1200
Griffith Rachael						D. Eul	193		1,000	1,200	200		
Garvin & Darling					34 1/2 feet	" "	229		2,025	2,600 / 150	575		
Grundys heirs	E 1/2 S W	21	6	10	80		7	B 5	1,600	2,400			
Greek John	pt S Eq S W gr	18	6	10	21				210	420	210		
Gleichman John						Lamasco	5	76		200	200		
Hubbard Saml.	pt N W gr	29	6	10	10				3,000	5,000			
Hurley John						D. Eul	211		1,000	1,500			
Hallock A. C.						D. Eul N 1/2	196		450	600			
Hopkins W. H. H.	W 1/2 N W gr	21	6	10	80				1,600	2,400			
Hall Saml. and 1/2 Lots	4 & 5 in S Eq	19	6	10	11 47/100				1,435	2,300			
Hyde Joseph 1/3	E side N E gr	24	6	11	53 33/100				2,670	5,300			
" "						D. Eul		222				300	100
Harrington C.						D. Eul	212		700	1,200			
Hornby Henry (Estimated 3 acres)	in frac	30	6	10	1 1/4				3,000	6,800	3,800		
Ingle John Jr	1/4 of Ant Lots 4 & 5 in S Eq	19	6	10	11 47/100				718	1,150	332		
	pt N W gr	29	6	10	10				300	1,300			
Jackson Jesse	N W gr S W gr	21	6	10	42				840	1,260			
Jackson Jesse & Priscilla heirs	N 1/2 E 1/2 S E gr	20	6	10	24				620	740			
Jackson Henry heirs of	S 1/2 E 1/2 S E gr	20	6	10	40				800	1,200			
Jenkins Richard	E 1/2 E 1/2 N E gr	20	6	10	40				1,000	1,600			
	pt N W gr	19	6	10	20				1,500	2,600			
						Alley 1/2 D.E.	202		900	1,200			
						" "	184		1,400	1,800			
Jones Algernon						O.P.	47		2,700	3,000			
Kuchle John	pt S E gr	20	6	10	16 17/100				650	970	320		
Keith Jacob	pt S E gr	20	6	10	16 16/100				650	970	320		
Ingle James	1/4 and Lots 4 & 5 N E	19	6	10	11 47/100				717	1,150	433		
Longworth & Miles	S W gr	20	6	10	160				24,000	28,000			
Sinck F. A.						O.P. 1/2 E 1/2 of		50	150			1,500	1,300
Laughlin James						O.P. 45 x 150 ft of	17					9,500	8,000
" "						Lamasco	B	161	1,600	2,000			
Laughlin Alexander						O.P. 30 x 150 ft of	17		7,000	8,000			

Ordered that the Board of Equalizers adjourne until tomorrow morning at 8 O'Clock

Simeon Long Pr. Pro.

Kaiser Joseph Eastern Eul 17 B1 450 reduced to 300

Board of Equalization September 9th 1851

Tuesday morning Septr 9th at 8 O'Clock the Board of Equalizers Met pursuant to adjournement when present as of Yesterday After

After duly examining the Appraisers lists for 1851 the Board Makes the following Changes, to wit;

Lewis Octavia E.						O.P.	135		1,500	2,000	500			
						" "	136		1500	2,000	500			
						pt lots 15 & 16	O.P.		14,000	14,500	500			
Laughlin Alx & Co	pt fract	30	6	10	4				4,000	11,200	7200			
Laughlin James Jr	" "	30	6	10	1				1,000	1,500	500			
"		19	6	10	2½				65	250	185			
Groesbeck J. H.	pt N.W. gr	29	6	10	7 38/100				1200	1,400	200			
Lister Saml						D Eul ¼ of	205		~~940~~ 938	1,398	460			
						O.P. ¾ of	129		1,000	1,275	275			
McJohnston Arthur	E½ S.E. gr 80 & E½ of W½ S.E. gr 40 acres	32	6	10	120				2,400	3,000	600			
Morgan Daniel	pr W½ E½ N.E. gr	20	6	10	40				1,000	1,600	600			
Maxwell Edw	S.W. gr	17	6	10	160				3,200	4,000	800			
Maxwell James	E pt S.E. gr	17	6	10	139 76/100				2,795	4,200	1,405			
Negley Wm P.						O.P.	180		3,750	5,625	1,875			
Nevins Benj						D Eul	209		1,600	2,000	400			
Posey Fayette						" "	206		5,250	6,000	750			
Parrett Robert	S pt N.W. gr	32			143 40/100				6,250	7,150	900			
S Bray M. Jr	S pt frac	31	6	10										
Shanklin John					Imp on ¼ of		85			500	500			
" " "	S.W. gr S.E. gr	20	6	10					1,000	1,200	200	00	00	
						Lower Eul S.E. ½		4				2200	1,800	400
Sower Wm H.	N.W. cor N.W. gr act. lot 4	29	6	10	1½					450	added.	250 land + 200 imp		
Sharp Peter	Subd 3 of S.E. gr	19	6	10	56 68/100				11,200	14,000	2,800			
Small Martin						S.E. S.W. ⅕		160		1,050	left	aff	dup	
						und ½ 45 x 75		177		320	"	"	"	
Satterlee Varner						D Eul	204		6,250	7,000	750			
Smith Thos R	E½ act lot 5	29	6	10	5				1,000	1,500	500			
Sherwood M						O.P.	138		750	1,000	250			
" "						" " ½	179		1,775	2,220	445			
"					Mid pt	" " 17½ ft of	182		875	1,050	175			
Smith And heirs of						D Eul	207		1,000	1,200				
Skaats J heirs of						S.E. S½ of	3					2,200	1,800	
~~Stratton J. H.~~						James Co Cty		80	800	1,300				
Stinson J. M.	N.W. cor	31	6	10	6 85/100				1,000	3,000				
Talbert Benj S						D Eul	225		1000	1500				
Vanduzen Martin	S side N.W. gr	17	6	10	45				450	675				
Walker Geo B		18	6	10	64				1,200	1,600				
						D Eul pt	164		1,200	1,300				
						" " ¾	163		1,500	2,000				
Warner A						O.P. ⅓	91							
						" "	92		4,000	5,000				
Whitehead John Jr	pt	19	6	10	6				300	600				
Wingert Henry						S.E.	182		1,800	2,300				
Neff Wm	pt S.W. gr	29	6	10	4 11/100				616	1,016				

Ordered that the Board of Equalizers adjourne until tomorrow morning at 8 O'Clock

Simeon Lacy Pro Tem

Board of Equalization September 9th AD 1851

Wednesday morning September 10th the Board met pursuant to adjournment when present as of Yesterday

Knight & Centre

The Board proceeds to the examination of the Appraisers list of Knight & Centre Townships. and make the following Changes to wit

Knight Township	Aikin Daul	and ~~and~~ ⅓ of E½ Frac	13+14	7	10	83⅓	1920	2,100		
	Aikin David Jr	" ⅓ E½ pt Frac	14	7	10	83⅓	1990	2,100		
	McCallister Paulina	pt Frac	14	7	10	152	3.400	3,800		
	McCallister Aeneas	" "	14	7	10	76	1,750	1,900		
	Phar Ephraim	W½ W½ SW gr	26	6	10	40	480	600		
	" " S.E. gr	———	27	6	10	160	1.920	2400		
	Kelsey Lorin A.	in sec	27	6	10	112 30/100	1.455	1,680		
	Stockwell W. H.	S.E. gr	22	6	10	159	2.067	2,400		
Centre Township										
	Apple J. M.	S.E. gr N.W.	4	6	10	42	336	400		
	Barber & Griffin	pt N.W. gr N.E. gr Imp on					200	300		
	Daub Michael heirs	N.W. gr N.W. gr	30	5	10	40	112	240		
	Durst Gottlieb	S.W. gr S.W. gr	25	5	11	40	200	not raised		
	Evans R. M. heirs	N.E. gr	9	6	10	160	1.400	1,600		
	" " " "	N.W. gr	9	6	10	160	1.500	1,600		
	" " " "	S.E. gr	4	6	10	160	1.280	1.600		
	" " " "	S.W. gr	4	6	10	160	1500	1 600		
	Evans C. C. heirs of	N.E. gr	15	6	10	160	1.500	1 600		
	Erskine Wm V	W½ N.W. gr	33	5	10	80	600	800		
	Erskine Andrew	N.E. gr S.W. gr	33	5	10	40	280	400		
		N. pt W½ S.W. gr	33	5	10	43	340	430		
	Fairchild Sherman	Imprvts on	29	5	10		370	500		
	Cody Barney	Impt on S.W. gr	30	5	10		350	500		
	Harper David	N½ W½ N.E. gr	29	5	10	40	300	400		
	Hyde Joseph	S.E. gr S.W. gr	33	5	10	40	300	400		
	Inwood John	E½ N.E. gr ~~W½ S.W. gr~~	29	5	10	72	576	726	155	(X)
	Inwood Geo.	W½ S.W. gr	28	5	10	80	640	800		
	Kontz Christopher		24	5	10	160	960	1.200		
	Loehr Jacob	Impts on pt N end W½	8	6	10		450	800		
	Miller Jacob	Impts	8	6	10		315	400		
	McMurran M.	Impts on pt N.W. gr	8	6	10		718	800		
	Onyett Thos	N.E. gr N.W. gr	4	6	10	40	340	400		
	Onyett John	N.E. gr	12	6	11	160	1.760	2400		
	"	E½ N.W. gr	12	6	11	80	720	800		
	Jones Joshua	pt N end S.E. gr	12	6	11	59	708	880		
	Smith Robert	S end S.E. gr	19	6	11	100	1,212	1.500		
	" "	W½ N.W. S.W. gr	7	6	10	15 70/100	180	275		
	Trobridge Levi	S.E. gr	20	6	10	160	1.050	1.600		
Union Township										
	Anthony B. F.	pt Frac	1	8	11	150			3750	3000
	Edmonds John	E½	9	7	11	320	1,920	2,560		
		E½ S.W. gr	9	7	11	80	400	640		
		mid pt	10	7	11	176	1258	3.520		
		E½ N.W. gr	26	7	11	80	720	1,200		
		pt Frac S½	23	7	11	5	45	75		
		W½ N.E. gr	5	8	11	55	660	825		

Edmonds John		S/2	S/2	32	y	11	106 38/100	1250	1600	
Edmonds Susan		und 2/3	S/2 pt	15	y	11	100	1000	1,250	
Foulcon Benj		W/2	E. S.Wgr	9	8	11	46 67/100		372	550
Gerrard Wm	et ux	S.Wgr		8	8	11	80	760	1,200	
	pt.	S/2	S.Wgr	8	8	11	46 67/100	550	690	
Gerrard Hannah		S.Wgr	N.Egr	8	8	11	40	200	320	
Greathouse Wheirs of			N.Egr	21	y	11	160			1610 1,000
			S.Wgr	28	y	11	160	810	1,000	
Harwood Henry heirs of			Frac	23	y	11	7	63	105	
		W/2	N.Egr	26	y	11	80	720	1,200	
Hawkins Thomas		E pt	E/2	S.Wgr	9	8	11	46 67/100	368	550
Ingle & Wheeler		W/2	N.Egr	35	y	11	80	640	1000	
King John		N.Egr	S.Egr	35	y	11	40	320	500	
		S/2	S.Egr	N.Egr	35	y	11	20	160	250
King J.W.	N pt S.Egr	N.Egr		35	y	11	20	160	250	
Long Lyneon		S.Wgr	S.Wgr	28	y	11	40	200	300	
Long Allen		S/2	S.Wgr	5	8	11	80	960	1,200	
Lewallan Wiley heirs of		W/2	S.Wgr	8	8	11	80	720	960	
Long Reuben heirs of		N 1/2	S.Wgr	5	8	11	79 45/100	1322	1200	
Long Levi heirs of		S/2	N.Wgr	5	8	11	70 44/100	840	1050	
McLausland Henry		E/2	N.Egr	8	8	11	80	560	800	
		S.Wgr	N.Egr	8	8	11	40	280	400	
"Moore" H. B.		E/2	S.Egr	8	8	11	80	720	950	
Maddux Alexander		S pt	Frac	10	7	11	60	1,080	1,200	
Neal Lewis		Wend	N/2	S.Wgr	35	y	11	40	280	400
S.R. Neal	und 1/2	N/2	S.Wgr	35	y	11	40	280	400	
Neal Lewis	und pt	W/2	S.Egr	9	8	11	46 67/100	370	550	
Decamps Abram		N.Egr	S.Egr	3	8	11	40	240	320	
Clay B. M.		S/2	S.Egr	N.Egr	26	7	11	21	189	315
Clay J. F.		S.Egr	S.Egr	3	8	11	40	280	360	
Roush R.L.		E/2	S.Wgr	2	8	11	80	640	960	
Strowd B.F. & C		S.Egr	N.Egr	10	8	11	40	240	320	
Strowd Allen			E/2	S.Egr	9	8	11	80	720	1,000
			E pt	W/2	S.Egr	9	8	11	20	180	240
Strowd Nelson			W/2	S.Wgr	9	8	11	80	520	960
Sickle Andrew				S.Egr	26	7	11	160	1280	1600
Shapman Asph heirs		N.Egr	S.Egr	35	7	11	40	280	400	
Perry Township										
Coleman R.B.				S.Wgr	17	6	11	160	800	1200
Cordman H.		und 1/2		S.Wgr	29	6	11	80	400	600
Dutton J.		" 1/2		S.Wgr	29	6	11	80	400	600
Decker & Cramer		N.Egr	N.Egr	26	6	11	40	1000	2000	
Nagy John		N.Egr	S.Egr	19	6	11	70	230	420	
" "		S side	S.Egr	S.Wgr	19	6	11	40	140	240
Kornsel Francis		N.Egr	N.Egr	18	6	11	39 9/9	160	280	
Lockwood John M.			N.Egr	14	6	11	160	1120	1,600	
" "		N 1/2		21	6	11	320	1,920	3,200	
Medsker Theodore		S.Egr	S.Wgr	6	7	11	68 25/100	274	400	
Ragland Wm		S.Wgr	S.Wgr	30	6	11	74	444	550	
" "		W/2	S.Wgr	30	6	11	108	543	750	
	N.Egr	S.Wgr		31	6	11	73	444	550	
Ridgeway Charles		E/2	S.Wgr	32	6	11	80	400	550	
Not before listed Akeroyd H.		und 1/2	S/2	S.Egr	N.Wgr	23	6	11	10	200

Rice Henry	N.E.qr N.W.qr	18	6	11	44	277	450
Smith H. D.	W½ S.E.qr	34	6	11	81	607	800
Steiner	S.W.qr S.W.qr	19	6	11	70 60	282	450
Stinkham Henry	E½ S.E.qr	5	6	11	80	240	400
Thomas Wendall	W½ S.W.qr	20	6	11	80	320	500
Tupman James heirs of	S½ S.W.qr	15	6	11	80	320	500
	N.W.qr	20	6	11	160	960	1200
	N.W.qr N.E.qr	22	6	11	40	160	240
Wells James	N.E.qr S.E.qr	19	6	11	39	156	250
	N.E.qr N.E.qr	30	6	11	40	160	250
Walter Geo	S.E.qr N.E.qr	18	6	11	39	160	250

Ordered that the Board of Equalizers adjourne until tomorrow morning ~~until~~ ~~at~~ 8 O'clock

Simeon Long Pro Tem

Thursday morning September 11th 1851 the Board met pursuant to adjournement when present as of yesterday

The procedes to ~~to~~ the ~~the~~ further examination of the listers abstracts and makes the following Changes viz

Pigeon Township

Now here J. M. Stockwell comes before this board & complains of the appraisement of certain lots & Blocks of ground in Stockwell Enlargement of Evansville & the board takes up his list & makes the following alterations viz

Stockwell Ingle & Carpenter

17 lots in Block 2 raised from						200	250	each
add to the sup	in frac sec	30	6	10	3⅛		4,700	"
16 lots in B 4	reduced				from	200	150	each
11 lots " " 5	"				"	300	200	"
9 " " " 6	"				"	250	200	"
17 " " " 7					"	300	250	"
Block 16						4,000	2,000	
" 19						3,000	2,000	

On Motion the Board takes up the Appraisers list for Scott Township & makes the following Changes to wit

Scott Anderson Isaac	N½ N.E.qr	2	4	10	80	320	400
Andrews Mary	S.E.qr S.W.qr	15	5	10	40	200	280
pt	S.E.qr	15	5	10	18	90	144
Browning Richard	pt S.E.qr	9	5	10	120	540	720
	Improvements on	"	"	"		225	300
	S.E.qr N.W.qr	"	"	"	40	180	240
Blackburn H	S.W.qr S.W.qr	1	5	11	40	120	200
Boyer Wm	S½ N.E.qr	15	5	10	80	400	550
Bliss Theodore heirs of		32	4	10	640	1,660	3,200
" " " "	N½	5	5	10	334	1,002	1,700
Blackburn Wm O.	S.W.qr S.E.qr	1	5	11	40	120	200
Barnes Moses	W½ S.E.qr	28	4	10	80	400	600
" "	S.W.qr	28	4	10	160	880	1,400
" "	Improvements					360	1,000
Boyer John	E½ S.W.qr	31	4	10	79 70/100	320	400
Boyed James	S.E.qr N.E.qr	14	5	10	40	200	300
"	N.W. S.E.	14	5	10	40	200	300
Boswell Wm E.	N.E.qr	21	4	10	160	840	1,150
Beckenmire Fredk	N½ S.E.qr	18	5	10	80	440	550

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Brodie Andrew		N½ E¼	14	5	10	40	170	240
		E½ E¼	14	5	10	40	160	240
Bishinfield Horace		N E¼ NW¼	13	5	11	40	160	240
Bower Thomas		NW¼ W½	31	4	10	39 85	160	240
" "		SW¼ W½	30	4	10	39 85	160	240
		NW¼ NW¼	31	4	10	39 80	80	200
Birnage Joseph		W½ NW¼	14	5	10	80	480	640
		E½ NW¼	14	5	10	40	200	320
Browning John W		E½ E½	5	5	10	80	440	640
Cauthorn George		NE¼ NW¼	21	4	10	40	200	280
" "		NW¼ SE¼	21	4	10	40	200	280
" "		SE¼ NW¼	21	4	10	40	220	320
		Improvements					160	300
Crisp James "		pt NW¼ SE¼	10	5	10	10	50	180
		SE¼ SE¼	10	5	10	40	200	300
Crisp Wm		N½ NE¼	15	5	10	80	300	550
		W½ NW¼	15	5	10	80	240	400
Cowan Patrick								
Collins Charles		W½ SW¼	15	5	10	80	280	400
" "		E½ SE¼	16	5	10	80	260	400
Elliott Wm M.		SE¼ NE¼	16	5	10	40	130	200
		SE¼	26	4	10	160	480	800
Earl John		NE¼	35	4	10	160	720	1000
		NW¼ SE¼	10	5	10	40	200	280
		W½ pt W½ SE¼	15	5	10	28	145	280
Earl Robert		pt E½ NE¼	10	5	10	62	248	500
Ewing Henry		NW¼ SW¼	26	4	10	40	160	280
Elliott Thomas		W½ W½ SE¼	35	4	10	40	120	200
Ewing Henry		SE¼ SW¼	35	4	10	40	130	200
		W½ SW¼	12	5	11	80	320	400
Grimwood James		SE¼ NW¼	12	5	11	40	160	200
		N½ NW¼	14	5	10	80	360	500
Gray Robert		W½ NE¼	13	5	10	77	385	500
		W½ NE¼	10	5	10	80	360	500
Grim Joseph								
Garrick P. G		pt SE¼ SE¼	8	5	10	10	65	100
		NE¼ NW¼	15	5	10	40	180	300
Harvey Benjamin		pt NE¼ pt						
		W½ SE¼	4	5	10	107	507	600
Hilyer James		S½ SW¼	2	5	10	80	400	600
		N½	11	5	10	320	1440	2,200
		W½ NW¼	12	5	10	80	260	550
Hilyer Alexander		W½ NW¼	1	5	10	84	260	550
		E½ SW¼	1	5	10	80	320	600
		E½	2	5	10	322	1442	2,300
Hilyer Wm		NE¼ SW¼	2	5	10	40	200	250
		E½ NW¼	2	5	10	84	225	300
		SW¼ SW¼	35	4	10	40	100	150
Hilyer Robert		NW¼ NW¼	2	5	10	42	119	300
		SE¼ SE¼	34	4	10	40	120	300
		NW¼ SW¼	2	5	10	42	200	300
		SW¼ NW¼	2	5	10	40	119	250

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Scott Township cont'd.

Hornbrook	Philip	E/2 NE qr	30	4	10	80	400	650
		NE qr SE qr	30	4	10	40	160	350
Hennessey	Thomas	pt SW qr	4	5	10			
		pt SE qr	4	5	10			
		pt NE qr	4	5	10			
		& pt W 1/2 NW qr	4	5	10	163	816	1,100
Hebner	Dedrick	E qr SE qr	14	5	10	40	160	200
Hornby	Wm	E qr	11	5	10	160	640	1,000
Hornby	Henry A.	W 1/2 SE qr	12	5	10	80	360	500
		NE qr SE qr	13	5	10	40	180	300
		W 1/2 SE	13	5	10	80	360	500
		NE qr NE qr	13	5	10	40	200	250
Ingle	John Heirs	NW qr	8	5	10	160	960	1,100
		N 1/2 N 1/2 NW qr	8	5	10	40	200	300
Ingle	Edward	pt W qr SE qr	8	5	10	30	180	200
		N 1/2 NW qr	25	4	10	80	360	650
Ingle &	Battell	N 1/2 S 1/2 NW qr	25	4	10	40	170	300
	not listed	E 1/2 SE qr	31	4	10	80	650	650
Johnson	Edward	E 1/2 NE qr	31	4	10	80	650	650
Kohat	Thomas	E end NW qr	14	5	10	50	225	350
	Improts	SW qr	13	5	11		380	500
Knowles	Chas.	NW qr SW qr	17	5	10	40	244	320
"	"	S 1/2 SE qr	18	4	10	80	480	650
"	"	Improvements on NW qr NW qr	17	5	10		300	700
Leavenworth	Truman heirs	SE qr NW qr	15	5	10	40	140	200
"	"	NE qr SW qr	15	5	10	40	140	200
Markes	John	E 1/2 NW qr	20	4	10	80	320	450
"	"	NE qr	20	4	10	160	640	950
		NW qr SE qr	20	4	10	40	160	250
Mc A. Vay	James	N 1/2 NE qr	25	4	10	40	180	250
" " "	"	E end SW qr NE qr	25	4	10	35	159	200
		S 1/2 SW qr	25	4	10	80	360	500
Mc Cravy	Hugh	SE qr NW qr	12	5	11	40	140	180
		NE qr NW qr	12	5	11	40	140	180
Monroe	Chas. E/2	E/2 NW qr	19	4	10	79	300	500
		W 1/2 NE qr	19	4	10	80	180	500
Myers	Henry	NE qr SE qr	12	5	11	40	160	200
Margaumeimer	Christ Heirs	E/2 SE qr	19	4	10	80	280	400
		W 1/2 SW qr	20	4	10	80	280	400
Mc Ketchan	James	E/2 NE qr	25	4	10	80	340	400
Mc Kentchian	Geo B.	E/2 SE qr	3	5	10	80	320	400
"	" "	E/2 NE qr	3	5	10	84	336	450
Mc Johnson	Arthur	pt SE qr	15	5	10	113	678	750
		pt W 1/2 SW qr	14	5	10	30	175	210
Maidlow	J. S.	W 1/2 NE qr	6	5	10	83	415	700
		SE qr NE qr	6	5	10	41	180	300
		E/2 NW qr	6	5	10	63	315	500
		NE qr SE qr	6	5	10	40	200	300
		W 1/2 NW qr	18	5	10	60	220	500
		W 1/2 SE qr	31	5	10	80	400	650

Ordered that the Board adjourn until to-morrow morning at 8 O'clock

Simeon Logg P.

Board of Equalization September 12th A.D. 1851.

Friday Morning September 12th A.D. 1851 the Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment when present as of Yesterday

On Motion the Board takes up the Abstract of the Appraisement of real estate in Scott Township as returned by the Appraiser for A.D. 1851. & makes the following Changes, to wit,

Maidlow Edward	W/2	SWqr	5	5	10	80	440	800
" "		SWqr	6	5	10	125	625	1,000
" "	NEqr	NEqr	6	5	10	41	123	250
" "	SEqr	SEqr	6	5	10	40	200	300
" "	WNW/2	SEqr	6	5	10	80	400	650
" "	WNW/2	NEqr	13	5	11	80	320	400
" "	W/2	SWqr	7	5	10	60	300	400
M'Cutchan Thomas	N/2	NWqr	25	4	10	80	340	400
Meir Chas.	S/2	SEqr	36	4	11	80	200	400
Newman Evan	W/2	SWqr	36	4	11	80	240	320
Powell John	W/2	SEqr	24	4	11	80	300	380
Peggot Thomas	N/2	SWqr	35	4	10	80	320	500
Perry James	SWqr	SEqr	21	4	10	40	200	240
" "	E/2	NEqr	21	4	10	80	400	480
	SEqr	SWqr	21	4	10	40	200	240
Peck John heirs of	W/2	NWqr	4	5	10	80	440	520
Pott John G.	NWqr	SWqr	17	5	10	40	240	320
	W/2	NWqr	17	5	10	80	480	640
Palmer Wm	NEqr	NWqr	4	5	10	41	200	240
" "	SWqr	SEqr	33	4	10	40	180	240
" "	SEqr	SWqr	33	4	10	40	200	240
	W/2	SWqr	33	4	10	80	400	520
Palmer Rosetta	SEqr	SEqr	27	4	10	40	160	240
Rayston E	E/2	SWqr	5	5	10	80	440	500
Ritchey	W/2	NWqr	13	5	11	80	280	400
Rodwell Wm	N/2	NEqr	12	5	11	80	324	400
Richardson Joseph	NWqr	NEqr	33	4	10	40	180	220
" "	NWqr	SEqr	33	4	10	40	180	220
" "	NEqr	SEqr	33	4	10	40	180	220
Runcy Ann	W/2	WSEqr	4	5	10	29	170	200
" "	E side	W/2	NEqr	4	5	10		
" "	the	NEqr	NEqr	4	5	10	49	274	350
			Improvements					332	500
Rinehrick Philip P.	N/2	SEqr	12	5	11	80	320	550
Richall Frederick	S/2	SEqr	12	5	11	80	360	550
Stratt Scott Granville	E/2	NWqr	17	5	10	80	480	550
		NEqr	17	5	10	160	960	1100
Stacer John C.	W/2	SEqr	19	4	10	80	240	500
" " "	E/2	SWqr	19	4	10	78	200	400
" " "	W/2	NEqr	30	4	10	80	320	500
Sansom John		NWqr	30	4	10	156	596	800
" "	S/2	NWqr	4	5	10	83	415	500
" "	S/2	E/2	SWqr	4	5	10	40	200	250
		NWqr	33	4	10	160	640	800

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Scott Township Contd

Sharp George W.	E½ N.E.gr	28	4	10	80	400	500
	S end S.W.gr N.E.gr	28	4	10	33	165	200
Setchell Joseph	E½ N.E.gr	7	5	10	80	400	480
	N.E.gr S.E.gr	7	5	10	40	200	240
Schauze Charles	E½ N.E.gr	13	5	11	80	320	480
Short Bede heirs	N.W.gr	35	4	10	160	720	1,000
Summum John	N.W.gr	7	5	10	120	600	800
" "	W½ N.E.gr	7	5	10	80	400	550
" "	S½ N.E.gr	12	5	10	80	250	400
Vaux Wm	S½ N.W.gr	28	4	10	80	440	500
Wheeler Charles	E½ S.E.gr	35	4	10	80	360	500
	S.W. cor. S.W.gr	36	4	10	20	90	120
Wheeler Mark	W½ side S.W.gr	36	4	10	68	286	400
	S.W. cor N.W.gr	36	4	10	32	144	200
Witherspood James	W½ N.W.gr	34	4	10	80	360	500
" "	E½ S.E.	33	4	10	78	320	450
" "	E½ N.E.gr	33	4	10	80	320	500
White James	E½ S.W.	7	5	10	60 60	300	400
	W½ S.E.gr	7	5	10	80	400	600
Whipple S. D.	S.W.gr	34	4	10	160	600	800
Wright Stephen C.	W½ N.E.gr	18	5	10	80	480	560
Whitehead John Jr	W½ S.W.gr	12	5	10	80	360	500
Whitehead Charles	W½ S.W.	10	5	10	80	400	500
	W½ E½ S.W.gr	10	5	10	35	175	200
left off the duplicate Witherow John	S.W.gr	27	4	10	160	700	700
Sent 80 f	E½ S.E.gr	28	4	10	80	440	550

Armstrong Township

The board proceeds to the examination of the listers abstract of the lands appraised in Armstrong Township for 1851 and makes the following changes, to wit;

Armstrong Kirby	S.E.gr	19	4	11	160	930	1,120
	E½ S.W.gr	20	4	11	80	280	400
	W½ N.E.gr	30	4	11	80	480	560
Ansingler Fredk	S½ S.E.gr	11	5	11	81	324	400
Brumfield Mary	W½ N.E.gr	29	4	11	80	400	550
Bourne Benjamin heirs of	W½ N.E.gr	34	4	11	80	320	500
" " "	E½ N.W.gr	34	4	11	80	320	500
Berefunk John	W½ N.W.gr	26	4	11	80	280	400
Bixler John	N.W.gr N.E.gr	20	4	11	40	100	150
	W½ N.W.gr	21	4	11	80	240	320
	N½ S.W.gr	21	4	11	80	240	320
	E½ N.E.gr	20	4	11	80	200	300
Buchley	S½ S.E.gr	16	5	11	80	320	450
Calvert Patrick	N pt S.W.gr	29	4	11	100	500	700
	E½ N.E.gr	29	4	11	80	400	550
Calvert James	N.E.gr	31	4	11	160	830	1,100
Calvert Leroy	E½ S.E.gr	29	4	11	80	350	450
	S. side N.W.gr	29	4	11	60	300	400
	S.E.gr S.E.gr	30	4	11	40	200	250
Cater Joseph	N.W.gr	19	4	11	141	705	950

Dalldo Geo. heirs of	N½ NEqr	16	5	11	80	330	450
Ervin Henry	S½ NWqr	32	4	11	80	400	500
Ervin J. A	N½ NWqr	32	4	11	80	400	500
Ervin Jas. A	NWqr NEqr	6	5	11	44	187	250
" "	SEqr NWqr	6	5	11	84	350	450
Fisher J. G.	E½ NWqr	35	4	11	80	320	400
Fitch Geo W	NWqr	19	4	11	81	405	550
Finch Wm	N½ NEqr	19	4	11	80	360	500
"	NEqr E½ NEqr	19	4	11	20	80	100
Grabhorn J. H.	SEqr NEqr	26	4	11	40	120	200
" " "	E½ NEqr	35	4	11	80	320	400
Gabel Peter	S½ NWqr	16	5	11	80	300	400
Gabel Christ	S½ NWqr	16	5	11	80	360	400
Hill James	SEqr NEqr	21	4	11	40	100	150
Heller J. A.	E½ SEqr	4	5	11	80	320	400
Haffmaw Jacob	SEqr NEqr	10	5	11	40	140	200
" "	NEqr NWqr	10	5	11	40	140	200
" "	NWqr SEqr	10	5	11	40	140	200
" "	W½ NEqr	10	5	11	80	240	400
" "	NEqr NEqr	10	5	11	40	140	200
Hefflinger Anthony	SEqr NWqr	10	5	11	80	320	400
Heidelberg Robert	N½ SWqr	16	5	11	80	320	400
Heisel John	SWqr SEqr	35	4	11	40	120	230
" "	SWqr NEqr	35	4	11	40	160	200
Langford Wm	SEqr SWqr	35	4	11	40	160	200
Lenhing Henry	NEqr	8	5	11	160	640	800
Marcus John	NE¼ SEqr	11	5	11	81	324	400
Martin Charles	S½ SEqr	4	5	11	80	320	400
" "	SWqr	4	5	11	158	790	950
	Improvement					240	300
Martin Wm	NWqr	4	5	11	171	855	1,000
McDonald Saml.	E½ NEqr	5	5	11	86	450	500
Myer Fredk	E½ SWqr	9	5	11	79	397	550
" "	NWqr	9	5	11	160	800	1,100
O'Connor P.	W½ NWqr	17	5	11	80	320	400
Prewitt Simon	NEqr SEqr	32	4	11	40	160	240
" "	W½ SEqr	32	4	11	80	240	300
Prewitt John	SEqr	32	4	11	160	800	900
Paul George	W½ SEqr	29	4	11	80	400	550
Rogers Elias	S½ SWqr	31	4	11	70	170	280
Rogers Wm	SEqr	9	5	11	160	830	980
" "	SWqr NWqr	5	5	11	40	160	250
Richey Wm	S½ SEqr	6	5	11	80	320	480
Stoffle John C.	W½ NWqr	8	5	11	80	320	480
Sacer John C.	NWqr	10	5	11	160	560	800
Shelton John	NWqr SEqr	35	4	11	40	160	200
" "	S½ SEqr	2	5	11	80	240	340
Shelton John A	W½ NWqr	29	4	11	80	400	560
Stewart Wm	E½ NEqr	30	4	11	80	440	550
Hacus Conrad heirs of	E½ NWqr	29	4	11	80	400	550
Stewart Josiah	NWqr	30	4	11	41	826	1000
	SWqr	11	5	11	160	640	800
E. end	SWqr	19	4	11	59	297	500

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5	Shelton ~~John~~ George	W½ S.W.qr	20	4	11	80	400	500	
5	Williams Simon	S½ S.E.qr	31	4	11	80	260	400	
union 5	Blair John M. heirs	reduce the Improvements							150
5	Greathouse W heirs of	" "	"						75
5	Long Simeon	" "	"						150
5	Edmonds John	" "	"						100
Perry 5	McDowell W. A.	pt E½ N.E.qr	26	6	11	12 29/100	600	900	00

Ordered that the Equalization Board Adjourn
Sine die

Co. Commissioners { Simeon Long p.r.
Leroy Calvert
A Warner
Wilson Hook
Jam J McDonald
Hal Grainger
G B Wagnon
Wm H Walker A.V.C.

Special Session September A D 1851

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh began & held at the Court House in Evansville on the 12th day September A D 1851 on a call of the County Auditor When present Simeon Long Leroy Calvert & Alanson Warner Esqrs members Composing said Board

No 333 p 20.00/100 20.00/100 Ordered that W. Shrock be Allowed twenty dollars for ten days services as an Equalizer at the Septr Term 1851

No 334 p $10.00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert be Allowed ten ~~twelve~~ dollars for 5 days services as an Equalizer at the Septr Meeting 1851

No 335 p $12.00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long be Allowed Twelve dollars for 6 days services as a member of the Board of Equalization in September 1851

No 336 p $12.00/100 Ordered that Alanson Warner be Allowed Twelve dollars for 6 days Services as a Member of the Board of Equalization in September 1851

No 337 p $22.00/100 Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be Allowed Twenty two dollars for 12 days Services as a Member of the Board of Equalization in September 1851

No 338 p $22.00/100 Ordered that Saml. McDonald be Allowed Twenty two dollars for 12 days Services as a Member of the Board of Equalization in Septr 1851

No 339 p $22.00/100 Ordered that ~~Sam~~ George B Wagnon be Allowed Twenty two dollars for 12 days Services as a member of the Board of Equalization in September

No 340 p $22.00/100 Ordered that Wm H Walker be Allowed Twenty Two dollars for 12 days Services as a Member of the Board of Equalization

No 341 p $1.50/100 Ordered that James Patton be Allowed One dollar & fifty Cents for Summonsing a jury for the Coroner in Pigeon

No 342 p $1.00/100 Ordered that James F. Walker be allowed One dollar for making an order for the removal of a pauper per bill on file

It is Now here Ordered that Alanson Warner Esqr. be and he is hereby appointed by this Board their Agent Attorney and Proxy to Cast the Votes on two thousand Shares in the Evansville and Illinoise Rail Road Company (which Stock is Owned by the County of Vanderburgh) for thirteen directors of said Rail Road. on the 1st Monday in October A.D. 1851

Capied

Ordered that the County Auditor be & he is hereby Ordered to issue to George Grainger an Order for One hundred dollars. when said Grainger releases the County from all obligation on account of the sale of the poor home ground at Stringtown falling short the acquitance to be Approved by T E Garvin Co agent Leroy Calvert

Capd

Ordered that the Board adjourne sina die

Simeon Long

A Warner

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Evansville October 23d 185
To the Treasurer of State as S. S. of Common Schools

To the Treasurer of State as Superintendent of Common Schools

In compliance with the requisitions of the 20th Section of "An Act" of the Legislature of the State of Indiana "to increase and extend the benefits of Common Schools Approved January 17th 1849" The undersigned Auditor of the County of Vanderburgh has the honor to Submit the following Report;

Congressional Township No 6 South in Range No 9 west lies in Warrick & Vanderburgh Counties. And that portion within the limits of Vanderburgh Countains (from the reports before me) fifty four Scholars, divided on to Classes as follows;

Between the ages of	5 & 10 Years	15		
	10 & 15 "	16	Males	32
	15 & 21 "	23	Females	22
		54		54

A School has been taught in the district Composed of the foregoing portions of said Township three months during the past year by a male teacher. They have no public School house yet in the district

Town 7 Range No 9 is situated similarly to the above and Countains Sixteen Scholars

Between the Ages of	5 & 10 Years	4		
" " "	10 & 15 "	5	Males	11
" " "	15 & 21 "	7	Females	5
		16		16

Town 4 S Range 10 W. lies within two Counties of Gibson & Vanderburgh. That portion within Vanderburgh Contains one hundred and Sixty One Scholars as follows, to wit,

Between the Ages of	5 & 10 Years	15		
	10 & 15 "	48	Males	89
	15 & 21 "	48	Females	72
		161		161

In one of the districts a School has been taught for six months maintained by public funds. And in the other district but three months both Schools have been taught by male teachers. The branches taught were Authography reading writing and Arithmetic, The books used were "websters Spelling book Mc Giffies 1st 2nd 3d & 4th readers" And Emersons Smilies & Davis' Arithmetic In each district they have a good log School house, furnished with Common benches & desks

Town 5 S. Range No 10 west Contains 424 Scholars

Between the Ages of	5 & 10 Years	153		
	10 & 15 "	167	Males	215
	15 & 21 "	104	Females	219
		424		434

Schools have been taught eight months in each of the distrcts of this Township by 4 Male & 3 Female teachers Authography Reading Penmanship english grammer geography & arithmetic. Are the branches that have been taught The School houses are log in a good Condition and furnished with benches desks and stove

Town 6 Range 1 West Contains 1744 Scholars

Between the Ages of 5 & 10 Years	745		
" " " 10 & 15 "	550	Males	890
" " " 15 & 21 "	449	Females	854
	1744.		1744

The Clerk of this Township says "In Consequence of no laws for the district Trustes to be governed by, they could not make as full reports as by the law is required"

Town 7 Range 10 West

The Clerk of the Township Trustees has failed to make a report, – by reference to last report from Town 7 Range 9 W I find in Contains one hundred & eleven Scholars which may be divided as follows,

Between the Ages of 5 & 10 Years	40		
10 & 15 "	38	Males	58
15 & 21 "	33	Females	53
	111		111

Schools have been maintained by Publicke funds in this township about eight three months during the Year And the branches taught & the books used & are the same as in the other Townships

Town 6 Range 11 West

Number of Scholars in this Township as shown by Report of the Township Clerk is, in Vandenburgh 171 as follows

Between the Ages of 5 & 10 Years	64		
10 & 15 "	53	Males	84
15 & 21 "	54	Females	87
	171		171

Town 5 Range 11 W. Contains 621 Scholars

Between the Ages of 5 & 10 Years	245		
10 & 15 "	218	Males	322
15 & 21 "	158	Females	299
	621		621

The report does not state the length of time a School has been taught

The branches taught were "Authography Reading writing Arithmetic & Geography" The ~~following~~ books used in this Township are as follows, elementary Spelling book new testament Universal history of the U.S. introduction to the english reader. emersons 1 & 2 Class reader McGuffys 1st 2nd 3rd & 4th reader. Mitchells geography and Comstocks philosophy. The school houses are log an in good condition. The furniture Consists of benches & desks

Town 6 Range 11 W Contains 455 Scholars divided as follows. Between the Ages of 5 & 10 201 } Males 241
10 & 15 129 }
15 & 21 125 } Females 214
455 455

Schools have been taught in this Township 3 months in each District by six male teachers & five female teachers. The branches taught "Authography reading penmanship grammer geography & Arithmetic". The books used are the "Spelling book" third & fourth elementary readers Arithmetic geography & grammer. The Schools houses are log and generally in good condition, furnished with benches & hand desks.

Town 7 Range 11 W Contains 222 Scholars
Between the ages of 5 & 10 Years 69 } Males 120
" " " " 10 & 15 " 79 }
" " " " 15 & 21 " 74 } Females 102
222 222

School have been taught 3 months in each of the Several District of this Township by two male and two female teaches. The branches taught, were "Spelling reading writing Arithmetic geography & english grammer. The School houses are in bad Condition and not well furnished, & further the Clerk does not report

Town 8 Range 11 West Contains 113 Scholars;
Between the Ages of 5 & 10 Years 33
" " " " 10 & 15 " 42 Males 60
" " " " 15 & 21 " 38 Females 53
113 113

A Table Shewing the number of Children in the Several Townships & portions of Townships in Vanderburgh County, Classified according to age and Sex

Between the Ages of	5 & 10	10 & 15	15 & 21	Total	Males	Females	Total
Town 6 & Range 9 W	15	16	23	54	32	22	54
" 7 " " 9 "	4	5	7	16	11	5	16
" 4 " " 10 "	65	48	48	161	89	72	161
" 5 " " 10 "	153	167	104	424	215	209	424
" 6 " " 10 "	745	550	449	1.744	890	854	1.744
" 7 " " 10 "	40	38	33	111	58	53	111
" 4 " " 11 "	64	53	54	171	84	87	171
" 5 " " 11 "	245	218	158	621	322	299	621
" 6 " " 11 "	201	129	125	455	241	214	455
" 7 " " 11 "	69	79	74	222	120	102	222
" 8 " " 11 "	33	42	38	113	60	53	113
	1.634	1.345	1.113	4.092	2.122	1.970	4.092

There are no Public Libraris in the Townships in this County Consequently no volumes. I have not been able to get the Materials to enable me to make a report more fully in Consequence of the School officers being deprived of School laws none having been sent to this County to be distributed to the Officers having Charge of the Township and district business business Connected with the Common School System

Wm. H. Wallace Auditor of Vanderburgh Co.

Patrick Regan You are hereby appointed Supervisor of road district No 3 Centre Township for 1857 to serve until your Successor is qualified
Oct 31st 1857

A Register of Lands mortgaged to the different Trust funds advertised for sale on forfeiture of the Contract for failing to pay the Annual instalments of Interest & principal when due

		No of Loan		Section	Town	Range W	Acres	Rods	Principal on Loan	Interest due on Loans	Damages for Settlers	Non-forfeiture	Total Charge		
Frances Amory	T 5 R 11 W	53	E½ NE¼	27	6	11	80		158	00	31 18	18	45	213	63	Pd
John M. Blair	" 7 " 11 "	65	N part of frac	15	7	11	174	66	128	75	34	64	7	92	166	31	Paid
Francis Amory	" 7 " 11 "	68	W½ SE¼														
" "	" " "	"	N. end of E½ SE¼	22	6	11	80	00	300	00	42	00	18	44	360	44	Pd
W. S. Barker	" 7 " 11	74	und ½ of NW¼	36													
" "	" " "	—	NE¼ of E½ of NE¼	35	7	11	110	—	190	00	26	60	12	17	228	77	
Geo. Steels	T 5 R 10 W	164	NE¼ SE¼	28													
" "	"	"	W½ SW¼	27	5	10	—		172	00	24	08	11	14	207	22	Pd
Philip Ruppertz	T 7 R 10 "	210	NE¼ SE¼	4	6	11	39		100	00	7	00	4	69	113	69	Pd
Christ Sours	Surplus Rev.	213	S. end E½ SE¼	33	5	11	60		100	00	7	00	4	69	113	69	Pd
Isaac Hutchinson	T 6 R 11 W	220	N Westerly ½ Lot 175	Don	Estate	of	Evansville		12	00	10	69	197	69	Pd		
Wm B. Schenck	" 7 " 10 "	223	SW¼ NE¼	33	6	11	40		115	00	8	05	4	49	130	54	Pd
John Inwood	" 5 " 11 "	226	E½ NE¼	29	5	10	80		100	00	7	00	6	69	113	69	Pd interest
James Steel	Co. Seminary	237	Lot 170 & upper End of	Evansville					300	00	42	00	18	44	360	44	Paid
Daul. Morgan	Com. School	268	114/150 feet of Lot No 34 O.P. of	Evansville					140	00	19	60	9	32	168	92	Paid
Anthony Litsler	Surplus Rev	247	W½ NW¼	10	5	11	79	50	160	00	11	20	09	90	182	10	Paid
Daul. Morgan	Co. Seminary	267	114/150 ft of Lot 34	O.P. of	Evansville				160	00	22	20	10	45	192	65	Paid
											304	61	11	48			

Auditors Office Vanderburgh County
Novr 4th 1851

No 1

It Is Hereby Certified that James Ferry did on this day purchase the North East quarter of the North East quarter of Section number sixteen in Township five South of Range ten west Containing 38,84/100 acres for the sum of 120 00/100 dollars of which there was paid to the County Treasurer 30 00/100 dollars as One fourth of the principal & Six 30/100 dollars for One years interest on the residue in advance

Now Therefore Be It Known That if the remaining balance of 90 00/100 dollars be paid to the County Treasurer 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 centum 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 James Ferry his heirs or Assigns Shall be entitled to received a Deed for said lot above described

William H. Walker A.V.C.
R. W. Dunbar T.V.C.

Recorded Novr 4th 1851
Wm H. Walker a.v.c.

Henry Geeise was this day Appointed Congressional Township Trustee for 3 years from the last saturday in August A.D. 1851. for Town 5 Range 11 W & he was sworn into Office by me at the same time
Novr 7th 1851

Wm H. Walker A.V.C.

December Session A. D. 1851

At a session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County began and held at the Court House in Evansville on the first Monday in December (being the first day thereof) A.D. 1851 when present Simeon Long, Leroy Colvert and Alanson Warner Esqs members composing said County Board

Now here Robert W. Dunbar Treasurer of Vanderburgh County submits his quarterly report of the Amount and kind of funds by him received to December 1st 1851. In the words and figures following to, wit

The County Treasurer Submits to the Board doing County business for Vanderburgh County the following as his Quarterly report of the Account and Kind of funds by him received from 1st September to 1st December A.D. 1851 Inclusive

Nature of Account	Cash	County Orders	Total
State Revenue Delinquent	97 64		97 64
County Revenue Delinquent	90 11	100 00	190 11
School Revenue Delinquent	29 84		29 84
District School Revenue delinquent	2 64		2 64
Road Revenue delinquent	19 09		19 09
Rail Road Revenue Delinquent	74 44		74 44
Principal County Seminary	117 22		117 22
Interest County Seminary	130 67		130 67
Principal I & R 10 Rest	150 00		150 00
Interest I & R 10 Rest	157 48		158 48
Principal I 5 R 10 Rest	30 00		30 00
Interest I 5 R 10 Rest	54 63		54 63
Interest I 5 R 11 Rest	15 90		15 90
Interest I & R 11 "	23 00		23 00
Interest I 5 R 11 "	183 69		183 69
Interest Common School	76 94		76 94
Interest Surplus Revenue	165 61		165 61
Interest Coroners Inquest Funds	6 40		6 40
Interest Saline Funds	4 06		4 06
Ferry License		10 00	10 00
Tavern License	10 00	40 00	50 00
Merchants License	57 00	63 00	120 00
	1525 36	213 00	$1738 36

Evansville Dec 1st 1851

Respectfully Submitted
R. W. Dunbar T. V. C.

Ordered that said report be and it is hereby Approved by this board

Issd No 585 for $2 00/100 Ordered that Joseph R. Musick be Allowed two dollars for viewing road in German Township and making return thereof

Issd No 586 for $1 00/100 Ordered that Hiram Stuckfield be Allowed one dollar for viewing a road in German Township

Issd No 587 for $1 00/100 Ordered that Wm McIlravy be Allowed One dollar for viewing a road in German Township

A December Session A.D. 1851

Now here Joseph H. Messick Wm McCrary and Hiram Stinchfield the viewers heretofor appointed to view & locate a certain road in German Township, come into court and present their report in words & figures following, to wit;

"To the Honorable the board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh State of Indiana 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 public utility as follows, to wit; begining at a certain blazed dogwood tree on the west side of the County road leading from Lamasco City to Princeton on the land of Sullivan Pratt & Thatcher, it being the North East quarter of Section No 13 thirteen, Township No 6 Six South of Range No 11 Eleven West, thence running in a North Westerly direction through said Section No 13 thirteen and a part of section No 12 twelve belonging to Andrew Erskine and through William B. Scrantons land in said Section thence through the land of Mary Smith or Thomas Kron in Section Eleven, thence through a part of John Bombs & Elizabeth Johnsons land in said Section eleven to intersect a County road at the South east corner of George B Wagnons land.

Capd

Which is Respectfully submitted witness our hands & Seals this the 26th day of November A.D. 1851

Joseph H. Messick (Seal)
Hiram Stinchfield (Seal)
William McCrary (Seal)

Recorded

Now here the board after duly considering said report and a remonstrance herewith filed, Signed by Wm Johnson. It is ordered that said road be opened to the width of 30 feet & the Supervisors of roads through whose district said route passes be & they are hereby ordered to open the same & keep it in good order

Issd No ~~$5,88~~ 3,75/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed three dollars & seventy five cents for turnkey services rendered by Wm Green per bill on file

Issd No 589 $81,76/100 Ordered that Wm Green be allowed Eighty One dollars & seventy six cents for bill dieting prisoners in county jail per bill on file

Ordered that the County Auditor be authorized to issue to Wilson Shook the orders by him lost on or about the 15th instant & the same described by him in the affidavit & Bond by him this day deposited with this board & filed with the papers of this term

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Ordered that Andrew J. Hutcheson be exempted from the
Issd payment of a State & County Poll tax & road tax and from
labour on the publicke roads, in Vandeburgh County he having
had the misfortune to lose his right Arm

Issd No 590 $1.00/100 Ordered that Wm Hilzer be allowed one
dollar for services as judge at the April election as 1851 in
Scott Township

Issd No 591 $2.00/100 Ordered that Wm Martin be allowed two
dollars for viewing a route for a road in Perry
Township

Issd No 592 $2.00/100 Ordered that Wilson Shook be allowed
two dollars for viewing a route for a road in Perry Township

Issd No 593 $2.00/100 Ordered that Ira Mavins be Allowed two
dollars for viewing a rout for a road in Perry Township

Issd No 594 $2.00/100 Ordered that Saml. McDonald be
Allowed two dollars for returning the appraisers lists
of Armstrong township for as 1851

Issd No 595 $30.00/100 Ordered that Dr John L. Walker be allowed
thirty dollars for professional services rendered county poor
per bill on file

ordered that the East line of road district
Number three in Pigeon Township be changed from the
present location thereof to the line dividing fractional Section 31
Issd and Sec 32 in Town 6 South of Range 10 west And the
present line of Road dividing road districts No 1 & 3 in
said Township be the Section Line dividing said Sections

Issd 2 orders No 596 $80.00/100 Ordered that Dr Wm T. Haw be allowed
Eighty dollars for attending upon a poor family in Knights
Township. & in Consideration of removing said family from
the County & State

Issd No 597 $30.00/100 Ordered that Dr Isaac Hutchinson be
allowed thirty dollars for professional services rendered
the County poor in Pigeon Township

Issd No 598 $11.00/100 Ordered Dr G. B. Walker be allowed
Eleven dollars for professional services rendered the
County poor in Pigeon Township per bill on file

Issd No 599 $10.00/100 Ordered that G. B. Walker be allowed
Ten dollars for services rendered by Eugene Gallagher
to Sick pauper

Issd No 600 $25.00/100 Ordered that Saml. J. Perkins be
allowed twenty five dollars for Ex officio services as Clerk of the
V.C.C per bill on file

Issd No 601 $25.00/100 Ordered that John L. Terry be allowed
twenty five dollars for Ex Officio services as Sheriff of V.C.
Issd per bill on file

No 602 $25.00/100 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed
twenty five dollars for Ex officio services as A.V.C. per bill
on file

Issd No 603 $12.15/100 Ordered that Morgan Kern & Preston
be allowed Twelve dollars & fifteen cents for covering four
tables in Clerks office. per bill on file

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Issd No 604 $2,90/100 Ordered that Peter Kellman be allowed two dollars and ninety Cents for Covering table in Clerks Office per bill on file

Issd No 605 $31,25/100 Ordered that Wm Sheets be allowed thirty one dollars & twenty five cents for Stationary furnished County per bill on file

Issd No 606 $11,00/100 Ordered that Saml Sisler be allowed Eleven dollars & forty Cents for Stationary furnished County for Clerk & Treasurer

Issd No 607 $24,98/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Twenty four dollars & ninety eight Cents for boarding prisoners to Dec 24th 1857 per bill on file

Issd No 608 $1,00/100 Ordered that Brunner & Co be allowed One dollar for clothing furnished Criminal per bill on file

Issd No 609 $33,50/100 Ordered that A. H. Saunders be allowed thirty three dollars & fifty Cents for printing for County per bill on file

Issd No 610 $8,00/100 Ordered that A Rollenburgh be allowed Eight dollars & thirty Cents for stove and bucket furnished poor house per bill on file

Issd No 611 $3,75/100 Ordered that Wm Coots be allowed three dollars & seventy five Cents for services as supervisor per bill on file,

Issd No 612 $3,00/100 Ordered that Davd Shoots be Allowed three dollars for services as judge at August Election 1857 per bill on file

Issd No 613 $2,00/100 Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be allowed two dollars for returning appraisement list for Knight Township for 1857

Issd No 614 $8,00/100 Ordered that Alanson Warner be allowed Eight dollars for attending the building of Embankment on bayou a Culvert, per bill on file,

Issd No 615 $142,00/100 Ordered that A. H. Saunders be allowed One hundred & forty two dollars for printing delinquent list for 1857 & notice of meeting the board of Equalization

Issd No 616 $11,00/100 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed Eleven dollars for printing School Laws per bill on file

Issd No 617 $25,00/100 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed Twenty five dollars for wood for County

Issd No 618 $24,50/100 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed twenty four dollars & fifteen cents for book case &c per bill on file for Office

Issd No 619 $68,00/100 Ordered that Geo Bates be allowed Sixty Eight dollars for Keeping County poor per bill on file

Issd No 620 $10,43/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed ten dollars & forty three Cent for conveying paupers from County

Issd No 621 $10,00/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed ~~forty~~ dollars ~~& for~~ for sending paupers from County per bill on file

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Issd No 622 p $17,60/100 Ordered that George Bates be Alloued seventeen dollars & sixty cents for lightning rods furnish the poor house per bill on file

Issd No 623 p $9,35/100 Ordered that Geo Bates be alloued nine dollars & thirty five cents for hay furnished poor house pr on file

Issd No 624 p $107,07/100 Ordered that George Bates be Alloued One hundred & Seven dollars and seven cents for provisions furnished poor house pr bill on file.

Issd No 625 p $15,72/100 Ordered that John A. & C. Reitz be alloued fifteen dollars & seventy two cents for lumber furnished County poor house pr bill on file

Issd No 626 p $16,66/100 Ordered that Morgan & Casselberry
No 676-35,00 be alloued Eighty One dollars & Sixty six cents for medical attendance upon the County poor in pigeon Township to Jany 1st 1852

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Ordered that the Ex Officio allowance to the Sheriff this day made be reduced to twenty dollars for this last three months Ex officio services and that the Sheriff be notified that his attention to the board during its sessions is necessary to entitle him to the full allowance as heretofore made by this board for such services.

Ordered that the board adjourne until tomorrow at at 8 O Clock

Leroy Calvert Prest

Tuesday morning 8 or 2nd the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as of yesterday

Now here Joseph Cater George W. Finch and Kirby Armstrong Viewers appointed by this board at the September Session 1851 on the remonstrance of John Haag and Christian Wallenmier to examine the rout of a certain road named ~~[illegible]~~ therein, and report the damages sustained by said objectors by reason of said road running through their lands, ~~come into the court and report~~ as follows, to wit;

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

We 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 Being first duly sworn, we have in pursuant 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 lands of the Objectors in the following proportions, to wit John Haag and others will sustain no damages, and further the said road will in our opinion be of Public utility,

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all of which is ~~public utility~~ respectfully submitted

October the 26 1851

Joseph Cater
G.W. Finch
Kirby Armstrong

Ordered that said report be approved, and the road be opened by ~~the~~ petitioners so soon as the expenses of the aforesaid view be paid. And It is further Ordered by this board that

John Haag and Christian Wallenmier the objectors to said road pay to Joseph Cates George W. Finch and Kirby Armstrong the sum of four dollars, the amount due said viewers for their services in making of said view & report

Now here Wm Green applies to this board for the appointment of Constable of Pigeon Township. It is Now here Ordered that ~~said~~ Wm Green be and he is hereby appointed Constable for Pigeon Township to serve ~~at~~ until the next election for Constables & until his successor is elected and qualified. ~~And~~

Wm Green appears before this board, and produces to this board his bond as Constable with S. Kahn and John M. App as his securities in such bond & the board after duly examining said bond approves the same

Now here George Bates the Keeper of the County poor house submits his quarterly report which said report is now here approved

Issd No 627 p $25,00/100 Ordered that Dr John S. Walker be allowed twenty five dollars for professional attendance upon John Stile a pauper

Issd No 628 p $25,00/100 Ordered that Dr Isaac Casselberry be allowed twenty five dollars for professional services rendered John Stile a pauper

Issd No 629 p $25,00/100 Ordered that Dr G. B. Walker be allowed twenty five dollars for professional services rendered John Stile a pauper

Issd No 630 p $4,00/100 Ordered that Wm Hughes be allowed four dollars for ticking furnished Sheriff for prisoners in jail

Issd No 631 p $11,00/100 Ordered that Clark & McDonald be allowed eleven dollars for printing for County per bill on file

Issd No 632 p $1,00/100 Ordered that John Bomber be allowed one dollar for returning pools of August Election from German Township

Issd No 633 p $2,00/100 Ordered that Caswell Calvert be allowed two dollars for returning poll books from Armstrong Township

Issd No 634 p $1,50/100 Ordered that James S. Walker be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for notifying tax payers

Issd No 635 p $3.75/100 Ordered that M Herschelman be allowed three dollars & seventy five cents for services as supervisor of dis No 6 German for 1850

Issd No 636 p $9.63/100 Ordered that John B. Isverding be allowed nine dollars & sixty three cents for sawing, splitting & piling the wood for County per bill filed

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Now here Wilson Shook William Martin & Ira Cavins Commissioners heretofore appointed to view and locate a certain rout for a certain County road in German & Perry Townships appear & report as follows, to wit;

of the County of Van To the honorable the board of Commissioners derburgh Ind in pursuant to an Order passed by your honors at your last Septr term of your last providing for the laying out a certain County road through perry township in said County in which we the undersigned subscribers were appointed as viewers to view and laying out said Road & in pursuant to our said appointment and according to said Order we have layed out said road as follows beginning at a poplar tree marked B on the County line dividing Vanderburgh & Posy lines near John N. Stiners running Easterly until it strikes the County road leading from Evansville to Williams Ferry to a Stake marked A near the Culvert in said road on the land of Francis Amory And we would say that said road is upon good ground and we think it would be a road of public utility said road was viewed & marked out on the 26th day of Novr 1851

Wilson Shook
William Martin
Ira Cavins

Ordered that said report be approved ~~& the road opened~~ & the Supervisors ~~through~~ of the districts through which said road passed be ~~order~~ authorized & required to open the same to the width of thirty feet and keep the same in good travelling order

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The Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court makes report as follows, viz; "A List of fines assessed at the September Term A.D. 1851 of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

State of Indiana vs A & B Wolfgang Breet	Fine	$1.00
State of Indiana vs A & B Jesse Parks	Fine	$5.00
State of Indiana vs Washing Thomas	Fine	$5.00
State of Indiana vs Ret Spts		$5.00

Cassmire Schlamp

A list of fines collected since my last report

State of Indiana vs Burnard Nurre	Fine	$5.00

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State of Indiana vs John Rollengates } Fine $1.00

State of Indiana vs Ret Spts Emanuel Gumberts } Fine $5.00

State of Indiana vs Ret Spts Thomas Wakefield } Fine $10.00

State of Indiana vs Ret Spts Cassimer Schlamp } Fine $5.00

State of Indiana vs Washington Thomas } Fine $5.00

State of Indiana vs A & B Joseph Parkes } Fine 5.00

Issd No 637 p $19.32/100 Ordered that M. Reuschler be allowed nineteen dollars and thirty two cents for blacksmith work for County per bile on file

Issd No 638 p $1.60/100 Ordered that John Emerick be One dollar & sixty Cents for feeding paupers pr bile on file

Issd No 639 p $1.80/100 Ordered that M Hammerstein be Allowed One dollar & eighty two Cents for bucket for well for Poorhouse

Issd No 640 p $4.80/100 Ordered that Mr Stinker be Allowed four dollars & eighty Cents for brick furnished County Poor house

Issd No 641 p $1.25/100 Ordered that John Roth be allowed One dollar & twenty five cents for well bucket pr bile on file

Issd No 642 p $12.40/100 Ordered that Philip Rrush be allowed twelve dollars & forty Cents for lime furnished Culvert

Issd No 643 p $4.50/100 Ordered that Thomas Gifford be allowed four dollars & fifty Cents for hawling plank for Culvert at the Bayou & at fulton Avenue

Issd No 644 p $10.75/100 Ordered that Dan'l Brosa be Allowed two dollars & seventy five Cents for water for culvert on fulton Avenue

Issd No 645 p $2.35/100 Ordered that C Kramer be allowed two dollars & thirty five Cents for water furnished the Culvert at fulton Avenue

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Now here Thomas Gifford produces the estimates of work made by P.H. Woodward on the Bayou Embankment as follows; 4558 Cubic yards. and the Estimate of work on Neals branch is 308 Cubic Yards. upon which he is entitled to receive 15 Cents for each Cubic yard as per Contract with County. And the Auditor is hereby Ordered to issue Orders to T Gifford for said Amount after deducting the Amount of Orders, which Gifford has already received from the County on account of said Contracts

Now here Clements Gantner and thirty one Others freeholders of German Township petition this board for the Appointment of Viewers. to view mark out and locate a rout for a road in said Township as follows, to wit;

To the Honorable the board of Commissioner of Vanderburgh County and State of Indiana. The undersigned Citizens of German Township. Respectfully Sheweth, that your petitioners labor under great inconvenience for the want of a private road beginning at an Oak tree marked with a letter "A" on the County road called the ruff road on the east half of the North East qr of section No. 33 Township No. 5 South of Range No. 11 West. belonging to Cornelius Battles. thence running East a Cross the lands of George Graff and Henry Sipert and Conrad Hedrick and Clements Gantner all in section No. 34 and Henry Swartz and Frederick Breadenharrers land in section No. 35. thence to intersect a County road at a Hickory tree marked with a letter B on the land of the heirs of Henry Sintz in section No. 38 in Township No. 5 South of range No. 11 West. your petitioners therefore pray this Court to appoint proper persons as viewers to view mark and lay out the above described road, and your petitioners will ever pray &c &c November 10th 1851

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The board duly Considering said petition, and hearing the testimony of a witness shewing the ~~th~~ necessary notices had been given according to law. It is therefore hereby Ordered that Saml. Kirkpatrick Buriah Short and David D. Grimes Esqrs be and they are hereby Appointed to view mark and locate a rout for said road in Accordance with said petition, and that they report at the next term of this board

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Issd No. 146 p $55,00/100 Ordered that Philip Ronsch be Allowed fifty five dollars for work on Culvert on fulton Avenue per bill on file

Ordered that the board adjourne until tomorrow morning at nine Oclock

Leroy Calvert Prest

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Wednesday morning december 3rd the board met pursuant to adjournement when present as yesterday No 647 p $15.70/100 Ordered that Saml. S. Jenkins be allowed fifteen dollars and seventy cents for cash by him paid for books & stationary pr bill on file.

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Ordered that B. H. Richtin be and he is hereby appointed Constable for Pigeon Township to serve until the next regular election for Constables and until his successor is elected and qualified

Now here it appearing to this board that a mistake was made by the board of equalization in their appraisement of the S.W.Qr of Sec 32 T.6 R.10 W. Tonstaking said tract for an other at the time of raising the tract from the appraisement upon the returned list of the appraiser therefore to correct said valuation the County Auditor is hereby ordered to change said valuation on the tax duplicate to the value fixed to said tract by the appraiser & give H. Dunham a certificate correcting said erroneous appraisement as the law requires

Jesse P. Bourne the superintendent heretofore appointed by this board to build a bridge in Armstrong Township comes into Court & shewes this board that C. Sintonick has under his directions built & completed said bridge according to said order whereupon the ~~auditor~~ board receives said bridge & the Auditor is ordered as heretofore to issue the order to said Sintonick to pay for said Bridge

Now here John Grant the County Assessor who was elected at the last August election comes into Court & produces his bond as such Assessor & the board being of opinion that in acordance with the Statute in such case made & provided the Office of Assessor is now vacant in consequence of said assessor bond not having been filed on the first monday in Decr inst. It is therefore, Ordered that John W Grant be & he is hereby appointed County Assessor for Vanderburgh County to serve until the next Genl. election & until his successor is elected & qualified

Issd No 648 p $19.68/100 Ordered that Wm Miller be allowed Nineteen dollars & sixty eight cents for choping wood for poor house

Issd No 649 p $28.00/100 Ordered that Mills & Brothers be allowed Twenty Eight dollars for work on the County poor house

Issd No 650 p $26.80/100 Ordered that Robert Fergus be allowed Twenty Six dollars & Eighty Cents for Chairs &c for Court house

Issd No 651 p $6.50/100 Ordered that Jesse P. Bourne be allowed Six dollars & fifty cents for superintending bridge across the pond slough

Issd No 652 p $16.71/100 Ordered that Robert Fergus be allowed Sixteen dollars & seventy one cents for Shingles &c furnished poor house

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Now here John A Ewing John French and Samuel Williams viewers heretofore appointed by this board make report to the board in 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 return we the undersigned appointed by the said Order to view and lay out the road therein mentioned having been first duly sworn according to law have viewed and laid out the same and returned it as a road of utility as follows, to wit, Commencing at the North East Corner of the South west quarter of the South East quarter of Section No Eight in Township No five South of Range No Eleven west thence running South on the line ~~of Range~~ Between John H. Bawa John Hafflage William Rogers junr William O'Conner and Christian Sniekfizer to the South East Corner of the west half of the North East quarter of Section No Seventeen thence west on the line Between Wm O'Conner and Henry Beckley to the South west Corner of the west half of the North East quarter of Section No Seventeen thence South on the line between Henry Beckly John H. Ratte and Peter Brumgard to A hickory tree marked A thence South west across the South East Corner of the East half of the South west quarter of Section No Seventeen And still running South west until it intersects the old tobacco road near John A Kelly to a dogwood marked B making fifty three or four rods from said hickory tree marked A to the dogwood marked B all of which is respectfully submitted Witness our hands this 14th day of November 1857 John A Ewing / John French / Samuel Williams

ordered that said road be opened to the width of sixteen feet & kept in good travelling Order by the petitioners

Issued No 1532 $1.00/100 Ordered that John Mann be Allowed One dollar for County portion of Poll Tax paid by him in 1850

Issued No 1534 $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr John R. Wilcox be Allowed Twenty five dollars for professional attendance upon County poor per bill on file

Now here upon the Motion of Nathan Rowley for Robert F. Nightengale & Others remonstrants against the view of a certain road in Centre & German Townships, viewed & located by Joseph H. Messick & Hiram Stinchfield & John McGreary. It is Ordered that this board re touching said road Consider the Orders of Yesterday. And that upon duly Considering the order for the approval said Viewers, Authorizing the road in the report made by the Viewers aforesaid. to be opened It is Ordered that said Order be recinded and the board duly Considering the remonstrance of Wm Johnson & Others. It is ordered that Ephraim Starr, John M. Stinson, and James White be and they are hereby appointed Viewers to view this route for the road as reported & located by Joseph H. Messick & others to this board Why they report the road of Public utility & the damages to Wm Johnson and return such report at the next Session of this board &

& the said Viewers met on the 25th day of Dec. 1857 at the Office of the Board & in pursuance of the Order of Court proceeded to view said road & after having been duly sworn as the law directs made report as follows to wit

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Now here B. H. Rechtin who was this day appointed a Constable for Pigeon Township produces his bond as such Constable which the board now here approves

Now here John W. Grant the County Assessor appointed by this Board produces his official Bond with John Grant & E. M. De Garmo as his Sureties therein in the penal sum of two thousand dollars which said bond is now here approved

Now here on the petition of Lawrenze Droll and others citizens of Germany Township ~~petitioners~~ for a certain private road therein named as follows to wit - Beginning at a Stake eight feet south of the Corner stone on a line dividing the lands of George Nobb Christopher Droll Lawrenze Droll and Andrew Sypert on the land of Lawrence Droll which Stake is marked with a letter "A" thence running East across a part of the land of Andrew Sypert to intersect the Harmony and Evansville road at or near a certain Black Gum tree marked with a letter "B" on the land of Andrew Sypert. And the board after examining witnesses under oath as to the notices & being satisfied that the proper notices have been given - as the law requires - It is ordered that John M. Stinson Ephraim Pear and James White be and they are hereby appointed to view said rout for said road & report to this board at the next session thereof

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Issd No 655 p $2,00/100 Ordered that Setchell & White be allowed Two dollars for Horse & Buggy Hire per bill on file

Issd No 656 p $4,75/100 Ordered that Satterlee & Degarmo be allowed Four dollars & Seventy five cents for taking of irons repairing the same & reironing prisoners for sheriff per bill filed

Issd No 657 p $86,60/100 Ordered that Cranford Bell be allowed Eighty Six dollars & Sixty cents for medicines &c furnished the County poor house

Issd No 658 p $4,00/100 Ordered that John H. Bofandick be allowed four dollars for 32 3/4 of furniture check pr bill on file

Issd No 659 p $3,50/100 Ordered that Henry Schmitty be allowed three dollars and fifty cents for work on ~~fu~~ Culvert on fulton Avenue per bill on file

Issd No 660 p $1,00/100 Ordered that John Ward be allowed One dollar for services as riding bailiff pr bill on file

Issd No 661 p 0,75/100 Ordered that Martin Schmale be allowed Seventy five cents for services as bailiff bailiff pr bill on file

Issd No 662 p 0,50/100 Ordered that Wm Mills be allowed fifty cents for services as juror at the septr Term as 1851 of the V.C.C.

Issd No 663 p $4,10/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed four dollars & ten cents for Beef furnished poor house

Issd No 664 p $63,25/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed Sixty three dollars & twenty five cents per bill on file

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Issd No 665 p $21.38/100 Ordered that Robert Barnes be allowed Twenty one dollars & thirty eight cents for goods furnished the County poor

Issd No 666 p $89.96/100 Ordered that Ellis & Schlaup be allowed Eighty nine dollars & ninety six cents for provisions furnished the County poor house

Issd No 673 $5.00/100 No 667 p $16.30/100 Ordered that Wm Neighbour be allowed Sixteen dollars & thirty cents for keeping a pauper per bill on file

Issd No 668 p $21.00/100 Ordered that Geo Bates be allowed Twenty one dollars for help for County poor house

Issd No Ordered that George Bates be allowed One hundred & fifty dollars for the purpose of buying pork & beef for Vanderburgh County poor house

1504 to Bates

It is now here Ordered that the keeping of & medical attendance upon County poor be let on the third day of the March Term A D 1852 of this board and that the Auditor give 30 days notice thereof

Issd No 669 p $25.57/100 Ordered that M. P. Jones be allowed twenty five dollars & fifty one cents for money by him paid for Culvert near Keydes

Issd No 670 p $100.00/100 No 671 p $100.00 No 672 p $30.00/100 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed Two hundred & thirty dollars & thirty cents in four Orders

Issd No 673 p $6.00/100 No 674 p $6.00/100 No 675 p $6.00/100 Ordered that A. Warner Simeon Long & Leroy Calvert each be allowed Six dollars for 3 days Official Services at the December term A D 1851

It is now here ordered that the order deducting five dollars from the Sheriffs Ex Officio allowance be recinded,

Ordered that the Board adjourne until Court in course

Leroy Calvert Prest
Simeon Long
A Warner

Ordered that P. H. Woodward be allowed Ten dollars & fifty cents for estimating the work on the Bayou Embankment for bill on file

the above order was passed by the board & bill marked allowed but not entered at the time

W H Walker a.v.c.

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At a Session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, began and held at the Court house in Evansville on the first Monday in March A.D. 1852 (being the first day of said month) when present Alanson Warner Leroy Calvert and ~~A Warner~~ Gunston Long Esqs members composing said board

Now here on the petition of John G. Wohl. It is
Issd Ordered that said petitioner be exempted from Labor on the public roads and ~~exempted~~ from a Poll Tax in Consequence of bodily infirmity

Ordered that Joseph Wheeler Esqr be Allowed Twenty five dollars & five cents for services as Overseer of the Poor for Pigeon Township per bill on file

Issd No 820 $16.00/100 Ordered that A. Warner Esqr be allowed Sixteen dollars for expenses of Pauper per bill on file

Issd No 821 $18.28/100 Ordered that James Scantlin be allowed eighteen dollars and twenty eight for sundries per bill on file furnished Sheriff &c

Issd No 822 $3.00/100 Ordered that Charles Knowles be Allowed three dollars for services at the April & August elections in 1851

Issd No 823 $1.00 Ordered that John M. Stinson be Allowed One dollar for making reports on a view of the Drull & Johnson roads per bill on file

Issd No 824 $2.00 Ordered that James White be Allowed Two dollars for viewing the Drull & Johnson roads per bill on file

Issd No 825 $2.00 Ordered that John M. Stinson be Allowed Two dollars for viewing the Drull & Johnson roads per bill on file

Issd No 826 $2.00 Ordered that Ephraim Phar be Allowed Two dollars for viewing the Drull & Johnson roads per bill on file

Now here R.W. Dunbar the Treasurer of Vanderburgh County presents his report for the last quarter which report is now here approved

Now here George Bates the Keeper of the poor house produces his report to March 1st 1852 which report is now here approved

Now here Wm W. Morgan and fifty one others Citizens of German & Perry Township petition this board for the appointment of Viewers to View and locate a certain County road beginning at the New Harmony road at a certain white oak tree marked with a letter "B" in German Township on the section line dividing sections No 5 & No 6 on the lands of Jacob Danzer & Adolph Rosenmire thence running south along said section line on the lands of Jacob Danzer and Hiram Farquher in section No 5 in said Township, and on across the lands of Adolph Rosenmire

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in Section Sec. (6) And thence along the said line on the lands of A V B Coleman dividing sections 7 & 8 and across the lands of Simon Tolly and Ingobrant Young thence along said line on the lands of Robert Coleman and Frederick Stupeman and Hester Cawson dividing the lands in Sections No 7 & 8 in German Township. Thence south across the line dividing German and Perry Townships along said Section line across the lands of J. F. Crafts or R M. Pell & Robert Coleman in Section No 17 And across the lands of Francis Korrasell George Walters & John Korrasell in Section No 18 thence to intersect a County Road ~~that~~ leading from Evansville to Williams Ferry at a certain oak stake marked with a letter "A" in Perry Township on the land of John Dyke in Section No 18. ~~your Petition therefore pray this honorable board to appoint proper persons to view mark and lay out the above described~~

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The board duly considering said petition appoint John McStinson Thomas Gifford & Emanuel Hull to view & locate said road & report to this board at the next term thereof

Now here it appearing to this board that D D Grimes has paid into the County Treasury one dollar & seventy five cents tax erroneously for his son who was not at the time of assessment nor is now a resident of this County, It is therefore ordered that the Treasurer refund to D D Grimes the aforesaid sum & make return of the property charged to said grimes.

No 827 Pr $10.00 Ordered that A. C. Hallocks Chairman of the ~~Charlotte~~ Relief Committee be allowed ten dollars for sending from the County a pauper family

Issd

Now here D D Grimes Saml. Kirkpatrick and Buriah Short viewers appointed upon the petition of Clements Guntner & Others to view a certain private road beginning at an oak tree marked "A" on the County road called the rough road on the east half of the North East qr of Section No 33 Town 5 South of Range No 11 West belonging to Cornelius Battles thence running east across the lands of George Graff and Henry Sipert Conrad Hedrick and Clements Guntner in Section No 34 and Henry Swartz & Fredk Bredenharners land in Section No 35 thence to intersect a County road at a hickory tree marked with a letter "B" on the land of the heirs of Henry Sinty in Section No 38 in Town No 5 S. Range No 11 W come into Court & make the following report, Viz:

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"We Samuel Kirkpatrick Buriah Short and David D. Grimes having viewed the within road on the proposed route laid down in the order do believe the said road will be of benefit to the public, and we

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hereby make full return of the same to your honorable board

Yours respectfully this 23rd of February 1852 +

David D Grimes
Samuel Kirkpatrick
Bunah his mark Short

The board duly considering said report, and
Copied the things therein named approve the same and
Order the petitions therefor to open the ~~same~~ said road 20 feet in width and keep
~~it in~~ the same in good repair and further that they forthwith
pay the expense of the view & location ~~of the same~~ thereof

Now here B. Mills Esq Overseer of the poor produces
his report to March 1st 1852 ~~make his report~~ as such
overseer ~~& report~~ which report is now here approved
Issd No 828 $50.00 Ordered that B. Mills be allowed
Fifty dollars for services for one year as Overseer of
the poor for Pigeon Township per bill on file

Now here Joseph Wheeler Esq Overseer of the poor
for Pigeon Township produces his report to March 1st 1852
which report is now here approved
Issd No 829 $50.00 Ordered that Joseph Wheeler be
allowed fifty dollars for services as Overseer of the
poor for Pigeon Township per bill on file
Issd No 830 $30.00 Ordered that Dr D. Morgan & Dr
Casselberry be allowed thirty dollars for services in
full to March 1st 1852 for attending County poor per
contract per bill on file

Now here John McStinson E Phar & James White
Viewers appointed by this board at the last December Term thereof
to view & locate a certain private road in German Township
Commencing at a Stake eight feet South of the Corner
Stone on a line dividing the lands of George Nobb Christ
Droll, Lawrence Droll and Andrew Sypert, on the land of
Lawrence Droll Marked "A" thence running east across
a part of the land of Andrew Sypert to intersect the
Harmony and Evansville road at a black Gum Tree
Marked "B" terminating on the land of Andrew Sypert
Come into Court & make Report recommending said
road to be opened & that it would be of great utility to the
petitioners. And at the same time Andrew Sypert
of said Township produces a remonstrance signed by
George Naab, and twenty three Others, citizens of said Township against the location
of said road & opening the same. And the board duly
considering such report & remonstrance Now here ~~appoint~~ Order
that Silas Stephens E Hall & Marcus Sherwood be and
they are hereby appointed Viewers to view the Aforesaid
route & assess the damages if any done to the premises
of said Sypert & report to this board at the next session
thereof. And that said ~~said~~ viewers meet at the Office

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of June J Walker Esq on Saturday the 20th day
of March Next & qualify for said View

Now here Jesse Jackson Esq a justice of the peace for
Pigeon Township files his report of fines by him assessed & collected as such justice as follows, to wit;

State of Indiana
Vs Assault & Battery
John Smith } October 2th 1851 fine 3,00 Paid

State of Indiana
Vs
John Soraine } Assault & Battery
October 2th 1851 Discharged

State of Indiana
Vs
Geo Shelby } Assault & Battery
January 24th 1852 fined $1,00 Paid

State of Indiana
Vs
Martin Reis } Assault & Battery
January 26th 1852 & discharged

State of Indiana
Vs
Stephen Bingham } Assault & Battery
January 27th 1852 & fine $1,00 Paid

State of Indiana
Vs
McLean & Brown } petit Larceny January 30th 1852
& Committed to Jail

State of Indiana
Vs
John Baker } Assault & Battery
Feb 5th 1852 & discharged

State of Indiana
Vs
John Baker } Security of the Peace
February 5th 1852 & discharged

State of Indiana
Vs
Joseph Rough } Assault & Battery
Feb 11th 1852 fined $1,00 Paid

State of Indiana
Vs
Adam Bollar } Assault & Battery
Feb 19th 1852 & fined $1,00 Paid

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County ss
I Jesse Jackson a Justice of the Peace within & for said County
do hereby Certify that the foregoing is a true correct & complete Copy
from my Docket of the proceedings & judgements ~~thereon~~ in the
above Cases Given under my hand and seal this first
day of March A D 1852

Jesse Jackson Justice of the Peace [Seal]

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Joseph Wheeler Esq One of the justices of Pigeon Township presents to the board his report of fines by him assessed & collected to March 1st 1852 as follows, viz;

"State of Indiana
vs
Christian Krotz } Assault & Batery fine $1.00 pd 1,

Do	Nelson Bennet	Do	fine	pd	$2.00
Do	William Watkins	Assault	fine $1.00	pd	1,00
Do	George Garry & Michael Kilmaster	Assault Batty	5.00 Ea	pd	10.00
Do	Coles Ballard	Assault & Batty	fine 3.00	pd	3.00
Do	Edward Going	Do Do	" 1.00	"	1.00
Do	Lott Chust	Do Do	" 3.00	"	3.00
Do	Wm Johnson	Assault	" 1.00	Exec	-
Do	Smith Gavitt	Assault & Batery	" 1.00	pd	1.00
Do	Joel Sherwood	do do	" 1.00	"	1,00
Do	Wm Inwood	do do	5	"	5
Do	John Gilbert	do do	2.00		2.00
					$25,05

I do hereby Certify that the Above are all the State Cases had before me where a fine was imposed from March 1st 1851 to March 1st 1852

Joseph Wheeler Seal
Justice of the peace

Brackett Mills One of the justices in and for Pigeon Township Makes the following report of the fines by him assessed & Collected to March 1st 1852 as follows viz

"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 report to 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

No 1	State of Indiana vs William Garrett	October 30th 1849 fine $3.00 paid December the 18th 1851	$3.00
No 2	State of Indiana vs Daniel Sullivan	Assault and Battery January 7th 1850 fine 5.00 paid ~~$5.00~~ May 20th 1851 5,00	
3	State of Indiana vs Edward Martin	Assault & Battery March 8th 1850 fine 3.00 paid April the 25th 1850 $3,00	

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No 4 State of Indiana vs Thomas Stephens } Assault & Battery April 30 1857 fined $3.00 paid August the 13th 1857 $3.00

No 5 State of Indiana vs Moses Aikin } Assault and Battery May the 23 1857 fined $20,00 1857 paid September 28 $20,00

No 6 State of Indiana vs Teddy McMully } Assault and Battery June the 4th 1857 fined $3,00 paid June the 4th 1857 $3,00

State of Indiana vs Richard Gaulph } Assault and Battery June the 9th 1857 fine $1.00 paid June 18th 1857 $1,00

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County ss

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 what so ever by virtue of my office as such justice within and during the preceding year Commencing on the first Monday of March 1857 and ending on the 29th day of February 1852

Subscribed & Sworn Bracket Mills Seal
justice of the peace

The board having examined the foregoing reports of fines ~~&c~~ made by justices accept & Approve the same

Now here the county Auditor makes the following report, to wit;

Auditors office
Vanderburgh County March 1st 1852

To The Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

Gentlemen In Obedience to the provisions of Art 8 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 Common Schools

No 1 A Statement of the Condition of the whole of the Receipts & Expenditures, with the total amounts of school Funds with the Amount in the County Treasurers hands on the first day of March A D 1852

No 2 A Statement of the condition of the Lands of Town 4 S Range 10 W

No 3 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 5 S Range 10 W

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No 4. A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 6 S. Range 10 W.

No 5 a Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 7 S in Range 10 W.

No 6 a Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 5 S. Range 11 W

No 7 a Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 6 S. Range 11 W

No 8 a Statement of the Condition of the funds of Town 7 S. Range 11 W

No 9 a Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 6 S. Range 9 W

No 10 a Statement of the Condition of the ~~Funds of Town~~ Common School Funds

No 11 a Statement of the whole of the receipts and disbursements on account aforesaid Fund with the total Amount of School Funds in the Treasurers hands on the first Monday in March 1852

Loans		
Loans Outstanding March 1st 1851	14.216 44	
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1852	1.360 00	
		$15.576.44
Refunded by borrowers to March 1st 52		1.572.15
Total Outstanding Loans March 1st 1852		$14.004.29
Receipts & Disbursements		
Receipts		
There was in Treasurers hands on March 1st 1851	1,636.57	
From Loans refunded by borrowers	1.572.15	
From Interest from Loans & Purchasers	1.683.38	
From Purchases of School Lands Principal	40.00	
Total Receipts		4.932.10
Disbursements		
Loans of Common S. Fund to March 1st 1852	1.360.00	
Interest distributed last year & not reported	421.92	
Incidental Expenses in 1851 & 1852	475.38	
Total Disbursements		2267.30
Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 52		2664.80

No 12 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 4 S. Range 10 W nothing

No 13 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 5 S. Range 10 W

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Loans

There was Outstanding on Loans of the Funds of this Township on March 1st 1851 — 1033.31

Loaned by Auditor — 00.00 — 10

Total Loans — 1,033.31

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Treasurers hands March 1st 1851 — 127.70

From Purchasers of Lands - Principal — 40.00

From Interest from Loans & Purchases — 113.93

Total Receipts — 281,63

Disbursements

Interest distributed to Town Seasons — 32.93

Incidental Expenditures — 27.29

Total Disbursements to March 1st 1852 — 60.22

Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 1852 — 221,41

No 4 A Statement of the Funds of Town 6 S. Range 10 W

Loans

Outstanding Loans on March 1st 1851 — 3.182.48

Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1852 — 970.00

Total Loans to March 1st 1852 — 4152.48 — 4.152.48

Amount refunded by borrowers to Mar 1st 1852 — 1029.40

Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1852 — 3.123.08 — 3123.08

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was in Treasurers hands March 1st 1851 a balance of — 252.50

From Loans refunded by borrowers — 1,029.40

Interest on Loans from Purchasers — 412.16

Total Receipts — 1694.06

Disbursements

Distributed to Township Seasons — 165.25

Incidental Expenditures — 119.01

Loans of funds of this Township — 970.00

Total Disbursements — 1254.24

Balance in Treasurers hands Mar 1st 1852 — 439.82

No 5 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 7 S. Range 10 W

Loans

There was Outstanding on Loan March 1st 1851 — 1969.80

Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1852 — 190.00

total Loans to March 1st 1852 — 2.159.80

Refunded by borrowers to March 1st 1852 — 220.00

Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1852 — 1.939.80 — 1,939.80

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Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 1851	309.66	
From loans refunded by borrowers	220.00	
From Interest on Loans & from Purchasers	239.65	
Total receipts	769.31	769.31

Disbursements

Loans of funds of this Township	190.00	
Distribution to Town Treasurers	68.48	
Incidental Expenditures	67.22	
Total disbursements		325.70
Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 1852		443.61

No 6 A Statement of the condition of the Funds of Town 5 S. Range 11 W

Loans

There was outstanding on Loans on the 1st of March 1851 of the Funds of this Township since which time nothing paid in on Loans & nothing reloned	728.89	
Loans outstanding March 1st 1852	728.89	728.89

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was a balance in Treasurers hands on the first of March 1851	172.68	
Round since Interest from Loans & Purchases	79.72	
Total Receipts		252.40

Disbursements

Incidental Expenditure	20.36	
Total Expenditures		20.36
Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 52		232.04

No 7 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 6 S. Range 11 W

Loans

There was outstanding on Loans March 1st 1851 of the Funds of this Township	1.470.99	
No loans made since	00.00	
Total Loans to March 1st 1852	1.410.99	

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Balance in Treasurers hands Mar 1st 1851	222.92	
received since to March 1st 1852 as follows		
Viz From Loans refunded by borrowers	60.00	
From Interest on Loans	134.98	
Total receipts		427.90

Disbursements

Incidental Expenditures	39.50	
Total disbursements		39.50
Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 52		388.40

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~~Tuesday morning March 2nd the board met pres~~

No 8 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 7 S. Range 11 W

There was Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1851 of the Funds of this Township	2.537	75		
No loans since made				
Total Loans to March 1st 1852			2.537	75
Receipts & Disbursements				
Receipts				
There was in Treasurers hand on March 1st 1851	299	02		
Recived since to March 1st 1852 as follows, Viz;				
From Interest on Loans & from Purchasers	372	23		
Total receipts to March 1st 1852			671	25
Disbursements				
Incidental Expenditures of this fund	79	02		
Total Expenditures			79	02
Balance in Treasurers hands Mar 1st 1852			592	23

No 9 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town C Range 9

Bal in Treasurers hands			4	13

No 10 A Statement of the Condition of the Common School Funds

Loans				
There was Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1851 of this Funds	3.293	22		
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1852	200	00		
Total Loans	3.493	22		
Refunded by borrowers to March 1st 1852	262	75		
Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1852	3230	47	3.230	47
Receipts & Disbursements				
Receipts				
Balance in Treasurers hands Mar 1st 1851	247	96		
Received since from Loans refunded	262	75		
From Interest on Loans & from Purchasers	330	71		
Total receip			841	42
Disbursements				
Distributed to Township Treasurers	155	28		
Loaned by Auditor	200	00		
Incidental Expenditures	122	98		
Total Disbursements			478	26
Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 1852			363	16

No 10 The Amount of principal due from the Sale of School Lands

Common School Lands	780	00
T 5 R 10 W	887	23
for lands of Town C Range 10 W	1802	99
" " " " 7 " 10 W	842	66

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Town 5 Range 11 W	375.00	
" 6 " 11 "	1247.22	
" 7 " 11 "	1825.75	
Total amount due on Lands		7760.85

The land belonging to Town 8 S. Range 11 W is under the Management of the Trustees & No report having been submitted by them I am not say what the value amounts to but know it to be valuable

All of which is respectfully submitted

The board having examined said Report approved the same

Wm H. Walker A.V.C.

No 831 p $3.00 Ordered that James L. Patton be allowed three dollars for summoning juries & witnesses for Coroners per bills on file

No 832 p $3.60 Ordered that Ahlering & Brummer be allowed three dollars & sixty cents for clothing furnished prisoners in County jail per bill on file

No 833 p $100.00 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed One hundred dollars for investigating School funds in suit against N. Rowley

No 834 p $4.00 Ordered that Wm Hughes be allowed four dollars for 2 bed Ticks per bill on file

No 835 p $0.75 Ordered that A. C. Hallock be allowed Seventy five Cents for Chloride of lime furnished jail

No 836 p $25.00 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Twenty five dollars for Ex Office Allowances for three months ending March 1st 1852

No 837 p $25.00 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed Twenty five dollars for three months Ex Officer services to March 1st 1852

No 838 p $25.00 Ordered that Saml. S. Jenkins be allowed Twenty five dollars for three months Ex Officer Services to March 1st 1852

No 839 p $2.35 Ordered that John S. Terry S.V.C. be allowed two dollars & thirty five Cents for Summoning Havers jurors for March Term 1852

No 840 p $3.00 Ordered that C. T. Cutler be allowed three dollars for printing bill for letting poor Asylum

No 841 p $3.37 Ordered that Wm M. Woolsey be allowed three dollars and thirty seven cents for Chloride of lime furnished County jail

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine O'clock

Leroy Calvert Prest

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Tuesday morning March 2nd 1852 the Board met pursuant to adjournment when the Members thereof present as yesterday

No 842 p $25.00 Ordered that Thomas E. Garvin Esq be allowed Twenty five dollars for 2 quarters Census as County agent per bill on file

No 844 p $5.31 Ordered that M. Reuscheler be allowed five dollars & Seventy one Cents for Cens furnishing County per bill on file

No ~~844~~ 843 p $3.00 Ordered that Setchell & White be Allowed three dollars for horse hire for use of County per bill on file

No 840 p $20.05 Ordered that Babcock Brothers be allowed Twenty dollars & five Cents for goods furnished the County per bill on file

No 846 p $85.00 Ordered that Wm Short be Allowed Eighty five dollars for boots & blankets furnished County per bill on file

No 847 p $10.00/100 Ordered that John L. Terry be Allowed ten dollars for feeding persons in County jail per bill on file

No 848 p $10.00 Ordered that John L. Terry D.V.C. be Allowed ten dollors for feeding persones in County jail per bill on file

No 849 p $10.00 Ordered that John L. Terry D.V.C. be Allowed ten dollars for feeding prsoners in County jail per bill on file

No 850 p $10.00 Ordered that John L. Terry D.V.C. be Allowed ten dollars for feeding prsoners in the County jail per bill Onfile

No 851 p $10.00 Ordered that John L. Terry D.V.C. be Allowed ten dollars for feeding prsoners in the County jail per bill on file

No 852 p $10.00 Ordered that John L. Terry D.V.C. be Allowed ten dollars for feeding prsoners in the County jail per bill on file

No 853 p $10.00 Ordered that John L. Terry D.V.C. be Allowed ten dollars for feeding prisoners in the County jail per bill on file

No 854 p $10.00 Ordered that John L. Terry D.V.C. be Allowed ten dollars for feeding prsoners in the County jail per bill on file

No 855 p $10.00 Ordered that John L. Terry D.V.C. be Allowed ten dollars for feeding prisoners in County jail per bill on file

No 856 p $10.00 Ordered that John L. Terry D.V.C. be Allowed ten dollar for feeding prsoners in County jail per bill on file

No 857 p $5.00 Ordered that John L. Terry D.V.C. be Allowed five dollars for feeding prsoners in County gaol per bill on file

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No 858½ $5.00 Ordered that John A. Terry be allowed five dollars for feeding prisoners in County jail per bills on file

No 859½ $5.00 Ordered that John A. Terry & vo be allowed five dollars for feeding prisoners in County jail per bills on file

No 860½ $4.88 Ordered that John A. Terry & vo be allowed four dollars and eighty eight cents for feeding prisoners in County jail & for services as turn key in full per bills on file

Louis Richter one of the Justices of the County makes report of the fines by him assessed & collected for breach of the penal laws for the year ending Feb 29th 1852 as follows, to wit;

"To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, The Annual Report of Louis Richter One of the Justices of the Peace for said County respectfully Sheweth, the names of all persons against whom fines have been assessed and not remitted, during the preceding year, together with the Amount and Cause thereof, and the Amount of fines received since his last report, together with the names of persons paying, the nature of the Offence and the date at which assessed and received,

Fines assessed & not received since last report { None

Fines assessed & received since last report, to wit;

Ch Hiram Fargusher on the 15th day of December last for an assault and battery Committed on the body of A Rosenmeier on the 9th day of December $1.00

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Louis Richter Seal
Justice of the Peace

James Steel a Justice in Perry Township makes the following report. Viz;

State of Indiana
vs
Joseph H. Messick & Hugh McCrary

Before James Steel a Justice of the peace
Assault & Battery
Fined on the 18th of October 1851
Joseph H. Messick was fined $5.00 not collected
Hugh McCrary was fined $1.00 and since paid

March 1st 1852

James Steel Seal
Justice of the Peace

Now here the board letts the medical attendance upon the County poor to Dr Isaac Lasselberry John T Walker Hugh Ronalds Daniel Morgan & Benjamin Davidson for three years from and after the first day of March 1852, for the sum of three hundred dollars per year payable quarter yearly at the expiration of each & every quarter, Said Physicians to attend the County poor or paupers within the County Poor Asylum ~~to wit~~

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together with all persons who may become a County Charge throughout the County, wheresoever the said paupers may be found or reside, and furnish all the necessary medicines for such paupers and said Physicians do further agree with this board to attend to all prisoners & to the poor the Family of George Bates in the County Jail and furnish all medicines necessary for such prisoners, in consideration of the aforesaid sum of three hundred dollars per year as per agreement signed by said Physicians on file

Now here the board letts to George Bates the Keeping of the County Poor Asylum of Vanderburgh County and the superintendency of all Paupers who may become a charge upon said County for the sum of two hundred dollars per year for this year from March 1st 1852 payable quarterly yearly, the County to furnish all necessary provisions & clothing for said County poor Bates to procure the same & produce the bills to this board It is understood that Bates is to keep the poor farm in good order & to cultivate & manage the grounds connected with the poor asylum to for ~~the~~ best interest of the County,

Ordered that the Board adjourn untill tomorrow morning at 8 Oclock

Leroy Calvert Prest

Wednesday morning March 3rd 1852 the board met pursuant to adjournment when the members thereof were present as yesterday

Now here E. Phar John M. Stinson and James White Viewers heretofore appointed to view a certain road in Centre & German Townships make the following report, to wit;

"To the Hon The Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

The undersigned Viewers appointed at the December Term 1851 of your Hon Board on the Remonstrance of Wm Johnson & Others to view a certain rout for a road in Centre Township heretofore viewed & marked by Joseph H. Messick Hiram Stinchfield and Wm McCrary.- After meeting on the 25th day of December inst. and being duly qualified we proceeded to view said rout in said viewers report mentioned as follows to wit; Commencing at the South East ~~quarter~~ Corner of the West half of the North West quarter of section No. Eleven in Town Six South, Range eleven west belonging to George B Wagnon running thence easterly through the lands of Elizabeth Johnson John Bomb Thomas Kron or Mary Smith, in said section eleven thence through the lands of Wm C. B. Scranton and Andrew Erskine in section twelve town and

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range aforesaid, thence South Easterly through a part of Section thirteen belonging to Sullivan Pratt & Thatcher terminating at a certain blazed dog wood tree on the west side of the County road leading from Lamasco City to Princeton in said section. After having carefully examined & viewed said rout we have become satisfied that said rout would be of no public utility if ordered to be Opened, and burthensome, to the neighborhood if kept in any kind of order for travelling.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands on this 29th of Decr 1851.

Ephraim Thar (Seal)
John M. Stinson (Seal)
James White (Seal)

The board duly considering said report Order that the same be approved

No 861 p $3.25 Ordered that Saml. Lister be allowed three dollars & twenty five cents for Ream of Paper for clerk of the V.C.C.

No 862 p $22.19 Ordered that Orr & Swanson be allowed twenty two dollars and nineteen cents, for coal furnished the County jail

Ordered that the County Treasurer be authorized to refund to James Farran five dollars and thirty five cents for tax by him erroniously paid. & that said treasurer return the same as an erroneous assessment

Now here S. Mintzer & others petition this board for the appointment of viewers to view and locate a certain private road beginning at the North west corner of the South East quarter of the North East quarter of section number five in Town six South of range number ten west running thence along the land of the heirs of Garret New Kirks ~~heirs~~ and through the land of the heirs of Joshua Stephens terminating at the Petersburgh road. And the board duly considering said petition. It is ordered that Lorenzo D. Hopkins Thomas Hampton & Sherman Fairchild be & they are hereby appointed to view & locate said road on the nearest & best ground, & report the same to this board at its next session & that said Mintzer pay the expense of said view.

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No 863 p $8.50 Ordered that M. Hartline be allowed Eight dollars & fifty cents for funds by him expended as supervisor in German Township per bill on file

No 864 p $24.50 Ordered that A. Kollenburgh be allowed Twenty four dollars and fifty cents for stove stove pipe & sheetiron furnished county poor house

No 865 p $28.12 Ordered that Wm Miller be allowed Twenty eight dollars & twelve cents for chopping wood for County poor Asylum

No 866 p $2.00 Ordered that S Duri be allowed Two dollars for 4 water barrels furnished culvert on fulton avenue

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No 867 p $29.82 Ordered that George Bates be Allowed Twenty nine dollars and eighty two cents for sending paupers from county & for provision for Asylum

Now here George Bates produces to this board his bond as superintendent of the County poor Asylum for two years which bond is now here approved

No 868 p $95.70 Ordered that George Bates be Allowed ninety five dollars and seventy cents for keeping the poor Asylum to March 1st 1852

No 869 p $38.50 Ordered that George Bates be Allowed thirty eight dollars and fifty cents for burrying paupers per bill on file

No 870 p $0.50 Ordered that Wm C. Saunders be Allowed fifty cents for cash paid pauper in Perry Township

Saml McDonald a justice of Armstrong Township files his report as such justice of the fines assessed & collected by him to March 1st 1852

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County p
Armstrong Township
VS
Edwin Rogers and Saml Hutchinson

For an assault and Battery on the 28th day of June 1851 at the late residence of Henry Somire Senr deceased, tried and fined Saml Hutchinson three dollars and Edwin Rogers four dollars and the fines paid over to the County Treasury

Saml McDonald Seal
Justice of the Peace

James S Walkers Report as justice

A list of fines assessed and collected since the 1st day of March 1851

State of Indiana
VS } Assault } fine $1 paid
Abner Bishop

State of Indiana
VS } Assault } Fined 3$ paid
Wm Jones

State of Indiana
VS } A & B } Fine 3$ paid
Adam Kash

State of Indiana
VS } A & B } Fine 3$ paid
Wm Hencker

State of Indiana
VS } A & B } Fine 1$ paid
Catharine Welsh

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State of Indiana
vs } A & B
John Emrick } Fine 1 ¢ Appealed to Circuit Court

State of Indiana
vs } Assault
John Quinn } Fine 1 ¢ Replevied

State of Indiana
vs } A & B
Benjamin S Taylor } Fine 1 ¢ Replevied

State of Indiana
vs } A & B
Benjamin S Taylor } Fine 3 ¢ replevied

State of Indiana
vs } A & B
Wm M Smith } Fine 1 ¢ replevied

State of Indiana
vs } A & B
Jacob Minne } Fine 1 ¢ paid

State of Indiana
vs } A & B
Charles H Thorn & Nancy Thorn } Charles H Thorn Fined ¢3 / Nancy Thorn Fined ¢1 } Execution

State of Indiana
vs } A & B
John Rock } Fine 3 ¢

This Certifies that the Above is a Correct list of all the fines Collected and assessed by me since the first day of March 1851

James T. Walker (Seal)
Justice of the Peace

No 871 p ¢13.81 Ordered that Robert Barnes be allowed thirteen dollars and eighty one cents for goods furnished County for poor Asylum per bill on file

No 872 p ¢93.50 Ordered that Ellis & Schlamp be allowed ~~thirty~~ Ninety three dollars & fifty cents for goods furnished the County poor Asylum per bill on file

The County Auditor submits the following report to Wit;

"Auditors Office Vanderburgh County
March 1st 1852

To The Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County. In Obe

In Obedience to the provisions of Chapter 13 of the

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Revised Statutes of A.D. 1843 the County Auditor submits his Annual Report in Relation to the Surplus Revenue County Sinking Fund Tax Saline and Other Trust Funds in the County Treasury on March 1st 1852

A Statement of the Condition of the Surplus Revenue Fund

There was Outstanding on Loans of the Surplus Revenue Fund at the last Report 4,077,64

Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1852	150	00	
Total Loans to March 1st 1852	4,227	64	
Loan Refunded by ~~Borrowers~~ to March 1st 1852	166	00	
Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1852	4,061,	64	4,061, 64

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 1851	150	00	
Amount Refunded by borrowers	166,	00	
Interest on Loans	346	71	
Total Receipts			662, 71

Disbursements

Loans of Funds to March 1st 1852	150	00	
Incidental Expenses	70	46	
Total Disbursements			220 46
Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 1852			441, 25

A Statement of the Condition of the County Sinking Fund

Loans

There was Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1851 of this Fund 4,297 15

Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1852	953,	00	
Total Loans to March 1st 1852	5,250	15	
Loans refunded by borrowers	293	00	
Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1852	4957	15	4957 15

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 1851	87	21	
From Loans refunded by borrows	230,	00	
From Fines for breaches of the penal Laws	284,	53	
From Interest on Loans	391,	08	
Total Receipts to March 1st 1852			992, 82

Disbursements

For Loans of this fund to March 1st 1852	953,	00	
Incidental Expenses	83	81	
Total Disbursements			1,036, 81

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A Statement of the Condition of the Bank Tax Fund

Outstanding Loans of this Fund to March 1st 1857 415 00

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Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 1851	01	
From Interest on Loans	25 20	
Total Receipts	25 21	25 21

Disbursements

Incidental disbursements	3 60	
Total disbursements		3 60
Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 1852		21 61

A Statement of the Condition of the Saline Fund

There was Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1851 335 00

of this Fund

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

From Interest on Loans	16 18	
Total Receipts to March 1st 1852	1	16 18

Disbursements

Incidental Expenses of this Fund	2 31	
Total disbursements		2 31
Balance in Treasurers hands Mar 1st 1852		13 87

A Statement of the Condition of the Fund Reported by the Coroner in the County Treasury

Loans Outstanding March 1st 1852	138 00	
Total Loans		138 00

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

From Interest on Loans	10 30	
Total Receipts	10 30	10 30

Disbursements

For Incidental Expenses of this fund	1 50	
Total disbursements		1 50
Balance in Treasurers hands March 1st 1852		8 80

All of which is Respectfully submitted
Wm H. Walker C. A. C.

Evansville March 1st 1852

The Board duly examining said reports It is Ordered that they be now here approved

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 8 O'Clock

Leroy Calvert Pres't

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Thursday morning at 8 O'Clock the Board met pursuant to adjournement when the members thereof were present as of yesterday

No 873 p $10.00 Ordered that John W. Grant County Assessor be allowed ten dollars for services as such assessor in part

No 874 p $10.00 Ordered that John W. Grant be allowed ten dollars for services in part as County assessor

No 875 p $10.00 Ordered that John W. Grant be allowed ten dollars for services in part as assessor for 1852

No 876 p $10.00 Ordered that John W. Grant be allowed ten dollars for services in part as assessor for 1852

No 877 p $10.00 Ordered that John W. Grant be allowed ten dollars for services in part as assessor for 1852

It is Now here Ordered that the Evansville & Illinoise Rail Road Company be allowed at anytime on application, to exchange any or all of the Vanderburgh County Bonds, of the denomination of fifty & One hundred dollars, with said County for Bonds, of the denomination of Five hundred dollars, having the same time to run and bearing the same conditions, terms & interest as the small bonds to be surrendered, and being for the same amount in the aggregate, as the small bonds so surrendered, the Rail Road Company being at all expenses of such exchange. And that the President of the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and the Clerk of such board, to wit; the County Auditor be ~~directed~~ Authorized Ordered & directed to execute such New Bonds on the ~~terms~~ conditions aforesaid when such application be made

It is Now here Ordered that the different Overseers of the Poor in the County of Vanderburgh be Notified that the County Board have employed for the term of two years, Doctors Isaac Lasselberry John T. Walker Hugh Ronalds Saml. Morgan and Benjamin Davidson to attend to all of the poor who may become a County Charge within said County. And that said Overseers be Authorized Ordered and directed to send for either of the said Physicians whenever the services of a Doctor may be required for such poor, and if any other person should be employed by

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or ~~such passage~~ themselves. thy Board will not allow the bill, as such Oversein, ~~thay Board~~ have determined not to allow anysuch bills hereafter

The following Report of the names of Borrowers of the different Sinck funds was Submitted by the County Auditor

Report

Number of Loan		Amt of Loan	Nature of Security	Kind of Fund
No 1	Shaver & Stiger	175 00	Mortgage	Com. School Funds
" 2	R H Brown	100 00	"	" " "
" 8	John A. Morgan	300 00	"	" " "
" 16	Thomas Gifford	300 00	"	" " "
" 19	Geo Haag	100 00	"	" " "
" 20	Geo Haag	125 00	"	" " "
" 21	Geo B Walker	40 00	"	" " "
" 24	Mark H. Wheeler	100 00	"	" " "
" 30	Wm Simmiden	55 00	"	Sd 5 — 10 P
" 31	Silas Stephens	200 00	"	" 6 " 10 "
" 37	Joseph H. Phelps	81 00	"	" 6 " 10 "
" 38	Henry Harwood	200 00	"	" 6 " 10 "
" 39	Wm L McDowell	150 00	"	" 6 " 10 "
" 42	S Hennick	100 00	"	" 6 " 10 "
" 43	John Hewson	160 00	"	" 6 " 10 "
" 45	Geo B Walker	50 00	"	" 6 " 10 "
" 52	Hiram Nelson	19 84	"	" 5 " 11 "
" 53	Frances Amony	158 00	"	" 5 " 11 "
" 54	Fred Kroos	50 00	"	" 5 " 11 "
" 55	Jesse Henson	50 00	"	" 5 " 11 "
" 57	Walter Beal	200 00	Judgement	" 6 " 11 "
" 58	Geo B Walker	200 00	"	" 6 " 11 "
" 59	John McCutchan	200 00	Mortgage	Surplus Revenue
" 63	Barker & Barker	85 00	Personal	Sd 5 " 11 "
" 64	John Fickas	280 00	Mortgage	" 7 " 11 "
" 65	John M. Blair	123 00	"	" 7 " 11 "
" 68	Frances Amony	300 00	"	" 7 " 11 "
" 71	Charles Bigley	100 00	"	" 7 " 11 "
" 74	W & S Barker	190 00	"	" 7 " 11 "
" 75	Wm E Good	16 40	"	" Surplus Revenue
" 78	Jo Hevey	43 38	"	" " "
" 85	Charles Hancock	66 67	"	" " "
" 88	Geo. Donneman	50 00	"	" " "
" 89	Wm Bowyer	100 00	"	" " "
" 93	Edward Bentiss	20 00	"	" " "
" 96	Geo N. Kinney	50 00	"	" " "
" 104	Thomas Gifford	300 00	"	" " "
" 106	Millard Carpenter	300 00	Personal	" " "
" 107	John Lindsey	33 33	"	" " "
" 114	Jack Geisler	65 00	"	" " "
" 119	John M. Apps	111 00	"	" " "
" 125	Olmsted & Olmsted	44 43	"	County Sinking
" 128	James L Jones	100 00	"	" "

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No. 132	Kinkle & Geisler	35 31	Personal	County Seminary
" 139	Grafton & Rowley	79 86	"	" "
" 142	Rowley & Grafton	248 11	"	" "
" 153	John M. Blair	29 68	"	Surplus Revenue
" 155	Kinloch M. Johnson	50 00	Mortgage	Town 6 Range 10 W
" 156	Joseph Lemuts	50 00	"	" 6 " 10 "
" 157	Joseph Lechner jr	100 00	"	Com School Fund
" 159	Joel Mahlthy	64 00	"	" " "
" 168	George Steels	172 00	"	Town 5 Range 10 W
" 175	Edward Hopkins	100 00	"	" 5 " 11 "
" 176	Saml Moffitt	119 00	"	Surplus Revenue
" 182	Elliott & Simpson	58 84	Personal	County Seminary
" 185	John Reuschler	78 00	Mortgage	Town 5 Range 11 W
" 186	Michael Ward	55 00	"	" 7 " 10 "
" 187	W. C. Saunders	51 99	"	" 6 " 11 "
" 188	W. C. Saunders	61 41	"	Surplus Revenue
" 189	Jno Moffitt	75 00	"	" "
" 190	E. & W. C. Saunders	200 00	"	" "
" 193	Saml Fitzpatrick	75 00	"	Town 7 Range 10 W
" 194	Saml Benjamin	41 47	"	" 5 " 10 "
" 196	Henry Miller	65 00	"	Surplus Revenue
" 197	Edw Wheeler (W Elliott	300 00	"	Town 7 Range 11 W
" 198	John Gilmay	150 00	"	" 6 " 10 W
" 200	Joseph P. Elliott	116 00	"	Surplus Revenue
" 201	Benedict Shoven	50 00	"	Town 7 Range 11 W
" 202	James Dolen	200 00	"	" 7 " 11 W
" 203	W. H. Chadd	250 00	"	" 7 " 10 "
" 205	Wm Taylor	85 00	"	" 6 " 11 "
" 206	Trustees of St Pauls Church	150 00	"	County Seminary
" 207	Trustees of St. Pauls Church	276 00	"	Town 7 Range 11 W
" 209	Matthew Flannigan	66 00	"	Saline Funds
" 210	Philip Ringuitz	100 00	"	Town 7 Range 10 W
" 211	Wm Hillyer	100 00	"	" 6 " 10 "
" 212	John Walsh	75 00	"	" 6 " 10 "
" 220	Isaac Hutchinson	175 00	"	" 6 " 11 "
" 221	Isaac Hutchinson	300 00	"	Surplus Revenue
" 223	Wm P. Schenck	115 00	"	Town 7 R 10 W
" 224	Joseph Fisher	50 00	"	" 6 " 11 "
" 225	Joseph Fisher	30 00	"	" 5 " 11 "
" 226	John Inwood	100 00	"	" 5 " 11 "
" 227	Bayless Bennett	300 00	"	" 7 " 10 "
" 228	John Stoyle	20 00	"	" 6 " 11 "
" 229	Jerah Fairchild	33 00	"	Com School Fund
" 231	Wm McElliott	225 00	"	Grants Tax Fund
" 232	H. H. Calloway	81 00	"	Town 7 Range 10 W
" 233	John Darling	100 00	"	6 10
" 234	Louis Sonier	55 00	"	7 11
" 236	Thos S. Wheeler	100 00	"	Surplus Revenue
" 237	James Steel	300 00	"	County Seminary
" 239	Geo Walter	115 00	"	Surplus Revenue
" 240	Stephen Childs	25 00	"	Town 6 Range 10 W
" 242	John Tucker	75 00	"	" 7 " 11
" 245	Geo B. Mackey	200 00	"	" 6 " 10

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No	247	Anthony Sitzler	160 00	Mortgage	County Seminary
"	248	R. P. Hayes	125 00	"	Town 7 Range 11 W
"	250	Sylvester Boardman	140 00	"	" 7 " 11 "
"	251	Alx Powell	175 00	"	Common School
"	252	Myron P. Hutchinson	150 00	"	Surplus Revenue
"	253	Abel Sullivan	86 00	"	Saline Fund
"	256	Ale H. Atherton	100 00	"	Town 6 Range 11 W
"	257	Thos. Hall	150 00	"	Common School
"	258	John Watts	200 00	"	Town 7 Range 10 W
"	260	Chas Linn	200 00	"	" 7 " 10 "
"	261	John Henson	161 00	"	" 5 " 10 "
"	262	Emanuel Hull	290 00	"	" 7 " 10 "
"	263	Chapt Lintonich	169 00	"	Common School
"	264	John Saylor	155 00	"	" "
"	265	Wm M. Elliott	200 00	"	Town 5 Range 10 W
"	266	James King	200 00	"	" 6 " 11 "
"	267	Daniel Morgan	160 00	"	County Seminary
"	268	Dan. Morgan	140 00	"	Common School
"	269	Wm H. H. Oldy	50 00	"	County Seminary
"	270	Jacob Reinhardt	58 00	"	Coroners Inquest
"	271	W H & J. F. Chandler	356 00	Personal	County Seminary
"	272	G. L. Linch	125 00	Mortgage	Surplus Revenue
"	276	Sebastian Neunch	112 00	"	Town 6 Range 10 W
"	277	Joseph Wheeler	150 00	"	" 5 " 10 "
"	278	James R Boardman	100 00	"	" 5 " 11 "
"	279	E. Saunders	120 00	"	" 5 " 10 "
"	280	John Martin	100 00	"	" 5 " 10 "
	282	Charles Kinkle	100 00	"	Surplus Revenue
	283	Chas Mangle	150 00	"	Town 6 Range 11 W
	286	John Mugge	100 00	"	Bank Tax Fund
	287	John Gnegt	200 00	"	Surplus Revenue
	291	Jacob Bamm	90 00	"	Town 5 Range 11 W
	292	Martin Schnoll	200 00	"	Common School
	293	Isaac Cavins	60 00	"	Town 6 Range 11 W
	294	Barney Cody	150 00	"	County Seminary
	295	Sherman Fairchild	84 00	"	Town 5 Range 10 W
	296	German Methodist E Church	300 00	"	County Seminary
	297	G. L. Linch	178 00	"	Town 7 Range 10 W
	298	Philip Rousch	100 00	"	" 7 " 10 "
	299	Philip Rantz	80 00	"	Common School
	300	James M. Pavin	100 00	"	Town 6 Range 10 W
	301	E. H. & E. Garno	100 00	"	" 6 " 10 "
	302	G. L. Linch	58 00	"	Saline Fund
	303	Edwin Rogers	100 00	"	Town 6 Range 11 W
	304	G. L. Linch	82 00	"	Surplus Revenue
	305	G. L. Linch	50 00	"	Bank Tax Fund
	306	Wm Rubrecht	80 00	"	Town 6 Range 11 W
	307	Joel B. Mills	110 00	"	Common School Fund
	308	Edw Ingle	172 00	"	" " "
	309	Robert Pantze	90 00	"	Town 7 Range 10 W
	311	Edward Burtus	145 00	"	" 6 " 10 "
	312	Edward Burtus	75 00	"	Saline Fund

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No. 313	Jacob Neidhammer	100 00	Mortgage	Com School Fund	
314	Elizabeth Sullivan	200 00	"	Town 6 Range 10 W	
316	Ben Nance	300 00	"	Surplus Revenue	
317	Geo Widdig	55 00	"	Surplus Revenue	
318	Geo Rockey	200 00	"	County Seminary	
320	Wm M. Walker	258 00	"	Town 7 Range 11 W	
321	Geo H. Hahn	25 00	"	Surplus Revenue	
322	Geo H. Hahn	35 00	"	Bank Tax Fund	
323	Geo B. Walker	300 00	"	County Seminary	
325	H. C. Huntington	115 00	"	Com School Fund	
326	Wm M. Walker	300 00	"	County Seminary	
327	Wm M. Walker	300 00	"	Town 7 Range 10 W	
328	Wm Newman	100 00	"	" 7 " 10 "	
329	Jonathan Newman	100 00	"	" 7 " 10 "	
330	Geo B. Walker	300 00	"	Surplus Revenue	
331	Wm Jarvis	100 00	"	Common School	
333	Geo Rockey	125 00	"	Town 6 Range 10 W	
334	Wm M. Walker	300 00	"	" 6 " 10 "	
335	John S. Walker	300 00	"	County Seminary	
336	Thomas Bonnet	100 00	"	" "	
337	Franc Kraenzel	85 00	"	Town 5 Range 11 W	
338	John Ayer	300 00	"	County Seminary	
339	James Carter	51 00	"	Town 7 Range 10 W	
340	James Carter	49 00	"	" 6 " 11 "	
341	Ellison Martin	100 00	"	County Seminary	
342	Rodolph Laubscher	120 00	"	Town 6 Range 10 W	
343	Francis A Sinclr	100 00	"	" 6 " 10 "	
344	Thomas Crofts	70 00	"	" 6 " 10	
345	Philip Fisher	100 00	"	" 6 " 10	
346	Heronimus Fehrenbacher	100 00	"	" 6 " 10	
347	F. A. Sinclr	150 00	"	Surplus Revenue	
348	Geo B. Walker	353 00	"	County Seminary	
349	Robert Barnes	190 00	"	Town 7 Range 10 W	
350	Robert Barnes	100 00	"	Common School	
351	Joseph P. Ellcott	300 00	"	Town 6 Rang 10 W	
352	John S. Walker	300 00	"	" 6 " 10 W	
353	Friedr. Myer	150 00	"	County Seminary	
354	Joseph Rumniernehr	40 00	"	Coroners Inquest	
355	Philip Cycle	40 00	"	" "	
356	L. Reinhardt	100 00	"	Common School	
357	F. Amory	200 00	"	County Seminary	
358	F. Muhlhausen	250 00	"	" "	
359	Ellison Martin	100 00	"	Common School	

all of which is respectfully submitted. Wm M. Walker Agt.

The Board duly Considering said report Approve the same

It is Now here Ordered that the County Auditor be & he is hereby Authorized and instructed to require Mortgage on real estate Security on all loans of the aforesaid trust funds now outstanding on personal Security and on failure to persons having such loans within a reasonable length of time (or as such loans become due) to secure the same by Mortgage on real estate

as other loans are now secured, the Auditor is hereby Order to Collect the same by due Course of law

No 878 p. $5.00 Ordered that John King be allowed five dollars for 5 days services attending upon a pauper family per bill on file

Reports of County Board to the Auditor of State

Report

Of the Condition and Operations of the Congressional Township Fund of Vanderburgh County for the Year ending March 1st 1852

Congressional Township Fund

Total Amount of Fund		17.754	67
Amount refunded within the Year		1.349	40
Amount re'loaned		1.160	00
Balance on hand		2.301	64
Amount of Fund Loaned on real estate		17.754	67
Amount of Fund Loaned on personal estate	none	—	—
Amount of Fund lost or unsafe	none	—	—
Amount of interest received within the year		1.352	67
Amount of interest distributed		1.097	84
Balance of interest on hand		—	—
Incidental expenses of Fund		237	69

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } ss

The undersigned Commissioners, Auditor, Treasurer ~~Vanderburgh~~ of said County Certify that the foregoing report is correct as appears from the records in the office of said Auditor

Witness our hands this fourth day of March 1852

Leroy Calvert
Simeon Long } County Commissioners
A. Warner

Wm H. Walker Auditor

R. W. Dunbar Treasurer

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Report

Of the Condition & Operations of the Surplus Revenue Fund of Vanderburgh County for the Year ending March 1st 1852

Surplus Revenue Fund

Total Amount of Fund	4502 89
Amount refunded within the year	166 00
Amount reloaned	150 00
Balance on hand	441 25
Amount of Fund Loaned on real estate security	3,523 63
Amount Loaned on Personal Security	538 01
Amount of Funds lost or unsafe	44 00
Amount of Interest received within the Year	341 71
Amount of Interest distributed	276 34
Balance of Interest on hands	— —
Incidental Expenses of Fund	70 46

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } ss

The undersigned Commissioners Auditor and Treasurer of said County, Certify that the foregoing is Correct as appears from the Records in the Office of said Auditor.

Witness our hands this fourth day of March 1852

Leroy Calvert
Simeon Long
A. Wanzer } Commissioners

Wm H. Walker Auditor

R. W. Dunbar Treasurer

It is now here ordered that Thomas E Garniss Esqr be hereby appointed County Agent of Vanderburgh County to serve for three years from and after the first day of March AD 1852 and that said T. E. Garniss for the sum of twenty five dollars per year, agrees to render to the board all necessary Council, as a legal adviser as well as perform the duties of County Agent

No 879 p 8 Co Ordered that Alanson Wanzer Esqr be Allowed Eight dollars for four days services as County Commissioner at March Term 1852

No 880 p 8 Co Ordered that Simeon Long Esqr be Allowed Eight dollars for four days services as County Commissioner at March Term 1852

No 881 p 8 Co Ordered that Leroy Calvert Esqr be Allowed Eight dollars for four days services as Count Commissioner at March Term 1852

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No. 882 p $18.39 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed Eighteen dollars and thirty nine cents for stationary furnished auditors Office

No. 883 p $76.84 Order that Wm H. Walker be allowed Seventy six dollars and eighty four cents for sums as county auditor per bill on file

No. $1.00 Ordered that M. Mintzer be allowed one dollar for sums as bailiff in a habius corpus case

Ordered that the board adjour until court in course

Leroy Calvert Prest
Simeon Long
A W Warner

John M. Lockwood Esq

You are hereby appointed a Congressional Township Trustee for Township number Six South of Range eleven west to fill the vacancy occasioned by Hiram Stinchfields leaving the Township

Witness my hand & official seal on this 6th day of March 1852

Wm H. Walker A.V.C.

Sworn before me

W.H.W.

Auditors Office V.C. March 9th 1852

Allen Stroud is hereby Appointed Trustee of Congressional Township Number eight South of range Number eleven west to serve until the next election for Trustees & until his successor is qualified

Wm H Walker A.V.C.

Charles C. Dutton Esq

You are hereby appointed a Congressional Township Trustee, for Township Number Six South of Range Eleven West, to fill the vacancy occasioned by James Houston's leaving the Township

Witness my hand and official seal at Evansville on this 24th day of March A.D. 1852

William H. Walker A.V.C.

Special March Session A.D. 1852

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 the twenty second day of March A.D. 1852 at 10 O'clock A.M. of said day on a Call of the County Auditor for the purpose of Appointing an Inspector of Tobacco & attending to any Other urgent business that may come before said County when present Alanson Warner Simeon Long and Leroy Calvert Esqrs members Composing said County Board

It is Now here Ordered that John B. Rappelyea be and he is hereby Appointed ~~an~~ Inspector of Tobacco for the County of Vanderburgh to serve ~~for One Year from the 1st day of March 1852 and~~ until his successor shall be appointed and qualified.

It is Now here Ordered that the Inspector of Tobacco be allowed a fee as such Inspector of fifty Cents for each and every Hogshead of Tobacco by him Inspected And that such price for the Inspection of Tobacco is now here fixed by this board as the proper fee

No 1053 p $20.50 Ordered that Kroener & Reis be Allowed twenty dollars & fifty Cents for brick furnished the County poor Asylum per bill on file

Now here George H. Todd Esqr one of the Justices of Pigeon Township by virtue of his Office of Recorder of the City of Evansville makes Report of Fines by him received for Breaches of the Penal to March 22 1852

To The Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County
The undersigned Recorder of City of Evansville respectfully submits to your Consideration the following list of Fines & Penalties assessed & Collected by him since the last term of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court, to wit;

Complainant	Defendant		
State of Indiana	Nicholas Woods A & Battery with Intent to Kill Committed		
" " "			
Orastis A Bronson	Assaut & Battery	Recog to Circuit Court	
State of Indiana vs John R. Garvin & Nicholas L. Thompson	Affray		
	Fine	collected	$3.00
	"	"	1 —
State of Indiana vs Abner Bishop	Grand Larceny		Discharged

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State of Indiana
Vs } Assault & Battery } Assault — $3 not Collected
James Moore

State of Indiana
Vs } A & B. } Discharged
Patrick Griffin

State of Indiana
Vs } A & B } Discharged
George Morgan

State of Indiana
Vs } ~~A & B~~ } Giving liquor to intoxicated person $2 Collected
Jacob Pumpe

State of Indiana
Vs } Giving liquor to Intoxicated persons — 2 Collected
William Dixon

State of Indiana
Vs } Affray } 6
Francis White } $10 Collected
Henry Mitchell 10 " "

State of Indiana
Vs } Assault & B. }
Andrew Sitte } $10 Collected
Andrew Sitte $10 "

State of Indiana
Vs } Riot }
John G Jones }
Jacob Jones } Discharged
Isaac Privett
Anthony Crane

State of Indiana
Vs } A & B } $ — $15, not Collected
Ben Hinson

State of Indiana
Vs } carrying Concealed weapon } discharged
Ben Hinson

State of Indiana
Vs } Petit Larceny } Recognized
Alfred Mahard

State of Indiana
Vs } A & B } 25 cts Collected
James McDonald

State of Indiana
Vs
Dan'l Rogers

210 Bal of fine Collected

Amount of Money Collected & paid to Treasurer 40.35
" " " Not Collected 28.
Collected & paid to Co. Treasurer up to Sept. 8th 1851 $17.90
$86.25

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County
City of Evansville

I George H. Todd Recorder of the City of Evansville do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full true & complete list of Fines & penalties assessed & Collected & of the fines & penalties assessed and not Collected by him since the last Term of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court and of the Amounts of Money paid over to the County Treasurer

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 20th day of March A D 1852

Geo H. Todd Seal
Recorder of the City of Evansville

which report the board now here approves

No 1054 p $2.00/100 Ordered that A. Warner Esq be allowed two dollars for One days services as a member of the County Board

No 1055 p $2.00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long Esq be Allowed two dollars for One days services as a member of the County Board

No 1056 p $2.00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert Esq be Allowed two dollars for One days services as a member of the County Board

Ordered that the board adjourne until Court in Course

Leroy Calvert Prest
Simeon Long
A Warner

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Know all men by these presents that we J. C. Patterson and R. J. Bullett of Warrick County Indiana are held and firmly bound to the State of Indiana, in the sum of fifty dollars, for the payment of which we are jointly and severally, bind ourselves our heirs and legal representatives Sealed with our Seals and dated this 11th day of March in the year of 1851. The condition of this obligation is that whereas the above bound J. C. Patterson was on the 12th day of October 1850 duly appointed treasurer of Township No 6 S. R. No 9 West, in the Countys of Warrick and Vanderburgh Now if the said J. C. Patterson 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 to be and remain in full force

Recorded March 25 1852

J. C. Patterson Seal

R. J. Bullett Seal

Know all men by these presents that we John Lindsley, and John Shanklin are held and firmly bound to the State of Indiana, in the sum of Three thousand and six hundred dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves heirs executors administrators well and truly to be made we truly bind ourselves our heirs administrators or assigns jointly and severally firmly by these presents.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bounden John Lindsley has this day been appointed Township Treasurer of School township number six in range number ten in the district of Lands Sold at the United States Land office in Indiana at Vincennes Now Know ye that if the said John Lindsley shall perform all the duties required by Law as appertaining to said office and pay over all moneys that may come into his hands and to the proper persons as required by said Law then this obligation shall be null otherwise of force - In witness the said John Lindsley and John Shanklin have hereunto set our hands and seals this 10th day of March 1851 In presence of -

Witness

Osborne Reiley

Daniel Rogers

John Lindsley Seal

John Shanklin Seal

Recorded March 25 — 1852

Know all men by these presents that we Simeon Long and Joseph P. Elliott of Vanderburgh County are held and firmly bound to the State of Indiana in the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars for the payment of which well and to be made we do jointly and severaly bind ourselves our heirs and assigns sealed with seals and dated this 20th day of March 1851.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Simeon Long was duly appointed Treasure of Township No seven South of Range No eleven West in the County of Vanderburgh. Now if the said Simeon Long shall well and faithfully discharge his duties as such Treasurer and faithfully disburse and pay over according to law all school and other funds and monies as shall time to time come into his hands as such Treasurer then this obligation shall be void otherwise shall be and remain in full force and virtue

Simeon Long Seal

Recorded March 25-1852 I. P. Elliott Seal

Know all men by these presents that We J. C. Patterson and Thomas Linn of Warrick County Indiana are held and firmly bound to the State of Indiana ~~in the~~ sum of one ~~hundred~~ hundred dollars for the payment of which we do jointly and severaly bind ourselves our heirs and legal representatives sealed with our seals and dated this 13th day of March in the year 1852.

The Condition of this obligation is that whereas the above bounden J. C. Patterson was on the 13th day of March 1852 duly appointed Treasure of Township No 6. S. Ronge No 9 West in the Counties of Warrick and Vanderburgh now if the said J. C. Patterson shall well and faithfully discharge his duties as such Treasurer and faithfully disburse and pay over according to Law all such school & 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

J. C. Patterson Seal

Recorded March 25-1852 Thomas Linn Seal

Know all men these presents that we Thomas McClelland and Richard Ruston of Vanderburgh County Indiana are held and firmly bound in the sum of eight hundred dollars to the State of Indiana for the payment of which we do jointly and severally bind ourselves our heirs and legal representatives sealed with our seals and dated this tenth day of March (A.D. 1851) in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty one. The condition of this obligation is that whereas the above bounden Thomas McClelland was on the 31st day of August 1850 duly appointed treasurer of Township five of range ten West in the County of Vanderburgh. Now if the said Thomas McClelland shall well and faithfully discharge his duties as such treasurer and faithfully disburse and pay over according to law all such School and 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

Recorded March 25th 1852

Thomas McClelland Seal

Richard Ruston Seal

Know all men by these presents that we Samuel McDonald and William Martin of Vanderburgh County Indiana are held and firmly bound to the State of Indiana in the sum of One 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 10th day of March in the year 1851. The Condition of this obligation is that whereas the above Bounden Saml McDonald was on the 15th day of February 1851 duly appointed Treasurer of Township No five of Range No 11. West in the County of Vanderburgh. Now if the said Saml McDonald shall well and faithfully discharge his duties as such Treasurer and faithfully disburse and pay According to law all such school fu 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

Recorded March 25-1852

Samuel McDonald Seal

William Martin Seal

Know all men by these presents that we John M. Lockwood and Robert Barnes of the County of Vanderburgh and state of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the State of Indiana in the sum of Fifteen 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 8th day of March 1852.

The Condition of this obligation is such that whereas the above bounden John M Lockwood was on the 8d day of March A.D. 1852 duly appointed Treasurer of Congressional Township No six South of Range eleven west in the County of Vanderburgh & State of aforesaid. Now if the said John M Lockwood shall well and faithfully discharge his duties as such Treasurer and faithfully disburse and pay over according to law all such School funds and moneys as shall from time to time come into his hands as such treasurer, and the payment or delivery over to the person entitled thereto either his successor or otherwise of all money, books, papers and property in his hands as such Treasurer.

Then this obligation shall be void, otherwise it shall be and remain in full force and virtue at law

Signed Sealed in the presence of

John M Lockwood (Seal)

Robt Barnes (Seal)

Know all men by these presents that We Saml McDonald and William Rodgers Sen of Vanderburgh County Indiana are held and firmly bound to the State of Indiana in the sum of fifteen 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 6th day of March in the year 1852. The Condition of this obligation is that whereas the above bounden Samuel Mc Donald was on the 30th day of January 1852 duly appointed Treasurer of Township No five of Range No Eleven West in the County of Vanderburgh. Now if the said Saml Mc Donald shall well 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

Samuel Mc Donald (Seal)

William Rogers (Seal)

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Know all men by these presents that we Allen Stroud and Thomas Hawkins are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana, in the penal sum of one thousand dollars. for the payment of which we jointly and severally bind ourselves our heirs executors administrator and legal representatives. sealed with our seals and dated this 9th day of March A.D. 1852. The Condition of this obligation is such that whereas the above bounden Allen Stroud Treasurer of Township number eight south of Range number eleven west in Vanderburgh Now therefore if the said Allen Stroud shall well and faithfully discharge and pay over according to law all such school or other funds that shall from time to time come unto his hands as such Treasurer then this obligation shall be void Otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue.

This the 16th day of March 1852 Allen Stroud seal

Thomas Hawkins seal

Know all men by these presents that we Hiram Stinchfield and William McCray are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of three hundred and fifty dollars 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 this 13th day of September A.D. 1851. The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bounden Hiram Stinchfield was duly appointed Treasurer of Congressional Township No 6 in Range No 11 west in the County of Vanderburgh for one year from the 11th day of September A.D. 1851. Now if the said Hiram Stinchfield shall well and faithfully discharge his duties as such Treasurer. and disburse and pay over according to law all school and other State funds and monies that shall from time to time come into his hands as such Treasurer then this Obligation shall be void Otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in law

Hiram Stinchfield seal

William McCray seal

Know All

Hiram A Hunter having this day purchased the North West quarter of Section Number Ten in Township Number Six South of Range number Ten West in the district of Lands sold at Vincennes Indiana for the sum of five hundred and sixty dollars of which he has paid one hundred and sixty five dollars and twenty cents being one fourth part of the purchase money and One years interest in advance on the residue of the principal which is four hundred and twenty dollars and payable in ten years from this date together with six percent per Annum interest thereon annually in advance and in full payment of said principal and interest be made within ten years from this date the said Hiram A Hunter his assigns or representatives shall be entitled to a deed in fee Conveying all the right title interest and Claim of the State of Indiana of in or to said quarter Section of Land which was acquired by Virtue of a Decree of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court at their September Term in the year 1838. by which said decree the title to said Land was vested in the State of Indiana for School purposes in said County 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 quarter Section of land above described and all payments then for made thereon And this Contract of Sale shall be forfeited and revert to the State of Indiana for School purposes in Vanderburgh County

Witness my hand and seal this 6th day of April in the Year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty nine

Nathan Rowley Seal
School Commissioner V.C.

upon which is endorsed under the School Com'rs name

"Deeded the East half of the above named quarter Section of Land to Thomas Diamond July 6 1843"
"N. Rowley S.V.C."

on the back of said Certificate are the following assignments

December 10th 1840 For Value received I assign the within Certificate to Thomas Onyet
Evansville Dec 10th 1840

Hiram A Hunter

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Set

Be it Remembered that on the 10th day of December AD 1840 before me Nathan Rowley a justice of the peace of the county aforesaid personally Hiram A Hunter 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 seal the day and date last above written Nathan Rowley J P Seal

I Thomas Onyet do hereby Assign and transfer all my right title and interest in One equal undivided half of the within discribed land for Value received to Thomas Diamond
witness my hand and seal this 1st day of March 1841
Thomas Onyet Seal

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Sct

Before me Nathan Rowley School Commissioner of the County aforesaid, personally Appeared Thomas Onyet and Acknowledged the Above Assignment to be his Voluntary Act and deed for the purposes therein named given under my hand and seal this 1st day of March 1841
N Rowley Seal School
Commsn

April 1st 1852
I Thomas Onyet assign all my interest right and title to the within Certificate to Andrew Griffin for value received
Thomas Onyet

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Ss

This Certifies that Thomas Onyet whose name Appears to the foregoing Assignment personally appeared before me & Acknowledged the same to be his voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein Named
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal on this 10th day of April A.D. 1852
Wm H. Walker A.V.C.

Recorded Apl 10th 1852

Whereas Andrew Griffin assignee of Thomas Onyet Assignee of Hiram A Hunter has this day produced to the undersigned William H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana a Certificate of Purchase in writing, signed by Nathan Rowley as School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County aforesaid, and dated on the 6th day of April A.D. 1838 for the North West quarter of Section Number Ten in Township number Six South of Range number ten East, and Whereas it appears upon an entry made upon the foot of said Certificate signed by said School Commissioner, that the East half of said quarter Section was paid out by and deeded to One Thomas Diamond on July 6th 1843 And Whereas Andrew Griffin aforesaid has this day paid into the County Treasury the sum of

DEED

Two hundred and ten dollars and seventeen cents and filed the Treasurers receipt for my Office and which sum is in full of the principal and interest due upon the West half of said quarter Section.

Therefore Know Ye, that in Consideration of the premises, And in Conformity with the Statute in such case Made and provided. And by virtue of the Authority in me vested as such Auditor. I William H. Walker as Auditor as aforesaid do give and grant the West half of the North West quarter of Section Number ten in Township Number Six South of Range Number ten West to the said Andrew Griffin and to his heirs and assigns forever

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set My hand and seal as Auditor of Vanderburgh County at Evansville on this 12th day of April AD 1852

William H. Walker Seal
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } S.S.

I James F. 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 Came before me. And Acknowledged that he Signed And Sealed the foregoing as Auditor as aforesaid for the use and purposes therein mentioned

In testimony whereof I have hereunto Set My hand and Seal this 12th day of April 1852

James F. Walker Seal
Justice of the Peace

Recorded Apl 12th 1852
W H Walker Aud

Special May Session A.D. 1852

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 pursuance of a call made by the County Auditor for the purpose of considering the propriety of the removal of the Rail Road Depot by the directors of said road & also considering such other business requiring the immediate attention of said County Board. When present A. Warner Simeon Souze & Leroy Calvert Esqrs members composing said board

"Now here George H. Todd Esqr recorder of Vanderburgh County produces to the board his board as such recorder in the words following to wit

"Know all men by these presents that we George H. Todd James E. Blythe John Cupples Allen C. Hallock & Henry J. Hart of the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indian in the penal sum of Two Thousand Dollars for the payment whereof well & truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors & administrators jointly & severly firmly by these presents sealed with our seals & dated this 29th day of April A.D. 1852

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound George H. Todd has been appointed by the Governor County Recorder for the County of Vanderburgh in the State aforesaid until the next Election which will take place in October A.D. 1852

Now should the said George H. Todd promptly and faithfully discharge the duties of his said Office according to law & safely keep and preserve the records belonging to said Office and delivering the same to his successor in Office whole and undfaced and also safely keep & deliver to the person or persons entitled thereto all deeds & other instruments left left with him for record then this obligation to be void else to be and remain in full force & virtue in law

George H. Todd (Seal)
James E. Blythe (Seal)
John Cupples (Seal)
Allen C. Hallock (Seal)
Henry J. Hart (Seal)

The Board duly considering said Board on the security & things therein Now here approve the same

No 1057 p $5.85/100 Ordered that Saml. Lister be allowed Five dollars and eighty five cents for stationary for the County per bill on file

No 1058 p $3.00/100 Ordered that Charles T. Cutler be allowed three dollars for printing for the County per bill on file

No 1059 p $2.00/100 Ordered that Martin Littlepage be allowed two dollars for making out & delivery certificates & making return of Elections from Perry Township per bill on file

Special May Session A.D. 1852

No 1060 p $42.29/100 Ordered that W H Walker be allowed Forty two dollars & twenty nine Cents for making complete tract book & cost spent on said book per bill on file

Now here it is Ordered that the County Auditor be authorized to advertise for proposals for building a brick Court house and a ~~hour~~ stone jail on the Public Square in Evansville according to the plans submitted to this board by Mr James Raquet said buildings to be erected upon the westerly or lower Corner of the public Square said bids to be received at the June Term A.D. 1852 of this board Also for building a brick jailors house on said Square connected with the jail

No 1061 p Ordered that Eneas McCallister be allowed Five dollars for burying Patrick Fenland a pauper per bill on file

No 1062 p $2.00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long Esqr be allowed two dollars for One days Official services at the May term A.D. 1852

No 1063 p $2.00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert Esqr be allowed two dollars for One days services as County Commissioner at the Special May term 1852

No 1064 p $2.00/100 Ordered that A Warner Esqr be allowed two dollars for One days Official services at the Special May term 1852

Ordered that the board adjourne until Court in Course

Leroy Calvert Prest
Simeon Long
A Warner

Whereas Charles Collins Assignee of William Steels has this day produced to the undersigned William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana a Certificate of Purchase in writing signed and sealed by Chas B Bonnie Acting School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County, and dated on the 30th day of March A.D. 1840. by which it appears that said William Steels did on the day aforesaid Purchase of said School Commissioner the South East quarter of the South East quarter of Section Number Sixteen in Township Number Five South of Range number ten West containing thirty seven acres and forty One hundredths of an Acre of land, for the sum of One hundred and fifty nine dollars, of which One fourth of said Purchase Money was paid in hand, and the residue payable in ten Years from the date of said Purchase, with interest thereon payable Annually in advance at the Rate of Six Per Centum Per Annum

And Whereas Charles Collins Assignee of William Steels aforesaid, has also produced to the undersigned Auditor of Said County, the Receipt of the Treasurer of said County for for the residue of said Principal and the interest due on said land in full, and 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, And by Virtue of the Authority in me as such Auditor Vested, I William H. Walker as Auditor as aforesaid do give and grant the South East quarter of the South East quarter of Section Number Sixteen in Township Number Five South of Range Number ten West to the said Charles Collins and to his heirs and assigns forever in as full and Ample a Manner, as I as such Auditor Am empowered by law to Convey the same

In testimony Whereof I have hereunto Set My hand and Seal as Auditor of said County at Evansville on this 31st day of May 1852

William H. Walker Seal
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } ss

I James I Walker a justice of the Peace in and for said County do hereby Certify that the above named William H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County, personally Came before me and Acknowledged that he Signed and sealed the foregoing deed as auditor as aforesaid, for the Uses, and purposes therein Mentioned

In testimony Whereof I have hereunto Set my hand, and Seal, at Evansville in said County on this 31st day of May A.D. 1852

James I. Walker Seal
Justice of the Peace

Recorded May 31st 1852
Wm H. Walker Aud

June Term A. D. 1852.

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 the first Monday—the Seventh day—of June A.D. 1852 at ten Oclock P.M. When present Manson Warner Simeon Long and Leroy Calvert Esqr members composing said County Board

Now here the County Auditor submits to the board a report of the Receipts and Expenditures at the County Treasury of Vanderburgh for one year to June 1st 1852 as follows: to wit;

"A Statement of the Receipts and Expenditures at the Treasury of Vanderburgh County from the 31st day May 1851 to June 1st day of June A.D. 1852

Balance from last Year	5.214.98	On acct of Road Revenue of 1850	402.89
Revenue of 1851 County	14.349.62	" " " Revenue for School purposes	4.022.40
" " " E & L R R Co	6.135.26	" " " Interest on E & L R R Bonds	4.940.00
" " for School purposes	4.481.40	" " " Bridges & Culverts	3.807.43
Delinquent Tax of 1850	772.11	" " " County Poor	2.638.22
From Sales of County Lot	329.97	" " " Assessing Revenue 1851	1.244.74
" Merchants Licenses	490	" " " County Officers Salaries	1.722.26
" Tavern & Grocery "	210.	" " " Contingencies	605.08
" Ferry Licenses	10.	" " " Specific Allowances	694.96
" Redemption of Lands	40.11	" " " Jury Allowances	723.75
" County Revenue Fund	1708.27	" " " Bridges & Culverts	300.36
" Principal of Surplus Revenue	346.36	" " " Insane Persons	265.76
" Interest of " "	435.09	" " " Ex Officio Allowances	300.00
" " " Salem Fund	14.70	" " " Printing	228.90
" " Bank Tax Fund	44.45	" " " Bayou Embankment	231.11
" " Principal Loan S. F.	472.75	" " " Bailiffs Allowances	206.70
" " Common School Fund	329.75	" " " Roads & Highways	196.05
" Principal Town 5 Range 10 W	146.53	" " " Erroneous payment of Taxes	148.09
" Interest of " 5 Range 10 W	130.96	" " " Interest on Orders	395.55
" Principal of " 6 Range 10 W	670.00	" " " Public Buildings	127.70
" Interest of " 6 Range 10 W	168.55	" " " Coroners Inquests	102.50
" Principal of Town 7 Range 10 W	770.00	" " " Elections	52.77
" Interest of " 7 " 10 W	226.10	" " " Redemption of Lands	24.46
" Interest of " 5 " 11 W	130.70	" " " County Revenue Fund	1965.86
" Principal of " 6 " 11 W	160.00	" " " Principal of Surplus Revenue	160.36
" Interest of " 6 " 11 "	247.27	" " " Interest " " "	359.25
" Principal of " 7 " 11 "	258.00	" " " " Salem Fund	3.16
" Interest of " 7 " 11 "	515.16	" " " " Bank Tax "	6.35
" District School Tax	2.64	" " " Principal Loan S.	600.00
" Funds Deposited by Coroner	8.10	" " " Interest " "	347.53
		" " " Principal Town 5 Range 10 W	50.00
		" " " Interest T 5 R 10 W	85.37
		" " " Principal " 6 " 10 W	600.00
		" " " Interest " 6 " 10 "	167.67
		" " " Principal " 7 " 10 "	770.00
		" " " Interest " 7 " 10 "	213.37
		" " " Princ. " 6 R 11 W	100.00
		" " " Int. " 6 " 11 " W	255.24
		" " " Principal Town 7 Range 11 W	136.60
		Interest Town 7 Range 11 W	300.00
		Balance Jun 1st 1852	499.67
			8.817.78
Total	38.818.83	Total	38.818.83

The Board duly Considering said report approve the same and it is Ordered that said report be printed

Now here the County Assessor the County Commissioners and County Auditor organize themselves into a Board of Equalization and proceede to the examination of the lists of personal property as returned by the Assessor for the year 1852.

Now here Mathias Angel Supervisor of road district No 5 Knight Township for 1851 makes his report which report is now here approved

Now here Frances A. Linch Supervisor of road district No 1 Knight Township submits his report as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here Abraham Gillet Supervisor of road district No 4 Knight Township comes before this board and submits his report as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here A. G. Sullivan Supervisor of road district No 2 Pigeon Township for 1851 Comes before this board and submits his report as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here John M. Stinson Supervisor of road district No 3 Pigeon Township for 1851 Comes in to Court and submits his report as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here Leonard Reichardt Supervisor of road district No 4 Pigeon Township for 1851 Comes into Court and submits his report as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here Thomas Elliott Supervisor of road district No 1 Scott Township for 1851 Comes into Court and submits his report as such Supervisor, which report is now here approved

Now here Henry Maidlow Supervisor of road district No 3 Scott Township for A.D. 1851, Comes into Court and submits his report as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here George Dennison Supervisor of road district No 4 Scott Township for A.D. 1851, Comes into Court, and submits his report as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here Granville Scott Supervisor of road district No 5 Scott for 1851 Comes into Court submits his report as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here Peter Sowerwine Supervisor of road district No 6 Scott Township for A.D. 1851 Comes into Court & makes report as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

June Sess A.D. 1852

Monday Morning June 7th 1852 (being the first Monday in said Month) the Board of Equalization under the act of the Legislature of Indiana Approved May 28th 1852 met at the Court House in Evansville in said County when present Alanson Warner Leroy Calvert and Simeon Young Esqrs members of the County Board, and Alanson Warner ~~Ira P. Grain~~ County Appraiser for the year 1851. And Ira P. Grainger Saml. McDonald George B. Wagnon & Wilson Shook Esqrs assistant Appraisers for said County for said year. And Wm H. C. Walker Auditor of said County. Members Composing said Equalization Board

The members of said board having been duly Sworn,

Now here the County Auditor produces to the Board of Equalizers the Abstracts of the appraisement of the real Estate within the County of Vanderburgh made in the year 1851 and the board proceeds to the examination of the said lists, and finding nothing in such list requiring an alteration or Change & no Complaints having been made to said board It is Ordered that the board adjourn be until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock

Ordered that the board of Equalization of personal Property adjourn until to morrow morning at Nine o'clock

Ordered that the Board adjourn until to morrow morning at Eight O'Clock

Leroy Calvert S. E

Tuesday Morning June 8th at 8 o'clock P.M the Board met pursuant to adjournment when the members Composing said board ~~were~~ present as of Yesterday

Ordered that Charles H

Now here Charles Whitehead Supervisor of road district No. 4 Scott Township for A.D. 1851 comes into Court and Makes his report as such supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here George B. McCutchan Supervisor of road district No. 4 Scott Township for A.D. 1851, submits his report which report is Now here approved

Now here Thomas Garrison Supervisor of road district No 1 Armstrong Township for A.D. 1851 submits his report as such Supervisor which report is Now here Approved

Now here John Reinschler supervisor of road District No 4 Armstrong Township for A.D. 1851 submits his report as such Supervisor, which report is now here Approved

Now here Wm Martin supervisor of road District No 5 Armstrong for A.D. 1851. submits his report as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

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~~Ordered~~ Now here John B. Neal supervisor of road district No 4 Perry Township for A.D. 1851 submits his report as such supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here Jacob Miller Supervisor of road district No 1 Centre Township for A.D. 1851 Comes into Court and Submits his report as such supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here Edward Burtis supervisor of road district No 4 Centre Township for A.D. 1851 Comes into Court and submits his report as such supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here Joseph Builtman Supervisor of road district No Centre Township for A.D. 1851 Comes into Court and Submits his report which report is now here approved

Now here Wm G. Knight supervisor of road district No 5 Centre Township for A.D. 1851 Comes into Court and Submits his report which report is now here approved

Now here Robert Smith Supervisor of road district No 6 Centre Township for A.D. 1851 Comes into Court and Submits his report as such supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here The ~~members~~ board of Equalization under the provisions of the Act of May 28th 1852 met pursuant to adjournement where the members thereof were present as of Yesterday. ~~The board now here proceeds to the examination of the lists of appraisements of real estate as listed & appraised in the several townships of Vanderburgh County and after duly considering the said lists & the appraisements as made by the appraisers & changed by the Equalization board in September 1851 in the appraisement of the real estate, consider that no changes can with propriety be made in valuation of the real estate of said County unless upon the complaints of the owner or owners of property as the law contemplates.~~

And Now here the Auditor produces to said board the Complaints of Willard Carpenter Esqr. And the board after duly examining the lots and land specified in said Complaints are unanimously of opinion that said lots are not valued at more than a just and equitable valuation, and this board can see no good cause for changeing the value of said lots from the valuations thereof as returned by the appraisers of 1851 and settled by the special board of Equalization in September of said year

It is Now here Ordered upon the complaint of E. Garner Esqr. that Subdivision No 2 1/2 81 in the Origion Plan of Evansville be reduced from Nine hundred to four hundred and fifty dollars

And Now here the Board of Equalization having diligently and carefully examined the returns made by the appraiser and assistant appraisers of real property in said County of Vanderburgh in the year 1851, as well as the alterations and changes made in said returns and appraisements by the Special

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Board of Equalization of said County began and held at the Court House in said County on the first Monday in September A.D. 1851. and the Board after making said examination, being unanimously, of opinion, that the appraisement of the real estate in said County as between the several Townships of said County, as equalized by the former Board of Equalization convened in September 1851, as aforesaid Now conforms to an equitable, and uniform standard of value, and that the valuation of said real property within the several townships as between the owners thereof is as nearly equal, and equitable as it is practicable to make the same, It is therefore considered by the Board, that the appraisement of the real estate of said County for the purposes of taxation as made by the appraiser and assistant appraisers of said County in the year 1851 with the Corrections made therein by the said ~~Special~~ Board of Equalization convened in the same year as aforesaid. be and they are hereby ratified and confirmed, by this Board of Equalization. and this Board having no further duties to perform now here adjourns Sine die.

Wm H. Walker County Auditor Chairman

Leroy Calvert
L S Warner
Simeon Long
} County Commissioners

Saml. McDonald
Ira P Grainger
G B Wagnon
Milton Stook
} Assistant Appraisers

Issd No 4 Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed three dollars for two days services as a Member of the board of Equalization

Issd No 5 $3.00/100 ordered that Alanson Warner be allowed three dollars for two days services as a member of the board of Equalization

Issd No 6 $3.00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long be allowed three dollars for two days services as a Member of the board of Equalization

Issd No 7 $3.00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be Allowed three dollars for two days services as a Member of the board of Equalization

Issd No 8 $3.00/100 Ordered that Saml. McDonald be allowed three dollars for two days services as a Member of the board of Equalization

Issd No 9 $3.00/100 Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be allowed three dollars for two days services as a Member of the board of Equalization

Issd No 10 $3.00/100 Ordered that Milton Stook be allowed three dollars for two days services as a member of the board of Equalization

Issd No 11 $3.00/100 Ordered that George B Wagnon be allowed three dollars for two days services as a Member of the board of Equalization

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Now here J. H. Brandis Supervisor of road district No 5 Perry Township for 1852 Comes into Court and Makes his report as such Supervisor & the Board Now Now here Approves said report

Now here Frederick Lewis Supervisor of road district No 1 German Township for A.D. 1851 Comes into Court and Makes his report which report is Now here approved

Now here said Chittle Supervisor of road district No 5 German Township for A.D. 1851 Comes into Court & Makes his report. which report is now hereby approved

Now here Robert H. Nightingale Supervisor of road district No 3 German Township for A.D. 1851 Comes into Court and makes his report which report is now here approved

Now here Lewis Richter Supervisor of road district No 2 German Township for 1851. Comes into Court and Submits his report which is now here Approved

Now here Henry Nie Supervisor of road district No 6 German Township for A.D. 1851. Comes into Court And Makes his report as such Supervisor. which report is Now here Approved

Now here the Auditor Produces to the board the report of the Grand Jury made at the March Term A.D. 1852 of the V.C.C. in the words and figures following to wit;

"Vanderburgh Circuit Court
March Term A.D. 1852

And Now here the Grand jurors Come into Court and Make report in relation to the jail of Vanderburgh County which said report is in the words and figures following, to wit;

We the Grand Jurors have examined the County Jail and in Our Opinion it is a nuisance in Every respect; as far as the Sheriff is Concerned we think he has done all that a Man Could do to make the Prisoners Comfortable'

I Ben Stinson Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court do hereby Certify that the Above as a true and Complete transcript from the records of said Court Now on file in My Office

In witness whereof I have hereunto set My hand and Affixed the Seal of said Court this 4th day of May A.D. 1852

Ben Stinson
Clerk

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Now here the County Treasurer submits his Annual Report of the Receipts & Disbursements to June 1st 1852 which report the Board Now here approves

Now here the County Treasurer submits his quarterly report which the board Now here approves

Now here Valentine Schenck of Centre Township petitions this board for the appointment of viewers to view a certain private road to lead from the yard gate of Valentine Schenks dwelling house in said Township to the Cynthiana Road Commencing at the aforesaid place thence running north through the lands belonging to said Schenck & the heirs of Franz A Acker to a certain Hickory tree marked with a Letter "A" thence continuing easterly to a certain ~~hickory~~ oak line tree standing ~~clo~~ near a branch flowing through the land belonging to the heirs of said Acker until it intersects the Cynthiana road, And the board duly considering said petition and being advised of and concerning the notices as required by law, It is Ordered that Sherman Fairchild James R Kirkpatrick an Lorenzo Hopkins be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view and locate said private road and that said Schenck pay the expence thereof, & that they report to this board at the next session thereof,

Cap'd

Now here John Miller and thirty eight Others citizens of German Township petition this board for the appointment of viewers to view and locate a certain private road Commencing at a dogwood tree marked with a letter "A" near the farm of John Miller ~~it~~ on the land of Frederick Kercher the N.W. qr of the S.W. qr of section 4 in Township 6 South of Range 11 West running thence along a ridge ~~which running~~ in a direction easterly of South across the South west qr of section 4 in Town and range aforesaid, belonging to John Miller and across a part of the West half of the N.W. qr of section 9 in Township six South of Range Eleven west, to intersect the New Harmony and Evansville road at a Hickory tree marked with a Letter "B" on the land of Christopher Droll And the board being fully satisfied from proof that said petitioners had caused the proper notices to be given & that the proceeding had been had agreeably to the Statute, in such Case made & provided, It is Ordered that Ezekiel Saunders Emanuel Hull and John M. Stinson be and they are hereby appointed to view and locate said rout for a road upon the nearest & best rout and report this proceeding to this board at the next session thereof

Cap'd

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Now here John Hall and Seventeen Others Citizens & Land holders of Knight Township in the County of Vanderburgh, petition this board for a certain Change in the County road leading from a point on the Ohio river Oposite the Mouth of Green River, to the State road leading from Evansville in said County to Princeton in Gibson County. which proposed Change commences at a point about fifteen rods east of David Vanns Stable on the old Green river road running

Copd thence abought a North Westerly Course until it Strikes the dividing line running East & West between Sections Number 22 and 27 in Town 6 South of Range 10 West, dividing the lands of Wm H. Stockwell James Lockhart Crawford Bell & David & Wm Harper, thence along said line until it intersect the old road, And the board duly Considering said petition and hearing proof in relation to the proceedings of and Concerning the same, It is Ordered that John M. Stinson Marcus Sherwood and E Hull be and they are hereby appointed by this board to view Out and locate the Change prayed for in said petition on the nearest and best ground and report to this board at the next term thereof;

Now here John Henry Moll of Centre Township Complains to this board and prays for the appointment of Commissioners to assess damages for timber Cut by the Supervisor of road district No 4, in said Township, on his premises for the purpose of building

Copd a bridge on a road in said district, And the board being duly advised of and Concerning the premises it is Ordered that Sherman Fairchild Lorenzo Hopkins and James R. Kirkpatrick be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners to examine into and assesses the damages done the premises of said Moll by reason of the Cutting of said timber, & that they report their proceeding to this board at the next session thereof

Ordered that Edward Brown be and he is

Copd hereby Exempted by this board from labor upon the public roads in this County for & during the continuance of the bodily infirmity under which he now labors

Ordered that J E. Frank be and he is hereby

Copd Exempted by this board from labor upon the public roads in this County for and during the continuance of the bodily infirmity under which he now labors

Ordered that Christopher Veatty be and he is hereby Exempted by this board from labor upon the public roads in this County for and during the continuance of the bodily infirmity under which he now labors

Issd No 12 K $2,25/100 Ordered that T J Garrison Supervisor of road district No 1 Armstrong Township for 1851 be allowed two dollars and twenty five Cents for Extra service in AD 1851 per bill filed

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Issd No 13 K $3.00/100 Ordered that David Chilla Supervisor of road district No 5 German Township for A.D. 1851 be allowed three dollars for Extra Services

Issd No 14 K $3.00/100 Ordered that Charles Whitehead Supervisor of road district No Scott Township for 1851 be allowed Three dollars for Extra services as such Supervisor

Issd No 15 K $2.25/100 Ordered that Patrick Regan Supervisor of road district No 3 Centre Township for A.D. 1851 be allowed two dollars and twenty five Cents

Issd No 16 K $3.00/100 Ordered that Robert F. Nightingale Supervisor of road district No German Township for 1851 be allowed three dollars for services as such Supervisor

Issd No 17 K $3.00/100 Ordered that Henry Maidlow Supervisor of road district No 3 Scott Township for A.D. 1851 be allowed three dollars for services as such Supervisor

Issd No 18 K $4.00/100 Ordered that Geo. Dennison Supervisor of road district No 4 Scott for 1851 be allowed four dollars for Extra services as such Supervisor

Issd No 19 K $3.37/100 Ordered that John Reichle Supervisor of road district No 4 Armstrong Township for 1851 be allowed three dollar and thirty seven Cents for Extra services as such Supervisor

Issd No 20 K $4.50/100 Ordered that Henry Stein Supervisor of road district No 6 German Township for 1851 be Allowed four dollars and fifty Cents for Extra services as such Supervisor.

Issd No 21 K $5.25/100 Ordered that Robert Smith Supervisor of road district No 6 Centre Township for 1851 be Allowed five dollars and twenty five Cents for Extra Services as such Supervisor

Issd No 22 K $3.00/100 Ordered that Granville Scott Supervisor of road district No 5 Scott Township for A.D. 1851 be Allowed three dollars for Extra Services as such Supervisor

Issd No 23 K $2.25/100 Ordered that Edward Burtis Supervisor of road district No Centre for A.D. 1851 be Allowed two dollars and twenty five Cents for Extra Services as such Supervisor

Issd No 24 K $2.00/100 Ordered that John M. Stinson be Allowed two dollars Viewing road in German Township Per bill on file

Issd No 25 K $2.00/100 Ordered that E. Hall be allowed two dollars for viewing road in German Township Per bill on file.

Issd No 26 K $2.00/100 Ordered that Thomas Gifford be Allowed two dollars for viewing road in German Township Per bill on file

Issd No 27 K $2.25/100 Ordered that Jpher B Neal be allowed two dollars & twenty five Cents for Extra Services as Supervisor of road district No in Perry Township for A.D. 1851

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Issd No 28 Fr $3.00/100 Ordered that Charles Whitehead be allowed three dollars for Extra services as supervisor of road district No 7 Scott township for A.D. 1851

Ordered that the Equalization board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 O'Clock.

Ordered that the board adjourn ~~adjou~~ until tomorrow Morning at 9 O'clock

Leroy Calvert P.R.

Wednesday morning June 9th at nine oclock P.M. The board met pursuant to adjournment. When the members thereof were present as of yesterday

Ordered that the north west quarter of Section 4 Town 6 R. Range 10 West be taken from road district No 5 in Centre Township and added to district No 3 in said Township

Issd No 29 Fr $4.50/100 Ordered that Peter Newman Supervisor of road district No Scott Township for 1851 be allowed Four dollars and fifty Cents Extra services as such Supervisor

Issd No 30 Fr $4.50/100 Ordered that Joseph Bachman Supervisor of road district No 2 Centre Township for A.D. 1851 be allowed Four dollars & fifty Cents for Extra services as such Supervisor

Issd No 31 Fr $3.00/100 Ordered that Michael Pauch Supervisor of road district No 2 Armstrong Township for 1851 be Allowed Three dollars for Extra Services as such Supervisor

Issd No 32 Fr $26.11/100 Ordered that Leonard Reinhardt Supervisor of road district No 4 Pigeon Township for 1851 be allowed Twenty Six dollars and eleven Cents for money by him expended upon the roads in said district as such Supervisor

Issd No 33 Fr $2.25/100 Ordered that Francis A Linck Supervisor of road district No 1 Knight for 1851 be allowed two dollars and twenty five Cents for Extra services as such Supervisor

Issd No 34 Fr $3.00/100 Ordered that Mathias Angel Supervisor of road district No 5 Knight Township for 1851 be allowed three dollars for Extra services as such Supervisor

Issd No 35 Fr $3.50/100 Ordered that Charles Burress be allowed three dollars and fifty Cents for Extra services as Supervisor of district No Knight Township for 1851

Issd No 36 Fr $1.85/100 Ordered that Louis Richter be Supervisor of road district No 2 Morgan Township for 1851 be allowed One dollar and eighty five Cents for Extra services as supervisor aforesaid year

Issd No 37 Fr $2.25/100 Ordered that Wm Martin Supervisor of road district No 8 Armstrong Township for 1851 be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for Extra services as such Supervisor

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Issd No 38 K $6.00/100 Ordered that Jacob Miller be allowed Six dollars for Extra services as Supervisor of road district No Centre Township for ad 1851

Issd No 39 K $5.25/100 Ordered that George Damm be allowed Five dollars and twenty five Cents for Extra services as Supervisor of road district No German township for ad 1851

Issd No 40 K $3.00/100 Ordered that Frederick Dewig be allowed three dollars for Extra services as Supervisor of as Supervisor of roads in district No German Township for 1851

Issd No 41 K $2.00/100 Ordered that Martin Schmole be allowed Two dollars for services as Inspector of Special May Election 1852

Issd No 42 K $5.22/100 Ordered that Martin Schmole be allowed Five dollars and twenty two cents for services as Inspector of Elections per bill now on file

Issd No 43 K $1.50/100 Ordered that John M. Chute be allowed One dollar and fifty cents for services as Clerk of Election in 1852

Issd No 44 K $1.00/100 Ordered that Robert F. Nightingale be allowed One dollar for services as Inspector of Election in German Township for 1851

Issd No 45 K $2.00/100 Ordered that James Grimwood be allowed two dollars for services as Judge of Elections in Scott Township per bill on file

Issd No 46 K $1.50/100 Ordered that Horace Dunham be allowed one dollar and fifty Cents for services as as ~~Judge~~ Clerk of Elections in Pigeon Township in 1852

No 47 K $3.00/100 Ordered that Christian Rippus be allowed three dollars for services as Clerk of Elections in Pigeon Township for 1852

No 48 K $1.00/100 Ordered that Morrison Fitzgerald be allowed One dollar for services as Judge of Elections in Perry Township for 1852

No 49 K $1.00/100 Ordered that John Hall be allowed One dollar for services as Judge of August election 1851

No 50 K $3.00/100 Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be allowed three dollars, for services as Inspector of Elections

No 51 Kin 1852 $3.00/100 Ordered that John Rump be allowed three dollars for services as Inspector of Elections for 1852

No 52 K $8.60/100 Ordered that Wm Hughes be allowed eight dollars and sixty Cents for goods furnished prisoners in county jail per bill on file

No 53 $4.00/100 Ordered that Ahlering & Brummer be allowed four dollars for Clothing furnished prisoners in County jail

No 54 K $10.00/100 Ordered that Satterlee & Sigarmo be allowed ten dollars for making Irons for prisoners in County jail

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Issd No 55 K $10.00/100 Ordered that Joel F. Barlow be allowed ten dollars for burrying a man found dead in Knigh Township by order of the Coroner

No 56 & 57 K 2.00 2.00 Ordered that Louis Richter & Jesse Short be allowed 2 $ to Short & 2 $ to Richter Four dollars for services as Overseer of Poor in German Township per bill on file to June 8th 1852

Issd No 58 K for $5.00/100 Ordered that George Hynes be allowed Five dollars, burry a drowned man found in Knigh Township

Issd No 59 K $26.25/100 Ordered that Granipe W. Harden be allowed Twenty six dollars and twenty five cents for 17½ days assessing the revenue of 1852

Issd No 60 K $7.80/100 Ordered that Moses Ross be allowed Seven dollars and Eighty ~~—~~ cents for ~~fo~~ sand furnishe the County per bill on file

Issd No 61 K $5.00/100 Ordered that John H. Colburn be allowed Five dollars for making Cases in recorders Office per bill on file

Issd No 62 K $18.75/100 Ordered that Thomas E. Garvin Esqr be allowed Eighteen dollars and seventy five cents, for services as County agent to June A.D. 1852 per bill on file

Issd No 63 K $17.70/100 Ordered that R. W. Dunbar be allowed Seventeen dollars and seventy cents for Stationary furnished Treasurers office per bill on file

Issd No 64 K $2.50/100 Ordered that Wm Whittlesey be allowed two dollars & fifty cents for timber furnished pigeon bridge

Issd No 65 K $22.55/100 Ordered that Saml Sister be allowed Twenty Two dollars and fifty five cents, for Stationary furnished Clerk & Recorder per bill on file

Issd No 66 K $25.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry S.V.C. be allowed Twenty Five dollars for three months Ex Officio Services as Sheriff of V.C. to June 1st 1852 per bill on file

Issd No 67 K 25.00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker A.V.C. be allowed Twenty Five dollars for three months Ex Officio Services as Auditor of the County to June 1st 1852 per bill on file

Issd No 68 K $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr Isaac Casselberry be allowed Twenty Five dollars for professional attendance upon the County poor to June 1st 1852 per bill on file

Issd No 69 K $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr John T. Walker be allowed Twenty Five dollars for professional attendance upon the County poor to June 1st 1852 per bill on file

Issd No 70 K $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr D Morgan be allowed Twenty Five dollars for professional attendance upon the County poor to June 1st 1852 per bill on file.

Issd No 71 K $1.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed one dollar ~~one~~ for sticking up notices of Election per bill on file

Issd No 72 K $1.50/100 Ordered that John Ingle Jun be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for conveying pauper to poor house per bill on file

Issd No 73 K 40.00/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed Forty dollars for burrying paupers per bill on file

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Issd No 74 K $5.00/100 Ordered that Robert Fergus be allowed Five dollars for making a coffin for pauper

Issd No 75 K $3.75/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed three dollars & seventy five cents for plastering jailers house per bile on file

Issd No 76 K $31.80/100 Ordered that Watson Bates be allowed Thirty one dollars and Eighty cents for rails for the County poor house property

Issd No 77 K $1.10/100 Ordered that S. L. Olmsted be allowed one dollar and ten cents for lumber furnished poor house

Issd No 78 K $86.00/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed Eighty six dollars for keeping County poor to June 1st 1852 3 months

Issd No 79 K $85.39/100 Ordered that Geo. Bates be allowed Eighty five dollars and thirty nine cents for money expended for provisions for County poor house

Issd No 80 K $4.00/100 Ordered that John King be allowed Four dollars for attending upon a sick pauper per bile on file

Issd No 81 K $2.50/100 Ordered that George Burkhart be allowed Two dollars and fifty cents for Extra services as Supervisor of road district No 3 Knight Township for A.D. 1851

Issd No 82 K $120.07/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed One hundred & twenty dollars and seven cents ~~for bill~~ for keeping prisoners per bile on file

Now here George Burkhart Supervisor of road district No 3 Knight for 1851 comes into Court and submit this report which repor is now here approved

Issd No 83 K $6.23/100 Ordered that M. Reuschler be allowed six dollars and twenty three cents for smith work for sheriff at the jail per bile on file

Issd No 84 K 1.50/100 Ordered that John F. Crisp be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for services as Clerk at April Election 1852

Issd No 85 K $85.65/100 Ordered that Ellis & Schlamp be allowed Eighty Five dollars & Sixty five cents for provisions furnished the County poor ~~house~~ per bile on file to June 8th 1852

Now here George R. Wagnon and twenty three others Citizens of German Township petition this board for the appointment of viewers to view and locate a certain County road commencing at an Oak Bush ~~near the~~ marked "A" on the land of Henry Krow ~~marked~~ in section 21 Town 5 S. Range Eleven West, running thence East on or near the line dividing the land of Henry Krow and Godfrey Piper thence Alongo said line to a stake marked "B"

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on the Cynthian road on the land of John Baker thence running North along the Cynthian road to a stake marked "C" on the land of Henry Becker thence nearly East to a Hickory Tree marked "D" on the land of Henry Becker in section 21 in Township 5 South of Range 11 west intersecting a Cart Road or a road which has been in use over twenty years, ~~standing~~ running on a ridge dividing the waters of Big Creek and Locust Creek which intersects the Cynthiana or Ditney Hill road on the East side of Frederick Stinekerhls land And the Board duly considering said petition and hearing the proof touching the notices under the Statute in such Cases made and provided. It is ordered that John B. Neal William McCrary and ~~Leroy Calvert~~ Morrison Fitzgerald be and they are hereby appointed to view and locate said road according to the prayer of said ~~such~~ petition and report to this board at the next Session ~~of this board~~ thereof

Now here Robert Earl and Others Citizens of Scott Township petition this Board for the appointment of viewers to view and locate a Certain road in said Township Commencing at a point on the Evansville an Princeton state road on the line dividing section five (5) and section eight (8) Township five South of range ten west, where said line intersects said Road, running thence due west on said line and the line dividing Section 6 and 7 in said Town & Range until it intersects the Evansville & Owensville County road. And the board duly Considering said petition & the things therein It is Ordered that Charles Knowles John Whitehead Sen and Richard Ruston be and they are hereby Appointed by this board to view & locate said road according to the prayer of said petition, and report to this board at the next session thereof

Now here George Bates the Keeper of the County Poor Asylum Submits to this board his Quarterly Report which Report the Board Now here approve & order the Same to be filed

Now Here Lewis Richter & Lewis Short Overseers of the poor for German Township Come into Court and Submit their report as such Overseers which Report is Now here approved and it is ordered that the Same be filed with the papers of this term

Now here Thomas E. Garvin Esqr Agent of Vanderburgh County Submits to this Board his Repor as such Agent which Report is now here approved

Issd No 86 K $38.25/100 Ordered that Thomas Gifford be Allowed thirty eight dollars and twenty five cents for work on the bridge over pigeon creek near negleys

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Now here Silas Stephens Marcus Sherwood and Emanuel Hall Viewers heretofore appointed by this board Come into Court & make report as follows, to wit;

"To The Honourable The Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

The the undersigned Commissioners appointed by your honourable body at the last March Session upon the Remonstrance of Andrew Sypert of German Township, to View a Certain route for a Private road heretofore Viewed & located by John M. Stinson & others & Assess the damages done to the premises of said Sypert by reason of the location of said road, make the following Report.

That we have attended to the duty assigned us & we consider the road of great utility & that said road should be Opened, Commencing at a Stake Marked "A" 8 feet South of the Corner Stone dividing the lands of Christian Stroll Lawrence Stroll George Staab and Andrew Sypert, thence running east on the dividing line of George Staab & Andrew Sypert all on the land of said Sypert 18 feet wide to a black Gum tree marked "B" terminating on the land of the said Andrew Sypert & there to intersect the Evansville & New Harmony road, And we further report that we believe Sypert will be damaged to the Amount of eight dollars. and the Costs of the fence Across his land along said road on Sypert's side of the road. said fence to be made & damages paid by said Stroll all of which is respectfully Submitted

June 1st 1852

Silas Stephens
Marcus Sherwood
E. Hall

Now here the board duly Considering said report and the things therein stated, It is Ordered that the report be approved & the road Opened by the petitioner or petitioners & Kept in good travelling Order 18 feet wide according to law,

Now here the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County -

Now here John M. Stinson Emanuel Hall and Thomas Gifford Viewers heretofore appointed by this board Come into Court, and make report as follows, to wit;

"To the Hon. the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

The undersigned Viewers appointed by your honourable board at the last March Term thereof to View and locate a County road beginning at the New Harmony road at a Certain White Oak Tree

marked with a letter "B" in German Township on the section line dividing sections 5 & 6 on the lands of Jacob Danzer & Adolph Rosenmire, running thence south along said section line on the lands of Jacob Danzer & Hiram Farquher in section No 5 Township six south of Range Eleven west in said Township, on and across the lands of Adolph Rosenmire in section six in said Town, & Range, thence along the said line on the lands of A B Coleman, dividing sections 7 & 8 across the land of Simon Tolly and Ingobrant Young, thence along said line on the land of Robert Coleman Frederick Stupman and Hester Cawson dividing the lands in section seven and eight in Town six south of Range eleven west, thence south across the line dividing German and Perry Townships, along said section line across the lands of J. F. Crafts or R. M. Pell & Robert Coleman in section No 17 in said Township, and Range, thence across the lands of Frank Korrasell, Geo Walters & John Korrasell in section No 18, thence south to intersect a county road leading from Evansville to Williams' Ferry, terminating at a certain Oak Stake marked with a letter "A", in Perry Township on the lands of John Korressel, the undersigned having viewed, and marked said road & would respectfully recommend it as a road of public utility all of which is respectfully submitted

John M. Stinson
E. Hall
Thos. Giffor

Evansville April 16th 1852

It is ordered that said report be approved and that said road be opened by the supervisors of the district through which the same passes

Issd No 87 K $13.50/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert be allowed thirteen dollars and fifty cents for nine days serves as deputy assessor in the assessment of the Revenue of 1852

Issd No 88 K $28.50/100 Ordered Geo B. Wagnon be allowed twenty eight dollars and fifty cents for nineteen days serves as deputy assessor in the assessment of the Revenue of 1852

Issd No 89 K 80.00/100 Ordered that John W. Grant be allowed eighty dollars for serves as county assessor in the assessment of the Revenue of 1852 per bill on file

Issd No 90 K $44.00/100 Ordered that John W. Grant be allowed forty four dollars for assessing the Revenue of 1852 per bill on file

Issd No 91 K $34.00/100 Ordered that John W. Grant be allowed thirty four dollars for assessing the revenue of 1852 per bill on file

Issd No 92 K $3.95/100 Ordered that Thos. Neaden be allowed three dollars & ninety five cents for goods furnished a pauper family per bill on file

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Now here the Board of Equalization makes the following Changes in the assessment of personal property as returned by the County

+	Assessor = Moses Ross for Stock in Kentucky			,300
+	Olmus Sads. List Changed from	4.650	to	12.160
+ +	Peter Sharps " " "	980		2,680
+	Foster & ~~Brown~~ Jaquis " additive	00.000	to	10,000
+	Shanklin & Reilly " "	8,000	to	12,000
+	Harrington Charles " " "	3,890	to	7,890
+	C. G. Clifford " " "	1,500	to	2,500
+	Noah Humphrey " " "	100	to	1,000
+	John Graham " "	2,500	to	5,000
=	Scott Township Ross & Greathouse " " " additive			1,500
✓	Andrews Geo raised from	9	to	34
✓	Browning Richard " "	540	to	840
✓	Halpin Wm	205	to	255
✓	Ruston Robert	183	to	200
✓	Earl Robert	189	to	230
Centre				
✓	Bustis Edward	540	to	640
✓	Collins Charles	160	to	210
✓	Fitzwilliams Patrick	115	to	150
✓	Goldsmith Daniel F.	220	to	400
✓	Sinck Mathew	100	to	600
✓	Schenk Joseph	100	to	150
✓	Smith Conrad	152	to	175
✓	Fitzer Peter	160	to	200
✓	Wahl Geo. A.	160	to	200
✓	Gable Peter	250	to	350
Union				
✓	Shook Willson	500	to	800
✓	Edmonds John	1,250	to	1,500

The Board of Equalizers after having diligent examined the list of personal property as returned by the Assessor of Vanderburgh County make the foregoing Changes and no further business appearing before the said Board and having Completed the Examination of of the lists of personals aforesaid. do Now here adjourn Sine die A. Warner } Leroy Calvert
Wm H. Walker Ave. John W Grant } Simeon Long

Cap'd Now here upon the Complaint of the heirs of Martin Stinson Deceased, at the taking of Dirt for the purpose of filling the Bayou near said Stinsons residence. It is Ordered that E Saunders N Rowley and Silas Stephens be and they are hereby appointed by this board to examine into said Complaint and assess the damages done to the said premises and report to this board at the next session thereof,

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Now here John Hall Esq Overseer of the poor of Knight Township Comes into court and makes his report as such Overseer ~~and~~ which report is now here approved

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

Leroy Calvert Sr

Thursday Morning June 9th 1852 at 9 O'clock P.M. the Board met pursuant to adjournment

Now here the Board Establishes & Fixes the following rates of Ferriage for the Ferry across the Ohio River at or aposite Henderson Kentucky and also for all other Ferries that are now or may hereafter be established within the limits of this County upon the Ohio River, viz;

Cap'd

For each and every man or woman ferried across the Ohio River ten cents

for ferring across said Ohio River each and every Horse mule or ass twenty five cents

for each and every head of neat cattle twenty five cents

Cap'd for each and every one horse wagon Buggy or Pleasure Carriage One dollar

for each and every two Horse Wagon or Carriage one dollar and twenty five cents and for each and every additional horse or mule twenty five cents

for each and every Hogshead of Tobacco fifty cents

for each and every Hog Sheep or goat five cents

And it is further Ordered that said rates be doubled if the ferriage be required or performed after the regular hours, or at night or during high water or at a time of the river being obstructed ~~with~~ running ice

Issd No 93 K $5.25/100 Ordered that Mason O Newman be Allowed Five dollars and twenty five cents for three and one half days services as deputy County assessor per bill filed

Issd No 94 K 75/100 Ordered that Wm Ruston be Allowed Seventy five cents for work on pigeon bridge near Negleys Mill

Issd No 95 K $2.00/100 Ordered that Dr John T. Fisher be Allowed two dollars for ~~for~~ services as judge at an Election in union & returning polls of said Election

Issd No 96 K $1.00/100 Ordered that John Clark be allowed One dollar for serving as judge of an april election held in Centre Township in 1852

Issd No 97 K $6.15/100 Ordered that Geo. Bates be allowed Six dollars and fifteen cents for cash pd. expenses of paupers

Issd No 98 K $2.00/100 Ordered that A. P. Hutcheson be Allowed two dollars for services as judge of Elections in Knight Township per bill on file

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Issd No 99 K $6.00/100 Ordered that Dr. John S. Fisher be allowed Six dollars for boarding a pauper and Medical attendance upon same & conveying said pauper to the County poor House

Issd No 100 K $5.00/100 Ordered that Stephen Childs be allowed Five dollar for attending upon a poor family sick of Ship Fever

Issd No 101 K $2.00/100 Ordered that P. Moss be allowed two dollars for fence as owners of the poor for union Township

It is now here Ordered that road district No 3 Centre Township be ~~a~~ Changed as follows to wit. instead of the old boundries on the East side of said district. to be bounded by a line Commencing at the
copied North East Corner of section No 22 in Town 5 South of Range 10 west and running thence south, to the South East Corner of the North East quarter of section No 27 Town and Range aforesaid, and thence following the former boundry lines of said road district. And

It is now here Ordered that the North half of sections 25 & 26. and the Whole of sections 23 and 24 taken from district No 3 = in Town 5 South Range 10 west be formed into a New road district. & that said district be Numbered 7 And that Kinlock McPherson be & he is hereby Appointed Supervisor of said road district No 7 for the year 1852

Issd No 102 K $36.50/100 Ordered that Dr. W. Brewster be allowed Thirty six dollar and fifty Cents for Medical attendance upon Pauper in union Township Per bill on file

Issd No 103 K $5.00/100 Ordered that Dr Jesse Burns be allowed Five dollars for professional Services rendered the County attending upon a Pauper per bill on file

Now here Thomas Hampton Lorenzo Hopkins and Thomas Hanchild Viewers heretofore appointed. Come into Court and Report as follows to wit;

To the Board of Commissioners for Vanderburgh County

Gentlemen

The undersigned having been by You appointed to View and locate a Privately Road from Lewis Mantzers place to the Pittsburgh road respectfully report that on Wednesday the 2nd day of June instant we met at the House of said Lewis Mantzer
copied and accompanied by Wm Whittlesey (Surveyor) proceeded to View Survey, locate and Mark such Road as follows to wit; Beginning at the North West Corner of said Mantzer place being the South West quarter of the North East quarter of Section Number four in Town six South of range Number

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~~five ten~~ ten (10) West in the said County of Vanderburgh and ran from ~~thence~~ North 60° west six chains. thence North 88° West six chains and 50 links, thence North 86° West twelve chains & 50 links, thence North 58° West three chains thence due west nine chains and fifty links & thence North 53° West twelve chains & fifty links to the aforesaid Petersburgh road all of which is respectfully submitted

Dated June 7th 1852

Sherman Fairchild
Thos Hampton
Lorenzo Hopkins } Viewers

Wm Whittlesey Surveyor

Ordered that said report be approved and that the road be opened to the width of 16 feet by the petitioner Lewis Mauser & that said Mauser pay all expense that may have accrued in the location of said road

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Issd No 104 K $3.50/100 Ordered that Wm Hunnel be allowed three dollars and fifty cents for repairing Court House per bill on file

Issd No 105 K $10.00/100 Ordered that Alanson Warner be allowed ten dollars for services rendered superintending bridges per bill on file

Issd No 106 K $13.50/100 Ordered that Michael Mintzer be allowed thirteen dollars and fifty cents for guarding County pail per bill on file

Issd No 107 K $3.00/100 Ordered that Joseph Commermehr be allowed three dollars for guarding prison per bill on file

Issd No 108 K $1.50/100 Ordered that Frank Edmond be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for guarding the prison per bill on file

Issd No 109 K $6.00/100 Ordered that Dennis Rogers be allowed six dollars for guarding the prison per bill on file

Issd No 110 K $7.50/100 Ordered that James L. Patton be allowed seven dollars and fifty cents for guarding the prison per bill on file

Issd No 111 K $3.00/100 Ordered that Frederick Schneider be allowed three dollars for guarding the county prison per bill on file

Issd No 112 K $6.00/100 Ordered that Edw S. Martin be allowed six dollars for guarding the county prison per bill on file

Issd No 113 K $6.00/100 Ordered that John Ward be allowed six dollars for guarding the County pail per bill on file

Issd No 114 K $1.50/100 Ordered that Geo. B. Waterson be allowed one dollar & fifty cents for guarding jail per bill on file

Issd No 115 K $0.87/100 Ordered that Charles Kinkle be allowed eighty seven cents, for judges bench for Court House

Issd No 116 K $7.00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long Esqr be allowed seven dollars for services rendered superintending bridges

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It is Now here Ordered that Lucas W. Trafton be and he is hereby selected by this Board as a Student to be sent from Vanderburgh County to fill the vacancy ~~from this County of~~ of a Schollarship (if any there may be at this time) in ~~said~~ Wabash Cholege free of Charge for tuition, as the law directs

It is Now here Ordered that James Maidlow son of Barbara Maidlow of Scott Township be and he is hereby selected by this board to fill any vacancy that may occur in the Schollarship to which Vanderburgh County is entitled in the State University at Bloomington free of all Charge for tuition as designated by law

Ordered that Joseph Lechner p be allowed three dollars for guarding County prison per bill on file

It Is Now Here Ordered that the Revenue, for the Year 1852 be levied, and Fixed by this Board, as follows, to wit;

For State purposes this Board Levies and Fixes the taxes as Fixed by the Legislature of the State = On all property made taxable by law at Twenty Cents on each and every One hundred dollars valuation thereof and fifty Cents on each, and every poll, subject by law to taxation

And for the purpose of increasing the Common School Fund, to be appropriated exclusively for Common Schools, ten Cents on each and every One hundred dollars valuation on all property subject by law to taxation as aforesaid. and twenty five Cents on the poll of each and very white male inhabitant of this State subject by law to pay a poll tax, And the sum of three dollars on each and every One hundred dollars of all premiums received within this State for Insurance of property or lives within the same by the Agents of Insurance Companies Chartered without this State,

And For the Purposes of County Revenue this Board Now here Fixes, the Rates of Taxation for said Year 1852, as follows, to wit;

On all property made taxable by law, the Board levies and Fixes the rates of taxation for the Ordenary expenses of the County, at the sum of twenty five Cents on each one hundred dollars Valuation of all property subject by law to taxation, and on each and every Poll, the sum of one dollar

And for the purposes of paying the interest on the Bonds issued by this County of Vanderburgh for the the purpose of Completing the Evansville and Illinoise Rail Road, the sum of twelve Cents on each and every One hundred dollars valuation of all property subject by

Now here the board accepts James Roquet proposal for the building of a Court House and jail according to the plans and specifications on file made by said Roquet. And it is Ordered that James Jones and Conrad Baker Esqrs be appointed to draw a contract & the papers necessary for the Completion of the arrangement to entered into by said James Roquet with this board, to be submitted to this board at a special session thereof to be called immediately by the County Auditor.

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law to taxation as aforesaid

Ordered that the board adjourne until tomorrow morning at nine Oclock.

Leroy Calvert Sr

Friday morning June 11th the board meet pursuant to adjournement when the members thereof were present as of yesterday

Issd No 118 K $1.50/100 Ordered that Peter Kuhlman be allowed One dollar and fifty cents, for repairing chairs for the County per bile on file

Issd No 119 K $44.50/100 Ordered that A. H. Saunders be allowed Forty Four dollars and fifty cents for advertising for County per bile on file

Issd No 120 K $14.40/100 Ordered that Philip Dusner be allowed Fourteen Dollars and forty cents for making shoes for paupers per bile on file

Issd No 121 K $2.50/100 Ordered that James L. Patten be allowed Two dollars, and fifty cents for summonsing Jurors for the Coroner per biles on file

No 122 K $9.00/100 Ordered that Geo. Bates be Allowed Nine dollars for burrying 3 paupers per bile on file

No 123 K $6.00/100 Ordered that John W. Grant be allowed Six dollars for three days serves as a member of the County Board of Equalization

Issd No 124 K $6.00/100 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed Six dollars as a member of the special board of Equalization

It is now here ordered that the hands in road District No 3 German Township be authorized ~~and~~ and required to work all the Rough Road in Perry Township And the hand of road District No 4 Perry Township to work all the Harmony road that lies in District No 3 German Township

It is now here order that fifty dollars be and it is hereby appropriated ~~to be~~ out of the County Treasury for the purpose of repairing the bridge over Wagnous Creek in Perry Township in District No 2 Perry to be Expended under the jurisdiction of Isaac Cavin Supervisor of said road District

Issd No 125 K No 126 K & 127 K $100, -$100 = $78.31 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed Two hundred and seventy eight dollars and thirty One cents in three orders for auditing for County per bile on file

No 128-9 & 130 K $100, -$50, $21.38 Ordered that W. H. Walker be Allowed One hundred and seventy One dollars and thirty eight Cents in 3 Orders per bile on file for pot of Tax Duplicate 1852

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Issd No 131 K $1.50/100 Ordered that Bracket Mills Esq Overseer of the poor be allowed one dollar and fifteen for wood furnished paupers per bill on file

Issd No 132 K $10.00/100 Ordered that Alanson Warner Esq be allowed Ten dollars for Official Services as County Commissioner at the present session

Issd No 133 K $10.00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long Esq be allowed Ten dollars for Official Services as a Member of the County Board at the present session

Issd No 134 K $10.00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert Esq be allowed Ten dollars for Official Services as a Member of the County Board at the present session

Issd No 135 K $16.00/100 Ordered that Ira Stinson Esq be allowed Sixteen dollars for Ex Officio Services to June 14th 1852 as Clerk of the V.C.C.

Issd No 136 K $9.00/100 Order that the ~~Estate~~ Administrator of Saml S Fenton's be Allowed Nine dollars for his Ex Officio Allowance as Clerk of the V.C.C. to Apl 14th 1852

Ordered that the Board adjourn until Court in Course

Leroy Calvert P.T.
Simeon Long
A Warner

18 Orders Transcribed Sealed & delivered to the Sheriff June 29 52
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At a Special session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County began and held at the Court House in Evansville on Monday June 14th A.D. 1852 in pursuance of a Call made by the County Auditor, for the purpose of Considering & approving the Contract made with James Roquet for building a Court House and Jail ~~thereon~~ upon the public Square in Evansville when present Manson Warren Simeon Levy and Levy Calvert Esqs. members composing said County Board

Now here it appearing to this board that the Contract and papers connected within the letting the building of the Court House & Jail are not ready for their approval & cannot be drawn up and prepared for some time. It is Ordered that the Board adjourn until Wednesday morning at 9 O'Clock P.M.

Wednesday morning June 16th 1852 the board met pursuant to adjournment when present Manson Warren and Levy Calvert Esqs. two of the ~~members~~ composing said board

Ordered that Geo Bates be allowed Five dollars and Fifty Cents for burying two Paupers who died of Ship fever

Ordered that Wm E. Green be allowed One dollar, and fifty Cents Summonsing a Coroners jury per bill on file

Ordered that Charles Thorn be Allowed One dollar, and fifty Cents for serving as clerk at an Election in Pigeon Township per bill on file

Ordered that George Bates be allowed Fifty five dollars for horse and Cow on the County poor house property

And Now here James G. Jones and Conrad Baker who were heretofore appointed by this Board to review the Specifications and Plans for the Court House, and Jail proposed to be erected by said for the use of Vanderburgh County, and to suggest amendments and additions to said plans, and make their report to the Board in the words and figures following, to wit;

To The Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh

The following is a list or schedule of Extra work on the Court House Jail and public grounds in the City of Evansville, not included in the Specifications of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County at the time. Mr James Roquet filed his written proposition to build said Court House and jail and perform the work mentioned in said Original Specifications

1st. Three stone Steps to each entrance between the Columns of the Portico, making in all 9 additional Stone Steps

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at the main entrance to the Court House
2nd An additional Set of Posts in the rooms on the east side of the lower Story of the Court room to make the Ceiling of proper hight
3rd Three additional doors into the Court room from the landing to the Stairs
4th Two Ventilators in the Ceiling of the Court room and a Trap door and Step Ladder from the landing of the Stairs to the Cupola
5th A Lightning rod for the Court House
6th Inside Shutters with fastenings to 12 of the windows in the lower Story of the Court House
7th Privy Vaults, and Privies under the Stairs of the Court House,
8th An additional Course of Timber and Sheet iron with Spikes &c above the Ceiling of the upper Cells of the Jail, ~~Ventilators under Jailers House~~
10th Ventilators under Jail House
11th Additional Story to Jailers House
12th Vault and Privy in Hall between jailers house, and Jail
13th Cut Stone Steps to Jailers House
14th a Course of brick all around the Court House and Portico, to render the walls rat proof.
15th Grading of the Lot in the Manner pointed out in amended Specifications
16th Six hundred and twelve yards of Paving outside of the Lot, on Main and third Streets,
17th Three hundred feet of Stone Curbing on Third Street
18th Paving guttering & Curbing inside of Lot - as Stated in amended Specifications
19th Stone Curbing for Cistern top and iron pipes under ground, from Court to Cistern,
20th Clerks Desk and fixtures

The undersigned have added all the above items to the Orgional Specifications, and recommend their adoption by the Board of Commissioners And from the best estimates we can make of their Value, we suppose it will Cost at least $2,400 to make these additions & improvements to the Orgional Plans and Specifications as amended and as by us rewritten, are herewith Submitted

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James G. Jones
Conrad Baker

And the Board having examined said report and amended Specifications submitted therewith And being Satisfied that the said Plans and Specifications as revised and amended by said Jones & Baker ought to be adopted, It is therefore Ordered by the Board that said Plans and Specifications as revised and amended by the said Jones & Baker be and they

are hereby approved and adopted as the plans and specifications upon and according to which the Court House and Jail of said County shall be built and erected and upon and according to which the ground upon which they are to be built and erected shall be improved. And Mr James Roquet having proposed to the board to build said Court House and Jail and make all the improvements mentioned and specified in said plans and specifications for three quarters of the Public Square provided the Board will change the location of the public buildings from that part of the public square which is bounded on the east by main street and on the north by third street to that part of said Square which is bounded on the South by Third street, and on the East by main street.

And the Board having considered said proposition Now here accede to the same. And it is Ordered that the Location of the Court House and Jail be and the same is hereby changed as aforesaid. And the Board Now here enters into the following Contract with James Roquet in the words and figures following to wit

"This agreement made the Sixteenth day of June A.D. 1852. between the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh of the One part and James Roquet of the Other part Witnesseth. That the said Board of Commissioners have on this day employed the said James Roquet to make and erect. A Court House Jail and Jailers House and other appendages and improvements connected therewith and with the public ground on which the same will be situated, and in consideration thereof have agreed to sell and convey to him in fee simple three fourths of the ground in the City of Evansville Indiana now known as the public Square, in accordance with the following Stipulations. And in consideration that the said Board of Commissioners will cause the said ground to be so conveyed to the said Roquet he the Roquet has agreed and does hereby agree and bind himself to Erect Construct make complete and finish in a good workman like manner the said Court House Jail and Jailers house and all the other Structures and improvements of every kind & character mentioned in certain specifications filed in the Office of the Auditor of Vanderburgh County signed by the said Roquet and Alanson Warner & Leroy Calvert two members of said Board of Commissioners and witnessed Wm H. Walker Auditor, and James G. Jones & Conrad Baker, And the said James Roquet further agrees to furnish at his own cost & expense all the materials for said buildings structures and improvements of every kind and to erect construct make complete and finish all and

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every part of said houses and buildings structures and improvements, according to the said specifications, and the plans therein referred to (which are all filed in said Auditors Office And that all the foundations of said buildings shall be erected before the weather gets cold enough to freeze morter next fall. and that the balance of said work mentioned in said specifications shall be done by the first day of March AD Eighteen hundred and fifty four and in consideration of the foregoing undertaking on the part of said Roquet, the said Board of Commissioners agree to cause the following three quarters of the public square to be conveyed to said Roquet his heirs or assigns in fee simple so as to vest in him or them a good and indefeasable title in fee simple, that is to say that quarter of said square upon which the present Court House and Clerks office are situated, and that quarter directly oposite on the other side of main street said two quarters lying on the South West side of third street. Also that quarter of said square on which the present jail now stands, on the North East side of third street, and south East side of main street said squares respectfully measuring One hundred and fifty feet on main street & One hundred and forty four on third street, and extending from each street to the several alleys surrounding said squares, and that the quarter of said square upon which the present jail is situated and also the quarter lying on the South West side of third street and on the North West side of main street shall be conveyed to said Roquet as aforesaid. So soon as Crawford Bell Wm Hughes John J. Chandler & Richard Raleigh, or any other persons satisfactory to the Board of Commissioners aforesaid shall become bound in a written obligation as sureties of said Roquet for the completion of said buildings and improvements as aforesaid and that the other quarter of said square, viz that on which the Court House now stands, shall be conveyed to said Roquet as aforesaid. So soon as the materials furnished and work done by him together with the security given as aforesaid shall in the opinion of said Board of Commissioners be sufficient to indemnify said Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County against loss or damage to result from any failure of said Roquet to comply with this Contract. Provided that the Board of Commissioners reserves the right to use the present jail until the new one above mentioned is finished

fit for use. and also a right to use the present Court House and Clerks Office. until the New Court House aforesaid is finished and fit for use. And it is mutually agreed between the parties. that the said Board of Commissioners shall appoint some Competent person. to inspect and receive or reject the materials to be used in said buildings structures and improvements and that when he has inspected and received them they shall be from thenceforth the property of Vanderburgh County. And that the said Roquet shall at his own expense keep fully insured all the Combustible materials aforesaid, from the time they shall be inspected & received as aforesaid. And also keep said buildings insured as fully as he reasonably can. during the time he is erecting & constructing them. and until they are finished According to this Contract".

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A Warner
James Roquet "

Witness James G. Jones
Conrad Baker

Ordered that Alanson Warner be and he is hereby Appointed by this Board to inspect & receive or reject the materials for the Court House & Jail the building of which has this day been let to James Roquet & that he be Authorized to examine & inspect the work as it progresses. and see that the same is done according to the Specifications now on file. & that said Warner have power & Authority to Call to his aid at any time any Competent Mechanick for the purpose of deciding upon the fitness of the work in & upon said publick buildings as said buildings progress as aforesaid

Ordered that the County Agent Thomas E Garvin Esq be Authorized Ordred and instructed to Convey to James Roquet by Deed of general Warrantee — ~~the~~ two quarters of the public square one above third street upon which the Jail now stands & the other the North Westerly Corner & ~~Evansville~~, so soon as said Roquet shall execute a Bond signed by Crawford Bell John J Chandler Wm Hughes and Richard Raleigh or some good name in place of either of the forgoing Conditioned for the Completion of the public building the Erection of which has been this day left to said Roquet. (~~or some good name in place of either of the forgoing~~)

No 139 K $25.00/100 Ordered that James G. Jones Esq be Allowed Twenty five dollars for drawing Contract & Specifications for Court House &c for County per bill on file

No 140 K $25.00/100 Ordered that Conrad Baker Esq be Allowed Twenty Five dollars for drawing contract & Specification for letting the public buildings per bill on file

No 141 K $3.00/100 Ordered that Conrad Baker be allowed three dollars for cash by him paid for transcript of petition of Co Board to Legislature per bill on file

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

Leroy Calvert Prest

Thursday morning June 17th 1852 the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as of yesterday

Issd No 142 K $6.00/100 Ordered that Johnson & French be allowed six dollars for blankets furnished the Sheriff for prisoners in County jail

Issd No 143 K $2.00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long Esqr be allowed ~~One day~~ Two dollars for one days services as County Commissioner at the Sp June Term A.D. 1852

Issd No 144 K $6.00/100 Ordered that Alanson Warner Esqr be allowed six dollars for three days Official services at the special June Term A.D. 1852

Issd No 145 K $6.00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert Esqr be allowed six dollars for three days Official Services at the Special June Term A.D. 1852

Ordered that the Board adjourne Sine Die

Leroy Calvert Prest
A Warner

Edmund Rutter is hereby appointed Supervisor of road district No 4 Union Township for A.D. 1852 to serve until next April Election & until his successor is qualified
July 19th 1852 Wm H. Walker A.V.C.

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Joseph Paike is appointed Supervisor of road district No 2 Scott Township for A.D. 1852
August 2nd 1852 Wm H. Walker A.V.C.
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Wm Higgenbotham is appointed Supervisor of road district No 3 Pigeon Township for A.D. 1852
Aug 4th 1852 Wm H. Walker A.V.C.

Copd

Richard Sichfield Jr is hereby appointed Supervisor of road district No 7 Scott township to serve for one year from the first Monday in April A.D. 1852
Aug 11th 1852

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Richard Ruston is hereby appointed Supervisor of road district No 5 Scott Township for 1852 to serve for one year from the first Monday in April A.D. 1852

Zachariah P. Seydelott is hereby appointed Justice of the Peace for Congressional Township Number Seven in Range West 6 to serve for three years & until his successor is elected and qualified

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At a Session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County began and held at the Court house in said County on the 6th day of September A.D. 1852 (being the first Monday in said month) when present Simeon Long Leroy Calvert and Alanson Warner Esqrs members composing said County board

Now here on the petition of John Darling and twenty four Others Citizens of Perry Township for the appointment of viewers to view and locate a certain private road in said Township beginning at the South West Corner of the South East quarter of the North East quarter of Section No. 22 in Township No. 6 South of Range No. 11 West. At a Stake marked "A" on the land of Gottfred Rheinlander running thence South to a Sweet Gum Tree marked "B" on the land of Francis Amory in section 22 intersecting a County road leading from Evansville to Williams' Ferry on the Wabash River The board duly Considering said petition and hearing the testimony of witnesses touching the proceeding in relation to said proposed road, It is Ordered that Thomas Gifford C. L. Dutton and J. M. Spear be appointed viewers to view and locate said route for a road and report to this board at the next Session Thereof

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Now here on the petition of Charles Knowles and 19 Others citizens of Scott Township for a private road leading from the dwelling house of Conrad Baierlein in a westerly direction with a road heretofore used as a road for more than twenty years through the lands of Conrad Baierlein William Karre and Henry Karre until it intersects the old Princeton Road, - The board duly considering said petition It is Ordered that George Longbin Conrad Smith and Zerah Fairchild be & they are appointed to view and locate said private road & report to this board at the next session thereof.

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Ordered that Joseph Ingle be appointed Supervisor of road district No. 5 Scott Township for A.D. 1852 to sum for one year and until his successor is qualified

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Now here Robert W. Dunbar Treasurer of Vanderburgh County submits his quarterly report to September 1st 1852, which report is now here approved

Now here John B Neel William McCray and Morrison Fitzgerald viewers heretofore appointed to view and locate a certain County

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road therein named make report as follows, to wit;
"To the board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County, The undersigned Viewers heretofore appointed by your hon. body to view a certain County road in German Township beg leave to report that we did in pursuance said order view said road as follows to wit; After being duly sworn we proceeded to said view by Commencing at an oak bush marked "A" on the land of Henry Kron in Section No. 21 Town 5 S. Range 11 West running thence East on the line + dividing the lands of said Kron and one Godfrey Pfifer to a Stake marked "B" on the Synthiana road on the land of John Baker thence along said road to a stake marked "C" on the land of Henry Baker thence Easterly to a hickory Tree marked "D" on the land of Henry Baker in Section No. 21 Town 5 S Range 11 West intersecting a Cart road on the Old road, which has been in use for more than twenty years, on a ridge dividing the waters of Big Creek and Locust Lick Creek, intersecting the Synthiana road on the east side of Frederick Steinkuhl's land And return the same as a road of public utility

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John B. Neel
Wm McCrary
Morrison Fitzgerald

Ordered that said report be approved and the road Opened to the width of thirty feet by the Supervisors ~~thro~~ of the districts through which said road passes

Now here the Viewers heretofore appointed to view a Certain Change in a County road in Knight Township report as follows to wit
"The undersigned Viewers heretofore appointed by your honorable body to view and locate a Certain Change in the County road leading from the Ohio River Oposite the Mouth of Green River to the road leading from Evansville to Princeton in Gibson Co. Which Change Commences at a point on said road fifteen rods east of David Vans Stable on the said Green River Road. thence running in a North westerly Course until it strikes the dividing line running east and west between sections 22 and 27 in Town Six South of Range ten west, dividing the lands of W. H. Stockwell James Lockhart Crawford Bell & David and William Harper thence running along said line until it intersects the Old road, have view and located said Change as contemplated by the Order. And believe said Change to be of public utility & would recommend its adoption

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All of which is respectfully submitted
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John M. Stinson
E. Hall

ordered that said report be approved & the road opened in accordance with said Change

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To the Honourable Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

Gentlemen

We the undersigned Commissioners appointed ~~to view~~ by your Lody at the June Term A.D. 1852 to view and Mark out a private Road in German Township on the petition of John Miller and others for the use of said Miller did on the 12th day of August 1852 repair to the place and examine the proposed route & found it would be greatly to the damage of C. Droll as it runs angling through a track of land adjoining the Harmony Road. All parties being present entered into an amicable agreement and upon said agreement we proceeded to lay out a rout as follows beginning at a Corner Stone near Millers fence it being the N.W. Corner of the S.W. quarter of the S.W. quarter of section 4 Town 6 S of Range 11 West thence running South on the line dividing Sections 4 & 5 to a Corner Stone on John Woods Corner the land on either side of said belongs to Miller thence continuing South on said line between Sections 8 & 9 the West side belonging to John Wood and the East to C. Droll intersecting the Evansville and Harmony road at S.E. Corner of J. Woods farm. All of which is respectfully submitted

E. Saunders
E. Hull
John M. Stinson

ordered that said report be accepted and approved & the road therein named be opened 16 feet in width & the petitioners pay the Cost and expenseses of said View ~~& opening~~.

Now here the Viewers heretofore appointed to assess the damages done to the premises of Henry Moll in Centre Township report as follows, to wit;

To the honorable the board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County & State of Indiana. We the undersigned having been appointed by the order herewith returned to assess the damages for the timber cut by the Supervisor of road district No 4 in Centre Township on his premises for the purpose of building a Bridge on the road in said district. We the Commissioners have met this day September 6th 1852. We do hereby assess the damage for the timber belonging to Henry Moll is worth six dollars $6.00

Sherman Fairchild
James Kirkpatrick
Lorenzo Hopkins

ordered that said report be accepted & approved

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No. 3377E $6.00/100 Ordered that Henry Moll be Allowed Six dollars for timber taken by the Supervisor of road district No. 4 Centre Township for ~~timber~~ the use of bridges in said district

Now here Sherman Fairchild and others viewers heretofore appointed by this board come into Court and make the following report, to wit;

"To the honorable the board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County and State of Indiana. After being duly sworn according to law. In pursuance of an Order of this Honorable board herewith anexed and returned we the undersigned appointed by the said Order to view mark and lay out a certain private road on the petition of Valentine Schenck & others of Centre Township we met on the 6th day of September 1852 & have viewed marked and layed out a private road and believe it will be a road of utility to Valentine Schenck and others, as follows to wit;

Beginning at the yard gate of Valentine Schencks dwelling house in said Township thence running North through the land belonging to said Schenck and A Acker to a certain hickory tree marked with a letter "A" thence continuing easterly to a certain Oak line tree standing near a branch flowing through the land belonging to the heirs of said Acker thence continuing easterly on the line dividing the lands of Joseph Wit & George Nogly where said Wit and Noglys lane intersect the Synthiana road.

As witness our hands this 6th day of September 1852

Sherman Fairchild
James R Kirkpatrick
Lorenzo Hopkins
} Viewers

Ordered that said report be approved & the road therein named be opened by the petitioners to the width of 40 feet

Ordered that John R Wilcox be and he is hereby selected by this board, to fill the Capd Vacant Scholarship in the State University at Bloomington to which Vanderburgh County may be entitled ~~to fill~~

Order that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 8 O'clock

Leroy Calvert Prest

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Tuesday morning September 7th 1852 at 8 O'Clock A.M. the board met pursuant to adjournment when the members of said board were present as of yesterday

Now here on the petition of John Wimpelberg and others for the appointment of viewers to view and locate a certain private road beginning at the North East corner of the North half of the West half of the South East quarter of Section No 7 in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West at a Stake marked "A" on the land of John Wimpelberg thence running East on the line dividing the lands of Frederick Sluck
Capd man Ingelbert Young to a Stake marked "B" on the section line dividing section No 7 & 8 in said Township And the board duly considering said petition & the things therein it is ordered that William Farquher William Morgan and Kenneda Higenbotham be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view & locate said rout and report to this board at the next session thereof

Now here on the petition of James Neal and others for the appointment of viewers to locate a private road ~~road~~ Beginning at a Cherry Tree marked "A" on the land of Wm A. McDowell in Section No 26 in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West thence running West of North to a Stake marked "B" at the Evansville
Capd and Henderson Road. It is ordered that Nathan Rowley James T. Walker and R. W. Dunbar be and they are hereby appointed to view & locate said road and report to this board at the next session thereof

Isd No 338 K $79.30/100 Ordered that John S. Terry S.V.C. be allowed seventy nine dollars and thirty cents for dieting prisoners in county jail to Septr 6th 1852 per bill on file

Isd No 339 K $4.50/100 Ordered that John S Terry S.V.C. be allowed four dollars and fifty cents for summonising jurors per bill on file

Isd No 340 K $1.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry S.V.C. be allowed one dollar for giving notice of an Election in Centre Township per bill on file

Isd No 341 K $25.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed twenty five dollars for three months Ex Officio Services to Septr 1st 1852

Isd No 342 K $25.00/100 Ordered that Ben Stinson be allowed twenty five dollars for 3 months Ex Officio Services as Clerk of the V.C.C.

Isd No 343 K $50.00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed fifty dollars for Ex Officio Services for six months to September 1st 1852

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No 344 K $2.45/100 Ordered that Ahlering & N Brummer be allowed Two dollars & forty five cents for clothing furnished prisoners in the county jail.

No 345 K $1.25/100 Ordered that R. Fergus be allowed One dollar & twenty five cents for plank furnished County

Now here Nathaniel J James and fourteen others Citizens & freeholders of Knight Township, Petition this board for the appointment of viewers to locate a certain county road commencing at a point at or near the school house on the section line between O. P. Aikin and T. T. Greers farmes across from the road leading from Evansville to the mouth of Green River to the road leading from Evansville to Joseph Lanes residence on the Ohio River. The board duly considering said petition It is Ordered that Aeneas McCallister Corrydon Garrett and Arthur McJohnson be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view and locate said road & report to this board at the next session thereof

No Sec 8

The viewers heretofore appointed by an order of this board to view a certain County road therein name make report as follows to wit

"Scott Township Augst 16th 1852"

We the undersigned having been appointed by the Board of County Commissioners to view a Location for a Road commencing at a point on the Evansville and Princeton State Road on the line dividing section 5 and sec 8 Township 5 South of range 10 West where said line intersects said road running thence due west on said line and the line dividing sec 6 and 7 in said Town and range until it intersects the Evansville and Owensville County Road and being duly qualified before John Ingle Esqr a justice of the Peace for said Township report as follows that we consider the above described location as elegible for a good road and of public utility

Charles Knowles
John Whitehead
Richard Ruston

Ordered that said Report be accepted & approved & said Road be opened to the width of 30 feet.

No 346 K $10.00/100 Ordered that Wm Sheets & Co be allowed Ten dollars for stationary furnished County per bill on file

No 347 K $4.40/100 Ordered that Saml Sister be allowed Four dollars, and forty cents for stationary furnished Clerk of the V.C.C.

No 348 K $3.93/100 Ordered that Saml Sister be allowed Three dollars & ninety three cents for stationary furnished Auditor

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Issd No 349 K $16.10/100 Ordered that Saml. Sisler be Allowed Sixteen dollars and ten cents for Stationary furnished County Recorder per bill on file

Issd No 350 K $2.00/100 Ordered that Charles Barnes be Allowed Two dollars for work on fulton Comm per bill on file

Issd No 351 K $1.00/100 Ordered that John M. Stinson be Allowed One dollar for making report of johnson road per bill

Issd No 352 K $4.50/100 Ordered that Wm G. Knight be Allowed Four dollars and fifty cents for Extra Service as Supervisor of road district No 4 in Scott Township per bill

Issd No 353 K $1.00/100 Ordered that John M. Stinson be allowed one dollar for viewing road per bill on file

Issd No 354 K $1.00/100 Ordered that John M. Stinson be Allowed One dollar for making reports per bill on file

Issd No 355 K $1.00/100 Ordered that E. Hull be Allowed One dollar for Viewing road per bill on file

Issd No 356 K $1.00/100 Ordered that E. Saunders be Allowed One dollar for Viewing a road per bill on file

Issd No 357 K $3.00/100 Ordered that Thomas Elliott be Allowed Three dollars for Extra Services as Superviser of road district No 1 Scott Township per bill on file

Issd No 358 K $3.00/100 Ordered that Wm McCrary be Allowed Three dollar for Extra Services as Supervisor of road district No 4 Perry Township per bill on file.

Issd No 359 K $2.50/100 Ordered that John M. Stinson be Allowed in Knight Township Two dollars and fifty Cents for Viewing road, & making per bill on file

Issd No 360 K $1.50/100 Ordered that E. Hull be Allowed One dollar and fifty Cents for Viewing road in Knight Township per bill on file

Issd No 361 K $1.50/100 Ordered that M. Sherwood be Allowed One dollar and fifty Cents for Viewing a road in Knight Township per bill on file

Issd No 362 K $1.00/100 Ordered that Lorenzo D. Hopkins be Allowed One dollar for assessing damages on Mills land per bill on file

Issd No 363 K $2.00/100 Ordered that Morrison Fitzgerald be Allowed Two dollars for viewing road in Perry Township

Issd No 364 K $1.00/100 Ordered that Wm McCrary be Allowed One dollar for Services as road viewer per bill on file

Issd No 365 K $1.00/100 Ordered that John D. Steel be Allowed One dollar for viewing road per bill on file

Issd No 366 K $1.00/100 Ordered that James R. Kirkpatrick be Allowed One dollar for Services as Viewer in the assessment of damages on Mills land

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Issd No 367 K $1.50/100 Ordered that Henry Guise be Allowed One dollar and fifty Cents for services as judge of an Election in Scott Township in 1851

Issd No 368 K $2.00/100 Ordered that Sherman Fairchild be Allowed Two dollar for One days service as Inspector of Elections in Centre Township

Issd No 369 K $2.00/100 Ordered that Sherman Fairchild be Allowed Two dollar for services as Inspector of Elections per bill on file

Issd No 370 K $2.00/100 Ordered that Sherman Fairchild be allowed Two dollar for assessing damages on Henry Molls land per bill on file

Issd No 371 K $9.00/100 Ordered that Thomas Irvin be allowed Nine dollars for keeping Mary Ann Fillis a pauper per bill on file

Issd No 372 K $5.50/100 Ordered that P. G. O'Reilly be allowed Five dollar & fifty Cents for Cash expended reading off a pauper per bill on file

Issd No 373 K $6.00/100 Ordered that Dr. Jesse Burns be allowed Six dollars for attendance upon John Hile a pauper

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in tomorrow morning at Nine Oclock

Leroy Colyer Pres

Wednesday morning at Nine Oclock the board met pursuant to adjournment when the members thereof were present as of yesterday

Issd No 374 K $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr Isaac Leasellburg be allowed Twenty five dollars for professional attendance upon County to Sept 1st 1852 per bill on file

Issd No 375 K $25.00/100 Ordered that D.H. Ronald be Allowed Twenty five dollars for Professional services rendered the County Poor per bill on file

Issd No 376 K $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr Davidson be allowed Twenty five dollars for professional services rendered County to September 1st 1852 per bill on file

Issd No 377 K $7.50/100 Ordered that James L Patten be allowed Seven dollars & fifty Cent for services at two Coroners Inquests, per bill on file

Issd No 378 K $7.00/100 Ordered that Setchell & Bowles be allowed Seven dollars for horse and buggy hire to County Board per bill on file

Issd No 379 K $38.00/100 Ordered that Thomas Gifford be allowed thirty eight dollar for work on the Pigeon bridge near Negley per bill on file

Ordered that the County Auditor be Authorized to issue the balance found due Thos. Gifford found due him for building a pier under the bridge over Pigeon Creek near Negleys mills & the board now here Confirm the issue of order made to Gifford by the Auditor upon the estimate

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of said work made by C. G. Olmsted on file

Issd No 380 K $3.00/100 Ordered that Christian Decker be allowed three dollars for services as pound keeper per bill on file

It is Now here Ordered that William H. Walker be and he is hereby appointed by this board their agent attorney and proxy to cast the vote of this County on the first monday in October A.D. 1852 on two thousand shares of stock in the Evansville and Illinoise Rail Road (which stock is owned by the County of Vanderburgh) for thirteen directors of said Rail Road. And it is further Ordered that said agent vote for the following named persons as part of said board of directors viz Saml. Hall of Gibson County and John Ingle Jr. Saml. Orr John S. Hopkins James G Jones Geo B. Walker Manson Warner Richard Raleigh & Mathew W. Foster, and such other directors as the vincennes men may select as the remaining four to fill said board

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Order to vote for RR directors

No 381 K $14.25/100 Ordered that Isaac Cavins be allowed Fourteen dollars and twenty five cents for services & labor upon the bridge & logway over Wagnons Creek in Perry Township

No 382 K $8.50/100 Ordered that Edward Neumarta be allowed Eight dollars and fifty cents for making poll Book at October Election

Now here The Commissioners heretofore appointed to assess the damages sustained by Martin Stinsons heirs in consequence of the Contractor taking dirt for the Culvert on the bayou come before this board and report as follows to wit;

"We the undersigned having been appointed by the Commissioners of Vanderburgh County to assess the damages sustained by the Estate of Martin Stinson deceased in taking the Earth from his land in union Township to erect the Embankment across Bayou near said Stinsons residence in accordance with the order hereunto annexed do assess the damages done to the land of said deceased at Twenty five dollars

Witness our hands this 7th day of September

Nathan Rowly
Es Saunders

The board duly Considering said report it is Ordered that the same be approved &

No 383 K $25.00/100 Ordered that Martin Stinsons heirs be allowed Twenty Five dollars for damages awarded by N. Rowly & Es Saunders per report

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Now here the Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court files his report of fines &c which report is approved and Ordered to be filed

No 384 JC $1,00/100 Ordered that James J. Walker be Allowed One dollar for 8 Subpoenas for poor per bill on file

Issd No 385 JC $39.51/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed thirty nine dollars and fifty one cents for Beef furnished Paupers per bill on file

No 386 JC $86.00/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed Eighty six dollars for Keeping Paupers 6 September 6 1852 per bill on file

No 387 JC $80.00/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed Eighty dollars for burying dead Paupers per bill on file

No 388 JC $53.60/100 Ordered that George Bates be Allowed Fifty three dollars and sixty Cents for Cash paid for sending Paupers from County per bill on file

Issd No 389 JC $30.00/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed Thirty dollars for burying the County poor per bill on file

Issd No 390 JC $100,00/100 Ordered that Nelson H. Walker be allowed One hundred dollar for work for County per bill on file

Issd No 391 JC $90,00/100 Ordered that Edward Newman be allowed Twenty dollar for work for County per bill on file

Issd No 392 JC $81.54/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed Eighty One dollars and fifty four cents for Subsistence for County per bill on file,

Issd No 393 JC $200,00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be Allowed Two Hundred dollars dollar for making Two duplicates of 1852 per bill on file

Issd No 394 JC $3,60/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed Three dollars and sixty Cents for Cash paid for Stationary for Office per bill on file

Issd No 395 JC $82.25/100 Ordered that Ellis Schlamp be allowed Eighty two dollars and twenty five Cents per bill on file for Groceries & provision furnished County Poor House

Now here H. A. Short and Others Citizens of German Township Petition this board for the appointment of Viewers to view and locate a Private Road Beginning at a Stake Marked A, on the land of Jacob Bremer in Section No 34 in Township No 5 South of Range No 11 West Thence Running South on line dividing the lands of Andrew Smith And Michael Graff in said Section thence running the same line South between the lands of Henry A Morgan and Stapp until it intersects the Ruff Road on the land of Henry A. Morgan in Section No 3 in Township

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Township 6 South of Range No 11 West. And the board duly Considering said petition It is Ordered that John Bumpf Nicholas Rockenmire and John Jarvis be and they are hereby appointed Viewers to view and locate said road & report to this board at the next Term thereof

No 396 Fee $2.00/100 Ordered that N. Rowly Esqr be allowed Two dollars for Services as Commissioner to assess damages done to the land belonging to the heirs of Martin Stinson dec'd

No 397 Fee $1.00/100 Ordered that E. Sanders be Allowed One dollar for Services as Commissioner to assess damages done the premises of Martin Stinson dec'd

No 398 Fee $1.00/100 Ordered that Silas Stephens be Allowed One dollar for Services as Commissioner to assess damages done the premises of Martin Stinson dec'd

No 399 Fee $47.13/100 Ordered that Wm H. Stallcup be Allowed Forty Seven dollars and thirteen cents for making the Tax duplicates of 1852 per bill on file

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock

Leroy Calvert Pres't

Thursday Morning September ninth the board met pursuant to adjournment when the members composing said Board were present as of Yesterday

Now here James Roquet the Contractor for building the public Buildings for the County files his bond in the words & figures as follows to wit.

"Know all men by these Presents that we James Roquet Crawford Dell John J. Chandler Philip Deckler Philip Kramer & William H. Chandler are held and firmly bound unto the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana in the penal Sum of forty thousand dollars for payment whereof well & truly to be made we bind Ourselves our heirs executors & administrators jointly & severally firmly by these Presents Sealed with Our seals and dated the ninth day of September A.D. 1852

This Bond is subject to the following Conditions Viz: Whereas the said James Roquet has by a written Contract made between him and said Board of Commissioners, dated the 16th day of June 1852 agreed and bound himself to erect and finish a Court house jail & jailers house in Evansville in the County aforesaid. and to make certain other improvements appertaining thereto. for a particular description of which reference is hereby made to said written Contract.

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Now if the said James Roquet shall faithfully erect construct and finish said Court House Jail and Jailers house and do all other things which by the said written Contract he is bound to do and fully and faithfully perform his part of said Contract in the manner and within the time specified in said Contract then the above Obligation shall be void and of no effect, but otherwise it shall remain in full force and Virtue.

James Roquet Seal
C Pelt Seal
John F. Chandler Seal
Philip Decker Seal
W.M. Chandler Seal
Ph. Kramer Seal

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James Roquet the Contractor who has undertaken to erect finish a Court house Jail & Jailers house with appendages & appurtenances thereto, having this day filed in the office of the Auditor of Vanderburgh County his bond with security Conditioned for the performance of his Contract which bond is approved and accepted by this board

It is therefore Ordered that Thomas E. Garvin Agent of Vanderburgh County forthwith as such Agent Convey to James Roquet in fee simple, by a good General Warranty deed the following portions of the Public Square in the City of Evansville in said County, Viz: The most westerly quarter of said Square fronting One hundred and fifty feet on Main Street and One hundred and forty four feet on third Street. And also the South eastern quarter of said Square fronting one hundred and fifty feet on Main Street and one hundred and forty four feet on third Street, reserving in said deed the right of the County of Vanderburgh to use the Jailers house and the Jail now on the last mentioned quarter of said Square until the said Roquet, shall have completed the Jailors house and new Jail or so far completed it, that it may be safely used for the Confinement of Prisoners, And it is further Ordered and agreed between this board of the first part and the said James Roquet of the second part and Thomas E Garvin of the third part that in Consideration that the said Garvin will make a deed of Conveyance with warranty as aforesaid and in Consideration that the said Roquet will receive the same as a part performance on the part of this Board for the erection of said Buildings, made between this Board and said Roquet this board (Viz the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County) will for and on behalf of said County indemnify said Garvin and save him harmless from and against all demands payments Costs damages losses and expenses

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which ~~Costs~~ he may suffer or incur by reason of his making said deed. And ~~this~~ ~~for and on the~~ Board will for and on behalf of said Vanderburgh County pay to said Roquet his heirs and assigns all sums of money damages interest & Costs which may or can be recovered or lawfully demanded of said Gavin. or any other person or persons body politic or Corporate by reason of any breach or breaches of the Covenant of warranty in said deed. And it is further ordered that said Thomas E. Gavin insert in said deed as the Consideration thereof Twenty Eight thousand dollars STOP

No 400 K 18 75/100 Ordered that Thomas E. Gavin County Agent be Allowed Eighteen dollars & seventy five Cents for one quarters Salary as County Agent & attorney per bill on file

No 401 K $8.00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert Esqr be Allowed Eight dollars for four days services as County Commissioner at Septr Term 1852

No 402 K $8.00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long Esqr be allowed Eight dollars for four days services as County Commissioner at the Septr Term 1852

No 403 K $8.00/100 Ordered that Alanson Warren Esqr be allowed Eight dollars for four days services as County Commissioner at the Septr Term 1852

Ordered that the Board adjourn until Court in Course

Leroy Calvert Prest
Simeon Long
A Warren

Special October Term AD 1852

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County began and held at the Court House in Evansville in said County on Saturday October 2nd AD 1852 in pursuance to a Call made by the County Auditor for the purpose of reconsidering the order authorizing the Auditor to vote for certain persons for the Office of Rail Road Director on behalf of said County & to consider such other business as may come before said board when present Alanson Warner Leroy Calvert and Simeon Long Esqr members composing said County Board

Ordered that on reconsidering the order relating the person to be voted for for Rail Road Directors. The board makes the following Chang in said list, to wit, In lieu of the ticket to be voted by the County Auditor in the Order made by this board at the late September Term. It is Ordered that said Auditor vote for Saml. Hall John Ingle Jr. Saml. Orr James G. Jones, George R. Walker John M. Stockwell, Richard Raleigh John Shanklin and John Mitchell

ordered to vote for R. R. directors

No 447 K $1.00/100 Ordered that A. Warner be allowed One dollar for services superintending the pigeon bridge

No 448 K $12.10/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert Esq be allowed Twelve dollars and ten Cents for bacon for poor house

No 449 K $6.75/100 Ordered that John Prewit be allowed Six dollars and seventy five Cents for bacon furnished poor house

No 450 K 7.30/100 Ordered that Caswell Calvert be allowed Seven dollars and thirty Cents for bacon furnished poor house

No 451 K $2.00/100 Ordered that Alanson Warner Esqr be allowed Two dollars for one days services as Co Commissioner at present term

No 452 K $2.00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long Esqr be allowed Two dollars for One days services a County Commissioner present term

No 453 K $2.00/100 Ordered that Leroy Calvert Esqr be allowed Two dollars for One days services as County County Commissioner at the present term

Ordered that the board adjourne Senidi

Leroy Calvert Prest
Simeon Long
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October 23rd 1852

Mr John C. Stacer

You are hereby appointed Supervisor of roads in road district No 3 Scott Township of A.D. 1852 to serve until April 1853

William H. Walker A.V.C.

Special November Term A.D. 1852

At a Special or called 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 November 1st A.D. 1852 at 10 Oclock P.M. of said day on a Call of the County Auditor to hear try and determine the right of Christian Bippus to the Office of County Recorder which right has been declared by the board of Canvassers at the October election A.D. 1852. and which right has been denied, and contested by Elihu M. Burns an elector of said County — when present ~~Elihu M. Burns~~ Hanson Warner Edmond Maidlow and Simeon Long Esqrs Members composing said County Board.

It is now here ordered that Simeon Long be appointed President of this board

The Complaint of Elihu M. Burns against Christian Bippus as to his right to hold the Office of County Recorder in words and figures following, to wit;

"State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Set.

"To Christian Bippus and all other persons Concerned will hereby take notice that the Undersigned Elihu M. Burns a qualified elector of said County of Vanderburgh, and so was on the twelfth day of October A.D. 1852 and a resident of Pigeon Township in said County, Contests and denies the right of the said Christian Bippus to the Office of Recorder of the said County of Vanderburgh to which said Office the said Christian Bippus was declared duly elected by the inspectors & Judges of an election began and held in said County on the 12th day of October A.D. 1852 to fill said Office of Recorder of said County at which said election said Christian Bippus received the highest number of Votes and George H. Todd received the next highest number of votes for the following cause that is to say

That the said Christian Bippus was on the 22nd day of July A.D. 1850 duly elected by the qualified voters of Pigeon Township in said County a Justice of the Peace of said Township for the term of five Years. And qualified as such Justice of the Peace on the 19th day of August 1850 that the said Christian Bippus was on the said 12th day of October A.D. 1852 and still is acting as a Justice of the Peace of said Township by virtue of said election on said 22nd day of July 1850. and that his said Term in said Office of Justice of the Peace was on the said 12th day of October 1852 and still is unexpired. and that the said Christian Bippus is therefore ineligible to the said Office of Recorder of the County of Vanderburgh by reason of the 16th Section of Article 7th of the Constitution of the State of

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Indiana, which is as follows, to wit, "No person elected to a Judicial Office shall during the term for which he shall have been elected be eligible to any office of trust or profit under the State other than a Judicial office"
Evansville Oct 20 1852

Elisha M. Burns"

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County ss

Elisha M Burns being duly Sworn doth depose and say that the Matters and things Contained in the foregoing Statement are true as he verily believes

Elisha M. Burns

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 21st day of October A.D. 1852

John F. Crisp (Seal)
Recorder of the City of Evansville & Ex Officio a Justice of the Peace"

upon the filing of the foregoing, complaint on the 21st day of October A.D. 1852 A Notice was issued & delivered to the Sheriff of said County, notifying the members of the Board of County Commissioners that a called session would be held at the Court House in Evansville on Monday November 1st A.D. 1852 to hear try and determine the right of the said Christian Pippus to the Office of County Recorder as declared by the Inspectors and Judges at the October election A.D. 1852. And also a certified copy of the aforesaid complaint was delivered to the Sheriff to be by him served upon the defendant Christian Pippus together with a citation notifying him of the time of the meeting of said County board to try hear and determine his right to the Office of County Recorder as aforesaid, & a notice for him to appear on said first day in November A.D. 1852

On the day stated in the Call, to wit: on the first day of November A.D. 1852 at ten Oclock in the forenoon of said day the said Commissioners convened at the Court House in said county for the purpose of trying and determining the Complaint aforesaid when the defendants Counsel made a Motion, as follows to wit.

"Elisha M. Burns vs Christian Pippus } Before the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh. Proceeding to contest the right of the said Christian Pippus to the Office of Recorder of said County

And the said Christian Pippus in his own proper person and by his attorney comes and moves the said Board of Commissioners to dismiss the proceedings of the said Elisha M. Burns herein, for the following reasons,

1st Because no sufficient Cause of Contest is stated or set forth in the within Statement of the said Elisha

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Mr Burns filed herein as the basis of this proceeding 2nd Because the said Christian Bippus was not at the time of his election to the Office of recorder of said County ineligible to said Office by reason of any thing contained in the 16th Section of Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Indiana for the reasons that the provisions of said section only apply to persons elected to judicial offices subsequently to the taking effect of said Constitution. and the said written statement of the said Elihu M. Burns filed herein upon its face shews that the said Christian Bippus was elected to the Office of justice of the Peace and qualified as such long prior to the adoption of the present Constitution of the State

Jones & Blythe
Law & Johnson &
Baker & Garvin Attys for Deft

And thereupon after the argument of said motion as well on behalf of the said Elihu M. Burns as on behalf of the said Christian Bippus. It is the unanimous opinion of the Board that the said Christian Bippus is not by reason of any thing in the said written statement of the said Elihu M. Burns contained. ineligible to the said Office of Recorder of Vanderburg County under the provisions of Section 16 of Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Indiana the provisions of said section being only applicable in the opinion of this Board to persons elected to judicial Offices since the taking effect of said Constitution. It is therefore considered and adjudged by the Board that the said motion of the said Christian Bippus be and the same is hereby sustained and that the proceedings of the said Elihu M. Burns herein, be and the same are hereby dismissed. And it is further considered by the Board that the said Christian Bippus recover of and from the said Elihu M. Burns his costs and charges by him about his defence in this suit expended

Issd No. 510 K $41.85/100 Ordered that George Bates ~~Pres~~ be allowed Forty One dollars and eighty five cents for sending off paupers from the county per bill on file

Issd No. 514 K $119.84/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed One hundred and nineteen dollars & eighty four for eighty cords of wood for County poor Asylum per bill on file

Issd No 517 K $7.85/100 Ordered that Geo Bates be allowed Seven dollars & eighty five cents for lumber furnished poorhouse

Issd No 513, 514 & 515 K $2 = $2 = $2 Ordered that Simeon Long E. Maidlow & Alanson Warren be each allowed two dollars for serving this day

Ordered that the Board adjourn sine die

Simeon Long Prest
A Warren
Edmd Maidlow

Special November Session A.D. 1852

At a Special or Called Session of the 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 Friday November 5th ~~A.D.~~ 1852 at 10 O Clock A.M. of said day pursuant to a Call made by the County Auditor to hear and determine the right of John S. Gavit to the Office of Sheriff of Vanderburgh County as declared by the Inspector and Judges of an election held on the 12th day of October 1852 upon the complaint of Wm E. Green an elector of of Pigeon Township in said County. When Present Simeon Long Edmond Maidlow and Alanson Warner Esqr members Composing said County Board

Now here the Sheriff returns summons in the Case of Wm E. Green against John S Gavit duly served. and The parties appear before the Board by themselves and Counsel

~~William E. Green~~
~~vs~~
~~John S. Gavit~~

~~Before the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County Proceedings to Contest the right of John S. Gavit to the Office of Sheriff of the County of Vanderburgh~~

~~The said John S. Gavit by himself in his own proper person and by his attorney appears before the Board and moves for a dismissal of said Complaint for the following reasons, to wit;~~

Now here the following Complaint of Wm E. Green is produced to the board

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Act

To John S. Gavit and all Others persons Conserned will please take Notice that the undersigned William E. Green a qualified elector of the said County of Vanderburgh, and so was on the twelfth day of October A.D. 1852 and a resident of Pigeon Township in said County Contests and denies the right of the said John S. Gavit to the Office of Sheriff of the said County of Vanderburgh to which said Office the said John S. Gavit was declared duly elected by the Inspector & Judges of an election began and held in said County on the 12th day of October A.D. 1852 to fill ~~which~~ said ~~election~~ Office of Sheriff of said County At which said election said John S. Gavit received the highest number of votes as declared by the said Board of Inspector and Judges, That the board of

Inspector and Judges of Pigeon Township in said County in counting the Votes of said election employed an other board of Judges in addition to the Original board to Count said Votes which Constituted two distinct boards of Judges on two Seperate tables Counting said Votes at the same time. That the said Original board of Judges & inspector of said election during the time of said Counting Wednesday the 13th of October 1852 resigned and that Another New board of Inspector & Judges were Sworn in who continued said Counting during the night following to Wit Wednesday the 13th of October 1852 during which time the Original and lawful board of Inspector & Judges of said Election in Pigeon Township aforesaid were all absent and that a large portion of said Votes were counted without the knowledge or inspection of said Inspector or Judges That the said Original and lawful board of Inspector & Judges returned on the following day to Wit, Thursday the 14th day of October 1852. and were Sworn anew, and again resumed the counting of said Vote together with other boards of Judges until the whole Number of Votes of the said Pigeon Township were Counted That by reason of said counting of said Votes as aforesaid in the Absence of the Lawful board of Inspector & Judges of Pigeon Township The undersigned Contests the Election of the said John S Gavit

Evansville Oct 25 1852

Wm E. Green

Personally Appeared before me John S Crisp Recorder of the City of Evansville & Ex Officio a Justice of the Peace William E. Green who being duly Sworn According to Law deposes and Says that the Matters and things Set forth in the foregoing Statement Are true and true as he verily believes

Subscribed & Sworn to before me this 25th day of October A.D. 1852

John S. Crisp Seal
Recorder of the City of Evansville & Ex Officio a Justice of the Peace

Now here Wm E Green the Complainent in the above case appears before the board by himself and Counsel and John S. Gavit the defendant also appears by himself & Counsel. and said defendant by his attorney James E. Blythe Esq moves the Board as follows

William E. Green } Before the board of Commissioners
vs } of Vanderburgh County.
John S. Gavit } Proceedings to Contest the right of John S. Gavit to the Office of Sheriff of the County of Vanderburgh

John S. Gavit by his attorney } on his own proper person and appears before the Board. And

moves to dismiss said Complaint of the said William E Green filed by him — for the following reasons, to wit;

That the irregular ~~conduct~~ Conduct of the officers in said petition set forth does not amount to such Misconduct as by the law should annul or set aside said Election and for other Objections apparent upon the face of said petition. And said Motion and Arguments of Council thereon being heard. It is Considered and adjudged by the said Board that the motion of the said Johns, Gavit is herein sustained and the Complaint of the said William E Green dismissed and it is further Ordered that the said John S Gavit recover his Costs and Charges of the said Wm E. Green by him the said John S Gavit in this behalf expended

No 516 Ordered that the ~~Board adjourn sine die~~ A Warren Esq be Allowed four dollars for two days Services at the present Term of the County Board

No 517 Ordered that Edmund Maidlow Esq be Allowed four dollars for two days Services at the present Term of the County Board

No 518 Ordered that Simeon Long Esq be Allowed four dollars for two days Services at the present Term

Ordered that the board adjourn sine die

S. Long Pres'd
A Warren
Edmd Maidlow.

November 26th AD 1852

The members of the board of Commissioners met on this the 26th day of November AD 1852 at the Office of the County Auditor in the County of Vanderburgh & State of Indiana for the purpose of examining and approving the bonds of Jacob Lunkenhammer and the bond of Christian Bippus ~~on~~ the Clerk and Recorder of Vanderburgh County, upon an examination of the bond of Christian Bippus for the faithful discharge of the duties of Recorder of Vanderburgh County the Board Now here accepts and approves of the Same which Bond is in the words and figures following to wit

Know all men by these presents that we Christian Bippus Martin Schmoll and Nathan Rowley John McApp of the County of Vanderburgh are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of Two Thousands Dollars for the payment whereof well and truly to be made and done we do hereby bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severly firmly by these presents witness our hands and seals this 22d day of November AD 1852. And Whereas the said Christian Bippus above named has been duly elected and Commissioned Recorder of Vanderburgh County and State of Indiana for the term of four years from the 12th day of October AD 1852 and until his Successor shall be elected and qualified, Now these presents are upon this condition that if the said Christian Bippus shall promptly and faithfully discharge his duties as Recorder aforesaid according to law and shall safely keep and preserve the Records belonging to his Office and shall deliver the Same to his Successor in Office whole and undefaced and shall safely keep and deliver to the person or persons entitled thereto all deeds and other ~~obligations~~ instruments left with him for record, then the above obligation shall be absolutely null & void otherwise the same shall be and remain in full force and virtue

Christian Bippus (Seal)
Martin Schmole (Seal)
Nathan Rowley (Seal)
John McApp (Seal)

upon the foregoing bond was endorsed the following,

"The foregoing bond was this day approved by us Novr 26 1852".

"A Warner
Edmd Maidlow } County Comrs

Also the oath of Office is endorsed on said Bond }

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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 ~~usual place of~~ Court House in Evansville, in said County on the first Monday in December A.D. 1852 (being the 6th day of said month) when present Simeon Long Edmond Maidlow and Alanson Warner Esqrs members composing said County Board

No 540 K $78.00/100 Ordered that Robert W. Dunbar be allowed Seventy Eight dollars for part of an allowance for printing the delinquent list for the tax sale in January AD 1853

No 541 K $20.47/100 Ordered that J. W. Brewer be allowed Twenty dollars, and forty seven cents, for printing the delinquent list for the sale of 1853

No 542 K $41.53/100 Ordered that J. W. Brewer be allowed Forty One dollars; and fifty three Cents for balance in full for printing the delinquent list for the sale of January AD 1853 in the Evansville Times

No 543 K $15.00/100 Ordered that R. B. Innes be allowed Fifteen dollars for 18 quire record furnished Clerk of the Circuit Court per bill on file

No 544 K $46.00/100 Ordered that R. B. Innis be allowed Forty Six dollars for books furnished ~~Assessors~~ Auditor for 1853

No 545 K $13.40/100 Ordered that Saml Sister be allowed thirteen dollars and forty Cents for Statutory per bill

No 546 K $210.00/100 Ordered that Wm Sheets be allowed Two hundred and ~~forty~~ two dollars for books furnished the County per bill on file

Issd No 547 K $5.00/100 Ordered that John T. Reese be allowed Five dollars for burying a pauper per bill on file.

No 547 K $8.00/100 Ordered that Richard Lichfield be allowed Eight dollars for burry a dead man found in Scott Township & procuring the Coroner to hold an inquest of over the same per bill on file

No 548 K $55.43/100 Ordered that Saml T. Jenkins Estate be allowed Fifty Five dollars, and forty three Cents, for Costs in the Case of James G. Jones vs The Board Commissioners of Vanderburgh County & Thomas E. Garvin.

No 549 K $2.50/100 Ordered that Jacob Sunkenhammer be allowed two dollars & fifty cents for Charges on books for Offices per bill on file

No 550 K $2.25/100 Ordered that Adam Martins be allowed two dollars and twenty five Cents, for 3 days Sums as supervisor in ~~A.D. 1851~~ in district No 6 Armstrong Township

No 551 K $3.50/100 Ordered that Henry Klinke be allowed three dollars and fifty Cents for work on the Culvert on Fulton Avenue

No 552 K $3.00/100 Ordered that John Bumb be allowed three dollars for Services as Inspector of Elections per bill on file in German Township

No 553 K $1.50/100 Ordered that Wm Jarvis be allowed One dollar and fifty Cents for services as Clerk of Elections in Perry Township

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No 5545 $1.50/100 Ordered that Hiram Hopkins be Allowed One dollars and fifty cents for probb bow for Centre Township per bill on file

No 5555 $2.00/100 Ordered that Canada Higgenbotham be Allowed Two dollars, and for services road viewing per bill on file

No 5561 $1.00/100 Ordered that Wm M. Hargrave be Allowed One dollar for services as viewer of a road per bill on file

Now here Nathaniel Pickett and Others Citizens of Perry Township by their Attorney A.S. Robinson Esqr presents to this board a petition for the Vacation of a certain road therein named which petition was duly read filed and layed over until tomorrow

No 5571 $2.00/100 Ordered that Wm E. Green be allowed Two dollars for services as Constable at an Inquest held by the Coroner per bill on file

Report of Viewers on the petition of John Darling & Others

To The Honorable the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

The undersigned who were appointed by an Order of your hon board at the last September Term thereof to View and locate a certain private road therein named on the petition of John Darling and Others Citizens of Perry Township beg leave to Report

That after having been duly Sworn and qualified we did on the 30th day of November A.D. 1852 Proceed to said View by Commencing at a Stake marked "A" On the land of Gotlieb Reinlander Standing at the South West Corner of the South East qr of the North East Quarter of Section No 22 in Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West — and ran from thence South to a Sweet gum tree marked "B" on the land of Francis Amory in Section No 22 intersecting at that point a County road leading from Evansville to Williams Ferry on the Wabash River, And after examining said route we recommend the Opening of said route for a private road & believe it to be of utility to said Reinlander

All of which is respectfully submitted

Nov 30 1852

Thomas Gifford (Seal)
John M. Speer (Seal)

Ordered that the foregoing (Report of said Views for the said) Private road be Approved and the road be Opened by G. Reinlander & those interested & that said petitioner pay three dollars and twenty five cents to the Viewers of said road for their services & expenses connected with said View ~~to the width of twenty feet~~

Report of Viewers of a private road in Centre Township

"State of Indiana Vanderburgh County

To the Honorable the board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County & State of Indiana. We the undersigned Appointed Viewers after being duly Sworn, did View Mark and lay out a private Road on the 30th day of November A.D. 1852 Beginning

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on the land of Conrad Bierling on a certain Black Jack tree, thence running in a westerly direction across the lands of William Kane and Henry Kane to intersect the Old Princeton road on a certain white Oak tree, with a blaze on it, on the land of Henry Kane. We do believe that said road will be of utility to Conrad Bauerling & Others
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Yerah Fairchild
Conrad Schmidt
George Longbine

Ordered that the said report be approved and the expenses of the view and location of the private road therein named paid, And that said road be opened by the persons interested to the width of twenty feet & kept in good traveling order

No 558 K $25.00/100 Ordered that Doctor ~~[illegible]~~ D. Morgan ~~[illegible]~~ be allowed Twenty Five dollars for one quarter services as Physician to the County Poor to Decr 1st A.D. 1852

No 559 K $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr John ~~John~~ T. Walker be allowed Twenty Five dollars for services as Physician to the County Poor to Decr 1st A.D. 1852

No 560 K $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr Hugh Ronalds be allowed Twenty Five dollars for services as Physician to the County Poor to Decr 1st A.D. 1852

No 561 K $2.25/100 Ordered that Wm Hillyard be allowed two dollars & twenty five cents for three ~~[illegible]~~ days services as Judge at the October & Novr elections A.D. 1852 in Scott Township per bills on file

No 562 K $5.25 Ordered that Sherman Fairchild be allowed Five dollars and twenty five cents for services as Inspector of elections in Centre Township per bill on file

No 563 K $2.25/100 Ordered that John Clark be allowed Two dollars and twenty five cents for services as Judge at the October & Novr election A.D. 1852 in Centre Township per bills on file

No 564 K $3.75/100 Ordered that Yerah Fairchild be allowed Three dollars and seventy five cents for 5 days services at Elections in Centre Township per bills on file

No 565 K $4.25/100 Ordered that Wm Martin be allowed Four dollars and twenty five cents for five days services as Inspector of Elections in Perry Township per bill on file

No 566 K $2.25/100 Ordered that ~~John Brown~~ be allowed Two dollars & Twenty five cents for services as Judge of Robert F. Nightingale Elections in German Township in October & November 1852 per bills on file.

No 567 K $4.50/100 Ordered that R.W. Dunbar be allowed Four dollars & fifty cents for services as Clerk at the October & Novr elections A.D. 1852 in Pigeon Township per bills on file

No 568 K $3.50/100 Ordered that Martin Schmoll be allowed three dollars & fifty cents for services as Inspector at the October Election A.D. 1852 in Pigeon Township & Candles furnished at said election,

No 569 K $4.50/100 Ordered that E. Saunders Esqr be allowed Four dollars and fifty cents for services as Judge at the October & November Elections A.D. 1852 in Pigeon Township per bill on file

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No 570 K $2.50/100 Ordered that Martin Schmoll be Allowed Two dollars and fifty cents for services as Inspector at the November Election A.D. 1852 per bill on file

No 571 K $1.50/100 Ordered that James S. Patton be Allowed One dollar and fifty cents for summonsing a jury and witnesses for the Coroner in septr last per bill on file

Report of Viewers of a Private road in German Township

"To the honorable the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh Ia. Pursuance of an Order of this honorable Board herewith returned, we the undersigned appointed by the said order to view and lay out the same and return it as a road of public utility as follows to wit Beginning at the North East Corner of the North [half] of the west half of the South East quarter of section No 7 in Township No 6 South of range No 11 west at a White Oak marked "A" on the land of Frederick Stupman thence running east on the line dividing the lands of Frederick Stupman ~~intersecting~~ Ingobrant Young to a dogwood marked "B" in the section line dividing sections 7 & 8 in said Township

Witness our hands this the 4th day of December 1852

Wm M Fanguher
Kennada Higginbottom"

Ordered that said report be approved & the road therein named Opened to the width of twenty feet & the petitioners pay the expenses of the view, and keep ~~the same~~ said road in good travelling order

Report of Viewers of a road in German Township

"To the Honorable The Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh & State of Indiana. 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 having been first duly sworn according to law. have viewed and layed out the same, and return it as a road of utility as follows, to wit; Beginning at a Stake marked "A" on the land of Jacob Benhardt in section No 34 in Township number 5 South of Range No 11 West, thence running South on a line dividing the lands of Andrew Smith, and Michael Graff in said section thence running the same line south between the lands of Henry A. Morgan and Strupp until it intersects the rough road on the land of Henry A. Morgan in Section No 3 Township No 6 South of Range No 11 West

John Jarvis
Nicholas Rockenmier
John Bomb

~~The bos~~ Ordered that said report be received & the road therein named be Opened to the width of 20 feet by the petitioners, for said road & further that said petitions pay all the expenses accounted by said viewers & keep said road in good travelling order

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Now here on the petition of Thomas McCutchan and Seventy two Other Citizens of Scott ~~East Carter~~ Township for the appointment of Viewers to view mark and locate a certain County road in ~~Scott~~ said Township Commencing at a point on the road leading from Evansville to Petersburgh, at or near the "Blue Grass Church. Running thence North on a line in the Middle of Section Two in Township Five South of Range Two west 265 Rods throug lands belonging to James Hillyard, William Hillyard and Alexander Hillyard, to a Stake a cart road leading to Thomas Piggotts lane thence, on a line dividing Sections 34 & 35 on land to ~~James~~ Dobson, and Thomas Piggott, to Henry Ewins lane. thence through said lane due north by William Woods west fence, thence North on the best ground to a point near the Widow Duffs through land belonging to Thomas Waltz and Joseph Parke to intersect the Warrington and Boonville Road near the Widow Duffs

And the board duly Considering said petition It is Ordered that Marshall McMurrain Barney Cody and Jerah Fairchild be appointed Viewers with the County Surveyor to view mark and locate said road and report to this board at the next ensuing session thereof.

Now here Saml. McDonald and thirteen Other Citizes of Armstrong Township petition this board for the Appointment of Viewers to View & locate a certain private road. Commencing four and a quarter rods west of the South East Corner of the South West quarter of the North East quarter of Section No 11 in Township No 5 South of range No 11 West Running thence west of South through the North west quarter of the South East quarter of Section No 11 belonging to Henry Seibtrig and intersecting the Boonville and Harmony road at a Stake Marked "B" on the land of said Seibtrig

And the Board duly Considering said petition it is Ordered that Robert Kingsberry Ewen Jarred and Henry Guise be and they Are hereby Appointed Viewers to View mark and locate said road according to law & make report thereof to this board at the next ensuing term

Ordered that the board adjourn until tomorrow Morning at 8 O'Clock

Simeon Lowe pr.

December Term A D 1852

Tuesday morning December 7th at 8 O'clock P M the board met pursuant to adjournment when the members thereof were present ~~to adjourn~~ as of yesterday

No 572 TE 0,75/100 Ordered that Horace Grantham be allowed Seventy five cents for 1 days services as clerk at the October election A D 1852

No 573 TE $5,00/100 Ordered that Frederick Setterman be allowed five dollars for burying a pauper in German Township per bill on file

No 574 TE $3,04/100 Ordered that Orr & Swanson be allowed Three dollars & four cents for coal furnished County jail per bills on file

No 575 TE $15,75/100 Ordered that Jonathan Newman be allowed fifteen dollar and seventy five cents for Coal furnished the County for prisoners in Jail per bills on file

No 576 TE $11,25/100 Ordered that Felker & Frederick be allowed Eleven dollar and twenty five cents for diting jury & bailiffs per bills on file at the Sept Term of the C C.

No 577 TE $6,00/100 Ordered that Isaac Leavins be Allowed Six dollars for repairing a bridge near Stinsons in Perry Township per bill on file

No 578 TE $9,33/100 Ordered that A. Reuchlin be Allowed Nine dollars & thirty three cents for Smith work for Poor House

No 579 TE $3,50/100 Ordered that Peter Kuhlman be Allowed Three dollars & fifty cents for books for Clerks & Records Office

No 580 TE $42,00/100 Ordered that George Bates be Allowed Forty two dollars for burying Paupers per bill on file

No 581 TE $97,00/100 Ordered that Geo Bate be allowed Ninety Seven dollars, ~~cents~~ for Keeping poor house to December 1st 1852 including help, per bills on file

No 582 TE $69,02/100 Ordered that Geo Bates be Allowed Sixty Nine dollars and two cents for money expended for provision for paupers per bill on file

No 583 TE $28,80/100 Ordered that Geo Bates be Allowed Twenty Eight dollars & eighty Cents for Money furnished for the purchase of provisions for the County poor per bills on file

No 584 TE $3,67/100 Ordered that George Bates be Allowed Sixty three dollars And sixty seven cents for provisions furnished the County Poor per bills on file

No 585 TE $30,00/100 Ordered that Geo Bates be Allowed Thirty Dollars for burying paupers out of Poor House per bills on file

No 586 TE $15,00/100 Ordered that Philip Deemer be Allowed Fifteen dollars for Shoes furnished county for paupers per bill on file

No 587 TE $74,52/100 Ordered that Robert Barnes be Allowed Seventy four dollars, and fifty two Cents for furnishing good to the County poor, per bill on file

No 588 TE $79,36/100 Ordered that Ellis & Schlamp be Allowed Seventy Nine dollars, and thirty six Cents for provisions and groceries furnishing the County poor per bills on file

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No 589 K $4,25/100 Ordered that David Kirkbride be Allowed Four dollars, and twenty five cents for services as Judge at the Elections in Union Township per bill on file

Conrad Baker Esq. Judge of the Common Please Court appears before the board and represents that two of the Records sent to the Clerk of said Court will not answer the purposes of said Court & the board having allowed for said two Records thirty two dollars as a part of Sheets bill. It is therefore Ordered that the Auditor do now change said Order made to Shees to ~~a ac~~ two hundred & ten dollars from two hundred and forty two dollars

No 590 K 2,25/100 Ordered that Wm Wagon be allowed Two dollars and twenty five cents for services as Judge of elections in Perry Township

No 591 K 3,00/100 Ordered that Ira P. Graing be Allowed three dollars for services as Inspector of Elections in Knight Township per bill on file

No 592 K $3,75/100 Ordered that J. W. Brewer be allowed three dollars and seventy five cents for Advertising the Presidential election per bill on file

No 593 K $1,50/100 Ordered that John Walsh be Allowed One dollar, and fifty cents for services as Judge at the last April election per bill on file

No 594 K 5,00/100 Ordered that Jesse Nightengale be Allowed Five dollars for Keeping a Pauper family per bill on file

No 595 K $5,50/100 Ordered that ~~Martin Sm~~ John M. Chute be Allowed Five dollars, and Fifty Cents for Services as Clerk at the Township & General Elections per bill on file

No 596 K $25,00/100 Ordered that Benjamin Stinson be Allowed Twenty Five dollars for 3 months ex Officio services as Clerk of the V.C.C. per bill on file

No 597 K $5,00/100 Ordered that Ben Stinson be Allowed Five dollars for postage &c as Clerk of the V.C.C. per bill on file

No 598 K $18,20/100 Ordered that Crawford Bell be Allowed Eighteen dollars & 20 cents for medicines furnished Geo Bates for the County Poor per bill on file

Now here William Warren Township assessor for Pigeon Township produces to this board his bond as such Assessor which bond is Now here approved

Now here Ira P. Graninger Township assessor for Knight Township produces his bond to this board for the discharge of his duties as such assessor which said bond is now here approved

Now here Edwin McJohnston (or Edwin Johnston) Township assessor for Scott Township produces his bond to this board for the faithful discharge of his duties as such assessor which said bond is now here approved

Now here Mason O Newman Township Assessor for Perry Township produces his bond to this board for the faithful discharge of his duties as such Assessor which said bond is now here approved

Now here Andrew J Rowden Township assessor for Union Township produces his bond to this board for the faithful discharge of his duties as such assessor which said bond is now here approved

Now here Lewis B. Day Township Assessor for Centre Township produces his bond to this board for the faithful discharge of his duties as such Assessor which said bond is now here approved

Now here Lewis ~~D. Day~~ Richter Township assessor for German Township produces his bond to this board for the faithful discharge of his duties as such assessor which said bond is now here approved

Ordered that the board adjourn until to morrow morning at nine oclock

Simeon Long pr

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Wednesday morning at nine o'clock the board met pursuant to adjourn when the members thereof were present as of yesterdays

Now here the Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court presents to this board the Report of the Grand Jury made at the September Term of said Court condemning the County Jail which said report was publickly read & ordered to be filed

No. 600 K $2.30/100 Ordered that Peter Fenkes be allowed Two dollars, and thirty cents, for lock furnished Clerks office per bill on file

No. 601 K $1.50/100 Ordered that Michael Mintzer be allowed one dollar, and fifty cents for service as judge at an election per bill on file

No. 602 K $12.63/100 Ordered that Silas Stephens be allowed Twelve dollars and sixty three cents for county tax twice paid for A.D. 1851 on part of Fracks 23 & 24 Town 7 Range 11 West Containing 135 Acres of land valued at 3575 dollars including improvements with interest, thereon

And it is hereby ordered that the Auditore be authorized to issue to Judge S. Stephens a certificate to the Auditor State for the Amount of State tax twice paid on 135 Acres in Fracks Sections 23 & 24 in Town 7 S. Range 11 West in the Collection of the Revenue of 1851

No. 603 K $4.25/100 Ordered that Wm Whittlesey be allowed Four dollars, and twenty five cents for 5 days service as Clerk of Elections per bill on file

No. 604 K $52.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry S.V.C. be allowed ~~one hu~~ Fifty two dollars for dieting prisoners in County jail per bill on file

No. 605 K $68.18/100 Ordered that John S. Terry S.V.C. be allowed Sixty Eight dollars and eighteen cents per bill on file for dieting prisoners in the County jail

No. 606 K $1.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed One dollar for giving election notice per bill on file

No. 607 K $5.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Five dollars for Carrying the vote of the senatorial district to Mount Vernon per bill on file

No. 608 K $25.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be allowed Twenty Five dollars for Ex Officio services as Sheriff of Vanderburgh County per bill on file

No. 609 K $1.00/100 Ordered that John W. Gerhardt be allowed One dollar for services as juror at Septr Term A.D. 1852

No. 610 K $25.00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker Ave be allowed Twenty Five dollars for ex Officio services as County Auditor per bill on file

No. 611 K $25.50/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed Twenty Five dollars & fifty Cents for wood & sawing per bill on file

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No 612 K $5,62/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed Five Dollars and Sixty two Cents for Stationary for Office per bill on file

No 613 K $0,75/100 Ordered that David D Grimes be Allowed Seventy five Cents for semes as Judge at an election in A.D. 1852

No 614 K $1,50/100 Ordered that Joseph Sugle be Allowed One dollar & fifty cents for summonsing a jury for the Coroner &c per bill on file

Now here It is Ordered that Simeon Long Esqr president of this board be and he is hereby Appointed by this board their agent Attorney and Proxy to Cast the Vote of Vanderburgh County On December 8th 1852 On two thousand Shares of Stock in the Evansville & Illinoise Rail Road (which Stock is owned by said County) for thirteen directors of said rail road And it is further ordered that said Agent be authorized & Ordered to Vote for the following named persons viz Alanson Warner Saml Orr James G. Jones John M. Stockwell Geo B. Walker James Laughlin Jr John Shanklin & Saml Hall and such Other persons as may be agreed upon by said President of this board and the Mayor of the City of Evansville

Now here the board resumes the consideration of the petition of Nathaniel Becket & Others in relation the Vacation of Certain County road therein named, And also the Remonstrance ~~of Against said~~ of J. N. Stiner and Others against said petition, and after duly Considering the Matters and things therein It is Ordered that John M. Stinson Marcus Sherwood And Emanuel Hull be and they are hereby Appointed Commissioners to examine said County ~~board~~ road and report to this board the utility of the same or the necessity of ~~the~~ vacating said road ~~the same~~ ~~and re~~ At the next session ~~of said board~~

No 615 K $3,50/100 Ordered that James Hillyard be Allowed three dollars and fifty cents for trees taken by the Supervisor for a bridge on the Petersburgh road per bill on file

No 616 K $18,75/100 Ordered that Thomas E. Garvin be Allowed Eighteen dollars and Seventy five Cents for 1 quarters semes as County Agent and Counsel for the County board per bill on file

No 617 K $16,62/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be Allowed Sixteen dollars & Sixty two Cents for issuing Orders ~~for~~ to & including No 600 K per bill on file

No 618 K $50,00/100 Ordered that Wm H Walker be allowed ~~that~~ Fifty dollars for part of his bill as County Auditor per bill on file

No 619 K $50,00/100 Ordered that Wm H Walker be Allowed Fifty dollars for part of his bill as auditor per bill on file

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No 620 K $20.00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed Twenty dollars, for part of the Auditors account per bill on file

No 621 K $20.00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed Twenty dollars for auditing for County per bill on file

No 622 K $10.00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed ten dollars for Auditing for County per bill on file

No 623 K $10.00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed ten dollars for Auditing for County per bill on file

No 624 K $5.37/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed five dollars and thirty seven Cents for Auditing for County per bill on file

No 625 K $90.00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed Ninety dollars for Auditing for County per bills on file

No 626 K $4.00/100 Ordered that James T. Walker be allowed Four dollars for services as Clerk at October election AD 1852 & acknowledgment of Paper indentures

No 627 K $2.00/100 Ordered that Alanson Warner Esqr be Allowed two dollars for 1 days services in the Approval of Clerk & Recorders Bonds

No 628 K $2.00/100 Ordered that Edmond Maidlow Esqr be Allowed two dollars for 1 days services in the Approval of Clerk & Recorders Bonds

No 629 K $6.00/100 Ordered that Alanson Warner Esqr be Allowed Six dollars for three days services as County Commissioner at the present Session

No 630 K $6.00/100 Ordered that Edmond Maidlow be allowed Six dollars for three days Services as County Commissioner at the present Term

No 631 K $6.00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long Esqr be Allowed Six dollars for three days services as County Commissioner at the present Term

Now here Thomas E. Garvin former County Agent produces to this board his final Report as such agent & at the same time hands over to the board the papers bonds & notes in his hands as such agent. which Report is Now here approved

Ordered that an appropriation be & it is hereby made of Two hundred dollars for the purpose of buying pork for the County poor Asylum. And that Alanson Warner be authorized to draw & expend said appropriation.

Order that the board adjourn until Court in Course

Simeon Long pr
A Warner
Edmd Maidlow.

Auditors Office V.C.
December 22 A.D. 1852

Michael Maxwell Esqr

Sir

You are hereby appointed Congressional Township Trustee for Town 8 S. Range 11 West in Vanderburgh County to serve for three years from September A.D. 1852. and until your Successor is elected & qualified



Inwitness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Official Seal at Evansville in said County on this 22 day of December A.D. 1852

William H. Walker
County Auditor

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In Vacation

For Value received I do hereby sell assign and sett over to John Whitehead Junr. all my right title interest and Claim of in and to the within and annexed Certificate of Purchase, being No 3 of the Sales of Common School lands in Town 5 S. Range 10 West, said interest being the N½ of the N½ of S½ of the E½ of the E½ of said Section

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set My hand and Seal this 6th day of April A.D. 1852

Kinlock McJohnston (Seal)

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } ss

This Certifies that the above named Kinlock McJohnson did this day appear before me and Acknowledged said signature to be his Voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set My hand & Official Seal at Evansville on this 6th day of April A.D. 1852

Wm H. Walker A.V.C.

Recorded December 30th 1852
W.H. Walker a.r.c.

For Value received I do hereby sell and assign to John Brown all of My right title, and interest of in And to the annexed Certificate and the land therein mentioned The interest being the North Half of the North Half of the E½ of the North East quarter of Section Number Twenty Eight in Township Number Five South of Range ten west Containing ten Acres

Samuel McClutchan (Seal)

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } ss

This Certifies that the Above Named Samuel McClutchan, did on this day Appear before Me And Acknowledged the above and foregoing transfer to be his Voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein Named

In testimony Whereof I have hereunto set My Hand And Official Seal at Evansville on this 30th day of December A.D. 1852

William H. Walker A.V.C.

Auditors Office
Muskingum County January 19th 1853

To Grandison N. Hardin Esqr

Dear Sir

You are hereby appointed Township assessor for Union Township in said County to fill the Vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Andrew J Rowden

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at my office in Zanesville on this nineteenth day of January A.D. 1853

William H. Walker
County Auditor

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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 Auditors Office in said County = the Court House being occupied by the Common Pleas Court ~~the term of said~~ said Court being required by law to hold its March term, commencing on this day at the Court House in said County. And the said Court House being in other respects unfit and inconvenient = on the first Monday in March A.D. 1853 (being on the Seventh day of said month) When present Edward Maidlow Alanson Warren and Simeon Long Esqr. members composing said County Board

Ind No 718 K $7.25/100 Ordered that Charles Knowles be Allowed Seven dollars and twenty five Cents Seven as Inspector of Elections per bill on file

Now here the County Auditor Submits to the Board his Annual Report as follows to wit;

"Auditors Office
Vanderburgh County March 1st 1853

To The Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh

Gentlemen

The undersigned Auditor Submits the following as his Annual Report

No 1 Is a Statement of the Condition of the Common School & Congressional Township Funds Including the whole of the Receipts & Expenditures on account of said funds to March 1st 1853

No 2 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 5 S. Range 10 west

No 3 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 6 S. Range 10 west

No 4 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 7 S. Range 10 west

No 5 The Condition of the Funds of Town 5 South Range 11 west

No 6 A Condition of the Funds of Town 6 S. Range 11 west

No 7 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 7 Range 11 west

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No 8 A Statement of the Condition of the Common School Funds

No 9 A Statement of the Condition of the Surplus Revenue Funds

No 10 of the County Seminary Funds

No 11 Of the Salina Funds

No 12 Of the Bank Tax Funds

No 13 Of the Names of Purchasers of School Lands

No 14 The Amount due from Loans and Lands of Congressional Townships and Common School Funds

No 15 A Statement Shewing the whole Amount of Trust Funds outstanding on Loans in Vanderburgh County March 1st 1853 including the Amount due from lands Sold

No 1 A Statement of the whole of the Receipts and Disbursements on account of the Congressional Township and Common School Funds with the balance in Treasury on March 1st 1853

Loans

There was Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1852 of the Congressional Township & Common School Funds

Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1853	15,229	41	
	2,538	00	
Total Loans	17,767	41	
Refunded by Borrowers	2,221	13	
Outstanding Loans on March 1st 1853			15,546 28

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Balance in Treasury March 1st 1852	1,708	26	
Received from Loans Refunded & Lands	2,429	91	
From Interest	1,731	09	
From Miscellaneous Sources	37	40	
Total Receipts	5,906	66	

Disbursements

Loans	2,538	00	
Interest distributed to Townships	1339	77	
Incidental Expenditures	306	48	
Total disbursements	4,184	25	
Balance in Treasury March 1st 1853			$1,722 41

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No. 2. A Statement of the condition of the Funds of Town 6 S. Range 10 West

Loans

There was Outstanding on loans on March 1st 1852 of the Funds of this Township	1178 31	
Loaned by Auditor	415 00	
Total Loans	1593 31	
Refunded by borrowers	199 00	
Outstanding on loans March 1st 1853		1394 31

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Balance in Treasury March 1st 1852	156 06	
Refund from Loans refunded	199 00	
From Purchases of School Lands	208 78	
From Interest	187 43	
Total Receipts	751 27	

Disbursements

Loans	415 00	
Interest distributed	59 90	
Incidental Expenditures	26 77	
Total Disbursements	501 67	
Balance in Treasury March 1st 1853		249 60

No. 3 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 6 S. Range 10 West

Loans

There was outstanding on Loans March 1st 1852 of the funds of this Township	3662 00	
Loaned by Auditor	300 00	
Total Loans	3962 00	
Amount refunded by borrowers	925	
outstanding Total Loans March 1st 1853		3737 00

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Balance in Treasury March 1st 1852	250 81	
Refund from Loans refunded	225 00	
From Interest on Loans	461 09	
Total Receipts	936 90	

Disbursements

Drawn by Township Treasurer	101 37	
Loans	300 00	
Incidental Expenditures	75 60	
Total Disbursements	476 97	
Balance in Treasury March 1st 1853		459 93

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No 4 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 7 S. Range 10 West

Loans

There was outstanding on Loans on March 1st 1852 of the Funds of this Township as follows

Loaned by Auditor	2191	00	
	758	00	
Total Loans	2949	00	
Loans refunded by borrowers	728	00	
Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1853			2221 00

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Balance in Treasury March 1st 1852	209	48	
Refund from Loans refunded	728	00	
" " Interest	225	73	
Total Receipts	1163	21	

Disbursements

Loans	758	00	
Drawn by Town Treasurer	173	13	
Incidental Expenditures	39	81	
Total Disbursements	970	94	
Balance in Treasury March 1st 1853			192 27

No 5 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 8 S Range 11 West

Loans

Outstanding Loans March 1st 1852	918	89	
Loaned by Auditor	55	00	
Total Loans	973	89	
Refunded by borrowers	50	00	
Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1853			923 89

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Balance in Treasury March 1st 1852	107	85	
Refund from Loans Refunded	50	00	
From Interest on Loans	98	63	
Total Receipts	276	48	

Disbursements

Loans	55	00	
Interest drawn by Town Treasurer	117	35	
Incidental Expenditures	23	11	
Total Disbursements	195	46	
Balance in Treasury March 1st 1853			81 02

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No. 6 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 6 South Range 11 West

Loans

Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1852	1410	99	
Loans by Auditor	410	00	
Total Loans	1820	99	
Loans refunded	350	00	
Outstanding Loans March 1st 1853			1470 99

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Balance in Treasury March 1st 1852	214	77	
Refund from Loans refunded	350	00	
From Interest on Loans	135	26	
From Miscellaneous Sources	37	40	
Total Receipts	737	43	

Disbursements

Loans	410	00	
Amount drawn by Town Treasurer	172	66	
Incidental Expenditures	21	17	
Total Disbursements	603	83	
Balance in Treasury March 1st 1853			133 60

No. 7 A Statement of the Condition of the Funds of Town 7 South Range 11 West

Loans

There was Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1852 of the funds of this Township	2637	75	
Loaned by Auditor	300	00	
Total Loans	2937	75	
Loans refunded by borrowers	381	75	
Loans Outstanding March 1st 1853			2556 00

Receipts & Disbursement

Receipts

Balance in Treasury March 1st 1852	456	09	
Refund from Loans refunded	381	75	
From Interest	354	36	
Total Receipts	1192	20	

Loans Disbursements

Loans	300	00	
Interest drawn by Town Treasurer	437	92	
Incidental Expenditures	11	65	
Total Disbursement	799	57	
Balance in Treasury March 1st 53			392 63

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No 8 A Statement of the Condition of the Common School Funds

Loans

There was Outstanding on Loans of this Fund March 1st 1852 — 3230.47

Loaned by Auditor — 300.00

Total Loans — 3530.47

Loans repunded by borrowers — 287.38

Loans Outstanding March 1st 1853 — 3243.09

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Balance in Treasury March 1st 1852 — 293.20

Received from Loans repunded — 287.38

From Interest — 268.59

Total Receipts — 849.17

Disbursements

Loans — 300.00

Drawn by Town Treasurers — 247.44

Incidental Expenditures — 58.37

Total Disbursements — 635.81

Balance in Treasury March 1st 1853 — 213.36

No 9 A Statement of the Condition of the Surplus Revenue Fund

Loans

There was Outstanding on Loans of this Fund March 1st 1852 — 4311.64

Loaned by Auditor — 600.00

Total Loans — 4911.64

Refunded by borrowers — 815.68

Outstanding Loans March 1st 1853 — 4095.96

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Balance in Treasury March 1st 1852 — 296.34

Rcvd from Loans Refunded — 815.68

From Interest — 276.34

Total Receipts — 1388.36

Disbursements

Loans — 600.00

Interest Distributed — 272.38

Incidental Expenditures — 54.77

Total disbursements — 937.15

Balance in Treasury March 1st 1853 — 451.21

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No 10 A Statement of the Condition of the Seminary Funds

Loans

Shew was Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1852 of this Fund	5.342.15	
Loaned by Auditor	1.317.00	
Total Loans	6.689.15	
Loans Refunded	935.18	
Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1853		5.753.97

Receipts & Disbursement

Receipts

From Loans Refunded	935.18	
From Fines	164.90	
From Interest on Loans	635.58	
Total Receipts	1.735.66	

Disbursements

Loans	1.317.00	
Over drawn last year of this fund	64.54	
Incidental Expenditures	111.25	
Total Disbursements	1.492.79	
Balance in Treasury March 1st 1853		242.87

No 11 A Statement of the Condition of the Saline Fund

Loans

Shew was outstanding on Loans March 1st 1852 of this Fund	335.00	
Loaned by Auditor	00.00	
Total Loans	335.00	
Outstanding Loans March 1st 1853		335.00

Receipts & Expenditures

Receipts

Balance in Treasury March 1st 1852	55.92	
Rec'd from Interest	19.39	
Total Receipts	75.31	~~75.31~~

Disbursements

Distributed to Townships	19.04	
Incidental Expenditures	2.77	
Total ~~Receipts~~ Disbursements	21.81	
Balance in Treasury March 1st 1853		53.50

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No 12 A Statement of the Condition of the Bank Tax Funds

Loans

There was Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1852 of this Fund	443	00		
Loaned by Auditor	000	00		
Total Loans	443	00		
Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1853			443	00

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

There was a Balance in Treasury March 1st 1852	31	45		
Received since From Interest	32	20		
Total Receipts	63	65		

Disbursements

Incidental Expenditures	4	60		
Total Disbursements	4	60		
Balance in Treasury March 1st 1853			59	05

No 13 A Statement of the Condition of the School lands with the Names of the Purchasers thereof. And the Amount due on said lands March 1st 1853 as Principal

Town 5 S Range 10 W

James Ferry	90	00
W J Scott Trfd to F. W. Mier	127	18
James White	89	32
Charles Collins	123	81
Charles Collins	52	00
James Ross	80	00
G. W. Scott	75	00
A Korb	40	00
John Oysterman	80	64
Total	758	45

Town 6 S Range 10 W

R M Evans	89	82
Wm Bell	240	00
D Negley	269	46
N Barnes	269	46
R M Evans	269	46
W Carpenter	329	84
Crawford Bell	334	95
Total	1802	99

Town 7 R 10 W

A McJohnson	228	75
A B Carpenter	156	37
A B Carpenter	316	59
John Nightengale	140	95
Total	842	66

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Town 5 Range 10 West

Anthony Appleman	105,00
William Lister	90,00
Anthony Appleman	80,00
Peter Buschell	100,00
	375,00

Town 6 Range 11 West

Henry Rockafus	78,75
J. F. Clashide	79,50
J. F. Clashide	79,50
G. A. Myer	76,87
Ambrose Yeagel	127,50
Christian Rockafus	70,00
Henry Chlashide	187,50
John Hanselman	153,75
G. A. Myer	77,10
Martin Heterlock	98,00
Joseph Schlowender	50,00
Lewis Schmodle	168,75
Total	1247,22

Town 7 Range 11 W.

M Sherwood	247,80
" "	177,90
Jill Blair	390,00
M Sherwood	177,90
Same	141,60
Peter Miller	123,75
David Negley	266,70
David Negley	300,00
Total	1825,65

Common School Lands

Joshua Dondson	105,00
K. McJohnson	37,50
P. Fitzwilliams	90,00
" "	75,00
Thomas Steels	150,00
Hiram A Hunter	90,00
Total	547,50

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No 14 A Statement Shewing the Amount of Principal due the Common School and Congressional Township Funds from Loans Outstanding & upon lands, on March 1st 1853

	Town 5 R 10	Town 6 R 10	Town 7 Range 10	Town 5 R 11	Town 6 R 11	Town 7 R 11	Common School	Total Amount
Loans	1.394.31	3.737.00	2.221.00	923.89	1.470.99	2.556.00	3.243.09	15.546.28
Lands	758.45	1.802.99	842.66	375.00	1.247.22	1.825.65	547.50	7.399.47
Total	2.152.76	5.539.99	3.063.66	1.298.89	2.718.21	4.381.65	3.790.59	22.945.75

No 15 A Statement Shewing the whole Amount of Congressional Township Common School Surplus Revenue County Seminary Saline and Bank Tax Funds on Loans (including bal. due on School lands) in Vanderburgh County March 1st 1853

	Funds in Statement No 14	County Seminary	Surplus Revenue	Saline Fund	Bank Tax Fund	Total
	22.945.75	5.753.97	4.095.96	335.00	443.00	33.573.68
See Ledger [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	148.6	114.40	
				483.16	[illegible]7.43	

The Statement as exhibited in Statement No 15 Shews on loans and due from lands the sum of 33.573.68 to which may be added 307 acres of land belonging to Town 8 South of range 11 west worth 30$ pr acre making 9.210.00
And the Seminary Square in Evansville worth 5.000.00
Making in round numbers the sum of 47.783.68
devoted to ~~School~~ purposes of Common School education in this County. A sum of which the people of Vanderburgh have reasons for being proud and the County Board deserves the highest commendation for having watchfully preserved.

All of Which is respectfully Submitted
William H. Walker
County Auditor

The Board duly Considering the foregoing Report and the Matters and things therein do now here approve the same

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Issd 719 K $219.05/100 Ordered that William Sheets & C be allowed Two hundred & nineteen dollars and five Cents for Stationary for Clerk & recorder per bill on file

Issd No 720 K $35.45/100 Ordered that Wm Shuts be allowed thirty five dollars and forty five Cents for Stationary furnished Clerk & Recorder per bill on file

Issd No 721 K $2.50/100 Ordered that Saml. Sister be allowed Two dollars and fifty Cents for Stationary furnished Clerk of V.C.C. per bill on file

Issd No 722 K $76.00/100 Ordered that Levi Hooker Seventy Six dollars for keeping Satitia Eaton a sick pauper per bill on file

Issd No 723 $20.00/100 Ordered that Dr Jesse Burns be allowed Twenty dollars for Professional attendance upon & nursing a sick pauper & shipping him to Louisville per bill on file

Issd No 724 K $8.00/100 Ordered that Dr Jesse Burns be allowed Eight dollars for nursing a pauper & shipping him to Louisville per bill on file

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

Simeon Longman

Tuesday morning March 8th 1853 at 8 O'clock the Board met pursuant to adjournment when present Alanson Warner and Edwood Maidlow Esqrs two of the members of said Board

Ordered that Alanson Warner be appointed President pro-tempore

Issd No 725 K $0.85/100 Ordered that Jacob Sinkenheimer be allowed Eighty five Cents for press & Charges thereon for the Clerk of V.C.C.

Issd No 726 K $2.50/100 Ordered that Jacob Sinkenheimer be allowed two dollars and fifty Cents for repairing the seal of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court per bill on file

Issd No 727 K $0.50/100 Ordered that Christian Bippus be allowed fifty Cents for repairing seal for Recorder per bill on file

Issd No 728 K $4.25/100 Ordered that Charles Keller be allowed four dollars and twenty five Cents for work on Court House & jail per bill on file.

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Issd No 729 K $12.00/100 Ordered that M. Vandruzen be Allowed Twelve dollars for work & materials ~~for~~ furnished on Pigeon bridge per bill on file

Issd No 730 K $21.59/100 Ordered that Olmsted & Vandruzen be allowed Twenty One dollars and ~~fifty~~ nine Cents for Materials furnished bridge over Pigeon Creek near Ryley mill per bill on file

Issd No 731 K $1.00/100 Ordered that John Whitehead be Allowed One dollar for Services as road Viewer per bill on file

Issd No 732 K $1.00/100 Ordered that Ervin Jarred be allowed one dollar for services as road Viewer in Armstrong Township per bill on file

Issd No 733 K $1.00/100 Ordered that Robert Kingsberry be Allowed one dollar for services as road Viewer in Armstrong Township per bill on file

Issd No 734 K $2.00/100 Ordered that Henry Geise be Allowed Two dollars for making a view of a road in Armstrong Township & Return thereof per bill on file

Issd No 735 K 0.75/100 Ordered that Horace Plemmer be Allowed Seventy five Cents for Services as Clerk at an Election per bill on file

Issd No 736 K $1.00/100 Ordered that James Neal be Allowed One dollar for Services as Judge of an Election in Perry Township per bill on file

Issd No 737 K $5.00/100 Ordered that Casewell Calvert be allowed Five dollars for Services as Inspector of Election in Armstrong Township per bill on file

Issd No 738 K $2.50/100 Ordered that Ahlering & Brennen be Allowed Two dollars and fifty Cents for goods furnished Sheriff for Prisoners in County jail per bill on file

Issd No 739 K $4.20/100 Ordered that John H Bofandick be Allowed Four dollars and twenty Cents for goods furnished Sheriff for Prisoners in County jail per bill on file

Issd No 740 K $4.00/100 Ordered that Jos O'Reilly be allowed Four dollars for goods furnished a pauper family per Certificate of Esq Wheeler on file

Issd No 741 K $6.00/100 Ordered that Edward Rutter be allowed Six dollars for furnishing a Coffin & burying a pauper per bill on file

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Ind No 742 K $8.80/100 Ordered that S. W. Heberd be Allowed Eight dollars and Eighty Cents for furnishing good to County for poor per bill on file

Ind No 743 K $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr Davidson be Allowed Twenty Five dollars for Services as Physician to the County Poor to March 7th 1853 per bill on file

Ind No 744 K $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr J. Casselberry be Allowed Twenty Five dollars for professional services as Physician to the County poor to March 7th 1853 per bill on file

Ind No 745 K $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr Morgan be Allowed Twenty Five dollars for Services as Physician to the County poor to March 7th 1853 per bill on file

Ind No 746 K $4.00/100 Ordered that R. Fergus be Allowed Four dollars for Coffin furnished a pauper per bill on file

Ind No 747 K $25.00/100 Ordered that Jacob Lunkenheimer be allowed Twenty Five dollars for Ex Officio Services as Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court to March 1st 1853 per bill on file

Ind No 748 K $3.00/100 Ordered that J. H. Brandis be Allowed Three dollars for services as Inspector of Elections in Perry Township per bill on file

Ind No 749 K $2.50/100 Ordered that J. H. Brandis be Allowed Two dollars and fifty Cents for Services as Supervisor in Perry Township per bill on file

Ind No 750 K $1.75/100 Ordered that Michael Mutzer be allowed One dollar and seventy five Cents for Services as Judge of Election in Pigeon Township per bill on file

Ind No 751 K $0.75/100 Ordered that Sebastian Heunch be Allowed seventy five Cents for services as Judge of Election in Pigeon Township

Ind No 752 K $0.75/100 Ordered that James S. Patton be Allowed Seventy five Cents for services as Judge at an Election in Pigeon Township per bill

Ind No 753 K 0.75/100 Ordered that Wellman H. Walker be Allowed Seventy five Cents for Services as Clerk at an Election in Pigeon Township per bill on file

Ind No 754 K $0.75/100 Ordered that John McCluten be Allowed Seventy five Cents for Services as Clerk at an Election in Pigeon Township per bill on file

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Issd No 755 K $22.40/100 Ordered that R. W. Dembar be allowed Twenty Two dollars, and forty Cents for cash paid by him for advertising for County &c per bill on file

Issd No 756 K $53.25/100 Ordered that A. H. Saunders be allowed Fifty three dollars and twenty five cents for printing for County per bill on file

Issd No 757 K $20.50/100 Ordered that Charles G. Olmsted be Allowed Twenty dollars and fifty Cents for Services as Surveyor on public roads &c per bill on file

Now here Louis Richter Esqr of German Township makes the following Report to wit,

"A list of all fines assessed or collected by Louis Richter a justice of the peace for Vanderburgh County for any criminal offence during the preceding year

"On the 11th day of October 1852 a State warrant issued against Wm Morgan for an assault and battery, which case was dismissed before, and L. Short Esqr

On the 14th day of October 1852 S. T. Morgan was fined one dollar for a breach of the penal laws which fine has been paid by said defendant and paid over to County Treasurer by the Subscriber

On the 30th day of November D. Sutton was fined one dollar for breaches of penal laws fine paid by defendant and paid over to C. Treasurer

March 8th 1853 Louis Richter Seal
Sworn in Open Court Justice of the Peace
March 8th 1853
Wm H. Walker Ave.

The board duly considering said report approved the same

Saml McDonald Esqr of Armstrong Township Submits to this board the following report to wit

State of Indiana
~~Vanderburgh County~~ } /
vs. Henry Rubrick and John H. Bier } For an Assault and Batery

Committed on the 19th day of October 1852 at Christian Schwitzfigers, in Armstrong Township tried John H. Biet acquitted, and Henry Rubrick fined one dollar and the same paid over this day

State of Indiana
vs } For an Assault Committed on
John McIntier } the Body of John McNight on the 28th day of Jany. 1853 near Conrad Moots in Armstrong Township tried and fined twenty dollars. and the fine Replaced

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I Saml. McDonald a Justice of the Peace of Armstrong Township and County of Vanderburgh do hereby Certify the Above to be a true Statement of fines Assessed since the last term from my Docket

Given under my hand and seal this 8th day of March 1853

Saml. McDonald (Seal)
Justice of the Peace

Sworn in Open Court
March 8th 1853

W. H. Walker a.v.c.

The board duly considering said report do Now here approve the same

Brackt Mills Esq. Submits the following as his Annual Report 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 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 preceding the day of this Report to wit

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State of Indiana
vs
Henry White } Assault and battery March 22 1852 fined One dollar replevied $1.00

State of Indiana
No. 1 vs.
Adam Fry } Assault & Battery April the 1st 1852 fine three dollars and Costs paid in full 3.00

State of Indiana
No. 2 vs.
Andrew J Caleburn } May the 1st 1852 Assault & Battery fined three dollars paid in full 3.00

State of Indiana
No. 3 vs
John Emerick } May 19th 1852 Assault & battery Fined, one dollar paid May 25th 1852 1,00

State of Indiana
No. 4 vs
Aphracger Lamdend } July 17th 1852 Assault & Battery fined five dollars paid 5,00

State of Indiana
vs
Adam Stinson } December 23 1852 Assault & Battery fined one dollar Replevied $1,00

State of Indiana
vs
George Snindall } Assault & Battery August 23rd 1852 fined three dollars 3.00

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No 5 State of Indiana vs John Emerick } January 22nd 1853 Assault & Battery fined $9.50 and Costs paid 9.50

State of Indiana vs Zachariah B Aydelott } February 26th 1853 Assault & Battery fined One dollar Replevied 1.00

State of Indiana vs Archibald F Baralds } March 5th 1853 Assault & Battery fined $1.00 dollar paid 1.00

22,50

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County Set

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 1852 ending the day of the date of this report

Bracket Mills (Seal)

Subscribed and Sworn March the 8th 1853 before me

Wm H. Walker A.V.C

The board duly considering said report now here approves the same

Robert Kingsberry and others heretofore appointed by this board to view a certain road in Armstrong Township make report as follows, to wit;

"We the undersigned having been appointed viewers by the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County and State of Indiana at their session in December 1852 to view mark & locate a certain private road in Armstrong Township in said County and being notified of said appointment we met and after being duly sworn according to law in such case made & provided by Samuel McDonald Esqr a justice of the Peace of said Township of Armstrong we proceeded to perform the duties enjoined upon us by said appointment and viewed marked & located said road as directed to be done by a notice served on us by an order of said Board of Commissioners dated December 11th 1852 commencing four and a quarter rods west of the South East corner of the South

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west quarter of the North East quarter of Section Number eleven in Township five South of Range Number eleven west, running thence west of South through the North west quarter of the South East quarter of Section number Eleven belonging to Henry Sibking and intersecting the Bornville and Harmony road, at a Stake marked "B" (Partially demolished with an Axe) on the land of said Sibking as Ordered, and we are of Opinion that a road can be established on said ground with performing considerable labour on it, to be of public utility. And we recommend to the Board of Commissioners that an order be made and directed to the petitioners to Open said road.

Given under Our hands this 4th day of March 1853

Robert Kingsberry
Ewin Jared } Viewers
Henry Guise

The Board after duly Considering said report Order that said report be received & approved and that said road be Opened twenty feet in width by the petitioners so soon as they pay into the County Treasury the Sum of Four dollars the Costs of Viewing and locating the same

Now here the Board proceeds to the examination of the Official Bonds of the Officers of Vanderburgh County. And after having performed that duty decide that said bonds are in a good condition & the securities therein are perfectly good, and the board approves of the the same.

Issd No 758 K $2.00/100 Ordered that W. E. Green be allowed two dollars for notifying merchants to give in their taxables.

Issd No 759 K $3.00/100 Ordered that W. N. Walker be allowed three dollars for assessing taxable agency merchants under the statute pr bile on file

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Now here M. McMurran Barney Cody and Zerah Fairchild viewers heretofore appointed make the following report to wit;

To The Honorable Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

Your Commissioners appointed by your honorable body at its December session A.D. 1852, to view out mark and locate a certain County road in Scott Township. would report that on the 3rd day of March A.D. 1853 having been duly sworn have viewed marked and located said road as follows to wit; Beginning at a Stake in the middle of the road leading from Evansville to Petersburgh and near the Blue Grass Church thence north 6° west five chains to the half mile corner on the South side of section two in township five south of range ten west thence north 6° west in the middle of said section two 66.25 chains or 265 rods to a Stake. thence N. 56½° W 4 chains to a Stake, marked ~~middle of a~~ White Oak S. 72° E 5 links distant. thence S 60½° W. 5.80 chains to a Stake in the middle of a certain Cart road mentioned in your decree marked Dogwood N 270 W. 25 links distant. thence on or near said Cart road N 57° W 7 chains to a Stake marked White Oak N 35° E. 23 links distant. thence N 48° W. 6 chains to a Stake marked Dogwood South 10 links distant. thence N 19½° W 7 chains to a Stake marked Hickory N 19½° W 7 links distant. thence N 13½ W. 8.50 chains to a Stake. marked White Oak S 7½ W 25 links distant. thence N 29° W 10.16 chains to a Stake to strike the section line between 34 & 35 S 4. R 10 marked Red Elm. S 7° (W 20 links) distant. thence along said section line between sections 34 & 35 through Pigotts lane N 6° W 21.25 chains to the half mile corner marked Red Oak. (N. 51½° W. 51 links distant. thence North 6¼° W on said section line to section corner 39.75 chains marked Honey Locust. S 45 E 28 links distant. Thence N 6° W on the section line dividing section 26 & 27. 20 chains to a Stake. thence N 84 E 3.52 chains to a Stake thence N 11½° W through Henry Ewings lane 20.86 chains to a Stake in the north end of said lane. thence S 84½° W 1.48 chains to half mile corner. thence N 5° 40 W 39.82 chains to section corner. thence N 5° 40 W. to a Stake 19.70 chains by Wm Woods west fence. Thence N 83½° E along said Woods North fence to the North East corner of woods land, 19.67 chains. Thence N 5¾° W 59.74 chains to the County line or to intersect the Warrington and Boonville road. Total distance ~~must~~ 365.44 chains or 4.57 mile. all of which is respectfully submitted. We the viewers dont believe that this ~~would~~ could be made a road of Public utility the way we have run it.

M McMurran
Barney Cody
Zerah Fairchild

The Board Now here Approves said Report.

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Issd No 760 K $1.50/100 Order that Ellis & Schlamp be allowed One dollar and fifty cents for provisions furnished paupers per bill on file

Issd No 761 K $5.10/100 Ordered that A Kollenburgh be allow Five dollars and ten cents for tin ware furnished county for poor asylum per bill on file

Issd No 762 K $2.50/100 Ordered that Barney Cody be allowed Two dollars and fifty cents for services as road viewer in Scott Township per bill on file

Issd No 763 K $2.50/100 Ordered that Marshall McMurran be allowed Two dollars and fifty cents for services as road viewer in Scott Township per bill on file

Issd No 764 K $2.50/100 Ordered that Yerah Fairchild be allowed Two dollars and fifty cents for services as road viewer in Scott Township per bill on file

Ordered that the Board adjourn until ~~Court in Course~~ tomorrow morning at 8 O'Clock

A Warner First Matter

Wednesday morning at 8 O'Clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when present Alanson Warner Edmond Maidlow & Simeon Long

Now here Marcus Sherwood and Emanuel Hull come into Court and make the following report to wit. "To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana, we the undersigned having been appointed by the order ~~of~~ herewith returned on the remonstrance of J. N. Stiner, and others to review the road and sands adjacent mention 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 no damages which will be sustained by said Road being opened and continued Commencing at a Poplar Tree marked "B" on the line dividing Vanderburgh and Posey Counties on the land of John Stiners thence running East through the land of said John Stiner. John Hoag McPherson Schumer Wm Pagmier, Chas Rigeway & others to intersect the Evansville and Williams Ferry Road at a Stake marked "A" near the culvert on said road on the land of Francis Amory in sec 22 Town six South of Range 11 West, And further the said road will in our opinion be of great and public utility

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all of which is respectfully submitted

Marcus Sherwood
E. Hull

Evansville March 9th 1853

The Board duly Considering said report It is Ordered that the same be approved and accepted & that said road be opened according to laws and that William McPherson and others Petitioners for the vacation of said road be required to pay the expenses of the said view made by reason of their ~~said~~ Petition ~~remonstrance~~ to this Board

Issd No 765 K $9.00/100 Ordered that A. H. Saunders be Allowed Nine dollars for advertising for Court of Common Pleas per bill on file

Issd No 766 K 0.75/100 Ordered that Wm Whittlesey be Allowed Seventy five cents for serving at Clerk of an Election per bill on file

Issd No 767 K $84.61/100 Ordered that Hon Conrad Baker be Allowed Eighty Four dollars and Sixty one cents for one quarters salary as Judge of the Court of Common Pleas per bill on file.

Issd No 768 K $84.61/100 Ordered that Hon Conrad Baker be Allowed Eighty Four dollars and Sixty One cents for one quarters Salary as Judge of the Court of Common Please per bill on file. provided that said order shall not be issued to said Judge Baker until the duties shall have been by him performed

Issd No 769 K $3.00/100 Ordered that M Sherwood be Allowed Three dollars for services as road viewers on the remonstrance of J. N. Stiner per bill on file

Issd No 770 K $2.00/100 Ordered that E. Hull be Allowed Two dollars for services as road viewer on the remonstrance of John N Stiner per bill on file

Issd No 771 K $2.00/100 Ordered that Geo B Wagnon be Allowed Two dollars for notifying L. Calvert of a Special meeting of the County Board per bill on file

Issd No 772 K $5.00/100 Ordered that A. Warner be allowed Five dollars for services superintending bridges per bill on file

Issd No 773 K $100.00/100 Ordered that John S Terry S.V.C. be Allowed One hundred dollars for services as Sheriff per bill on file

Issd No 774 K $100.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry S.V.C. be Allowed One hundred dollars for dieting prisoners in County jail per bill on file

Issd No 775 K $22.24/100 Ordered that John S. Terry S.V.C. be Allowed Twenty Two dollars and twenty four Cents for dieting prisoners in County jail per bill on file

Issd No 776 K $25.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be Allowed Twenty Five dollars for Ex Officio services as Sheriff of V.C. to March 8th 1853 per bill on file.

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Now here it having been shewn to the Satisfaction of this board that Foster & Jaques have been improperly Charged by the board of Equalization with 7500 dollars in Valuation of Personal property It is therefore ~~hereby~~ Now here Ordered that the Auditor issue a Certificate to Foster & Jaques setting forth that such an amount was erroneously Charged & that they will be entitled to a Credit at the treasury in their taxables of said amount

Issd No 777 K $2.80/100 Ordered that John S. Terry, r.c.c be Allowed Two dollars and eighty seven Cents for summonsing Jurors per bill on file

Issd No 778 K $4.00/100 Ordered that John M. App be Allowed Four dollars for provisions furnished a pauper family per bill on file

Issd No 779 K $4.00/100 Ordered that John M. App be Allowed Four dollars for provisions furnished a pauper family per bill on file

Now here James Neel a Justice of the Peace in and for Perry Township makes the following report to wit;

"A list of Fines that have been assessed by James Neel a Justice of the Peace during the past year under the law

State of Indiana vs Hugh McCrary } Assault & Battery tried & fined one dollar on the 12th day of August 1852 paid $1.00

State of Indiana vs Thomas Wood } Assault & Battery tried & fined one dollar on the 12th day of August 1852 paid $1.00

State of Indiana vs John Rheinlander } Selling Whiskey on Sunday tried and fined one dollar on the 17th August 1852 ~~fined~~ paid $1.00

State of Indiana vs James C. Wagnon } Assault & Battery tried & fined one dollars on the 19th of August 1852 not Collected

I do hereby Certify this is a true list as appear on my docket this 7th day of March 1853

James Neel J.P.

The board duly Considering said report Now here approves the same

Issd No 780 K $1.50/100 Ordered that E. C. Duskey be Allowed One dollar & fifty Cents for expenses of a pauper

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No 781 K 42 40/100 Ordered that Mason O. Newman be allowed Forty Two Dollars for 28 days serviceing as Township assessor in Perry Township per bill on file
No 782 K $1.00/100 Ordered that Silas Stephens be allowed One dollar for serviceing as road viewer per bill on file
No 783 K $2.10/100 Order that Foster & Brown be allowed Two dollars & ten cents for two White wash wash brushes for Bates per bill on file

Now here George B. Walgnon makes a motions before this board to declare a certain road named in said motion a public highway. And the Board duly Considering said motion refuses to entertain ~~said~~ ~~motion~~ the same

It is Now here Ordered that the Taxables against Wm Hubble as agent of De Lehente & Co be declared erroneous Except as to two thousand dollars as has been shewn to the satisfaction of this board The ~~Order~~ Auditor is Ordered to give said Hubble a certificate to the effect that all of said taxables except Two thousand dollars are erroneous in regard to his agency

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow Morning at 8 Oclock

S. Long Jr

Thursday morning at 8 Oclock the Board Met pursuant to adjournment when the Members thereof were present as of yesterday

Now here James T. Walker Esqr one of the justices of Pigeon Township produces to this Board his report of Fines as follows, to wit;

"Report of James T. Walker a justice of the Peace of Pigeon Township of all Criminal Cases tried before him since his report to the County Commissioners at their March Term 1852

State of Indiana
VS
Angus McDonald } Fine $1.00 not paid

State of Indiana
VS
Geo O'Brian } Not Guilty

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State of Indiana
Vs } Larceny } Not Guilty
Henry Levi

State of Indian
Vs } A & B } Fined $1 each paid Over
Jacob & Mary Conway

State of Indiana
Vs } A & B } Fine 3$ Paid over
James Newton

State of Indiana
Vs } A & B } Fine $3 not paid
James Johnson

State of Indiana
Vs } A & B } Fine $3 paid over
Eaton

State of Indiana
Vs } A & B } Fine 15$ paid over 12.$
William Gillhouse

State of Indiana
Vs } A & B } Fine $3. not paid
Thomas Coffin

State of Indiana
Vs } A & B } Fine $5 paid Over
Patrick McKeever

State of Indiana
Vs } A & B } Fined $3 paid Over
John McHugh

State of Indiana
Vs } Assault } Not Guilty
Anthony Crane &
Dominick O'Harro

State of Indiana
Vs } Murder } Committed
Oliver Marshall

State of Indiana
Vs } A & B } Fine $3. paid over
John Jarvis

State of Indiana
Vs } Pet. Larceny } Committed
Thomas Wood

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State of Indiana
VS } A & B
Edward Marshall } Fine $1 paid over

State of Indiana
VS } A & B
Nicholas McCann } discharged

State of Indiana
VS } A & B
Charles McKernan } Fined 3c not Paid

State of Indiana
VS } A & B with intent
David Etley &
Philip Zelhart } Committed

State of Indiana
VS } A & B
Frank Barker } Fined $1 Paid over

State of Indiana
VS } A & B
Jane Landerline } Fined $3 not paid

State of Indiana
VS } A & B
Henry Grafts } Fine 1$ paid over

State of Indiana
VS } Petit Larceny
Joseph Rough } acquitted

State of Indiana
VS } A & B
William Fetteman } Fine 1 paid over

State of Indiana
VS } Pet Larceny
James Brown } Committed

State of Indiana
VS } A & B
James L. Patten } Acquitted

State of Indiana
VS } A & B
Margaret Gates } Fined $3 paid over

State of Indiana
VS } A & B
John Heely } Fined $3 paid over

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State of Indiana
vs } Mary Slaughter } Committed
John Sutherland

State of Indiana
vs
George Sullivan Alias } Fined 1 ℔ not paid
George Ross

State of Indiana
vs } A & B } Acquitted
Henry Ouyet

State of Indiana
vs } A & B } Fined 5 ℔ replevied
John Hoch

State of Indiana
vs } A & B } Fined 3 ℔ paid over
George Smith

State of Indiana
vs } A & B } Fined ℔ 5 Replevied
John H. Booth

State of Indiana
vs } A & B } Fined 5 ℔ Replevied
John H Booth

State of Indiana
vs } A & B } Fined 10 ℔ Committed
Charles Anderson

State of Indiana
vs } Fined ℔1 paid over
James King

State of Indiana
vs } Highway Robery } Not Guilty
John S. McIntire

State of Indiana
vs } Petit Larceny } Committed
James McKnights

State of Indiana
vs } Larceny } Committed
Adam Simpson

State of Indiana
vs } A & B } Fined 1 ℔ paid over
George Leove

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State of Indiana
V.S. } A & B
Richard Barker } Fined 1 ₰ pd over

State of Indiana
V.S.
John G. Grapman } Fined 10 ₰ paid

State of Indiana
V.S. } A & B
John Huston } Fined 3 ₰ paid over

State of Indiana
V.S. } Selling Liquor on Sunday
Charles C. Dutton } Fined 1 ₰ Paid Over

State of Indiana
V.S. } A & B
Elizabeth Springer } Fined 1 ₰ not Paid

State of Indiana
V.S.
Charles P. Baymiller } Fined ₰1 not paid

State of Indiana
V.S. } Assault
Joseph Parker
James Hardiman
Samuel Roundtree
Fuller Hardeman
Alexander Hardiman &
Terrel Roundtree } Joseph Parker & James Hardiman Fined each 1 ₰ Paid Over

State of Indiana
V.S. } A & B
Anthony Crane } Fined 1 ₰ paid over

State of Indiana
V.S. } A & B
George McIngobrandt } Bound over to Court at his own request

State of Indiana
V.S. } A & B
Henry Buggeman } Fined 3 ₰ paid over ₰2 75/100

State of Indiana
V.S. } Petit Larceny
George McIngobrand } Acquitted

State of Indiana
V.S. } A & B
Harmin Onyet } Fined 1 ₰ not paid

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State of Indiana
V.S. } A & B } Acquitted
William Joiner

State of Indiana
V.S. } A & B } Fined 1 ₱ paid over
John Jarvis

State of Indiana
V.S. } G. Larceny } Not Guilty
Frederick Conyngton

State of Indiana
V.S. } selling Sugar on sunday } Fined 50 cents paid over
Archibald Fitzgerald

State of Indiana
V.S. } Assault ~~& B~~ } Fined 50 cents paid over
Archibald ~~Fitzgerald~~ Sullivan

State of Indiana
V.S. } A & B } Fine 1 ₱ not paid
Charles Borth

I have also received for State vs Barker upon the docket of Esqr Bippus now in my possession 10 ₱ which is paid over

James T. Walker Seal
Justice of the Peace

Before the undersigned personally appeared James T. Walker and being sworn deposes & says the foregoing report is true & correct to the best of his knowledge & belief
W. H. Walker A.V.C.

The board duly considering said report and the things therein accepts & approves the same

No. 784 K ₱4.00/100 Ordered that Saml. Lester be allowed four dollars for India Rubber bands for Clerk of the V.C.C. per bill on file

Now here Robert W. Dunbar County Treasurer produces to this board his quarterly report which after duly considering the board accepts & approves

No. 785 K ₱35.00/100 Ordered that Thomas Thomas be allowed Thirty five dollars for an Ox killed on pigeon bridge in consequence of ~~falling~~ slipping his foot ~~into a~~ into a hole in said bridge

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Now here George B. Wagnon and fifteen Others citizens of German and Perry Township produce to this board their petition praying the board to appoint viewers to view mark and locate a County road in said Townships as follows to wit. Beginning at a stake marked "A" on the south west quarter of section seventeen in Town six south of range Eleven west which land belongs to J. W. & W. A. Rockwell Thence running on a dividing ridge in a northwesterly direction through the lands of J. H. Smith Christian Hedenbach, and John F. Clashide in Perry Township, thence through the lands of Lawrence Droll and Andrew Seipert until it intersects the New Harmony Road at a stake marked "B" near the Corner of the land of John Rockenmire in German Township.

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And the Board after duly Considering said petition Order that Hiram T. Farquhar, Kannada Higginbotham and Morrison Fitzgerald be appointed to view mark and locate said road, according to the prayer of said petition and report to this board at the next session thereof

Report of the Condition and Operations of the Trust Funds of Vanderburgh County for the Year ending March 1st A.D. 1853

Amount of Funds on Loan March 1st 1852	25.691	20
Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1853	4.455	00
Total Loans	30.146	20
Amount Refunded by borrowers to Mar 1st 1853	3.971	99
Total Loans Outstanding March 1st 1853	26.174	21
Principal one from Purchasers of lands	7.399	47
Amount of Principal Outstanding March 1st 1853	33.573	68
Balance on hand March 1st 1853	2.529	04
Interest received since March 1st 1852	2.694	10
Interest Distributed to Town Treasury	1.339	77
Interest on hand March 1st 1853	2.221	60
Incidental Expenditures	470	50

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } ss

The undersigned County Commissioners Treasurer and Auditor of said County, Certify that the foregoing Report is Correct, as appears from the records the office of said Auditor

Witness Our hands this tenth day of March A.D. 1853

Simeon Long
Edmund Maidlow } County Commissioners
A. Warner
R. W. Dunbar County Treasurer
Wm. H. Walker County Auditor

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Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow at 8 O'Clock

S. Long Pr

Sunday Morning at 8 O'Clock the Board met pursuant to adjournment when the members thereof were present as of yesterday

Issd No 786 K $50.00/100 Ordered that Bracket Mills Esq be allowed Fifty dollars for one years services as overseer of the Poor of Pigeon Township to March 1st 1853 per bill on file

Issd No 787 K $25.00/100 Ordered that Joseph Wheeler Esq be allowed Twenty Five dollars for one years services as overseer of the Poor of Pigeon Township per bill on file to March 1st 1853

Issd No 788 K $13.90/100 Ordered that J. Covington & Co be Allowed Thirteen dollars and ninety cts for Stationary for Clerk of the V.C.C. per bill on file

Issd No 789 K $4.85/100 Ordered that John Stephens be allowed Four dollars and Eighty five cents for burying Pauper in ~~Perry~~ Township per bill on file

Issd No 790 K $9.94/100 Ordered that J. Covington & Co be allowed Nine dollars and Ninety four Cents for Stationary furnished County for Clerk, per bill on file

Issd No 791 K $1.50/100 Ordered that Wm Hughes be allowed one dollar and fifty cents for clothing furnished Sheriffs for prisoners in County jail per bill on file

Issd No 792 K $0.50/100 Ordered that Henry Cochart be allowed fifty Cents for repairing Chimney at the poor house per bill on file

Issd No 793 K $89.00/100 Ordered that Geo. Bates be Allowed Eighty Nine dollars for keeping the County Poor Asylum to March 1st 1853 per bill on file

Issd No 794 K 20.00/100 Ordered that George Bates be Allowed Twenty dollars for the purchasing of buying a Cow for the County Poor Asylum

Issd No 795 K $15.60/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed fifteen dollars and Sixty cents for shoes furnished the County Poor per bill on file

Issd No 796 K $33.00/100 Ordered that George Bates be Allowed Thirty Three dollars for burying Paupers per bill on file

Issd No 797 K $119.36/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed One hundred and ~~Eighteen~~ Nineteen dollars and ~~Eighty~~ Thirty Six cents for ~~for~~ finding Paupers per bills

Issd No 798 K $92.78/100 Ordered that Ellis & Schlamp be allowed Ninety Two dollars & seventy eight cents for Provisions furnished paupers per bills on file

Issd No 799 K $9.95/100 ordered that Rathbone & Wheeler be Allowed Nine dollars & ninety five cents for Stationary furnished Clerk of the Vandeburgh C Court per bills on file

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Now here the Board Contracts with Thomas Gifford for building a Stone Piller, Pier or abutment under the South West end of the Bridge over Pigeon Creek on the State Road leading from Evansville to Princeton near negly Mill so Called. Said Gifford agrees to build said Stone Piller in a good Substantial and Workman like manner to lay the Stone in good lime morter and furnish all materials & do all work necessary to procure a Secure foundation in the Solid rock for said Pillar. for the following sum or sums to wit/ Two dollar and twenty five Cts per perch for all old stone, and three dollars and fifty Cts per perch. for new Stone used in said work. It is understood that said sums per perch as aforesaid is to pay said Gifford for all work done or Connected with the said Stone Pillar or Pier. and all Materials used in or about the building thereof. - said Pillar Pier or abutment is to be built Solid. And Alanson Warren Esq. be and he is hereby appointed to superintend the construction of the work by Gifford, and grant him orders as the work progresses, as he may deem right and proper

It is now here Ordered that One hundred dollars be and it is hereby appropriated out of the County Treasury, for the purpose of repairing the bridge and logway over Wagners Creek near Carpenters mill, and that Isaac Lavin be and he is hereby Authorized to construct or repair said logway and bridge under the general superintendence of A. Ward Esq and according to his directions, and draw the appropriation upon his order

Now It having been shewn to the satisfaction of this Board That The Evansville & Illinois Rail Road Company Now Evansville and Crawfordsville Rail Road Company have fears of the availability of the Vanderburgh County bonds, now held by them. And which they wish to use as a Collateral to the Company's Obligation or Obligations, in making a temporary loan to Complete & equip their road to Vincennes. Which Bonds are Considered of too small a denomination & are inartistically executed. and the Coupons to which are made payable at Evansville. whereby the value of said Bonds are depreciated in the eyes of financial men.

Therefore It is Ordered That the President of this Board and the Auditor of the County are hereby Authorized and Directed. upon the request and at the expense of said Company. to take up all or any part of said Bonds, now held by said Company

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And to execute and issue on behalf of said ~~Company~~ County new Bonds to the same amount & of the denomination of five hundred or one thousand dollars each bearing the same interest & having not less than the same time to run, & making the Coupons on the same payable in the City of New York at such place as shall be required ~~by~~ said Company binding her self to the county to reconvey the interest on said Coupons here and be at the risk and expense of exchange and transmission between here & New York. And to pay said Coupons in New York

No 800 E $36.00/100 Ordered that C. Pippus be Allowed Thirty Six dollars for work on Indians per bill on file

No 801 E $23.00/100 Ordered that Christian Pippus be allowed Twenty three dollars for work on Indians Per bill on file

No 802 E $19.60/100 Ordered that Christian Pippus be Allowed Nineteen dollars and sixty Cents for work on Indians per bill on file

No 803 E $36.80/100 Ordered that Christian Pippus be Allowed Thirty six dollars and Eighty Cents for work on Indians per bill on file

No 804 E $25.00/100 Ordered that Wm H Stallcup be allowed Twenty five dollars for Ex Officio Services as County Auditor per bill on file.

No 805 E $225.00/100 Ordered that Wm H Stallcup be Allowed Two hundred and Twenty five dollars for Services as County Auditor per bill on file

No 806 E $16.62/100 Ordered that Wm H Stallcup be allowed Sixteen dollar and sixty two Cents for Stationary for county per bill on file

No 807 E $3.75/100 Ordered that Wm H. Stallcup be allowed Three dollars and Seventy Cents for engraving seal for County Per bills on file

No 808 E $1.65/100 Ordered that Wm H Stallcup be Allowed one dollar and sixty five Cents for Cash paid Peter Stuckman per bill on file

No 809 E $1.50/100 Ordered that Wm Hornby be Allowed one dollar and fifty Cents for Services as Clerk at 2 elections in Scott Township per bill on file & that the same be issued to Wm H. Stallcup

No 810 E $10.00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long Esqr be allowed Ten dollars for 5 days services as a member of the County Board at the march Term A.D. 1853

No 811 E $10.00/100 Ordered that Edmund Maidlow Esqr be allowed Ten dollars for 5 days Services as a Member of the County Board at the March Term A.D. 1853

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No 812 K $10.00/100 Ordered that Alanson Warner Esq be allowed 10 dollars for 5 days services, as County Commissioner at the March Term A.D. 1853

Ordered that the Board adjourne until Court in Course

Simeon Long
A Warner
Edmd Maidlow.

Christian Bippus recorder of Vanderburgh County appeals from a decision of the County board made at the March Term A.D. 1853. on an account for making the General or Complete Indexes of Vanderburgh County, wherein said board allowed said Bippus 115.40/100 dollars on a bill of 172.65/100 dollars. The papers in the above Case with a penal bond for 100$ were this day filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court March 19th A.D. 1853

Know Al

Whereas John Whitehead Junior of Vanderburgh County Indiana, Assignee of Kinlock McJohnson, did on the 21st day of March A.D. 1853 produce to the undersigned William H. Walker, Auditor of said County a Certificate of Purchase in writing signed by William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County and Bracket Mills School Commissioner of said County, by which it appears that Kinlock McJohnston aforesaid, did on the fourteenth day of March A.D. 1848 purchase the South half of the North half of the South half of the East half of the North East quarter of section number twenty eight in township number five South of range ten West being a part of the Common School land belonging to the State of Indiana, Situate in the County of Vanderburgh for fifty dollars. One fourth payable in hand and the residue at the expiration of twenty five years from and after the date of such Certificate.

And Whereas the said Charles Whitehead Junior has filed in my office the County Treasurer receipt for the sum of thirty seven dollars and fifty cents. in full of principal and interest due on said tract of land. And demanded a deed for said tract.

Therefor Know Ye; That in conformity with the Statutes in such case made and provided and in consideration of the premises, I William H. Walker Auditor of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana. do give and grant the said South half of the North half of the South 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, to the said John Whitehead Junior and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In witness whereof I William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County, have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville, on this 21st day of March A.D. 1853

William H. Walker
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Witness R. W. Dunbar T.V.C.

State of Indiana Vanderburgh County Ss

I James T. Walker a justice of the peace in and for Pigeon Township County and State aforesaid. do hereby Certify that the above named William H. Walker Auditor of said County, personally appeared before me and acknowledged the above and foregoing Indenture, to be his voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, witness my hand and seal at Evansville, this the day and year last hereinbefore written

Recorded March 21st 1853
William H. Walker A.V.C.

James T. Walker Seal
Justice of the Peace

Whereas Peter Goebel of Vanderburgh County Indiana Assignee of William R. Leister did on this the 21st day of March AD 1853 produce to me William H. Walker Auditor of said County a Certificate of purchase in Writing Signed by Nathan Rowley School Commissioner of said County from which it appears that William R. Leister did on the thirtieth day of September AD 1837 purchase the South half of the North West quarter of section number Sixteen belonging to Congressional Township number five South of Range number Eleven West (being number "3 on the appraisers platt) in Vanderburgh County Aforesaid for the Sum of One hundred and twenty dollars and paid One fourth of the purchase money in hand. and the residue became payable in ten years from the date of said Certificate

And Whereas Peter Goebel aforesaid has filed in my Office the County Treasurers receipt for ninety dollars in full of the residue of said purchase of said tract of land, and demanded a deed for the said tract.

Therefore Know all men by these presents that in Consideration of the premises. And in Conformity with the Statutes in Such Case made and provided I William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana, do give and grant the said South half of the North West quarter of Section number Sixteen in Congressional Township number five South of Range number eleven West to the said Peter Geobel and to his heirs And Assigns forever

S. S.

In witness whereof I William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County Aforesaid have hereunto Set my hand And affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County At Evansville on this 21st day of March AD 1853

William H. Walker
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Witness R. W. Dunbar T.V.C.

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } ss

I James T. Walker a Justice of the Peace in and for Pigeon Township Vanderburgh County aforesaid. do hereby Certify that the Above named William H. Walker Auditor of said County. Personally Appeared before me And Acknowledged the Above and foregoing Indenture to be his Voluntary Act and deed for the uses And purposes therein mentioned

In witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal the day and date last herein above written

James T. Walker Seal
Justice of the Peace

Recorded March 21st 1853
William H. Walker Ave

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William Lester

Having this day purchased the South Half of the North West quarter of Section Number Sixteen (№ 3 on the Appraisers Platt) being part of the School Section belonging to Congressional Township Number five South of Range Eleven West in Vanderburgh County Indiana for the sum of one Hundred and twenty dollars of which he has paid thirty five dollars and forty Cents being one fourth part of the purchase Money and one Years interest in advance on the residue of the principal which is Ninety dollars and payable in ten Years from this date together with six percentum interest thereon annually in advance and if full payment of said principal and interest be made within ten Years from this date the the said William Lester his assigns or representatives shall be entitled to a deed in fee simple for said Tract in the name of the 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 been due Sixty days' until paid the said Tract and all payments made thereon thereto fore and this Contract of sale shall be forfeited and revert to said Township for School purposes

Witness my hand and seal this thirteenth day of September A.D. 1837.

Nathan Rowley Seal
Commissioner V.C

Know all men by these presents that I William Lester do by these presents do assign and Transfer all my right title Interest and Claims whatsoever to the above described land to Peter Gabriel his heirs and assigns forever.
For Value Received.

Witness my hand and seal this 22d Day of July 1839

William R Lester Seal

signed and and acknowledged
before me this 22d Day of July 1839

Nathan Rowley Seal
J.P.

Know all men by these presents that we John Lindsley and John Shanklin are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana, in the penal sum of five thousand dollars, for the payment whereof well and truly to be made and done we bind Ourselves Our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents, sealed and dated this 29th day of March 1853

The condition of the above obligation is, that if the above bounden John Lindsley who is Treasurer of Congressional Township No. 6 South of Range No. 10 West shall faithfully disburse all the money that may come to his hands as such Treasurer and perform all other duties required of him by law. Then this obligation shall be void else to remain in full force and virtue in law

John Lindsley (Seal)
John Shanklin (Seal)

Recorded April 1st 1853
W H Walker a.c.

Special April Session A.D. 1853

At a Special Session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County began and held at the Court House in Evansville in said County on the second day of April A.D. 1853 for the purpose of Consulting the Propriety of granting the right of way to the Southern Plank Road Company and other important business that may come before said County Board when present Edmund Madlow and Alanson Warner Esqrs two of the members Composing said County Board

Said now here upon the application of the Southern Plank Road Company, It is Ordered that the Directors of said Company be and they are hereby Authorized And empowered to lay Out locate, Construct and Maintain, double track eight feet to the track
a Plank Road over, along, and upon so much of the State Road leading from the City of Evansville in Vanderburgh County Indiana to Princeton in Gibson County, as is situated between the north line of Section twenty nine in Township Six South of Range Six ten West and the South bank of Big Pigeon Creek upon the following Conditions, to wit;
1st That the Keeper of the Asylum for the poor situated on the route aforesaid road, and all persons connected with said Asylum, or the management thereof, and all Officers, and persons whose duty it may be, to visit the same, and all persons employed by the County of Vanderburgh in hauling or transporting any Article or Commodity for the use and benefit of said County, may at all times pass upon, and along said road, to and from said Asylum, in either direction with any animal or Animals team or teams Vehicle or Vehicles, free of toll
2nd That one track of said road shall be completed on or before the first day of January next, and that during the construction thereof, the said Company shall leave a portion of the said State Road sufficiently wide, to accommodate the travel unobstructed

And the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh hereby give their Consent to the appropriation and occupation by said Company of that part of said State Road above described for the purposes aforesaid upon the Conditions above set forth, Provided that said second track above specified shall be completed by said Company as soon as this Board may Consider it necessary for the public good

No 8701 $25.52/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed twenty five dollars and fifty two cents for pounds purchased for the County Poor Asylum, per bill on file
No 8711 $30.00/100 Ordered that William H. Walker be allowed thirty dollars to be appropriated for binding book for the County Pr

Special April Session AD 1853

Now here James Roquet the builder of the new Court House proposes to this board, that for the additional sum of four hundred dollars he will roof the Court House with Slate instead of the tin roofing as specified in his Contract with the County Commissioners for building said house. Said Slate roof to be completed in a good sufficient and workmanlike manner and he Roquet to furnish all the Materials The Slate to be fastened with Copper nails the valleys to be of Copper ~~and~~ the ridges to be covered with lead and the gutters of Cast Iron ~~gutters to be used at the eaves~~ and all other articles necessary for a complete finish as intended by the parties said Roquet agrees to furnish

And the Board duly Considering said proposal And it being understood by and between this Board and said James Roquet ~~that~~ the variation in the materials and finish of said roof, shall in nowise alter change or affect the original Contract between this board and said Roquet, for building said Court House, and the fail Contained in said Contract further than the roof said house is Concerned It is ordered that James Roquet proposal be and it is hereby Accepted and he is hereby Authorized Ordered and instructed to Construct the roof of the New Court House on the plan and of the materials above specified

No 872 K $3.00/100 Ordered that Edward Maidlow Esqr be Allowed Three dollars for one days serving as County Commissioner at the special april ~~Election~~ term

No 873 K $3.00/100 Ordered that Alanson Warner Esqr be allowed Three dollars for one days services as County Commissioner at the special april term

Ordered that the board adjourn sile Court in Course

A Warner
Edmd Maidlow

Special April Session A D 1853

At a Special Session of the board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County Indiana begin & held on the 4th day of April as 1853 in pursuance to a call made by the county Auditor for the purpose of purchasing a tract of land for a County Poor Asylum and transacting such other urgent business ~~that~~ as may come before said board, when present Alanson Warner and Simeon Long Esqrs two of the members composing such County Board

Now here George B. Wagnon proposes to sell to the County Commissioners for the purpose of establishing a County Poor Asylum thereon, seventy acres more or less being the South East quarter of the North East quarter of Section ten and the North part of the South West quarter of the North West quarter of Section eleven all in town six south of range eleven west for the sum of Nine hundred and twenty nine dollars and the board duly considering accepts said proposal and agrees to take said land subject to two mortgages given to the State by said Wagnon & his wife for the sum of four hundred dollars and pay him five hundred and twenty nine dollars in orders on the County Treasurer so soon as said Wagnon can execute to the County a deed in fee simple for said tracts of land above named

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No 874 IE $100,00/100 Ordered that George B. Wagnon be allowed one hundred dollars for part pay for land for a poor Asylum

No 875 IE $100,00/100 Ordered that George B. Wagnon be allowed one hundred dollars for part pay for a tract of land for a County Poor Asylum

No 876 IE $100,00/100 Ordered that George B. Wagnon be allowed one hundred dollars for part pay for a tract of land for a County Poor Asylum

No 877 IE $100,00/100 Ordered that George B. Wagnon be allowed one hundred dollars for part pay for a tract of land for a County Poor Asylum

No 878 IE $129,00/100 Ordered that George B. Wagnon be allowed one hundred and twenty nine dollars in full for a tract of land purchased of him for a County Poor Asylum

No 879 IE $8,40/100 Ordered that W. H. Walker be allowed Eight dollars and forty cents for cash paid for printing per bill on file

No 880 IE $3,00/100 Ordered that Simeon Long Esqr be allowed three dollars for one days services as a member of the County Board at the present session

No 881 IE $3,00/100 Ordered that Alanson Warner Esqr be allowed three dollars for one day services as a member of the County Board at the present session

Ordered that the Board adjourn until Court in Course

Simeon Long
A Warner

Special April Session A.D. 1853

At a Special Session of the board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana begun and held at the Auditors Office in Evansville in said County (the Circuit Court being Session at the Court House) on the Eighteenth day of April A.D. 1853 on a Call of the County Auditor for the purpose of Appointing a Township Trustee for German Township to fill a Vacancy in said Township board when Present Edmond Maidlow and Alanson Warner Esqrs two of the Members Composing said County board

Ordered that John Rotts be And he is hereby Appointed A Township Trustee for German Township to fill the Vacancy occasioned by the failure of Jacob Danzer to qualify as such Trustee, to serve ~~for One Year~~ until his Successor Shall be elected and qualified

Ordered that the board adjourn until Court in Course

A Warner
Edmd Maidlow

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June Term A.D. 1853

At a Session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana, began and held at the residence of Alanson Warner Esq in Evansville in said County (the Court House being Occupied by the Common Pleas Court and under the Circumstances this being the Most Convenient place for holding the Meeting of said Board) On the first monday in June A.D. 1853 (being the 6th day of said month) When present Alanson Warner and Edmund Maidlow Esq two of the members Composing said County Board

Meeting of the Board of Equalization

Now here the Board of County Commissioners the County Auditor William Warren Assessor for Pigeon Township / Ira P. Grainge the Assessor of Knight Township Edwin Johnston Assessor for Scott Township Ellsberry Armstrong Assessor for Armstrong Township Mason A. Newman Assessor for Perry Grampe W. Hardin Assessor for Union Township and Lewis Richter Assessor for German Township meet and organize themselves into a Board of Equalization under and in pursuance of the provisions of Section 91 Chapter 6 of the Revised Statutes of 1852 to examine into the Assessments of the Several Townships As returned by the Assessors thereof and equalize the Valuations of the different Townships, as well as the assessments of property Charged to individuals residing therein, and also to hear and determine the grievances of any person assessed or Charged with taxes which lists the County Auditor produces to said board on the Assessors lists for A.D. 1853,

Now here Richard Browning appears before the board of equalization and represents that he should be Charged with certain taxables upon the value of which he and the Assessor did not definately Agree ~~upon the value~~. and the board duly examining said Browning under an Affirmation touching the Value of such property it is Ordered that an additional sum of 250 dollars be added to his list of personals for A.D. 1853

Changes by Equalization Board

Now here the Board of Equalization makes the following Changes in the Valuation of personals Assessed for Pigeon Township

J. M. App

John M. App raised from 1670 to 1770

C. J. Battell

Charles J. Battell reduced from 6,496 to 6,396

Equalization

Ordered that the Board of Equalization adjourn until tommorrow morning at 8½ O'Clock

Edmd Maidlow Prest

Now here the Board of Commissioners having examined sundry bills and reports and not Completing their examinations touching the same lay them over until some other day of this term for final Action

Ordered that the Board adjourn until to morrow morning at 8 O'Clock

Edmd Maidlow Prest

June Term A.D. 1853

Tuesday morning the Board met pursuant to adjournement when the members thereof were present as of Yesterday.

Equal. Simeon Longs Resignation

Now here the resignation of Simeon Long Esqr is produced by the Auditor and layed before this board for Action thereon and the board duly considering said resignation accept and approve the same

Supervisors Report

It is now here Ordered by the Board that the Report of Rhodes Roger as Supervisor of road District No 6 Armstrong Township for 1852 be and it is hereby Accepted & approved

G. W. Hardin

Now here Grampe W. Hardin Esqr County Commissioner for the 3rd Commissioners District who was appointed to fill a vacancy Occasioned Occasioned by the resignation of Simeon Long Esqr Comes into Court and takes his seat as such Commissioners having shewn to this board that he has been duly qualified

Equatization

Now here the Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournement when the members thereof were present as of Yesterday except Grampe W. Harden who has resigned his Offices as Assessor of Union Township & taken his seat as a member of the County board

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Now here the County Auditor produces to said board the Assessment of Property as returned by the Assessors of the several Township and the board proceeds to the examination of said returns

Ordered that the Board of Equalization adjourn until tomorrow morning at 8½ O'clock

Adjourning Order of the Board

Ordered that the Board adjourn to meet at the Office of the County Auditor it now in the Opinion of this board being the most convenient place for holding the meeting of the Board during the present Term thereof, unless necessity shall require it differently

Meeting on Wednesday

Wednesday Morning the Board met at the County Auditors Edmd Maidlow Presd. Office when present E. Maidlow & Grampe W. Harden two of the members of said Board ~~Ordered that Board that the Board of Equalization adjourne until tomorrow at 8½ O'clock~~

Issd No 19 L $3.00/100 ~~Edmd Maidlow Presd~~

Ordered that Henry Ealer be allowed three dollars for services as supervisor of road district No 6 A.D. 1852 per bill on file

Issd No 20 L $3.00/100 Ordered that Jacob Raber be allowed three dollars for services as supervisor in Centre Township for A.D. 1852

Issd No 21 L $2.25/100 Ordered that James Hayhurst be allowed two dollars and twenty five cents for services as supervisor in Centre Township for 1852

Issd No 22 L $3.00/100 Ordered that John E. Wood be allowed three dollars ~~and twelve cents~~ for services as supervisor of Roads in German Township for 1852

Issd No 23 L $2.25/100 Ordered that Robert Smith be allowed two Dollars and twenty five Cents for services as supervisor of roads in Centre Township for A.D. 1852

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No 24 L $3.00/100 Ordered that Peter Vogle be Allowed three Dollars for serves as supervisor of roads in Knight Township for A.D. 1853

No 25 L $2.75/100 Ordered that Isaac Cavins be Allowed two dollars and seventy five cents for serves as supervisor of roads in Perry Township for 1852 & for Cash paid for lumber furnished bridge near John B. Stinsons old place

Ordered that the Board adjourne until tomorrow Morning at 8 O'clock

Edmd Maidlow Prest

Wednesday Morning June 8th the Board met pursuant to adjournment when present as of Yesterday

The Board of Equalization also met pursuant to adjournment when the members thereof were present as of Yesterday Now here the board of Equalization proceeds to the examination of the lists of Assessment of Pigeon Township and makes the following Changes, to wit.

Changes by the Board

M & E. H. Degarmo from 1305 to 1710 $
Michael Gavisk from 1085 to 2.580
John Gavisk " 664 to 2.170 (on Oath of M Gavisk)

Ordered that the Equalization Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at Nine Oclock

Edmd Maidlow Prest

Ordered that the Board of Commissioners adjourne until tomorrow Morning at 8 Oclock

Edmd Maidlow Prest

Thursday Morning at 8 Oclock the Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment when the members thereof were present as of Yesterday

The Board of Equalization met pursuant to adjournment when the members of said Board were present as of Yesterday

Now here the Board of Equalization proceeds to the examination of the Assessors List ~~of Persons from~~ of German Township. as well as the unfinished examination of the List of assessibles of Pigeon Township. On motion put and adopted the following named persons, were notified to appear before the Equalization Board & Answer such questions as may be asked by said Board touching the Amount & value of their assessible personal property on the first day of January A.D. 1853. to wit; John S. Gavit Peter Kendal Fred Reis John Law M Mintzer F. Muhlhauser Ben Nurre Edward Newmaster Isaac Casselberry & R. Ruston

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The Board of Equalization having investigated the several lists and examined several persons ~~who~~ who appeared before this on oath, and after such ~~an~~ examination It is Ordered that the following Changes be made, to wit;

(Francis Muhlhauson remains same)

Changes in Pigeon by the Equalization Board

Horace Dunham raised from 9.325 to $14,550
John Law raised from 475 to 5.475
Edward Newmaster from 10 to 610
John S. Gavit " 515 to 720
Olmsted & Vanduzen " 800 to 1,700
Charles Olmsted be reduced from 640 to 280
Patrick Keegan ~~be~~ raised from 348 to 450 in Centre Township
Kindock McJohnson in Centre Township raised 100$ for ~~Improvements~~ Personals
Robert Smith in " " " 200 for Improvements
John Whitehead " " " " 200 for Improvement
Joshua Davidson " " " " 100 " "
Orson P. Daniels in Scott Township ~~be~~ reduced $1000 for Negro in Ky given in by him

~~And that Joshu~~

And The Board of Equalization having diligently examined the lists of assessments as returned by the Several Township Assessors and completed said examinations and made the foregoing Changes, and no further business appearing before said Board It is Ordered that this Bord do now here adjourne sine die.

Edmd Maidlow Prest
Grampee W. Hardin
M. O. Newman
Kr. P. Grainge
William Warren
Edwin Johnston
Elsbey Armstrong
Louis Fechler
William H. Walker A.V.O.

Assessor for Perry Township
" " Knight "
" " Pigeon "
" " Scott "
" " Armstrong "
" " German "

Ordered that the Board adjourne until tomorrow morning at 8 O'Clock

Edmd Maidlow Prest

Friday morning June tenth the Board met pursuant to adjournment when the ~~pre~~ members thereof were present as of Yesterday,

Appointment of Commissioner

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Now here Simon Williams a resident of Armstrong Township and thirty One Others petition this Board for the appointment of a Commissioner to view and locate a Certain County road therein named designated as follows to wit. Commencing at a point on the Evansville and Cynthiana Road, ~~at the point~~ at which said road Crosses the base or township line between Sections five in Town five and section thirty two in Town four south of range eleven west in Armstrong Township aforesaid. - Running thence west with said Township line (or base line) to the south west Corner of Section

Road in Armstrong Township

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number thirty One in Town four South of Range Eleven West. the land on the North of said line belongs to Simon Prewit John Williams' heirs Simon Williams and Peter Isaacs. and on the South to Saml McDonald William Prewit. heirs of Henry Ewing heirs of John Williams, Rhodes Rogers and James A Ewing thence running South West through the North West quarter of the North West quarter of Section six in Township five South of range eleven west belonging to the heirs of James Broadis to the South West corner of said quarter Section thence South on the County line passing the South West Corner of the South West quarter of Section number Six. thence South West leaving the County line and running through a part of the North East quarter of the North East quarter of Section twelve in Town five South of range twelve west in Posey County belonging to Wendell Washburn and intersecting the Posey Mills and Evansville road near the Catholic Church

The Board having duly examined a disinterested person, under oath touching the matters required by the Statute in such Cases made, and provided, and having duly considering the matters And things contained in said petition, It is Ordered that Marshall McMurrain be and he is hereby Appointed a Commissioner for Vanderburgh County to unit a Commissioner from Posey County on the 30th day of September A.D. 1853 at the house of Saml McDonald Esq in Armstrong Township to qualify, and proceed to the Survey and location of said Road according to the provisions of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statute of 1852 & make Report thereof According to law

Same

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Supervisors Reports

Now here Thomas Gifford Supervisor of road district No 4 Pigeon Township for 1852, makes report of his acts & doings as such Supervisor which report is now here Approved

Now here Francis A Linch Supervisor of road district No 1 Knight Township for A.D. 1852 makes report of his acts and doings as such Supervisor which report is Now here Approved

Now here Jno D Knapp Supervisor of road district No 2 Knight Township for A.D. 1852 makes Report of his Acts and doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here approved

Now here Peter Vogle Supervisor of road district No 3 Knight Township for A.D. 1852 makes Report of his Acts and doings as such Supervisor which Report is Now here Approved

Now here Saml Bennet Supervisor of road District No 4 Knight Township for A.D. 1852 makes report of his acts and doings as such Supervisor which Report is Now here approved

Now here Joseph Parke Supervisor of road District No 1 Scott Township for A.D. 1852 makes Report of his Acts And doings as such Supervisor which Report is Now here Approved

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Now here Wm Bowyer Supervisor of Road District No 4 Scott Township for A.D. 1852 makes Report of his Acts And doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here Approved

Supervisor

Now here Peter Newman Supervisor of Road District No 3 Scott Township for A.D. 1852 Makes Report of his Acts and doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here Approved

of

Now here Richard Lichfield Supervisor of Road District No 1 Scott Township for A.D. 1852 Makes Report of his Acts and doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here Approved

Highways

Now here James Calvert Supervisor of Road District No 1 Armstrong Township for A.D. 1852 Makes Report of his Acts and doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here Approved

Reports

Now here Elsberry Rogers Supervisor of Road District No 5 Armstrong Township for A.D. 1852. Makes Report of his Acts And doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here Approved

Now here Rhods Rogers Supervisor of Road District No 6 Armstrong Township for A.D. 1852 Makes Report of his Acts And doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here Approved

Now here Isaac Cavins Supervisor of Road District No 2 Perry Township for 1852 makes Report of his Acts And doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here Approved

Now here George Pfifer Supervisor of Road District No 6 Perry Township for A.D. 1852 Makes Report of his Acts and doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here Approved

Now here Wendell Schnure Supervisor of Road District No 5 Perry Township for A.D. 1852 Makes Report of his Acts And doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here Approved

Now here Wm Ruston Supervisor of Road District No 1 Centre Township for A.D. 1852 Makes Report of his Acts And doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here Approved,

Now here Henry Euler Supervisor of Road District No 2 Centre Township for A.D. 1852 Makes Report of his Acts And doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here Approved

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Now here Joseph Sebastian Supervisor of Road District No 3 Centre Township for AD 1852 makes Report of his Acts and doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here approved

~~Ordered that Geo In~~ Now here Geo Linwood Supervisor of Road District No 4 Centre Township for AD 1852 makes Report of his Acts and doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here approved

Now here James Hayhurst Supervisor of Road district No 5 Centre Township for A.D. 1852 makes Report of his Acts and doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here approved

Supervisors of Highways Reports

Now here Robert Smith Supervisor of Road district No 6 Centre Township for 1852 makes Report of his Acts and doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here approved

Now here K. McJohnson Supervisor of Road district No 7 Centre Township for AD 1852 makes Report of his Acts and doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here approved

Now here John Rettig Supervisor of Road district No 1 German Township for AD 1852 makes report of his Acts and doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here approved

Now here Anthony Erbocker Supervisor of road district No 3 German Township for AD 1852 makes report of his Acts and doings as such Supervisor which report is now here approved

Now here Henry Baker Supervisor of road district No 4 German Township for AD 1852 makes Report of his Acts and doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here approved

Now here John E Wood Supervisor of road district No 5 German Township for AD 1852 makes Report of his Acts and doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here approved

Now here Jacob Raber Supervisor of Road district No 6 German Township for AD 1852 makes Report of his Acts and doings as such Supervisor which Report is now here approved

No 26 L $223 61/100 Ordered that Wm H Walker County Auditor be Allowed Two hundred and twenty three dollars and Sixty one Cents for services as County Auditor per bill on file

No 27 L $25 00/100 Ordered that Wm H Walker County Auditor be Allowed Twenty Five dollars for 3 months Ex Officio Services as County Auditor per bill on file

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No 28 L $159.50/100 Ordered that Wm Warren Township Assessor for Pigeon Township for AD 1853 be Allowed One hundred and fifty nine dollars and fifty Cents for assessing said Township per bill on file

No 29 L $10.50/100 Ordered that Wm Warren be Allowed Ten dollars and fifty Cents for assessing Pigeon Township per bill on file

No 30 L $41.65/100 Ordered that Lewis B. Day be Allowed Forty one dollars and sixty five cents for assessing Centre Township for 1853 per bill on file

No 31 L $6.00/100 Ordered that Lewis B Day be Allowed Six dollars for assessing Centre Township in AD 1853 per bill on file

No 32 L $31.90/100 Ordered that Ellsberry Armstrong be Allowed Thirty One dollars and ninety Cents for assessing ~~Centre~~ Township in AD 1853 per bill on file

No 33 L $6.00/100 Ordered that Ellsberry Armstrong be Allowed Six dollars for assessing Armstrong Township for AD 1853 per bill on file

Issd No 34 L $52.20/100 Ordered that Gramper W. Hardin be allowed Fifty Two dollars and twenty Cents for assessing Union Township for 1853 per bill on file

Issd No 35 L $6.00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker Ave be Allowed Six dollars for four days services as a member of the Board of Equalization in 1853 per bill on file

Issd No 36 L $6.00/100 Ordered that Wm Warren be Allowed Six dollars for 4 days services as a member of the Board of Equalization per bill on file

Issd No 37 L $1.50/100 Ordered that G. W. Hardin be Allowed One dollar and fifty Cents for 1 days services as a Member of the Board of Equalization in AD 1853 per bill on file

Issd No 38 L $15.40/100 Ordered that Mason O. Newman be Allowed Fifteen dollars and forty Cents for taking the Enumeration for 1853 per bill on file

Issd No 39 L $6.00/100 Ordered that Mason O. Newman be Allowed Six dollars for 4 days services as a Member of the Board of Equalization per bill on file

Issd No 40 L $6.00/100 Ordered that Ellsberry Armstrong be Allowed Six dollars for 4 days services as a Member of the Board of Equalization per bill on file

Issd No 41 L $42.30/100 Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be Allowed Forty Two Dollars and thirty Cents for assessing Knight Township for AD 1853 per bill on file

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No 42 L $46.10/100 Ordered that Edwin Johnston be Allowed Forty Six dollar and ten Cents for assessing ~~Lemon~~ in Scott Township for 1853 per bill on file

No 43 L $44.60/100 Ordered that Lewis Richter be Allowed Forty four dollars and sixty Cents for assessing German Township per bill on file

No 44 L $6.00/100 Ordered that Ind P. Grainger be Allowed Six dollars for 4 days services as a Member of the Board of Equalization per bill on file

No 45 L $6.00/100 Ordered that Lewis Richter be Allowed Six dollars for 4 days Servis as a Member of the Board of Equalization per bill on file

No 46 L $6.00/100 Ordered that Edwin Johnston be Allowed Six dollars for 4 days servis as a Member of the Board of Equalization in AD 1853 per bill on file

No 47 L $140.97/100 Ordered that Wm Shutt & Co be Allowed One hundred and forty dollars and Ninety Seven Cents for books & Stationary furnished County per bill on file

$16.77/100 No 48 L $16.77/100 Ordered that Wm Shutt & Co be Allowed Sixteen dollars and Seventy Seven Cents for Stationary furnished County per bill on file

No 49 L $0.75/100 Ordered that D. V. Grimes be Allowed Seventy five Cents for summons and Judge of an Election in German Township per bill on file

No 50 L $2.50/100 Ordered that Ind P. Grainger be Allowed Two dollars and fifty Cents for services as Inspector of Elections in Knight Township per bill on file

No 51 L $3.30/100 Ordered that Christian Pippus be Allowed Three dollars and thirty Cents for Running for county & articles, for Offin per bill on file

No 52 L $1.00/100 Ordered that Thos. D. Smith be Allowed One dollar for summoning a Jury for the Coroner per bill on file

No 53 L $14.48/100 Ordered that James Laughlin be Allowed Fourteen dollars and forty eight Cents for Materials furnish County for repairing Poor Asylum per bill on file

Ordered that the Board adjourne until tomorrow morning at 8 O'Clock

Edmd Maidlow Prest

June Term AD 1853

Saturday Morning at 8 Oclock the Board met pursuant to adjournment when the Members thereof were present as yesterday

Issd No 54 $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr Isaac Casselberry be allowed Twenty Five dollars for attending County Poor to June 1st 1853 per bill on file

Issd No 55 $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr Dawson be allowed Twenty Five dollars for attending County Poor to June 1st 1853 per bill on file

Issd No 56 $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr John L Walker be allowed Twenty Five dollars for attending the County Poor to June 1st 1853 per bill on file

Issd No 60 $13.27/100 Ordered that John L Terry be allowed Thirteen dollars and twenty seven cents for services as Sheriff notifying Grand Jurors per bill on file

Issd No 58 $17.20/100 Ordered that John L Terry be allowed Seventeen dollars and Twenty cents for expenses in the apprehension of persons who broke jail per bills on file

Issd No 59 $115.12/100 Ordered that John L Terry S.C. be allowed Sixty five dollars and twelve cents for part of his bills for dieting prisoners in County jail per bill on file

No 61 $40.26/100 Ordered that John L Terry S.C. be Allowed Forty dollars and twenty six cents for dieting Prisoners in County jail & services connected therewith per bill on file

No 62 $7.25/100 Ordered that W. Warren be Allowed Seven Dollars and twenty five cents for balance of bills for Assessing Pigeon Township for 1853 per bill on file

No 63 $25.00/100 Ordered that John L Terry S.C. be Allowed Twenty Five dollars for 3 months Ex Officio services as Sheriff to June 1st 1853 per bill on file

No 64 $3.60/100 Ordered that Hanson Warner Esq be Allowed Three dollars for superintending the bridge near Carpenters Mill per bill on file.

No 65 $5.00/100 Ordered that Wm Wells be Allowed Five dollars for timber furnished for bridge at the mouth of Pigeon Creek per bill on file.

No 66 $2.00/100 Ordered that E. M. Griffith be allowed Two dollars for goods furnished Sheriff per bill on file

No 67 $1.00/100 Ordered that James & Wm Reilly be Allowed one dollar for lime furnished Sheriff for County jail per bill on file

No 68 $24.50/100 Ordered that Morgan Rean & Preston be allowed Twenty Four dollars & fifty cents for goods furnish Sheriff for County jail per bill on file

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No 69 L $2.50/100 Ordered that Geo. W. Gluver be Allowed Two dollars and fifty Cents for hand Cuffs furnished County for use of Persons per bill on file

No 70 L $2.24/100 Ordered that James Swanson be allowed Two dollars and Twenty Four Cents for Coal furnish County for use of Jail

No 71 L $4.25/100 Ordered that Thomas Gifford be Allowed Four dollars & twenty five cents for services as Supervisor of roads in Pigeon Township for AD 1852

No 72 L $1.50/100 Ordered that Francis A. Sincke be Allowed One dollar and fifty Cents for services as Supervisor of roads in ~~Pigeon~~ Knox Township for AD 1852 per bill on file

No 73 L $3.75/100 Ordered that George P. Fifer be Allowed Three dollars and seventy five Cents for services as Supervisor of Roads in Perry Township for AD 1852 per bill on file

No 74 L $1.50/100 Ordered that Saml. Bennet be allowed ~~Three~~ One dollar and fifty cents services as Supervisor of roads in Knox Township for 1852

No 75 L $2.25/100 Ordered that L. J. Sebastian be Allowed Two dollars and Twenty Five Cents for services as Supervisor of road in AD 1852 in Centre Township

No 76 L $1.50/100 Ordered that Rhodes Reyes be Allowed One dollar and fifty Cents for services as Supervisor of roads in Armstrong Township for AD 1852 per bill on file

No 77 L $3.00/100 Ordered that John Rettig be Allowed three dollars, ~~and fifty Cents twenty five cents~~ for services as Supervisor of roads in ~~Armstrong~~ German Township in 1852 per bill on file

No 78 L $3.00/100 Ordered that W. Schnure be Allowed three dollars for services as supervisor of roads in German Township in AD 1852 per bill on file

Issd No 79 L $3.00/100 Ordered that Henry Baker Supervisor of roads in AD 1852 be Allowed three dollars for services as such Supervisor per bill on file

No 80 L $1.50/100 Ordered that George Inwood be allowed One dollar and fifty cents for services as Supervisor per bill on file

No 81 L $3.00/100 Ordered that Peter Newman be Allowed three dollars for services as supervisor of roads in A.D. 1852 per bill on file

No 82 L $1.50/100 Ordered that Kinlock McMcJohnston be Allowed one dollar and fifty cents for services as Supervisor in AD 1852 per bill on file.

No 83 L $3.00/100 Order that Ellsberry Rogers be Allowed be allowed three dollars for services as supervisor in AD 1852 per bill on file

No 84 L $1.50/100 Ordered that James Calvert be Allowed One dollar and fifty cents for services as Supervisor of roads in A.D. 1852 per bill on file

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No 851 $2.00/100 Ordered that Louis Richter Overseer of the Poor for German Township for A.D. 1852 be Allowed Two dollars for Services as such ~~Overseer~~ per bill on file,

No 86 L $1.25/100 Ordered that Wm Crisp be Allowed One dollar And twenty five Cents for ~~Services~~ conveying pauper to the County Poor Asylum per bill on file

No 87 L $3.00/100 Ordered that James Houston be Allowed three dollars for Services as Overseer of the poor in 2 for Centre Johnship per bill on file

No 88 L $7.00/100 Ordered that Richard Nash be Allowed Seven dollars for burrying a pauper per bill on file

No 89 L $1.00/100 Ordered that James J Walker be Allowed One dollar for acknowledging 4 Indentures for Paupers per bill on file

No 90 L $3.00/100 Ordered that A Arbogast be allowed three dollars for Services as Supervisor of roads in A.D. 1852 per bill on file

No 91 L $1.50/100 Ordered that Wm D Knapp be allowed One dollar & fifty Cents for Services as Supervisor in A.D. 1853 per bill on file

No 92 L $3.75/100 Ordered that Joseph Barker be Allowed three dollars and seventy five Cents for Services as Supervisor which is in full for 1852 per bill on file

No 93 L $2.50/100 Ordered that M Mentzer be Allowed Two dollars and fifty Cents for Services as Inspectors ~~returning~~ at an April Election in Perry Township for A.D. 1853 per bill on file

No 94 L $1.50/100 Ordered that C. Hornbrook be Allowed One dollar and fifty Cents for Services as Clerk at an April Election in Pigeon Township per bill on file

No 95 L $1.50/100 Ordered that Richard Partridge be Allowed One dollar and fifty Cents for Services as Judge at the April Election in A.D. 1853 per bill on file

No 96 L $1.50/100 Ordered that Thomas D. Smith be Allowed One dollar and fifty Cents for Services as Clerk at the April Election A.D. 1853 per bill on file

No 97 L $1.50/100 Ordered that M. Mass be Allowed One dollar and fifty Cents for Services as Judge of an Election in Pigeon Township for A.D. 1853 per bill on file

No 98 L $3.00/100 Ordered that Morrison Fitzgerald be Allowed three dollars for Services as Supervisor in Perry Township in A.D. 1852 per bill on file

No 99 L $1.50/100 Ordered that M. Fitzgerald be Allowed One dollar and fifty Cents for Services as Wood Viewer per bill on file

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No 100 L $1.50/100 Ordered that Kennada Higgenbotham be Allowed One dollar and fifty cents for Services as a Road View in German Perry Township per bill on file

No 101 L $1.00/100 Ordered that W. E. Green be Allowed One dollar for Summoning a Jury for the Coroner per bill on file

No 102 L $1.00/100 Ordered that E. H. Degarmo be Allowed One dollar for horse hire per bill on file

No 103 L $0.75/100 Ordered that A. Youngs be Allowed Seventy five Cents for Serving as Judge at the April election per bill on file

No 104 L $0.75/100 Ordered that A Youngs be Allowed Seventy five Cents for Serving as Judge at a special election in Centre Township per bill on file

No 105 L $5.25/100 Ordered that Wm Ruston be Allowed Five dollars and twenty five Cents for Serving as Supervisor for AD 1852 in Centre Township & for repairing pigeon bridge per bill on file

No 106 L $2.25/100 Ordered that Louis Richter be Allowed two dollars and twenty five Cents for Serving as Supervisor for German Township in AD 1852 per bill on file

Now here Louis Richter Supervisor of Road District No 2 German Township for AD 1852 Makes Report of his Acts and doings as such Supervisor which Report is Now here approved

No 107 L $3.00/100 Ordered that Dr John T. Fisher be Allowed three dollars for Serving as Judge of Elections in Union Township per bill on file

No 108 L $1.00/100 Ordered that A J Rowden be Allowed One dollar for Serving as returning Judge of an Election held in Union Township per bill on file

No 109 L $1.00/100 Ordered that John Bump be Allowed One dollar for returning Judge of an election in German Township per bill on file

No 110 L $16.50/100 Ordered that W. H. Walker be Allowed Sixteen dollars and fifty Cents cash paid by him for Map of Indiana & Stationary per bill on file

No 111 L $1.50/100 Ordered that Geo. W. Moore be Allowed One dollar and fifty Cents for Serving as Overseer of the poor for Union Township per bill on file

No 112 L $6.00/100 Ordered that Saml Williamson be Allowed Six dollars for attending to the family of Mrs Cady a pauper in Union Township per bill on file

Now here Morrison Fitzgerald Supervisor of Road District No 4 in Perry Township for AD 1852 Makes Report of his Acts and doings as such Supervisor which Report is Now here approved

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Now here Kennada Higginbotham and Morrison Fitzgerald two of the Commissioners heretofore appointed by this Board Come into Court an Report as follows, to wit;

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To the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

The undersigned having been appointed at the last setting of Your Honorable body begs leave to submit the following Report

That they met at the house of Esquire Neels in Perry Township Vanderburgh County. And proceeded to mark and lay out the following road, to wit; After having been duly sworn to perform according to Law, and to the best of their ability their duty — Beginning at a Stake Marked "A" in the South West quarter of section seventeen in Township Six South of Range Eleven West, which land belongs to J.W. & W.A. Rockwell. Thence running on a dividing ridge in a North westerly direction through the lands of J. H. Smith and Christian Hedenbauch, due east about 30 rods, thence running North East to the lands of John F. Clashide in Perry Township, thence through the lands of Laurence Droll & Andrew Seipert until it intersects the New Harmony Road at a White Oak tree Marked letter "H" near the Corner of the lands of John Rockenmier in German Township. And that we furthermore believe it to be a road of public Utility"

Road Viewers Report of A Road in Perry & German

Kennada Higginbotham
Morrison Fitzgerald

Now here the Board after duly Considering said Report It is Ordered that said Report be approved and the road therein designated, Opened to the width of thirty feet and kept in good traveling order,

Now here John Walsh Treasurer elect of Vanderburgh County, produces to this Board his Bond as such Treasurer for their approval which Bond is in words and figures following, to wit;

"Know all men by these presents that we John Walsh Nathan Rowley John Henson Madison J. Bray Crawford Bell, Robert Fergus, John H. Bofandick Decker & Kramer Theodore Venemann & John M. App are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of Sixty Thousand Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we do hereby bind Ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and

Treasurers Bond

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Severly firmly by these presents, signed and sealed on this first day of January A.D. 1853

Whereas the above bounden John Walsh was on the second Tuesday in October AD 1852, duly elected County Treasurer for the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana by the qualified Voters of said County, to serve for the Term of Two Years from and after the expiration of the Term of the present incumbent Robert W. Dunbar to said office, and until his successor shall be elected and qualified,

Treasurers

Bond

Now Therefore the condition of the above obligation is such, That if the above bounden John Walsh shall pay over all moneys that shall come into his hands for State County Road, School and other purposes, and shall in all other respects promptly honestly and faithfully discharge all and singular the duties of his said office according to law, then the above obligation shall be null and void, otherwise be and remain in full force and virtue

John Walsh (Ls)
Nathan Rowley (Ls)
John Hewson (Ls)
Mef Bray (Ls)
C. V. Bell (Ls)

J. H. Bofandick (Ls)
Decker & Kramer (Ls)
Robert Fergus (Ls)
Theodore Venemann (Ls)
John M. App (Ls)

Approval

The Board after duly considering said "Bond" and the things therein, order that said Bond be and it is now here approved. And it is further ordered that said Bond be properly placed on file

Ordered that the Board adjourn until ~~tomorrow~~ Monday morning at at nine Oclock Edmd Maidlow Presd

Monday morning at 9 O'clock the Board met pursuant to adjournment present as of Saturday

No 113 L = $100.00/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed one hundred dollars for keeping paupers at the county poor asylum per bill on file

No 114 L $60.00/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed Sixty Dollars for keeping the county poor asylum per bill on file

No 115 L $64.52/100 Ordered that Rob Barnes be allowed Sixty Four dollars and fifty two cents for goods furnished paupers per bill on file

No 116 L $83.80/100 Ordered that Ellis & Schlamp be allowed Eighty Three dollars, and Eighty cents for Groceries & Provisions furnished County poor per bill

No 117 L $25.00/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed Twenty Five dollars, for burrying paupers per bill on file

No 118 L $100.00/100 Ordered that Wm H Walker ave be allowed One hundred dollars, for filing papers for county per bill on file

No 119 L $65.12/100 Ordered that Wm H Walker ave be allowed Sixty Five dollars and twelve cents for filing papers for County per bill on file

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Report of the Condition and Operation of the Common School Fund of Vanderburgh County, for the Year ending March 1st 1853

Report

Surplus Revenue Fund	4.095 96	
Congressional Township Fund	22,945 75	
Bank Tax Fund	443 00	
Saline Fund	335 00	
Seminary Fund	5.753 97	
Total Amount	33.573 68	

Amount Refunded within the Year	3,971 99
Amount Released	4.455 00
Balance on hand	2,529 04
Amount of Fund loaned on real estate	32,363 20
Amount of Fund loaned on personal security	1,210 48
Amount of Fund lost or unsafe	I believe the funds all to be safe
Amount of Interest received within the Year	2,694 10
Amount of Interest distributed	1.339 77
Balance of Interest on hand	2.221 60
Incidental expenses of Fund	470 50

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } ss

The undersigned Commissioners Auditor and Treasurer of said County, certify that the foregoing report is correct, as appears from the records in the Office of said Auditor.

Witness our hands, this 6th day of June 1853

Edmd. Maidlow
Grampee W Hardin } Commissioners

William H Walker Auditor
R.W. Dunbar Treasurer

Two Copies of the foregoing Report sent to Indianapolis One to the Superintendent and One to the Auditor of State

Issd No 120 L $23 88/100 Ordered that Wm H Walker A.V.C. be allowed Twenty Three dollars and eighty Eight Cents for filing papers for County per bill on file

Now here George Bates Keeper of the County Poor Asylum files his report as such Keeper which report is now here approved

Treasurers Report

Now here Robert W. Dunbar County Treasurer of Vanderburgh County submits to this Board his Annual Report as such Treasurer Shewing Receipts at the County Treasury for the fiscal year ending May 31st 1853 to the amount of 45.651.67/100 dollars. And disbursements to the amount of 38.958.14/100 dollars. leaving a balance in the County Treasury

on ~~May 31st 18~~ June 1st 1853 of 6.693.53/100 dollars. And the Board proceeds to the examination of the Treasurers Office & Counts the money and finds the following funds on hand to wit

Cash (in Paper Bank notes)	4.530.56
" uncurrent " "	24.00
Gold	80.00
County Orders redeemed	2,062.56
Total Amount	$6,697.12

The Board having completed said examination and examined the report and calculations critically It is ordered that said Report be approved and placed on file in the Office of the County Auditor

Now here the County Treasurer files his quarterly report which report is now here approved

Issd No 181 L $10.00/100 Ordered that Thomas E. Garvin Esqr be Allowed Ten dollars for Services in Case of C Beppus on Appeal per bill on file

Now here the Board proceeds with the Clerk of the Circuit Court to ~~draw~~ Select & draw the two panels of Grand Juries one for the October and one for the April Term ~~[illegible]~~ next hereafter of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court and the following named persons were drawn for the first panel, Viz;

Grand Jurors

From Pigeon Township Saml L. Olmsted John A. Reitz Philip Decker — From Knight Township William M. Knight From Scott Township John G. Potts and Henry M. Wheeler From Armstrong Township Kirby Armstrong From Perry Township James Blackburn From Union Township Thomas Hawkins From Centre Township John Erskine From German Township Reuben Hopkins, and Andrew Schmidt

And at the same time and in the same manner the following named persons were selected and drawn to compose the second panel of Grand Jurors, said Panel being for the April Term aforesaid of said Court, Viz

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For Pigeon Township	Frances Amory John B. Ahlering & William Brown
From Knight Township	John James
From Scott Township	Moses Barnes
From Armstrong Township	John A. Ewin
From Perry Township	John B. Neel William McCrary
From Union Township	Young E. McClendon
From Centre Township	Patrick Keegan Edward Burtis

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From German Township. John Jarvis

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow Morning at nine O'Clock

Edwd Maidlow Pres.

Tuesday Morning June 14th A.D. 1853 the the Board Met pursuant to adjournment when the members thereof were present as of Yesterday

W. E. Green Constable

Ordered that William E. Green be Appointed Constable for Pigeon Township to serve until the next April election and until his Successor Shall be elected and qualified

Issd No 122 L $8.40/100 Ordered that Lawrence Druly be Allowed Eight dollars forty cents for Cash by him paid as damages awarded & spent for private road

Issd No 123 L $18.00/100 Ordered that George Baty be Allowed Eighteen Dollars for the purpose of Shipping the Cady family off from the County, said sum to be drawn at the time of Shipping said pauper family away

Issd No 124 L $6.00/100 Ordered that ~~Saml Murray~~ George Bates be Allowed Six dollars ~~for~~ the purpose of Sending away from the County Samuel Murray said sum to be drawn at the time of Shipping said pauper off

Issd No 125 L $3.25/100 Ordered that Saml Sisler be Allowed three dollars and twenty five Cents for Stationary for Auditor per bill on file

Issd No 126 L $24.00/100 Ordered that A. H. Saunders be Allowed Twenty Four dollars for Advertising the Report of Receipts & Expenditures for 1852 per bill on file

School Examrs & Copied

Ordered that the Rev. Alexander Sterrett Hugh Ronalds M. D and Samuel Orr Esq be and they Are hereby Appointed School Examiners for Vanderburgh County to serve until the first Monday in March A.D. 1854

Now here It is ordered all the Domestic Animals ~~Cattle~~ Shall be Allowed to run at large and pasture upon the unenclosed lands within the bounds of each of the Several Townships of Vanderburgh County, except as is hereinafter provided, ~~viz~~ Namely that No male horse Mule or Ass not a Gelding over the age of One Year Shall be permitted to run at large on any public Common or unenclosed lands in any of the Townships of this County. And it is further ordered that no Mare Over the age of Six Month Shall be permitted to run at large in any Township in the County of Vanderburgh

Now here Robert Parrett Supervisor of Road district No 1 Pigeon for A.D. 1852 Makes report of his Acts and doings as such Supervisor which report is now here Approved

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Ordered that ~~an appropriation of~~ a sum not to exceed Thirty dollars be and it is hereby appropriated out of the County Treasury for the relief of John Rocket a pauper in Armstrong Township, said appropriation to be applied under the superintendence of Edmund Maidlow Esquire. and that he have power to grant the whole or a part of said sum for the relief of said Rocket, at his discression. said sum to be drawn upon his order in such amounts as he may think proper to draw said appropriation

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Levy for 1853

It is now here ordered that for the purposes of Revenue for the Year 1853 This Board Fixes the Taxes as follows to wit;

For State Expenditures as Fixed by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana at twenty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of property made taxable by law, and cents on each and every taxable Poll. assessed and returned for said Year

And for County Expenditures. Twenty Five cents on on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property as aforesaid. And One dollar on each, and every taxable poll returned for said Year

And for School Purposes as Fixed by the General Assembly at ten cents on each One hundred dollars worth of Property as aforesaid

And for the purpose of providing for the interest on the Bonds issued by the County for Stock in the Evansville and Illinoise Rail Road Company, fifteen cents on ~~all taxable prop~~ each One hundred dollars worth of property as Aforesaid

And for Township and School purposes as assessed and Fixed by the Several Township Boards as follows, to wit;

For Pigeon Township ten cents on each One hundred dollars worth of taxable property for Township purposes

And for Knight Township ten cents for Township purposes. And twenty five cents for School purposes, on each one hundred dollars worth of property made taxable by law And twenty five cents on each and every taxable poll

And for Scott Township five cents for Township purposes. And ten cents for School purposes on each One hundred dollars worth of taxable property as aforesaid. And fifty cents on each and every taxable poll

And for Armstrong Township ~~Township~~ Six cents, on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property as Aforesaid for Township purposes

And for Perry Township ten cents on each One hundred dollars as aforesaid. for Township purposes

And for Union Township ten cents on each One hundred dollars worth of property as aforesaid for Township purposes

*Hand for the Purchase of Township School Libraries two and one half cents for 1853 which was omitted in the Levy of last Year and two and a half cents for AD 1853 – together five cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property as aforesaid, and twenty five cents on each taxable Poll & Also Two cents as aforesaid for Sinking Fund

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And for Centre Township ten Cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property as aforesaid for School purposes

And for German Township ten Cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property for Township purposes, and ten Cents on each One hundred dollars worth of property as aforesaid for School purposes (* Folio 490)

Township Assessors

It is now here Ordered that in the Opinion of this Board it is the duty of each Township Assessor According to the Statutes of 1852 to Swear each and every resident inhabitant of the County, whether such inhabitant represents to such assessor that he has or has not such personal property as is embraced in Statement No 1 ~~or not~~ of the Blanks used by such assessors in their assessments of property, for 1853

Ordered that the Board adjourn to meet at the residence of Alanson Warner Esq. tomorrow morning at nine O'clock

Wednesday Morning June 15th the Board met pursuant to adjournment when present Alanson Warner Edmund Maidlow and Grampee W. Hardin Esqr members composing said Board

R.W. Dunbar pay School Mortgages

It is now here Ordered that the County Treasurer R.W. Dunbar Esqr be authorized ordered and directed to pay two mortgages of given by George B. Wagnon and wife to the State of Indiana to secure the payment of School Funds, which mortgages are upon the property purchased ~~of~~ by the County of said Wagnon subject to said mortgages, One for 230.00/100 dollars & One for 170.00/100 dollars & this shall be his voucher therefor,

Issd No 132 S $417.47/100

R.W. Dunbar

Ordered that Robert W. Dunbar Esqr be Allowed the sum of Four hundred and Seventeen dollars and forty seven Cents, ~~as set~~ which sum was stolen from his office as set forth in his petition to this Board, which said petition was sworn to by said Dunbar, and signed by John S. Hopkins. Francis A. Sinck, George Bates, Saml L. Olmsted, and Others and placed upon the files of the Office of the County Auditor, which sum shall be considered in full of all demands on account of principal interest ~~&~~ any other claim that are on or out of said claim

Sale of Seminary Land

Now here this Board recommends to the Treasurer and County Auditor the propriety of deferring the sale of the County Seminary lot until the Spring of 1854 say some six months from this period It being to the advantage of the fund as this Board believes to make sale of said tract in the Spring aforesaid instead of a period nearer at hand

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Ord No 127 L $38.00/100 Ordered that A. H. Saunders be Allowed Thirty Eight dollars for Advertising for County per bill on file

Rescinding Order

It is now here ordered by this Board that the following entitled Orders be and they are hereby rescinded by this Board to wit. An "Order that the Board adjourn until tomorrow Morning at 8 Oclock" on Folio 474 and the Meeting of the County Board on Wednesday Morning June 8th immediately following said first Order & one Order on Folio 491 at the bottom thereof

Said No 128 L $9.00/100 Ordered that Alanson Warner Esq be Allowed Nine dollars for three days Services as a Member of the County Board at the present term thereof

Said No 129 L $27.00/100 Ordered that Edmund Maidlow Esq be Allowed Twenty Seven dollars for Nine days Official Services as a Member of the County Board at the present Term thereof

Said No 130 L $10.80/100 Ordered that Grampee W. Hardin Esq be Allowed Ten dollars for part of his Services as a Member of the County Board at the present June Term thereof

Said No 131 L $13.95/100 Ordered that Grampee W. Hardin be Allowed Thirteen dollars and ~~Two~~ Ninety five Cents for balance in full of his Services as a Member of the County Board at the present June term thereof

Ordered that the Board Adjourn until Court in Course

Edmd Maidlow Pres't
A. Warner
Grampee W. Hardin

In Vacation August 6th A.D. 1853

Edmund Maidlow and Grampus H. Hardin two of the Members Composing the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County Met at the Office of the County Auditor, for the Purpose of Approving the Sheriff bond, and at the same time John Smith Gavitt Sheriff elect produces to the said Members of the County board a majority of the Members of said Board being present, — his bond in words and figures following to wit

Know all Men by these Presents that we John Smith Gavitt William Bell Solomon Stahn And Abraham Gumbert are held And firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of Five Thousand Dollars, for the Payment Whereof well and truly to be made and done we do severally bind Ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly And severally firmly by these Presents, Signed and sealed on this 6th day of August A.D. 1853

The Condition of the Above Obligation is such that if the above bounden John Smith Gavitt who was duly elected Sheriff of Vanderburgh County at the October Election 1852 by the qualified Voters of said County Shall safely Keep And pay Over to the proper persons or Authority entitled thereto, All Moneys that may come into his hands by Virtue of his said Office, and diligently And faithfully discharge All and Singular the duties of his said office of Sheriff according to law during his Continuance in said Office then this Obligation Shall be Void, Otherwise be and remain in full force And Virtue in Law

John Smith Gavitt [Seal]
William Bell [Seal]
S. Graham [Seal]
A Gumberts [Seal]

The Members of the Board having duly Considered said Bond And the ~~Sum~~ Securities thereon approve and Accept the Same

Said Bond after being approved was filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court

Edmd Maidlow Pres.t
Grampus H. Hardin

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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 County Auditors office. (the Common Pleas Court being in session at the Court House) on the first Monday in September A.D. 1853. being on the fifth day of said Month. when present Edmund Maidlow and Grampee W. Hardin Esqs two of and a Majority of the Members Composing said County Board

Now here the Board proceeds to the Examination of the papers filed in the Case of William McLutchan & Others ~~on~~ appealed from the Board of Trustees of Centre Township. And the board Now here postpones the further examinations of said Case until two o'clock P.M.

Issd No 380 L $0\frac{75}{100}$ Ordered that Zerah Fairchild be allowed seventy five Cents for services as Clerk at a Special election in Centre Township held in 1853 per certificate & bill on file

Issd No 381 L $0\frac{75}{100}$ Ordered that Zerah Fairchild be Allowed seventy five Cents for services as Clerk of an election in Centre Township per certificate on file

Issd 382 L $3\frac{50}{100}$ Ordered that Sherman Fairchild be Allowed three dollars and fifty Cents for services as Inspector and returning Judge for Centre Township per bill on file

Issd 383 L $15\frac{90}{100}$ Ordered that the Indiana Hospital For the Insane be Allowed fifteen dollars and ninety two Cents for Clothing furnished sundry inmates of said Institution from Vanderburgh County per bills on file

Issd 384 L $3\frac{75}{100}$ Ordered that Jacob Raber be Allowed three dollars ~~and ten~~ seventy five Cents for services as Supervisor of road in district No 6 German Townsh for 1852 & hawling two load loads of lumber for bridges per bill on file

Issd No 385 L $25\frac{00}{100}$ Ordered that Doc. Isaac Lasselberry be Allowed twenty five dollars for services as Physician to the County Poor per bill on file

Issd No 386 L $25\frac{00}{100}$ Ordered that Dr Danl. Morgan be Allowed twenty five dollars for services as Physicians to the County Poor per bill on file

Issd No 387 L $25\frac{00}{100}$ Ordered that Dr John T. Walker be Allowed twenty five dollars for services as Physician to the County Poor per bill on file

Issd No 388 L $133\frac{00}{100}$ Ordered that Jacob Sunkenheimer Clerk of the V.C. Court be Allowed one hundred and thirty three dollars for registering free Negros per bill on file

Now here the Board postpones the further Consideration of the Appeal Case from Centre Township until tomorrow Morning at 10 o'clock A.M.

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State of Indiana

vs

George W. Moore & Harvey F. Calloway Trustees of Union Township

Now at this time to wit on the fifth day of September AD 1853 Comes William G. McDowell complaining witness on behalf of the State and files his Complaint verified by his oath, Against the said George W. Moore and Harvey F. Calloway, Trustees as aforesaid. And the defendants Also Come in their Own proper persons and by ~~attorn~~ Counsel, And the Court having heard the testimony of witnesses - to wit John T. Fisher Andrew J. Rowden Isaac Catlett, James Watts, William G. McDowell Shaply Neal and William A. Catlett and listend to the Arguments of Counsel, And being sufficiently advised of in and Concerning the premises, it is therefore Considered And adjudged, That the evidence submitted in this Cause is not sufficient to sustain the Charges prefered against said Trustees and that the application for the removal of said Trustees be dismissed.

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Ordered that the Board adjourne until until tomorrow morning at 8 O'clock

Edmd Maidlow Prest

Tuesday Morning Septr 6th the Board met pursuant to adjournment when present as of Yesterday,

William McCutchan & Others

vs appealed from Centre Township

The Board of Trustees of Centre Township Now here at this time to wit; on the Sixth day of September AD 1853 the Board resumes the Consideration of said Cause. And William McCutchan and & Others by Counsel appear befor ~~said~~ this Board. And the members of the Township Board in their Own proper person appear and defend said Cause. And the Board having heard the testimony of Witnesses and the arguments of Counsel and being sufficiently advised of in and Concerning the premises, it is therefore Considered, and adjudged, that the manner in which the Board of Trustees have Acted upon the whole Matter As presented herein, is illegal: and that in Consequence thereof road District Number Seven (7) is a legalized road District, And that the decision of the Trustees of Centre Township in this Cause be reversed and Annulled. and that the Auditor certify the same to said Township Trustees

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Issd No 389 S $69.10/100 Ordered that John S. Terry S.V.C. be Allowed Sixty nine dollars and ten Cents. Committing dieting and discharging prisoners to August 27th 1853 per bill on file

Issd No 390 S $2.00/100 Ordered that John Strucks be Allowed Two dollars for whitewashing jail per bill on file

Issd No 391 S $2.53/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be Allowed two dollars and fifty three Cents for sewing notices on jurors per bill on file

Issd No 392 S $1.25/100 Ordered that George Williamson be Allowed One dollar and twenty five Cents for Articles furnished for burrying a pauper in Union Township per bill on file

Issd No 393 S $20.00/100 Ordered that John S. Terry be Allowed Twenty dollars for Ex Officio serves to August 28th 1853 as Sheriff per bill on file

Constable

It is now here Ordered that William J. Adlersberg be and he is hereby Appointed a Constable in and for Pigeon Township to serve until the next April election and until his successor shall be elected and qualified

Appointment of Simeon Long Trustee of Union Township

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It is now here Ordered that Simeon Long Esqr be And he is hereby Appointed Township Trustee for Union Township to fill the Vacancy Occasioned by the Resignation of George Wesley Moore to serve until the next April election And until his successor shall be elected And qualified

Students to Indiana University

It is now here Ordered that John W. Foster be and he is hereby Selected by this Board as a Student from this County to fill the Vacancy in the Indiana University, ~~to~~ which this County is entitled, for the purpose of being educated free of Charge for tuition

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Students to the Indiana University

It is now here Ordered that William H. Walker junior be And he is hereby Selected by this Board as a Student from this County to be educated free of Charge for tuition, to fill the Vacancy in the Indiana University, to which this County may be entitled

This appointment will be entitled to the Students being given to the University

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 Oclock

Edmd Maidlow Presr

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Wednesday September 7th at 9 Oclock P.M. the Board met pursuant to adjournment when the Members thereof were present As of Yesterday

Iss'd No 3942 $4.00/100 Ordered that Robert Fergus be Allowed four dollars for a coffin furnished the Owners of the poor of Union Township for a pauper per bill on file

Iss'd No 3951 $1.77/100 Ordered that I. M. Caldwell be Allowed one dollar and Seventy Seven Cents for good furnished the Owners of the poor for paupers

Iss'd No 3962 $8.58/100 Ordered that James Scantlin be Allowed eight dollars and fifty eight Cents for tinware furnished County for use of prisoners in County Jail per bill on file

Iss'd No 3975 $3.00/100 Ordered that James G. Patton be Allowed three dollars for summoning jurors & witnesses for Coroner per bill on file

Iss'd No 3985 $84.61/100 Ordered that the Hon Conrad Baker be Allowed Eighty Four dollars and Sixty one Cents for One quarters Salary for services as Judge of the Common Pleas Court

Ordered that the Hon Conrad Baker be Allowed Eighty four dollars and Sixty One Cents for One quarters Salary ending Oct 1st 1853. for Services as Judge of the Common Pleas Courts — to be issued on the 1st Oct inst if the Sums shall at that time be rendered. per bill on file

Iss'd No 3992 $21.50/100 Ordered that Edmund Maidlow be Allowed Twenty One dollars and fifty Cents for furnishing provision & cash to Esau Newman for John Rogers a pauper per a former Order of this Board. & Services & expenses attending the for expenditure of said funds

Ordered that the Board adjourne until tomorrow Morning at 8 Oclock

Edmd Maidlow Presdt

Thursday morning September 8th at 8 O'Clock the Board met pursuant to adjournment when present as of Yesterday

Iss'd No 4002 $25.00/100 Ordered that William H. Mallen be Allowed Seventy Five Dollars, for one quarters Services as County Auditor to September 8th 1853 per bill on file

Iss'd No 4012 $12.00/100 Ordered that William Lennard be allowed Twelve Dollars for balance of bill for binding the Statutes of Indiana for the County per bill on file

Iss'd No 4022 $5.00/100 Ordered that Joseph Newman be Allowed five dollar for attending a pauper in Scott Township per bill on file

Iss'd No 4032 $90.00/100 Ordered that George Bates be Allowed Ninety Dollars for Keeping the county poor Asylum to Sept 1st 1853. for one quarter per bill on file

Iss'd No 4042 $37.50/100 Ordered that George Bates be Allowed Thirty Seven Dollars for burying paupers per bill on file

Now here John Walsh County Treasurer files his quarterly report with this Board & the Board now here approves the same

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Issd No 405 L $53, 32/100 Ordered that George Bates be Allowed Fifty Three dollars and thirty two cents for money expended sendering paupers from the County per bill on file

Issd No 406 L $90.00/100 Ordered that Ellis & Schlamp be Allowed Ninty dollars, and Ninety Five cents for provisions & Groceries furnished the County poor Asylum per bill on file

It is now hereby Ordered that Mason A. Newman be and he is
Copied hereby Appointed a Trustee in and for Perry Township to fill the Vacancy Occasioned by the resignation of John Darling - to serve untill the next April Election and until his successor shall be elected and qualified

It is now here Ordered that James T. Walker be and he
Copied is hereby Appointed a Trustee in and for Pigeon Township to serve until the next April election and until his successor shall be elected and qualified to fill a Vacancy Occasioned by the Resignation of James E. Blythe

Issd No 407 L $4.00/100 Ordered that Saml. Williamson be Allowed Four dollars for balance in full of bill for furnishing paupers with provision per bill on file

It is now here Ordered that Edmund Maidlow Esqr be
Issued And he is hereby Appointed by this Board their agent attorney And proxy to cast the vote of this County on the first monday in October next on Two Thousand Shares of Stock in the Evansville and Crawfordsville Rail Road Company (which stock is owned by the County of Vanderburgh) for thirteen Directors of said Rail Road

It is now here ordered that an Appropriation
Issued of Forty dollars be and it is hereby made by this Board for the purpose of purchasing wood for the County & sawing and splitting the same. and that the Auditor be authorized Ordered and instructed to issue an order or orders for said appropriation upon the Treasurer of the County for the purchase of said wood & sawing & splitting the same.

Ordered that the Board adjourne until ~~Court in Court~~ tomorrow morning at Nine Oclock

Edmd Maidlow Prest

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Friday morning Sept 9th 1853 the Board met pursuant to adjournment when the members thereof were present as of Yesterday

It is now here ordered that this Board appropriate the sum of Seventy ~~Four~~ Dollars to be in part or in whole by Edmund Maidlow Esqr. expended for the relief of one John Rocket a temporary pauper now lying sick in Armstrong Township.

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It is now here Ordered that George N. Glover be Allowed Twelve dollars and fifty Cents for one half of the Claim in his petition for money by him spent capturing and bringing to justice a Criminal by the name of ~~August~~ August Meyer

Issd No 3781 $100.00/100 Ordered that James Roquet be Allowed One Hundred dollars for part pay on the Chang in roofing the Court House made at at the Special March Term 1853

Issd No 3791 $100.00/100 Ordered that James Roquet be Allowed One hundred dollars being with the above one half the Amount per Contract made at the Special March Term 1853 for roofing the Court House with Slate instead of tin

It is now here Ordered

Now here James Roquet the builder of the Court House agrees with this Board to place a dome upon the roof of the said Court House instead of the Cupola agreed upon in the Original Plans of said building. Said dome to be built in a good and workmanlike Manner to the Acceptance of said Board and According to a Specification ~~here~~ filed at this term & Marked No 2 and a profile of said dome attached to original plan No 5, which said last mentioned plan is a front view of the said Court House.

Signed

And in Consideration of said Roquets building said dome as Specified in said plan and to the acceptance of this Board, It is Ordered that he be Allowed the Sum of three Hundred dollars payable at the time of Commencing said work and a further Sum, with the three hundred, in all not to exceed five hundred dollar at the time of Completing the same. said last mentioned Sum to be estimated by two Architects from an examination of the work, - One of whome shall be Selected by this Board and the other by James Roquet, - And Should said referees not be able to agree upon the estimate Value of said work they shall have power to chose a third whose decission in the matter shall be final, both of in the opinion of said referees said first sum shall be sufficient to compensate for

And It is Now here understood by said James Roquet And this Board that the aforesaid alteration shall in no wise Change or affect the Original Contract further than said alteration is Concerned

Issd No 4081 $100.00/100 Ordered that William N. Walker be Allowed one hundred dollars for auditing for County per bill on file

ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 oclock Edmd Maidlow Chrm

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Saturday morning at 9 o'clock the board met pursuant to adjournment when present as of yesterday

Issd No 409 L $58.00/100 Ordered that William H. Walker be Allowed Fifty Eight dollars for Auditing for County per bill on file

Issd No 410 L $17.00/100 Ordered that William H. Walker be Allowed Seventeen dollars for Auditing for County per bill on file

Issd No 411 L $22.00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be Allowed Twenty Two dollars for Auditing for County per bill on file

Issd No 412 L $27.00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be Allowed Twenty Seven dollars for Auditing for County per bill on file

Issd No 413 L $86.00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be Allowed Eighty Six dollars for Auditing for County per bill on file

Issd No 414 L to 425 L both inc Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed One hundred and twenty dollars for Auditing for county per bill on file to be issued in ten ~~dollar~~ orders

Issd No 426 L $100.00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed one hundred dollars for Auditing for County per bill on file

Issd No 427 L $57.66/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed Fifty Seven dollars and Sixty Six Cents per bill on file

Issd No 428 L $6.05/100 Ordered that Rathbone & Wheeler be Allowed Six dollars and five Cents for Stationary for County per bill on file

Issued 8 copies

Now here It has been shewn to this board that funds held by Township Treasurers in this County have been to some extent misapplied or diverted from ~~their~~ legitimate purposes as intended by law. Therefore It is now here ordered that the Trustees of the several Townships in this County be and they are hereby directed to apply the School funds of their respective Townships to Educational purposes only

Issd No 429 L $187.70/100 Ordered that William H. Walker be Allowed One hundred and eighty seven dollars and Seventy Cents for Auditing for County per bill on file

Issd No 430 L $4.45/100 Ordered that William H. Walker be Allowed Four dollars & forty five Cents for cash paid for Stationary for County per bill on file

Issd No 431 L $38.00/100 Ordered that Thomas Gifford be Allowed Thirty Eight dollars for extra work on and alought the bridge near Negleys over Pigeon creek

It is now here ordered that the Auditor be hereby Authorized Ordered & directed to issue an order ~~of~~ to the Township Treasurer of Pigeon Township ~~the~~ for the sum of One hundred and fifty dollars which sum this board appropriates for the purpose of building a Stone Culvert on the Green River road leading from the Princeton State road to Negleys Mill, said sum to be issued so soon as the road shall be properly established by the Board of Township Trustees, and

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the Appropriation is made upon the express understanding that the right of way shall be granted to the Township Trustees of Pigeon Township. said road to be a County Highway.

Issd No 4332 $1.00/100 Ordered that Edmund Maidlow Esq be Allowed One dollar for inspecting the Abutments at the end of Pigeon bridge near Negley Mill.

Issd No 4333 $3.00/100 Ordered that Edmund Maidlow Esq be Allowed Three Dollars for one days Servis as County Commn on August 6th 1853

Issd No 4334 $3.00/100 Ordered that Grainger W. Hardin Esq be Allowed Three dollars for one days Servis as County Commissioner on August 6th 1853

Issd No 4335 $18.00/100 Ordered that Edmund Maidlow Esq be Allowed Eighteen Dollars for Six days Servis as County Commissioners at the present September Session 1853

Issd No 4361 $18.00/100 Ordered that Grainger W. Hardin be Allowed Eighteen Dollars for Six Days Servis as County Commissioner at the present September Term 1853

Ordered that the Board adjourn until the Court in Course

Edmd Maidlow Pres.t
Grainger W. Hardin

Record of Certificates of Lots Sold by the County Treasurer in the Subdivision of the County Seminary Lot of Vanderburgh County

No 1

This Certifies that on the 15th day of October AD1853 at a public Sale by Auction held at the Court House door in Evansville Vanderburgh County Indiana pursuant to legal Notice given, Joseph Vennemann did bid off and purchase for Sum of Six Hundred and Eighty Five Dollars. Lot Number One (1) in the Subdivision of the County Seminary Lot of Vanderburgh According to the Plat of said Subdivision as recorded in Book "A" of the Record of Town Plats of said County at Pages 34 & 35 upon the following Condition, to wit: The said Sum of Six Hundred and Eight Five Dollars, to be paid in ten equal annual installments with interest thereon at the rate of seven per Cent per Annum payable annually in advance

Now Therefore Be It Known, That if the said Joseph Vennemann shall pay to the Treasurer of said County or to his Successor in office the said Sum of Six Hundred and Eighty Five Dollar, with interest thereon Annually in advance, as above Specified, Then the said Joseph Vennemann his heirs or Assigns shall be entitled to receive a deed for said lot According to the Provisions of Chapter 94 Revised Statutes of 1852 under which said lot was Sold

In Witness whereof the said County Treasurer has hereunto Set his hand, And the Auditor of said County has hereunto set his hand and the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 17th Day of October AD1853

John Walsh County Treasurer
William H. Walker County Auditor

Recorded Novr 1st 1853
Wm H. Walker Ave

No 2

This Certifies that on the 15th day of October A.D. 1853 At a public Sale by Auction, held at the Court House door in Evansville Vanderburgh County Indiana pursuant to legal Notice given, Joseph Kaiser did bid off and purchase for the Sum of Six Hundred and Seventy Dollars Lot number Two (2) in the Subdivision of the County Seminary Lot of Vanderburgh County, According to the Plat of said Subdivision as recorded in Book "A" of the Records of Town Plat of said County at Pages 34 & 35, upon the following Conditions, to Wit; The said Sum of Six Hundred and Seventy Dollars to be paid in ten equal Annual instalments with interest thereon, at the rate of Seven per Cent per Annum, payable Annually in advance

Now Therefore Be It Known that if the said Joseph Kaiser shall pay to the Treasurer of said County or to his Successor in

Office the said Sum of Six Hundred and Seventy Dollars with interest thereon Annually in advance as above Specified. Then the said Joseph Larsen his heirs or assigns shall be entitled to receive a deed for said lot according to the provisions of Chapter 97 of the Revised Statutes of 1852 under which said lot was sold

In Witness whereof the County Treasurer of said County and the County Auditor of said County have hereunto set their hands and the Auditor has Affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 17th day of October AD 1853

John Walsh County Treasurer
William H. Walker County Auditor

Recorded Nov 1st 1853
Wm H. Walker A.C.

No 3

This Certifies that on the 15th day of October A.D. 1853 at a public Sale by Auction held at the Court House Door in Evansville Vanderburgh County Indiana pursuant to legal Notice given. William M. Elliott did bid off and purchase for the Sum of Six Hundred ~~and~~ Thirty three Dollars, Lot Number three (3) in the Subdivision of the County Seminary Lot of Vanderburgh County According to the Plat of said Subdivision as recorded in Book "A" of the Record of Town Plat in the Records Office of said County on Pages 34 & 35. upon the following Conditions, to wit; The said Sum of Six Hundred and thirty five Dollars to be paid in ten equal Annual Instalments with interest thereon payable Annually in advance at the rate of seven per Cent per Annum,

Now Therefore Be It Known, that if the said William M. Elliott shall pay to the Treasurer of said County or to his Successor in Office the said Sum of Six Hundred and ~~thirty~~ five Dollars with interest thereon Annually in advance as above Specified, Then said William M. Elliott his ~~heirs~~ and assigns, shall be entitled to receive a deed for said lot No three (3) According to the provisions of Chapter 97 of the Revised Statutes of 1852. under which said lot was sold.

In testimony whereof the County Treasurer and County Auditor of said County have hereunto set their hands, and the County Auditor has Affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County hereunto on this 17th day of October A.D. 1853

John Walsh County Treasurer
William H. Walker County Auditor

Recorded Nov 1st 1853
Wm H. Walker A.C.

No 4 This Certifies that on the 15th day of October A.D. 1853 at a Public Sale by Auction held at the Court House door in Evansville Vanderburgh County Indiana Pursuant to legal Notice given William M. Elliott did bid off And purchase for the Sum of Eight Hundred and Twenty Dollars Lot number four (4) in the Subdivision of the County Seminary Lot of Vanderburgh County According to the plat of said Subdivision as recorded in Book "A" of the record of Town Plats in the Recorders Office of said County on pages No. 34 & 35 Upon the following Conditions, to wit; The said Sum of Eight Hundred and Twenty Dollars to be paid in ten equal annual instalments with interest thereon at the rate of Seven per Cent per Annum payable Annually in advance

Now Therefore Be It Known That if the said William M. Elliott Shall pay to the Treasurer of said County, or his Successor in Office the said Sum of Eight Hundred and Twenty Dollars with interest thereon Annually in advance as Above Specified. Then the said William M. Elliott his heirs or Assigns Shall be entitled to receive a deed for said Lot number four (4) According to the provisions of Chapter 97 of the Revised Statutes of 1852 under which said Lot was sold

In testimony Whereof the County Treasurer And the County Auditor of said County have hereunto set their hands. And the County Auditor has Affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County hereunto. on this 15th day of October A.D. 1853

John Walsh County Treasurer
William M. Wallace County Auditor

Recorded Nov 1st 1853
Wm M. Wallace

No 5 This Certifies that on the 15th day of October A.D. 1853 at a Public Sale by Auction. held at the Court House door in Evansville Vanderburgh County Indiana Pursuant to legal notice given, William M. Elliott did bid Off And Purchase for the Sum of Seven Hundred and Eighty Five Dollars Lot Number Five (5) Subdivision of the County Seminary Lot of said County. According to the Plat of said Subdivision as recorded in Book "A" of the record of Town Plats in the Recorders office of said County on pages Nos 34 & 35. upon the following Conditions, to wit;

The said Sum of Seven Hundred and Eighty Five Dollars to be paid in ten equal annual instalments. with interest thereon at the rate of Seven per Cent per Annum payable Annually in advance

Now Therefore Be It Known, That if the said William M. Elliott Shall pay, to the Treasurer of said County or his Successor in Office. the said Sum of Seven Hundred and Eighty Five Dollars with interest thereon Annually in advance as above Specified

Then the said William McElliott his heirs or assigns shall be entitled to receive a deed for said lot number five (5) According to the provisions of Chapter 97 of the Revised Statutes of 1852 under which said lot was sold

In witness Whereof the County Treasurer and County Auditor of said County have hereunto set their hands and the Auditor Affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County hereunto on this 17th day of October A.D. 1853

John Walsh County Treasurer

William H. Walker County Auditor

Recorded Novr 1st 1853

Wm H. Walker Auc

No 6 This Certifies that on the 15th day of October A.D. 1853 at a public Sale by Auction held at the Court House door in Evansville Vanderburgh County Indiana pursuant to legal Notice given William M. Elliott did bid off And purchase for the Sum of Eight Hundred and Thirty Dollars Lot Number Six (6) Subdivision of the County Seminary Lot of said County, According to the Plat of said Subdivision as recorded on Book "A" of the Record of Town Plats in the Recorders office of said County, on pages 34 & 35. upon the following Conditions, to wit; The said Sum of Eight Hundred, And Thirty Dollars, to be paid in ten Equal Annual instalments, with interest thereon at the rate of Seven per Cent per Annum, payable Annually in advance Now Therefore Be It Known, That if the said William M. Elliott shall pay to the Treasurer of said County or his Successor in office the said Sum of Eight Hundred And Thirty Dollars, with interest thereon Annually in advance As above Specified, Then the said William M. Elliott his heirs or Assigns shall be entitled to receive a deed for said Lot Number Six (6) According to the Provisions of Chapter 97 of the Revised Statutes of 1852 under which Said Lot was Sold

In testimony Whereof the County Treasurer and the County Auditor of said County have hereunto Set their hands, and the Auditor has hereunto Affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County hereunto at At Evansville in said County on this 17th day of October A.D. 1853

John Walsh County Treasurer.

William H. Walker County Auditor

Recorded Novr 1st 1853

Wm H. Walker Auc

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No 7

This Certifies that on the 15th day of October AD 1853 at a Public Sale by Auction held at the Court House Door in Evansville Vanderburgh County Indiana. Pursuant to legal Notice given. Anthony Kessler did bid off and purchase for the Sum of Five Hundred dollars Lot Number Seven (7) Subdivision of the County Seminary Lot of said County According to the Plat of said Subdivision. As recorded in Book "A" of the record of Town Plats in the Recorders office of said County on Pages Nos 34 & 35 upon the following Conditions. to wit: The said Sum of Five Hundred Dollars to be paid in ten equal annual instalments with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per Annum payable Annually in advance

Now Therefore Be It Known, That if the said Anthony Kessler Shall pay to the Treasurer of said County, or his Successor in Office the said Sum of Five Hundred Dollars. with interest thereon Annually in advance as above Specified. Then the said Anthony Kessler his heirs or assigns Shall be entitled to become a deed for said Lot Number Seven (7) According to the Provisions of Chapter 97 of the Revised Statutes of 1852 under which said lot was Sold

In testimony Whereof the County Treasurer and County Auditor of said County. have hereunto set their hands. And the Auditor has hereunto Affixed the Seal of the Board of County at Evansville on this 15th Day of October AD 1853

John Walsh County Treasurer
William H, Walker County Auditor

Recorded Nov 1st 1853
Wm H. Walker Aud

No 8

This Certifies that on the 15th day of Octobr AD 1853 at a public Sale by Auction held at the Court House Door in Evansville Vanderburgh County Indiana pursuant to legal notice given Anthony Kessler did bid off And purchase Lot Number eight Subdivision of the County Seminary Lot of said County According to the Plat of said Subdivision As recorded in Book "A" of the record of Town Plats in the Recorders office of said County on Pages Nos 34 & 35 for the Sum of Four Hundred and fifteen upon the following Conditions, to wit: The said Sum of Four Hundred And fifteen Dollars to be paid in ten equal Annual instalments with interest thereon at the rate of seven per Cent per annum payable annually in advance

Now Therefore Be It Known, That if the said Anthony Kessler Shall pay to the Treasurer of said County or his Successor in Office the said Sum

with interest thereon Annually in advance as above Specified Then the said Anthony Kessler his heirs or assigns Shall be entitled to receive a deed for said Lot Number eight (8) According to the Provisions of Chapter 97 of the Revised Statutes of 1852 under which said Lot was Sold

In testimony Whereof the County Treasurer and the County Auditor of said County have hereunto Set their hands. And the County Auditor has hereunto affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 17th day of October A.D. 1853

John Walsh County Treasurer
William H. Walker County Auditor

Recorded Nov 1st 1853
Wm H. Walker Aud.

No 9

This Certifies that on the 15th day of October A.D. 1853 at a Public Sale by Auction held at the Court House Door in Evansville Vanderburgh County Indiana pursuant to legal notice given John Heinrich did bid off and purchase for the sum of Three Hundred and Eighty Five Dollars Lot Number Nine (9) Subdivision of the County Seminary Lot of said County According to the Plat of said Subdivision As recorded in Book "A" of the records of Town Plats in the Recorders Office of said County on Pages Nos 34 & 35 upon the following Conditions, to wit: The said Sum of Three Hundred and Eighty Five dollars to be paid in ten equal Annual instalments with interest thereon At the rate of Seven per Cent per Annum Payable Annually in Advance

Now Therefore Be It Known That if the said John Heinrich Shall pay to the Treasurer of said County or his Successor in Office the said Sum of Three Hundred and Eighty Five Dollars with interest thereon Annually in advance as above Specified Then the said John Heinrich his heirs or Assigns Shall be entitled to receive a deed for said Lot Number Nine (9) According to the Provisions of Chapter 97 of the Revised Statutes of 1852 under which said Lot was Sold

In testimony Whereof the County Treasurer And County Auditor of said County have hereunto Set their hands. And the Auditor has hereunto Affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 17th day of October A.D. 1853

John Walsh County Treasurer
William H. Walker County Auditor

Recorded Nov 2nd 1853
Wm H Walker Aud

Record of the Proceedings of the County Commissioners

No 10

This Certifies that on the 15th day of October A.D 1853 At a Public Sale by Auction held at the Court House Door in Evansville Vanderburgh County Indiana Pursuant to legal Notice given William Reilly did bid off and purchase for the Sum of Three Hundred and Seventy Five Dollars Lot Number ten (10) Subdivision of the County Seminary Lot of said County According to the Plat of said Subdivision As recorded in Book "A" of the record of Town Plats in the recorders office of said County on Pages 34 & 35 upon the following conditions to wit; The said Sum of Three Hundred and Seventy Five Dollars to be paid in ten equal annual instalments with interest thereon at the rate of seven per Cent per Annum payable Annually in advance

Now Therefore Be It Known that if the said William Reilly shall pay to the Treasurer of said County or his Successor in office the said Sum of Three Hundred And Seventy Five Dollars, with interest thereon Annually in advance as above Specified, Then said William Reilly his Heirs or Assigns Shall be entitled to receive a Deed for said Lot Number ten (10) According to the Provisions of Chapter 97 of the Revised Statutes of 1852 under which said Lot was Sold

In testimony Whereof the County Treasurer and County Auditor of said County have hereunto Set their hands and the County Auditor has hereunto Affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 17th day of October A.D 1853

John Walsh County Treasurer
William H. Walker County Auditor

Recorded Nov 2nd 1853
Wm H. Walker A.C.

No 11

This Certifies that on the 15th day of October A.D, 1853 At a public Sale by Auction held at the Court House Door in Evansville Vanderburgh County Indiana Pursuant to legal notice given Isaac Hutchinson did bid off and purchase for the Sum of Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars Lot Number eleven Subdivision of the County Seminary Lot of said County According to the Plat of said Subdivision. As recorded in Book "A" of the record of Town Plats in the recorders Office of said County on Pages 34 & 35 upon the following Conditions, to wit; The said Sum of Three Hundred and Fifty dollars to be paid in ten equal annual instalments with interest thereon at the rate of seven per Cent per Annum payable Annually in advance Now Therefore Be It Known, That if the said Isaac

Hutchinson shall pay to the Treasurer of said County or to his Successor in Office the said Sum of Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars, with interest thereon Annually in advance as above Specified. Then said Isaac Hutchinson his heirs or assigns shall be entitled to receive a deed for said Lot Number eleven (11) According to the provisions of Chapter 97 under which said Lot was sold

In testimony whereof the County Treasurer and the County Auditor of said County have hereunto set their hands. And the Auditor has affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 17th day of October A.D. 1853

John Walsh County Treasurer
William H. Walker County Auditor

Recorded Nov 2nd 1853
Wm H Walker A.C.

No 12

This Certifies that on the 15th day of October A.D. 1853 at a public Sale by Auction held at the Court House door in Evansville Vanderburgh County Indiana. Pursuant to Legal notice given Joseph Cupples did bid off and purchase for the Sum of Four Hundred and Five Dollars. Lot Number Twelve (12) Subdivision of the County Seminary Lot of said County. According to the Plat of said Subdivision as recorded in Book "A" of the Record of Town Plats in the Recorders Office of said County on Pages 34 & 35, upon the following Conditions, to Wit; The said Sum of Four Hundred and Five Dollars, to be paid in ten equal Annual instalments, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per Cent per Annum payable Annually in advance

Now Therefore Be It Known That if the said Joseph Cupples shall pay to the Treasurer of said County or to his Successor in Office the said Sum of Four Hundred and Five Dollars, with interest thereon Annually in advance as above Specified Then said Joseph Cupples his heirs or assigns Shall be entitled to receive a deed for said Lot Number twelve (12) According to the Provisions of Chapter 97 of the Revised Statutes of 1852 under which said Lot was Sold

In testimony whereof the County Treasurer and County Auditor of said County have hereunto set their hands and the Auditor has hereunto Affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 17th day of October A.D. 1853

John Walsh County Treasurer
William H. Walker County Auditor

Recorded Nov 2 1853
Wm H. Walker A.C.

No 13

This Certifies that on the 15th day of October A.D 1853 at a public Sale by Auction held at the Court House door in Evansville Vanderburgh County Indiana pursuant to legal notice given George V Bates did bid off and purchase for the Sum of Seven Hundred and Seventy Five Dollars Lot Number thirteen (13) in the Subdivision of the County Seminary Lot of Said County According to the Plat of Said Subdivision As recorded in Book "A" of the record of Town Plat in the recorders office of said County on page 34 & 35 upon the following Conditions to Wit

The Said Sum of Seven Hundred and Seventy Five Dollars to be paid in ten equal Annual instalments with interest thereon at the rate of Seven per Cent per Annum payable Annually in advance

Now Therefore Be It Known That if the Said George Bates Shall pay to the Treasurer of said County or to his Successor in office the said Sum of Seven Hundred and Seventy Five Dollars with interest thereon Annually in advance As Above Specified, Then said George Bates his heirs or Assigns Shall be entitled to receive a deed for said Lot Number thirteen (13) According to the provision of Chapter 97 of the Revised Statutes of 1853 under ~~the~~ Which Said Lot was Sold

In testimony whereof the County Treasurer and County Auditor of Said County have hereunto Set their hands, And the County Auditor affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of Said County hereto at Evansville on this 17th day of October A.D. 1853

John Walsh, County Treasurer
William H. Walker County Auditor

Recorded Nov 4th 1853
Wm H. Walker Aud.

No 14

This Certifies that on the 15th day of October A.D 1853 At a public Sale by Auction held at the Court House door in Evansville Vanderburgh County Indiana pursuant to legal notice given Christian Decker did bid off And purchase for the Sum of Six Hundred dollars, Lot Number Fourteen (14) in the Subdivision of the County Seminary Lot of Said County, According to the Plat of Said Subdivision as recorded in Book "A" of the record of Town Plats in the recorders Office of said County on Pages 34 & 35 upon the following Conditions to wit;

The Said Sum of Six Hundred dollars to be paid in ten equal Annual instalments with interest thereon At the rate of Seven per Cent per Annum payable Annually in advance

Now Therefore Be It Known That if the Said Christian Decker Shall pay to the Treasurer of said County, or to his Successor

in Office the said Sum of Six Hundred Dollars with interest thereon Annually in advance. as above Specified Then the said Christian Decker. his heirs or Assigns. Shall be entitled to receive a deed for said Lot Number fourteen (14) According to the Provisions of Chapter 97 of the Revised Statutes of 1852 under which said lot was sold

In testimony where of the County Treasurer and County Auditor of said County. have hereunto Set their hands. And the Auditor has here to Affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County At Evansville on this 17th day of October A.D. 1853

John Walsh County Treasurer
William H. Walker County Auditor

Recorded Novr 4th 1853
Wm. H. Walker A.V.C.

No 15

This Certifies that on the 15th day of October A.D. 1853 At a public Sale by Auction held at the Court House Door in Evansville. Vanderburgh County Indiana. Pursuant to legal notice given Christian Decker did bid off and purchase for the Sum of Five Hundred and Seventy Dollars Lot Numbers Fifteen (15) in the Subdivision of the County Seminary Lot of said County. According to the Plat of said Subdivision As recorded in Book "A" of the record of Town Plats in the recorders office of said County on Pages 34 & 35. Upon the following Conditions, to wit; The said Sum of Five Hundred and Seventy Dollars. to be paid in ten equal Annual instalments with interest thereon at the rate of Seven per Cent per Annum payable Annually in advance

Now Therefore Be It Known, That if the said Christian Decker Shall pay to the Treasurer of said County or to his Successor in Office. the said Sum of Five Hundred and Seventy Dollars with interest thereon Annually in advance. as above Specified

Then the said Christian Decker his heirs or Assigns Shall be entitled to receive a deed for said Lot Number fifteen (15) According to the Provisions of Chapter 97 of the Revised Statutes of 1852 under which said Lot was Sold

In testimony whereof the County Treasurer and County Auditor of said County, have hereunto Set their hands. And the Auditor has hereto Affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 17th day of October A.D. 1853

John Walsh County Treasurer
William H. Walker County Auditor

Recorded Nov 4th 1853
Wm H. Walker A.V.C.

No 16

This Certifies that on the 15th day of October A.D. 1853 At a public Sale by Auction held at the Court House door in Evansville Vanderburgh County Indiana, Pursuant to legel Notice given Christian Decker did bid off and purchase for the Sum of Five Hundred and Seventy Dollars Lot Number Sixteen (16) in the Subdivision of the County Seminary Lot of said County According to the Plat of said Subdivision as recorded in Book "A" of the record of Town Plats in the Recorders Office of said County on pages 34 & 35. upon the following Condition, to wit;

Now Therefore Be It Known, That if the said Christian Decker Shall pay to the Treasurer of said County or to his Successor in office the said Sum of Five Hundred and Seventy Dollars with interest thereon Annually in advance as above Specified. Then the said Christian Decker his heirs or assigns shall be entitled to receive a deed for said Lot Number Sixteen (16) According to the provisions of Chapter 97 of the Revised Statutes of 1852 under which said Lot was Sold

In testimony whereof the County Treasurer and County Auditor of said County have hereunto set their hands. And the Auditor has hereto Affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 17th day of October A.D. 1853

John Walsh County Treasurer
William H. Walker County Auditor

Recorded Nov 4th 1853
Wm H. Walker A.V.

No 17

This Certifies that on the 15th day of October A.D. 1853 At a public Sale by Auction held at the Court House door in Evansville Vanderburgh County Indiana. Pursuant to legel Notice given George Bates did bid off and purchase for the Sum of Eight Hundred and Forty Dollars Lot Number Seventeen (17) in the Subdivision of the County Seminary Lot of said County According to the Plat of said Subdivision as recorded in Book "A" of the record of Town Plats in the Recorders Office of said County on pages 34 & 35. upon the following Conditions, to wit;

The said Sum of Eight Hundred and Forty Dollars to be paid in ten equal Annual instalments with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per Annum payable Annually in advance.

Now Therefore Be It Known That if the said George Bates shall pay to the Treasurer of said County or to his Successor in office the said Sum of Eight Hundred and Forty Dollars with interest thereon as above Specified then the said George Bates his heirs or assigns shall be entitled to receive a deed for said Lot Number Seventeen (17) According to the Provisions of Chapter 97 of the Revised Statutes of 1852 under which said

Lot was Sold

In testimony whereof the County Treasurer And County Auditor of said County have hereunto Set their hands, and the Auditor has hereto Affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 14th day of October A.D. 1853

John Walsh County Treasurer
William H. Walker County Auditor

Recorded Nov 4th 1853
Wm H. Walker A.C.

No 18

This Certifies that on the 15th day of October A.D. 1853, at a public Sale by Auction held at the Court House door in Evansville, Vanderburgh County Indiana Pursuant to legal notice given Louis Damm and August Uhl did bid off and Purchase for the Sum of One Thousand Dollars Lot number eighteen (18) in the Subdivision of the County Seminary Lot of said County According to the Plat of Said Subdivision as recorded in Book "A" of the record of Town Plats in the Recorders Office of said County on Pages 34 & 35 upon the following Conditions to wit; The said Sum of One Thousand Dollars, to be paid in ten equal Annual instalments with interest thereon at the rate of seven per Cent per Annum payable annually in advance

Now Therefore Be It Known That if the said Louis Damm And August Uhl Shall pay to the Treasurer of said County or to his Successor in Office the said Sum of One Thousand Dollars with interest thereon Annually in advance as above Specified, Then the said Louis Damm and August Uhl Shall be entitled to receive a deed for said Lot Number Eighteen (18) According to the Provisions of Chapter 97 of the Revised Statutes of 1852 under which said Lot was Sold

In testimony Whereof the County Treasurer And the County Auditor of said County have hereunto Set their hands, And the County Auditor has hereto Affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 14th day of October A.D. 1853

John Walsh County Treasurer
William H. Walker County Auditor

Recorded Nov 4th 1853
Wm H. Walker A.C.

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Whereas Christian Reckefuhs did on this 16th day of November A.D. 1853 produce to the undersigned William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana a Certificate of purchase in writing signed by William H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County and Bracket Mills School Commissioner of said County bearing date October 20th 1846. by which it appears that Christian Reckefuhs did on the 20th day of October aforesaid purchase (Lot Numbr 8) the South East quarter of the North East quarter of Section Number Sixteen in Congressional Township number Six South of Range number eleven west containing thirty eight Acres and ninety three hundredths of an Acre of land, for the sum of One hundred and eighty four dollars. And Seventy Cents. and paid to the School Commissioner of said County. the sum of fifty four dollars and Seven Cents of the Principal. and Nine dollars and One cent as interest for one Year in advance on the residue ~~of the residue~~ of the purchase money

And Whereas, the said Christian Reckefuhs has this day produced to me, and filed in my office, the County Treasurers receipt for the sum of Twenty One dollars And fifty two Cents. being the balance in full payment of Principal and interest due upon said tract of land. And said Christian Reckefuhs having demanded a deed for the same

Therefore Know All Men By These Presents, 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 do Give And grant the said South East quarter of the North East quarter of Section Number Sixteen in Township Number Six South of Range Num eleven East to the said Christian Reckefuhs. and to his heirs and assigns forever. in as full and ample a manner as the said Auditor is empowered by law to convey the same

In Witness Whereof the said William H. Walker Auditor of said County has hereunto set his hand and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 16th day of November A.D. 1853

William H. Walker
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

Witness John Walsh J.V.C.

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } ss

I James T. Walker a Justice of the Peace of Pigeon Township in said County do hereby Certify that the above named William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh

County personally came before me and acknowledged that he signed the foregoing indenture for the uses and purposes thereunto mention, and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County thereto

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 16th day of November 1853

James L Walker (Seal)
Justice of the Peace

Recorded Nov 16th 1853
Wm H. Walker A.V.C.

Now here Lewis Richter Township Assessor in and for German Township Vanderburgh County Indiana having filed with me his resignation as said office and said resignation having been Accepted

Adam Wolf is hereby Appointed Township Assessor in and for German Township Vanderburgh County Indiana to fill the Vacancy Occasioned by the Resignation of Lewis Richter.
November 19th 1853

(S)

Witness William H Walker Auditor of said County of Vanderburgh with the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 19th day of November A.D. 1853

William H. Walker A.V.C

Grampus W. Hardin Esq is hereby Appointed Township Assessor in and for German Township Vanderburgh County Indiana to serve until the next October election and his Successor shall be elected & qualified

(S)

Witness William H Walker Auditor of said County of Vanderburgh with the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 19th day of November A.D. 1853

William H. Walker A.V.C

December Term A.D. 1853

At a Session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County began and held at the County Auditors office in Evansville Vanderburgh County Indiana (the common Pleas Court being in session at the Court house) on Monday December 5th A.D. 1853 when present Edmund Maidlow and Alexander Maddux Esqrs two of the members composing said County Board

Now here Cassimer Schlamp tenders to this board his resignation as Township Trustee of Rigeon Township which resignation is now here Accepted

Now here this board with the Auditor Appoints Cassimer Schlamp a County Commissioner of said County to fill the Vacancy Occasioned by the decease of Alanson Warner Esqr of the first Commissioners district in said County

Issd No 670 L $100.00 Ordered that John B. Hall be Allowed One hundred dollars for publishing 300 bills of delinquent list for sale of January 1854

Issd No 671 L $32.00/100 Ordered that John Walsh County Treasurer be allowed Thirty Two dollars for Cash by him paid for printing for the County per bill on file

Issd No 672 L $1.00/100 Ordered that Wm Krewer be Allowed One dollar for Sums as returning judge of an election held in Armstrong Township per bill on file

Now here Cassimer Schlamp Esqr the Commissioner appointed to fill the Vacancy Occasioned by the decease of A Warner Esqr Comes into court - having qualified - And takes his seat as a member of said County Board

No 673 L $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr. Hugh Ronolds be Allowed Twenty Five dollars for One quarters Salary as Physician to the County Poor to Decr 1st 1853 per bill on file

No 674 L $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr. Davidson be Allowed Twenty Five Dollars for One quarters Salary as Physician to the County Poor to Decr 1st 1853 per bill on file

No 675 L $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr. Isaac Casselberry be Allowed Twenty Five dollars for One quarters Salary as Physician to the County Poor to Decr 1st 1853 per bill on file

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine Oclock

Edmd Maidlow Prest

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Tuesday Morning December Sixth AD 1853 the Board met pursuant to adjournment when present as of Yesterday.

Now here John S. Hopkins Esqr Mayor of the City of Evansville appears before this board and explains to the board that the tract of land purchased and owned by the City as a Cemetry is charged with delinquent taxes of 1852 amounting to something like eight dollars, and that altho the deed of purchase to the City was made subsequent to January AD 1852 Yet at the same time the City of Evansville was the actual owner of said tract of land for the purposes of a Semetry in August 1851 & that a payment was made on said land in Novr 29th 1851 and that from the best information obtained the City Council are of opinion that said tract of land should not be held liable to said tax

Know all men by these presents that we John Tribble James Scantlin Junr & Fielding Johnson are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of five thousand dollars for the payment of which well & truly to be made and done. We do hereby bind ourselves our heirs executors & administrators jointly and severly firmly by these presents. Signed and sealed this 29th day of October AD 1853

Whereas the above bound John Tribble was on the second Tuesday in October AD 1852 duly elected Coroner of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana by the qualified voters of Vanderburgh County to serve for the term of two years from and after expiration of the term of the present incumbent to said office and until his successor shall be elected & ~~and~~ qualified, Now therefore the condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound John Tribble shall pay over all monies that shall come into his hands by virtue of his office and shall in all other respects promptly, honestly and faithfully discharge all & singular the duties of his said office according to law, then the above obligation shall be null and void, else to be & remain in full force & virtue

John Tribble (Seal)
James Scantlin (Seal)
F. Johnson (Seal)

Now here the board duly considering said board and the securities therein accept and approve said bond, and order the same to be filed with the Clerk of the V Circuit Court

No. 676 L $134.65/100 Ordered that John S. Gavit be allowed one hundred and thirty four dollars and sixty five cents for sums as sheriff committing dieting and discharging prisoners from the county jail per bill on file

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Issd No 677 L $33.25/100 Ordered that Christian Bippus Recorder of Vanderburgh County be Allowed Thirty Three dollars and twenty five cents for making a General Index for his office per bill on file

Issd No 678 L $52.25/100 Ordered that Christian Bippus recorder of V.C. be Allowed Fifty Two dollars and twenty five cents for making the General Index for his Office per bill on file

Issd No 679 L $52.25/100 Ordered that Christian Bippus Recorder be Allowed Fifty Two dollars and twenty five cents for bill of writing on the General Index on file

Issd No 680 L $1.00/100 Ordered that Wm E. Green be Allowed One dollar for summonsing a jury &c at an inquest held by the Coroner

Issd No 681 L $2.71/100 Ordered that John M. Sampson be Allowed Two Dollars and ~~Fifty~~ seventy one cents summons jurors and witness for Coroner per bill on file

Issd No 682 L $2.50/100 Ordered that Caswell Calvert be Allowed Two dollars and Fifty cents ~~for~~ Serves as Inspector of Elections per bill on file

Now here the County Auditor Submits to this board the Appointment of Adam Walf Township Assessor for German Township, and Grampee W. Hardin Assessor in and for union Township which this Board now here approves

Now here the County Auditor and County Treasurer of Vanderburgh Submits to this board a report of their proceeding in relation to the Subdivision and Sale of the County Seminary Lot belonging to said County which Report this board Orders to be recorded and filed in the Office the Auditor. Said Report is in the words & figures following to Wit

"To The Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

The undersigned County Auditor and Treasurer Submit to said Commissioners the following Report of their proceedings relative to the Sale of the County Seminary property. We did According to the provisions of Chapter 97 of the Revised Statutes of 1852, advertise and sell the property belonging to the County of Vanderburgh known as the County Seminary lot

The undersigned became convinced that it would be greatly to the interest of the School Funds to which said lot belonged under the present laws of Indiana to sell said property in such sized lots as would best suit the purchasers. We therefore employed the City Surveyor to survey and plat the same into 18 lots or Subdivisions numbering from one to eighteen, leaving for public use a Street extending from the Princeton road to Sycamore as Continued. Sixty feet in width, We also Continued Sycamore Street through said lot leaving one half of the width of said Street

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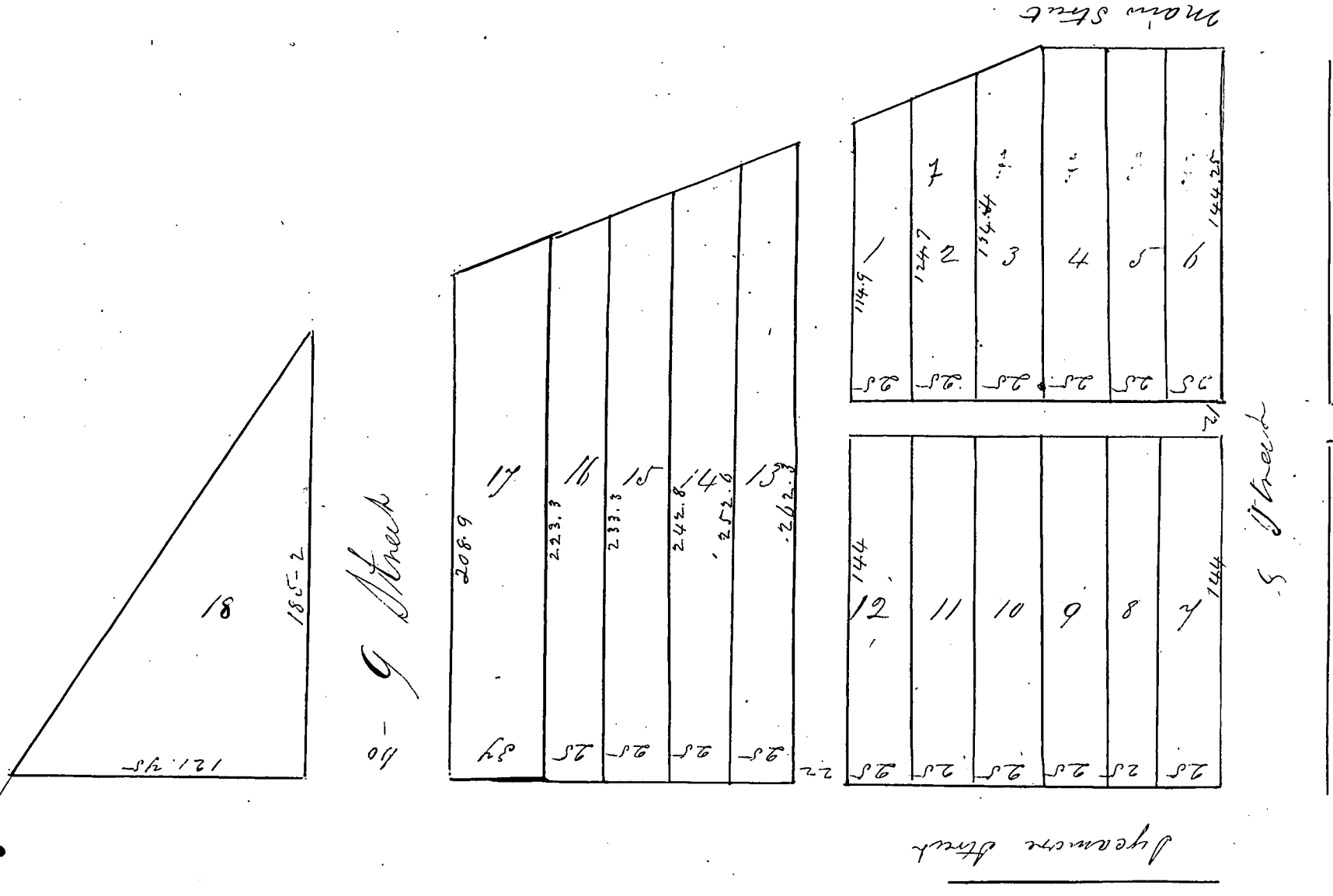
to wit; thirty feet for public use off the North westerly side of said lot. We also left a vacant space of 22 feet in width extending from Sycamore Street continued through the block parallel to eighth street to intersect the Princeton road or Main Street. We also left for public use an alley twelve feet in width from eighth street through the centre of the front half of the first block to intersect the twenty two foot alley. All of which will be more fully shewn by reference to the plat accompanying this report marked "A" which we beg leave to submit as a part thereof;



which plat the undersigned signed and acknowledged and deposited in the office of the County recorder for record

The following schedule exhibits the number of the several subdivisions of said seminary lot the sum for which each lot sold with the names of the purchasers

Date of Sale	No of Sale	To Whome Sold	Amount of Principal of Purchase Money
Oct. 15th 1853	1	Sold to Joseph Heunemann for the sum of	685.00
" " "	2	" " Joseph Kaiser " " " "	670.00
" " "	3	" " Wm M. Elliott " " " "	635.00
" " "	4	" " Wm M. Elliott " " " "	820.00
" " "	5	" " Wm M. Elliott " " " "	785.00
" " "	6	" " Wm M. Elliott " " " "	830.00
" " "	7	" " Anthony Kessler " " " "	500.00
" " "	8	" " Anthony Kessler " " " "	415.00
" " "	9	" " John Heurich " " " "	385.00
" " "	10	" " Wm Reilly " " " "	375.00

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Oct 15th 1853	11	Sold to	Isaac Hutchinson	for the Sum of	350.00
" " "	12	" "	Joseph Cupples	" " "	405.00
" " "	13	" "	George Bates	" " "	775.00
" " "	14	" "	Christian Decker	" " "	600.00
" " "	15	" "	Christian Decker	" " "	570.00
" " "	16	" "	Christian Decker	" " "	570.00
" " "	17	" "	George Bates	" " "	840.00
" " "	18	" "	Louis Daum & August Uhl	" " "	1.000.00
				Amount of Sale	$11.210.00

The following Schedule exhibits the Sums received on each Lot, being the first instalment of interest in advance for one Year from the 15th day of October as 1855. to wit

Sub	1	from	Joseph Vennemann	47.95
"	2	"	Joseph Kaiser	
"	3	"	Wm M. Elliott	30.45
"	4	"	Wm M. Elliott	57.40
"	5	"	Wm M. Elliott	54.95
"	6	"	Wm M. Elliott	58.10
"	7	"	Anthony Kessler	35.00
"	8	"	Anthony Kessler	29.05
"	9	"	John Yeunich	26.95
"	10	"	Wm Reilly	26.25
"	11	"	Isaac Hutchinson	24.50
"	12	"	Joseph Cupples	28.35
"	13	"	George Bates	54.22
"	14	"	Christian Decker	42.00
"	15	"	Christian Decker	39.90
"	16	"	Christian Decker	39.90
"	17	"	George Bates	58.80
"	18	"	Louis Daum & August Uhl	70.00

Also from Wm M. Elliott in Principal Sum

The undersigned believing that their Acts as set forth in this report in relation to the subdivision of the Lot aforesaid and the Sale thereof will meet the favorable Opinion of this Board Submit it to their Consideration

Evansville December 5th 1853

William H. Walker A.V.C.
John Walsh A.V.C.

No 6831 $20.00/100 Ordered the Auditor issue to the Treasurer of Union Township an order for Twenty Dollars on the County Treasurer for Road Revenue belonging to said Township in full of the proportion due said Township

No 6841 $1.00/100 Ordered that F Mills Esq be allowed One dollar for Costs in the Case of County Agent vs Wm Losa & Herschelman & Kingle upon bill on file

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Ordered that Philip Kramer be and he is hereby appointed a Trustee for Pigeon Township to file the Vacancy Occasioned by the resignation of Cassimer Schlamp

Issd No 685 L $0.96/100 Ordered that Hiram Nelson be Allowed ninety six Cents for Constables fees in the Case of County Agent vs Wm Sosa and Herschelman & Kinkle

Issd No 686 L $2.50/100 Ordered that John S. Gavitt be Allowed Two Dollars and fifty Cents for Clothing furnished mac a prisoner per bill on file

Issd No 687 L $1.00/100 Ordered that John Bump be Allowed One dollar for Seven as returning Judge from German Township per bill on file

Issd No 688 L $4.50/100 Ordered that Wm Warren be Allowed Four dollars and fifty Cents for 5 days seven as Township Assessor per bill on file

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow Morning at nine Oclock Edmd Maidlow Prest

Wednesday Morning at nine Octock the Board met pursuant to adjournment when the Members thereof were present as of Yesterday

Now here Esau Newman and thirty two Others freehold Citizens of Armstrong, and Scott Township Petition this Board for the Appointment of Viewers to View mark out and locate a Certain rout for a road running in each of said townships. To Commence ~~at~~ [illegible] on the township line + dividing said Townships of Armstrong and Scott at a point on said line at which the road leading from Evansville to Owensville Crosses said line near the residence of Esau Newman, running thence South on said line dividing said townships, until it intersects the County road leading from the Owensville and Evansville road to the Boonville and Harmony road near the North West Corner of the West half of the North West quarter of Section Number (13) thirteen in town five (5) South of range eleven (11) west, and the board duly Considering the petition and the legal qualification of the Signers thereof, and hearing the testimony on Oath of a witness touching the notices ~~of~~ relating to the presentation to this board of said petition, and being Satisfied as to the Correctness of the proceeding therein. Ordered that William Prewet Thomas Bower and John Thurman be and they are hereby Appointed Viewers, ~~to meet at the house of~~ ~~in~~ ~~Township qualify and proceed to~~ View said rout for said proposed highway and make report to this board at the next March Term thereof

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Auditors Office
Vanderburgh County Nov 2d 1853

To The Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County

The undersigned Auditor of said County by virtue of An Act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana Approved May 13th 1852 became agent of Vanderburgh County and as such received from Thomas E. Garvin Esq the notes and papers belonging to the County of Vanderburgh in his hands as such agent amongst which are the following 1 Note for 16 ℔ dated Dec 2nd 1850 against John Ward payable in One Year from the date thereof

And 4 Notes against Wm Losa payable to the Order of Frederick E. Goodsell and by said Goodsell assignments to the County all of which notes Amount to the Sum of 221 08/100 dollars exclusive of interest, it is supposed that said notes have in some way been settled, but nothing on file shews anything of the Kind. And the undersigned has not been able to learn their real conditions, I find a receipt for notes left with Esq Mills by James G. Jones Esq County Agent. And upon investigating the Esqrs Dockets find the following entries.

James G. Jones for use of Vanderburgh Co
vs } Judgement 69 97/100 dollars Attached
Wm Losa } August 5th 1842
Execution issued Dec 6th 1842 And returned no property found

James G. Jones for use of Vanderburgh County
vs }
Henschelyman & Kingle
Judgement obtained August 13th 1842 Amount 62.40/100 dollars.
Execution issued and returned no property found

There is one other receipt given by Joseph Walker Esq to James G. Jones County agent dated July 19th 1843 for a note against D. M. Lillestone & Chas. D. Pearce. the Amount for which is not stated in the receipt, said note according to the receipt "might be paid in County Orders" The undersigned has not as yet had time to investigate Esq Wheelers Dockets to ascertain the true Condition and Value of said note but the supposition is that the same has been settled & paid over

All of which is respectfully submitted
William H. Walker Auditor &
Ex Officio thereof County Agent

Ordered that William S. Adelsberg be appointed a constable in & for Pigeon Township to serve until next April Election or until his successor shall be qualified

Copied

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Issd No 689 L $1.00/100 Ordered that Wm Martin be Allowed One dollar for sums as Inspector of Elections in Perry Township for A.D. 1853 per bill on file

Issd No 690 L 75/100 Ordered that Wm Martin be Allowed Seventy five cents for sums as judge of an election in Perry Township per bill on file

Issd No 691 L $5.00/100 Ordered that Well Walker be Allowed five dollars for five days services as bailiff to the County Board at the September Term A.D. 1853 per bill on file

Issd No 692 L 340.89/100 Ordered that Sheets & Braden be Allowed three hundred and forty dollars and eighty nine cents for books & Stationery furnished clerk & recorder per bill on file

Issd No 693 L $53.89/100 Ordered that Sheets & Braden be Allowed fifty three dollars and eighty nine cents for Stationery furnished County per bill on file

Issd No 694 L $144.54/100 Ordered that Sheets and Braden be Allowed One hundred and forty four dollars & fifty four cents for books furnished the County for township trustees per bill on file and that said amount be deducted from the amount of taxes of those townships for which said books are furnished by agreement of the trustees

Issd No 695 L 3.00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Chandler be Allowed three dollars for sums by Stephen Childs in Waiting upon a pauper per bill on file

Issd No 696 L $14.00/100 Ordered that John S. Gavitt be Allowed fourteen dollars for extra care with Peter Buzard an insane pauper per bill on file

No 755 to 760 Inc ~~No 697~~ L $100.00/100 Ordered that Alanson Warner Esqr be Allowed One hundred dollars for Superintending the receipt of the Materials for the Court House & County Jail per bill on file in full

Issd No 698 L $2.80/100 Ordered that Jacob Sunkenheimer be Allowed two dollars and eighty cents, per bills on file for freight & charges upon books for County

Issd No 699 L $6.00/100 Ordered that Michael Mintzer be Allowed Six dollars for Conveying John Meggo (an insane pauper returned from the Asylum at Indianapolis as incurable, - to Posey County per bill on file

Issd No 700 L $150.00/100 Ordered that Thomas Gifford be Allowed One hundred and fifty dollars (the same being an Appropriation heretofore made by this Board for said work) for building a Stone Culvert on the road leading from the State road near Negley Mill to said Mill per bill Certified by the Trustees of Pigeon Township on file

Issd No 701 L $1.00/100 Ordered that Joseph Berriage be Allowed One dollar for sums conveying a pauper from Scott Township to the County poor Asylum per bill on file

Ordered that the Board adjourne until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock

Edmd Maidlow Prest

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Thursday morning December 8th AD 1853 the Board met pursuant to adjournment when, the ~~Board~~ members thereof where present as of Yesterday

Issd No 702 L $27.15/100 Ordered that Robert Barnes be allowed Twenty seven dollars and fifteen cents for dry goods furnished the County poor per bill on file to Septr 1st 1853

Issd No 703 L $3.00/100 Ordered that Marshall McMurran be allowed three dollars for services as viewer of a Highway extending from Vanderburgh County into Posey County per bill on file

Issd No 704 L $11.25/100 Ordered that Satterlee & De Garmo be allowed eleven dollars and twenty five cents for Smith work abought jail for the Sheriff per bill on file

Issd No 705 L $24.40/100 Ordered that Satterlee & De Garmo be allowed Twenty four dollars and forty cents for Smith work abought county jail for the Sheriff per bill on file

Issd No 706 L $94.86/100 Ordered that Ellis & Schlamp be allowed Ninety four dollars and eighty six cents for groceries and provisions furnished the County poor Asylum per bill on file

Issd No 707 L $1.50/100 Ordered that Thomas D. Smith be allowed One dollars and fifty cents for services at an inquest held by the Coroner per bill on file

Issd No 708 L $5.00/100 Ordered that Ellis & Schlamp be allowed five dollars for groceries furnished paupers per bill on file

Issd No 709 L $24.21/100 Ordered that Christopher Marganheimer be allowed twenty four dollars and twenty one cents for beef furnished the County poor Asylum per bill on file

Issd No 710 L $24.20/100 Ordered that Christopher Marganheimer be allowed twenty four dollars and twenty cents for beef furnished the County poor Asylum per bill on file

Issd No 711 L $86.50/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed Eighty six dollars and fifty cents for burry paupers and superintending the County poor house per bill on file

Issd No 712 L $2.75/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed two dollars and seventy cents for shoes furnished pauper

Issd No 713 L $1.75/100 Ordered that James Neal Esqr be allowed one dollar and seventy five cents for services as Judge & returning the polls for Perry Township of an October Election 1853 per bill on file

Issd No 714 L $1.50/100 Ordered that Peter Sharpe be allowed one dollar and ~~twenty five~~ fifty cents for services as Inspector at the October Election A.D. 1853

Issd No 715 L $1.50/100 Ordered that Cassimer Schlamp be allowed One dollar and ~~twenty five~~ fifty cents for services as Judge of the October election A.D. 1853

Issd No 716 L $1.50/100 Ordered that James T. Walker One dollar and ~~twenty five~~ fifty cents for services as judge of the Oct election 1853 per bill on file

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No 717 L $1.50/100 Ordered that John R. Garvin be Allowed One dollar and ~~twenty five~~ fifty cents for Serving as Clerk at the October election A.D. 1853 per bill on file

No 718 L $1.50/100 Ordered that Wm K McGrew be Allowed One dollar and ~~twenty five~~ fifty cents for Serving as Clerk at an October election per bill on file

Issd Student to Indiana University

It is now here Ordered that Arthur Parke be and he is hereby appointed a Student from this County to fill any Vacancy ~~that be~~ in the Schollarship ~~from this County that may be unfilled at this time~~ in the Indiana University at Bloomington

Now here the Board proceeds to open and examine the proposals of the several applicants for the appointment of the Superintendancy of the County Poor Asylum and after a careful examination of said proposals accept of Edward Andrews by which he agrees to discharge the duties of Superintendent of the County Asylum for two Years for the Sum of two hundred dollars per annum the County Board to furnish all the provisions for the house and for himself and family and pay all unavoidable expenses for nurses in and about said County Asylum

It is therefore Ordered that Edward Andrews be and he is hereby appointed Superintendent of the County Poor Asylum to serve for the period of two Years from and after the ~~date of his Appointment and~~ tenth day of December A.D. 1853

Expired 3 tier & handed off

Now here Marshall McMurram and Wm Davis Commissioners appointed by the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh and Posey Counties to view mark out and locate a certain rout for a road commencing at a point on the South line of Congressional Township number four (4) in range number eleven (11) west at which the road leading from Evansville in Vanderburgh County to Synthiana in Posey County crosses said township line in Armstrong Township, Vanderburgh County aforesaid, running thence west on said line to the South West Corner of Section number thirty One, in said Township & range, thence South West through the North West quarter of Section six in Township five South of range eleven west, which last named land belongs to the heirs of James Broades to the South West Corner of said quarter section, thence South on the County line across the South Corner of the South West quarter of Section number six, town and range aforesaid ~~the same~~ thence South West leaving the line of Vanderburgh County through a part of the North East quarter of the North East quarter of Section number twelve (12) in Town five (5) South of range ~~twelve~~ (12) west in Posey County intersecting the Evansville and Poseyville road, at a Stone sett at the South West

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Corner of the Catholick Church lot. Came into Court and file their report of their proceeding under said appointment, which report is favourable and recommends said road as a road of public utility. And at the same time Elizabeth Broadus in behalf of her self and as guardian of the heirs of James Broadus also appears before this Board, and remonstrates against the opening of said road across the land belonging to the said heirs, in the North West quarter of Section

Copied Number Six in Town five South of range eleven west ~~in consequence of the damage done said land by the opening of said road across the same~~. And the Board duly considering said report as well as the remonstrance and hearing the arguments of Counsel touching the matters connected with the same. It is Ordered that Zerah Fairchild Richard Ruston and William Ingle be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners to review the premises belonging to the heirs of James Broadus in the North west quarter of Section Number Six (6) in Town 5 five (5) South of range eleven (11) west. Across which said road passes, and assess the damages done to said tract of land ~~or that may arise from the~~ by opening of said road. ~~according to the location of the same by the said Commissioners who located said road thereon & that they~~ report to this board at the next Term thereof

Ordered that the Board adjourne until tomorrow morning at nine O'clock

Edmd Maidlow Presd

Friday morning December ninth the Board met pursuant to adjournment when present as of Yesterday

No 719 L $8.25/100 Ordered that Christian Decker be allowed Eight dollars and twenty five cents for Sums as Round Keeper to Septr 1st 1853 per bill on file

No 720 L $40.15/100 Ordered that John S. Gavitt be allowed forty dollars and fifteen cents for summoning Juries as sheriff of V.C. per bill on file

No 721 L $5.65/100 Ordered that A. Kollenburgh be allowed be allowed Five dollars and sixty five cents for tin ware for County poor Asylum per bill on file

Issd No 722 L $53.50/100 Ordered that William H. Walker Ave be allowed fifty three dollars and fifty cents for cash paid by him for for labor on City map and materials for same

Issd No 723 L $17.97/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed Seventeen dollars and ninety seven cents for cash paid by him for materials furnished Affin per bill on file

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Issd No 724 L $33,32/100 Ordered that William H. Walker Ave be Allowed thirty three dollars and thirty two cents for bill for sums for County per bill on file

Issd No 725 L $63,17/100 Ordered that William H. Walker Ave be Allowed Sixty three dollars and seventeen Cents for sums for County per bill on file

Issd No 726 L $100,00/100 Ordered that William H. Walker Ave be Allowed one hundred dollars for auditing for County per bill on file

Ordered that the Board adjourne until ~~Court in~~ tomorrow morning at nine o'clock

Edmd Maidlow Prest

Saturday morning December tenth the Board met pursuant to adjournment when the members thereof were present as of Yesterday

No 727 L $11,60/100 Ordered that John C. Flagler be Allowed eleven dollars and sixty Cents for bill for beef furnished the County Poor house after deducting eighteen dollars for pasturage per contract with Bates per bill on file

It is now here ordered that an appropriation be and it is hereby made out of the County Treasury of the sum of Three hundred and fifty dollars to be drawn upon the Orders of the Trustees of Pigeon Township for the repairs of the Fulton Avenue & Salt Well bridges provided they may require the whole amount of said sum, but if they shall not require said sum of three hundred and fifty dollars then such a sum as shall be required for the repairs of said bridges may be drawn by said Township Trustees and the County Auditor is hereby Authorized Ordered and directed to issue to said Trustees the amount of said appropriation or so much thereof as they may require in the repair of said bridges, in such sums as such Trustees may require in the judicious prosecution of said repairs with the interest of the County constantly in view

No 728 L It is now here Ordered that the County Auditor be authorized and directed, to issue an Order to the Treasurer of the County Library Trustees for the sum of four hundred dollars to be paid as a portion of the ten per cent arising from the sale of County Lots, as provided by law

No 729 L $12,78/100 Ordered that Mathias Rinschler be Allowed twelve dollars and seventy eight cents for Smith work per bill on file, for County Asylum

No 730 L $1,00/100 Ordered that Petie Sharpe Esq be Allowed one dollar for sums as returning judge at the late October election in Pigeon Township per bill on file

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It is now here ordered that William H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County and by virtue thereof County Agent of said County, be and he is hereby Authorized Ordered and directed by this Board (to wit "The Board of Commissioners of the County of "Vanderburgh – to Convey to James Roquet by a Deed of General Warranty in fee simple the one hundred feet fronting on Main Street, and extending back to the Alley in the rear of said Lots. being that part of the most Southerly Corner of the Public Square in the City of Evansville in the County of Vanderburgh now the property of said County and which lies next and adjoining the Alley extending from Main to Locust Street between Second and third Streets of said City and all of said quarter of said Public Square excepting fifty feet fronting on Main Street at the North Easterly Corner thereof upon which the Court House now Stands The portion of said quarter of the Square aforesaid to be Conveyed by the County Auditor as Agent of the County of Vanderburgh, is bounded as follows to wit, Commencing at a point fifty feet from the Corner of said quarter ~~lot~~ at the intersection of Main with third Street on the front line of said quarter running thence to the Alley dividing said quarter of said Public Square from Lot one hundred and fifty five in the Original Plan of said City of Evansville thence parallel to third Street one hundred and fifty feet to the Alley in rear of said quarter thence parallel to Main Street along said last named Alley towards third Street One hundred feet thence at right angles with said alley and parallel to third Street one hundred and fifty feet to the place of beginning. And it is further Ordered by this Board that they – for and on behalf of the County of Vanderburgh – will indemnify the said Walker. And save him forever harmless. against any & all demands payments Costs damages losses or expenses which he may suffer or incur by reason of the making of said deed, and executing said Covenant of warranty. And this Board will pay to said Roquet his heirs & assigns All sums of money damages interest or costs which may or can be recovered or lawfully demanded of said Walker or any other person body Corporate or politic by reason of any breach or breaches of the Covenants of Warranty in said deed And it is further Ordered that said Walker insert in said deed as the Consideration thereof the sum of fourteen thousand dollars, reserving the right to the County to use the Clerks Office situate upon the ground herein Conveyed

Ordered that the forgoing order Ordering the County Agent to Convey to James Roquet a part of Most South Wardly Quarter of the Public Square be and the same is hereby rescinded by this Board

Agent for County Matters

Ordered that Edmund Maidlow Esq be appointed Agent to inspect & receive the materials for the county buildings, & with the other members of this board he shall inspect said materials & buildings from time to time,

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Issued in 2 orders

Ordered that the Sum of Two hundred dollars be and it is hereby appropriated in orders on the County Treasury for the purpose of buying pork for the County poor asylum. and that the County Auditor be Authorized Ordered and directed to issue said Orders upon the Order of Commissioner Schlarman who is hereby appointed to superintend the expenditure of the said appropriation

It is now here Ordered that William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County and by Virtue thereof Agent of said County be and he is hereby Authorized Ordered and directed by the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh to convey to James Roquet by a Deed of General Warranty in fee simple, the most Southwardly quarter of the Public Square of said County in the City of Evansville and now the property of said County of Vanderburgh, said quarter being the one upon which the old Court House and Clerk Office now Stand, And is bounded by lines commencing at the North corner of said quarter at the junction of Main and third Streets in the City of Evansville aforesaid, and running thence South Fifty feet more or less to an alley and thence at right angles with Main Street one hundred and fifty feet more or less to the alley in rear thereof, thence along said Alley and parallel to Main street to third Street one hundred and fifty feet more or less, thence along third street to Main one hundred and fifty feet more or less to the place of beginning. And it is further Ordered that this Board will for and on behalf of said County indemnify said William H. Walker and Save him harmless against all demands payments Costs damages losses and expenses which he may suffer or incur by reason of the making of said deed and executing said Covenant of Warranty, And this Board will pay to said Roquet his heirs and assigns, all Sums of money damages interest and costs which may or can be recovered or lawfully demanded, of said William H. Walker or any other person body politic or corporate by reason of any breach or breaches of the Covenant of Warranty in said in said deed, And it is further ordered that said William H. Walker as Agent as aforesaid insert in said deed at the Consideration thereof the Sum of Fourteen thousand dollars, and the County Board reserve the right to the County to use and occupy the old Court House and Clerks Office & other building, situated upon said quarter, by the County until the new Court House is finished & completed & ready for the ~~occupancy~~ use aforesaid County. Which said deed shall be delivered to said James Roquet so soon as he shall file with the Auditor of said County a Bond in the penal sum of (as per agreement with Roquet) twenty thousand dollars, signed by said James Roquet and James Laughlin Jr. or by any other person who in the opinion of the auditor may be good security for said account. Said Bond to be conditioned for the faithful performance on the part of said

Roquet of a contract for the erection of the County buildings, which contract is referred to on Page 408 of this record

and it is understood that the foregoing shall in no wise affect or change the original

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No 731 L $11.00/100 Ordered that Setchell & Bowles be allowed eleven dollars for horses and buggies for County per bill on file

No 732 L $1.00/100 Ordered that Charles G Olmsted be allowed one dollar for sumpring the masurement of work on the piller at the South west end of Pigeon Bridge near Negley Mill per bill on file

No 733 L $30.00/100 Ordered that that the Trustees of Pigeon Township be allowed thirty dollars for the purpose of sending transient paupers from the County at such times as said Trustees may deem it advisable to send said paupers away from the County and Auditor is directed to issue said sum as called for by said Trustees

No 734 L $210.00/100 Ordered that Thomas Gifford be allowed two hundred and ten dollars for balance in full of building piller, and stone work under South west end of Pigeon Bridge near Negley Mill per bill on file

No 735 L $3.00/100 Ordered that Jacob Lunkenheim be allowed three dollars for registering negros and mulatoes per bill on file

Now here Edward Andrews the Keeper or superintendent of the County poor Asylum produces his Bond as such ~~Keeper~~ superintendent with John Shanklin as his security therein which Bond is now here approved

No 736 L $42.00/100 Ordered that George Bates be allowed forty two dollars for semmt hire in and abough the County poor Asylum per bill on file

~~No 737 L~~ Now here the Superintendent of the County poor Asylum makes report, and said report is accepted

Issd No 737 L $25.00/100 Ordered that Wm H. Walker A.V.C. be allowed Twenty Five for Ex Officio Serves as County Auditor to Decr 1st 1853 per bill on file

No 738 L $75.00/100 Ordered that Jacob Lunkenheimer C.V.C be allowed Seventy five dollars for 9 month Ex Officio Serves as Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court per bill on file

No 739 L $25.00/100 Ordered that John S. Gavitt G.V.C be allowed twenty five dollars for Ex Officio Serves as Sheriff of V.C. per bill on file,

No 740 L $18.00/100 Ordered that Edmund Maidlow Esq be allow Eighteen dollars for 6 days official serv serves at the present Term

No 741 L $18.00/100 Ordered that Alexander Maddox Esq be allowed Eighteen dollars for 6 days official serves at the present Term

No 742 L $18.00/100 Ordered that Cassimer Schlamp Esq be allowed Eighteen dollars for 6 days official serves at the present term

ordered that the Board adjourn until Court in Course } Edmd Maidlow Prest

Alexander Maddox

Cassimir Schlamp

Transfer of Certificate No 13 Subd Seminary Lot

In Consideration of One cent to me as administrator of the estate of George Bates dec'd paid by Christian Decker of the City of Evansville Indiana. and by Virtue of the Authority Vested in me by an Order of the Court of Common Pleas of Vanderburgh County at the present term of said Court I Mary Elizabeth Bates as Administrator aforesaid. do hereby Assign and transfer to said Christian Decker and his Heirs and Assigns. the within Certificate and All the estate & interest in the land therein described. which the said George Bates had at the time of his death

This Assignment is made without recourse upon me or the estate or heirs of said George Bates dec'd

Mary Elizabeth + Bates (Seal)
mark

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Ss

I William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County. do hereby Certify that the Above named Mary Elizabeth Bates did on this 10th day of December A.D. 1853 personally Appear before me, And Acknowledge that she did Sign And Seal the foregoing transfer for the uses and purposes therein Mentioned

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand as Auditor of said County. and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville the date above Written

William H. Walker County Auditor

Recorded Dec 13th 1853
Wm H. Walker A.V.C.

Transfer of Certificate No 14 Subdivision of Seminary Lot

In Consideration of one cents to me as administrator of the estate of George Bates dec'd. paid by Christian Decker of Evansville Indiana, And by Virtue of the Authority Conferred Confered on me by an Order of the Court of Common Pleas of Vanderburgh County at the present term of said Court I Mary Elizabeth Bates as administrator as aforesaid. do hereby assign and transfer to said Christian Decker and his heirs and assigns. the within Certificate and all the estate & title which George Bates dec'd had in & to the land therein described at the time of his death. this Assignment is made without recourse upon me or the estate or heirs of George Bates

Evansville December tenth 1853

Mary Elizabeth + Bates (Seal)
mark

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Ss

I William H. Walker Auditor of said County do hereby Certify that on this 10th day of December A.D. 1853 the above Named Mary Elizabeth Bates did personally appear before me and acknowledge that she did sign and seal the foregoing transfer for the uses and purposes therein named.

In witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this the day and date above written

William H. Walker County Auditor

Recorded Dec 13th 1853
Wm H. Walker A.V.C.

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Certificate of Purchase of School Land

Auditors Office
Vanderburgh County Decr 19th 1853

No 4

It is hereby Certified, That Friedrich H Meier did on this day purchase of the County Auditor and County Treasurer of Vanderburgh County Indiana, Lot No 4 being the North West quarter of the North West quarter of Section Number Sixteen in Township Number five South of Range number ten West containing forty Acres more or less for the Sum of two hundred and fifty dollars of which he has paid to the County Treasurer the Sum of sixty three dollars the first instalment of Principal agreeably to law and thirteen dollars and Nine Cents for one Years interest (at the rate of Seven Per Cent Per Annum) in advance on the residue of the Principal

Now Therefore Be It Remembered That if said Friedrich H Meier Shall pay the balance of one hundred and eighty seven dollars to the Treasurer of Vanderburgh or his legal Successor in office, at the expiration of ten Years from the date hereof with Seven Per Cent Per annum interest thereon annually in advance then the said Friedrich H Meier or his heirs or legal representatives Shall receive a deed for said Lot or tract of land above described

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set My hand and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County on this 19th day of December AD 1853

William H Walker A.V.C.
John Walsh A.V.C.

Recorded Decr 19th 1853

Transfer of Certificate No 18 Subdivision of Seminary Lot: Record of

For Value received I do hereby sell assign and transfer all of my title and interest in and to the land Contained in and to the within Certificate to August & Louis Uhl (my interest being the undivided one half of lot No (18) Eighteen Subdivision of the Seminary Lot as herein described

In witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 23rd day of January AD 1854

Louis Damm [Seal]

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Ss

Recorded January 23rd 1854 Wm H. Walker A.V.C.

This Certifies that the above named Louis Damm did on this day appear before me, and acknowledge the foregoing transfer to be his Voluntary Act and deed for the uses and purposes therein named

In witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville this 23rd day of January AD 1854

William H. Walker A.V.C.

For Value received I do hereby sell ~~and~~ assign and transfer to August Ellis and Casimer Schlamp this Certificate with all of my right title and interest of in or to the lot therein mentioned

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal at Evansville on this 30th day of Decr A.D. 1853

Joseph Kaiser Seal

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Ss

This certifies that Joseph Kaiser did on this day appear before me and acknowledge that he did sign and seal the foregoing Assignment for the uses and purposes therein named

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 30th day of December A.D. 1853

Recorded January 25th 1854

William H. Walker
County Auditor

William Davis is hereby Appointed Assessor for Perry Township in Vanderburgh County Indiana to ~~fill a vacancy~~ fill the Vacancy occasioned by Mason C. Newman having left the Township and being engaged upon the Mississippi River — at the time for assessing said Township

Cy'd Feb 3/54

February 3rd 1854

William H. Walker A.V.C.

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DEED

Whereas John Brown Assignee of Samuel McCutchan has produced and Shewn to the undersigned William H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana a Certificate of Purchase in writing, dated 9th day of April A.D. 1848. Signed by William H. Walker who was at said date the Auditor of Vanderburgh County, and by Brackett Mills who was at said date the School Commissioner of said County from which it appears that Kinlock McJohnson and Samuel McCutchan did on the 14th day of March A.D. 1848 Purchase of the School Commissioner of said County the North Half of the South East quarter of the North East quarter of Section Number twenty eight in Township Number five South of range Number ten West for the Sum of One hundred dollars. And that Kinlock McJohnson did on the 6th day of April A.D. 1852 Sell and Assign to John Whitehead the South half of the North half of the South half of the East half of the North East quarter of Section Number twenty eight (28) aforesaid as his interest in said Certificate and in the land therein described. And Saml McCutchan aforesaid did on the 30th day of December A.D. 1852 Sell to John Brown the North half of the North half of the South East quarter of the North East quarter of Section Number twenty eight in township Number five South of range Number Ten West. And at the same time the said McCutchan filed the County Treasurers receipt in the Office of the County Auditor for the full Amount of Principal and interest for the Purchase Money on said lot or tract of land. And said Brown has on this day demanded a deed for that part of the land described in said Certificate. Which said McCutchan, as aforesaid, Sold and transfered to him

Therefore Know all Men by these Presents, That in Consideration of the Premises. and in Conformity with the Statute in such case made and provided. And by Virtue of the Authority by law in me vested as Auditor of the County of Vanderburgh I William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County as aforesaid, do give and grant the north half of the South East quarter of the North East quarter of Section Number twenty eight in township Number five South of range Number ten west to John Brown his heirs and Assigns forever.

In witness Whereof I William H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County aforesaid have hereunto Set my hand and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 25th day of January A.D. 1854

William H. Walker
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Sct.

I James T. Walker a Justice of the Peace do hereby Certify that the Above named

William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County Personally Came before Me And Acknowledged that he Signed And Sealed the foregoing Indenture for the Uses and Purposes therein Mentioned. In testimony Whereof I have Hereunto Set My hand and Seal this 28th day of January 1854

James T. Walker Justice (Seal)

Recorded Janry 26th 1854
Wm H. Walker A.V.C.

Whereas Patrick Keegan did on this the 30th day of January A.D. 1854 Produce and Show to the undersigned William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana a Certificate of Purchase in writing Signed by Nathan Lowley as School Commissioner of Said County which Certificate is in the words and figures following, to wit,

Paddy O'Keegan having this day Purchased at Number four of the Subdivision of the East half of the North East quarter of Section Number Twenty eight in Township five South of Range Number ten West in the district of Lands Sold at Vincennes Indiana which was divided into twenty Acre lots by the Trustees by the Trustee of Said Township, a plat of which is recorded on the records of the School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County, page thirty Seven for the Sum of One hundred Dollars of which he has paid Twenty Nine dollars and fifty Cents being one fourth part of the purchase money, and One Years Interest in advance on the residue of the Principal which is Seventy five 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 Paddy Keegan his Assigns or representatives Shall be intitled to a Deed Conveying all the right title interest and Claim of the said State of Indiana of in or to Said lot of land which was acquired by virtue of a decree of Vanderburgh Circuit Court at their September term in the Year 1838 by which said decree the title to said land was vested in the State of Indiana for School purposes in Said County. But on failure to pay said interest for one 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 lot of land and all the payments therefor made thereon, and this Contract of Sale Shall be forfeited, and re-vert to the State of Indiana for School purposes in Vanderburgh County

Witness my hand and seal this 25th day of March in the Year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and thirty Seven

Nathan Lowley (Seal)
School Commissioner V.C.

DEED

And at the Same time, to wit, on this 30th day of January aforesaid the said Patrick Keegan did also produce and file in My office the County Seasons of Vanderburgh County aforesaid, for the Sum of Seventy Nine dollars and thirty four cents. being in full Satisfaction of the Principal and interest due upon said lot of land so as aforesaid purchased and did at the Same time demand a deed for the Same

Therefore Know all Men by these Presents. that in Consideration of said Sum of Seventy Nine dollars and thirty four cents so as aforesaid paid. and in Conformity with the Statue in such Case made and provided. And by and with the Authority in Me by law Vested as Auditor of the County of Vanderburgh aforesaid I William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana do give And grant the said lot Number four in Subdivision of the East half of the North East quarter of Section number twenty eight in Township ~~number~~ five South of range Number ten west to Patrick Keegan 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 witness Whereof I William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County hereto. at Evansville on this 30th day of January A.D. 1854

William H. Walker
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } ss

I James T. 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 Came before Me and Acknowledged that he Signed and Sealed the foregoing indenture for the uses and purposes therein Mentioned

In testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 30th day of January 1854

James T. Walker (Seal)
Justice of the Peace

Recorded January 31st 1854
Wm H. Walker Rec

Fr Dr Meier

Deed

Whereas, Frederick W Meier Assignee of Lewis Weis Assignee of Washington Scott did on this 9th 21st day of February AD 1854 produce to the undersigned William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County, in the State of Indiana. a Certificate of Purchase in Writing Signed by Charles D. Bonne Acting School Commissioner of said County, dated March 30th 1840 by Which it appears that Washington I. Scott did on said day Purchase of said Acting School Commissioner Lot Number 5 being the South West quarter of the North West quarter of Section Number Sixteen, in Township Number five South of Range Number ten West. Containing thirty nine acres. and ninety hundredths of an Acre. be the same more or less. for the Sum of One hundred and Sixty nine dollars, and fifty Seven Cents. and at the time of Sale paid one fourth of the Purchase Money And One Years interest in advance. on the residue of said Purchase money. and it further appears on the back of. and attached to said Certificate of Purchase that Washington I. Scott. did on the 17th day of March AD 1846 assign said Certificate for a Valuable Consideration to One Louis Weis and said Weis did on the 22nd day of May AD 1849 assign the same to said Frederick W. Meier who has paid Principal and interest in full for the tract of land described in said Certificate. and demanded a deed for the Same.

Therefore Know all men by these Presents 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. do give and grant the said South West quarter of the North West quarter of Section Number Sixteen in Township Number five South of Range ten West Containing thirty nine 90/100 Acres be the same more or less to the said Frederick W. Meier his heirs or assigns forever. in as full and Ample a Manner as I as Auditor of said County am empowered by law to convey the Same

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto Set my hand And affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County of Vanderburgh at my office in Evansville on this the 21st day of February A.D. 1854

William H Walker
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Ss

Before me James I Walker a justice of the Peace in and for said County on this 21 day of February AD 1854. personally appeared the above named William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County and acknowledged that he executed the foregoing and annexed Indenture for the uses and purposes therein named. In witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and seal at my office in Evansville on the day first herein above written. James I. Walker J.P.
Justice of the Peace

Recorded Feb 21st 1854 WH Walker Aud

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DEED
to
F. Sievering

Whereas Frederick Sievering assignee of James Rass did on this the first day of February A.D 1854 produce to the undersigned William H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County in the State of Indiana a Certificate of Purchase in writing Signed by Nathan Powley School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County and dated on the 8th day of September A.D 1841 from which it appears that James Rass did on said 8th day of September A.D 1841 for the sum of One hundred and twenty dollars purchase of the School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County the North East quarter of the South West quarter of Section number Sixteen in Township Number five South of Range number ten West Containing forty Acres more or less being part of the School Section belonging to said Congressional Township and designated and known as No number (11) on the recorded plat of land Sold by said School Commissioner which plat was recorded on the record of said School Commissioners And Whereas James Rass did on the 9th day of February Assign and Sell to Frederick Sievering Said Certificate of Purchase together with All the Interest of said James Rass of in or to the Same And Frederick Sievering the Owner of said Certificate did on this day Produce to me and file in My Office the receipt of the Treasurer of Vanderburgh County for the payment in full of the purchase money due upon said tract of land and demanded a deed for the same

Therefore Know all men by these Presents That in Consideration of the Premises and in Conformity with the Statute in Such Case Made and Provided And by and with the Authority in me by Law Vested as Auditor of Vanderburgh County. I William H Walker Auditor of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana do give and grant the North East quarter of the South west quarter of Section Number Sixteen in Township Number five South of Range Number ten West Containing forty Acres More or less. to the said Frederick Sievering 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 witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand And affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 9th day of February A.D 1854

William H Walker
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } ss

I James I. Walker a justice of the Peace in and for the County of Vanderburgh 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 foregoing Indenture for the Uses and purposes therein Mentioned

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal at Evansville in said County, this 1st day of Febmy A.D. 1854

James J. Walker Seal
Justice of the Peace

Recorded Feb. 2nd 1854
Wm H. Walker A.V.C.

Transfer Certificate James Ferry to Wm Young

Know all men by these presents that I John Whitehead Senior attorney duly constituted and appointed for James Ferry do assign set over and transfer to William Young, all of my right title interest And Claim, of in or to the Annexed Certificate and the land therein for value received

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal at Evansville on this 2nd day of Febmy A.D. 1854

John Whitehead Seal
Attorney for James Ferry

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Ss

This Certifys that John Whitehead Attorney for James Ferry did on this day appear before me and acknowledge that he did sign and seal the above & foregoing transfer for the uses and purposes therein named

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and the Seal of the Board of Commrs of said County on this 2nd day of Feb A.D. 1854

William H. Walker A.V.C.

Recorded Feb 3rd 1854
Wm H. Walker A.V.C.

Know all Men by these presents That I James Ferry of the City of New York laborer. have made constituted and appointed. and by these presents do make constitute and appoint John Whitehead Senior of Scott township in the County of Vanderburgh and State of Indiana my true and lawful Attorney for me and in my name. place and stead to receive from William Young, of the town ship County and State last aforesaid the sum of one hundred and six dollars. and on such receipt to give up to said Young his promissory note made to me in said amount dated in the month of September 1852 to fall due on or about the first of October 1853. And further on such payment to assign transfer and set over by any proper Assignment deed or transfer all the right title and interest whatsoever held by me in a Certain Section of land in said township of Scott hereto last above named. being owned forty acres of land to wit

be the same more or less in a certain lot of land generally known as the School land

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Sixth day of September A.D. 1853 at the City of New York

James Ferry (SS)

Sealed and delivered in the presence of Worthington Romaine E. S. Young

Power of Attorney

James Ferry to John Whitehead

State of New York City & County of New York } Be it remembered that the within named Ferry known to me to be the person described in and who executed the within Written Instrument, came this day personally before the undersigned One of the Commissioners of the State of Indiana, Within City and State of New York to take Acknowledgements of Deeds &c &c duly Commissioned & qualified. And acknowledged that he did sign seal and deliver the with written instrument as & of his Act & deed for the purposes therein specified

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal of Office this Sixth day of September A.D. 1853

(SS)

Moses B. Maclay
Indiana Commissioner
in New York

Recorded Feb 3rd 1854
Wm H. Walker A.V.C.

DEED
to
Stephens
Sherwood
& Shanklin

Whereas; Silas Stephens. Marcus Sherwood And John Shanklin for the heirs and devisees of Robert M. Evans deceased did on the 14th day of December A.D. 1853 produce to the undersigned William H. Walker Auditor of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana, two certain Certificates of Purchase in writing bearing date the 14th day of December A.D. 1839 Signed by Charles D. Bourne. Acting School Commissioner of said County. by which it appears that Robert M. Evans did on said 14th day of December A.D. 1839. purchase of the School Commissioners of said County (lots numbers one (1) and eight (8)) the North East quarter of the North East Quarter and the South East quarter of the North East quarter of Section number Sixteen in Township Number Six South of Range ten west Containing Seventy Nine Acres and eighty five hundredths of an acre, more or less. for the Sum of four hundred and Seventy Nine and Seven Cents. And Paid to the School Commissioners of said County one fourth of said purchase money. and Six percentum interest on the residue in advance for one year. And Whereas the said Silas Stephens Marcus Sherwood. and John Shanklin trustees for the heirs and devisees of Robert M. Evans deceased. having on this day caused to be filed in my office the County Treasurers receipts for the Sum of three hundred and eighty dollars. and eighty three Cents. in full of the remaining balance of Principal and interest due upon said tract of land. said demanded a deed for the same

Therefore Know All Men by these Presents 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 in the State of Indiana, do give and grant the said North East quarter of the North East quarter. and the South East quarter of the North East quarter of Section Number Sixteen in Township number Six. South of Range Number ten west to the said Silas Stephens Marcus Sherwood. and John Shanklin in trust for the heirs and devisees of Robert M. Evans deceased. And their heirs and Assigns. Subject to all the provisions, limitations and restrictions contained in the last will aforesaid Robert M. Evans, in like manner as if said Evans had been at the time of making said will & at the time of his death. invested with the legal estate in, and Absolute owner in fee. of said land,

In Witness whereof I William H Walker Auditor of the County of Vanderburgh aforesaid have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 15th day of February A.D. 1854

William H. Walker
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

State of Indiana } I James T. Walker a justice
Vanderburgh County }

of the Peace in and for said County do hereby Certify that William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County aforesaid whose name appears to the foregoing Indenture, did on this day Appear before me and Acknowledge that he did Sign and Seal the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal as justice aforesaid at my office in Evansville in said County on this 15th day of February AD 1854

James S Walker Justice (SS)

Recorded Feb 15th 1854
Wm H Walker Ave

+ Whereas: Adam Korb of Vanderburgh County Indiana has produced to me William H. Walker Auditor of said County A Certificate of Purchase in writing bearing date April 7th AD 1848 Signed by William H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County and Bracket Mills School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County by which it appears, that said Adam Korb did on the 14th day of March AD 1848 purchase of said School Commissioner the South West quarter of the South East quarter of Section number Sixteen in Township number five, South of range number ten west containing thirty nine acres and forty four hundredths of an Acre for the sum of one hundred, and twenty dollars. of which sum he paid to the School Commissioner in hand one fourth and interest on the residue in advance for One Year

And Whereas The said Adam Korb has since filed in my Office the receipts of the County Treasurer of Vanderburgh County aforesaid for the remaining balance of the principal sum due on said land, as well as interest thereon in full. and demanded a deed for said tract so as aforesaid by him purchased

Therefore, Know all men by these presents. 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 the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana do give and Grant to the said Adam Korb the South West quarter of the South East quarter of Section number Sixteen in Township number five South of range number ten west Containing thirty nine Acres and forty four hundredths of an Acre. And to his heirs and Assigns

(SS) In witness whereof I William H Walker Auditor of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 11th day of February AD 1854 · William H Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } ss

Before me James T. Walker a Justice of the Peace in and for said County this the 16th day of February A.D. 1854 personally Came William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County and Acknowledged the execution of the Annexed Deed

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal at Evansville in said County on this 16th day of February A.D. 1854

James T. Walker Justice (L.S.)

Know all men by these presents that we Robert W. Dunbar Madison J. Bray George B. Walker Crawford Bell Silas Stephens John M. Stockwell Levi L. Laycock John H. Palfandick & Abraham Guinchert are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal Sumn of thirty five thousand dollars, for the payment whereof well and truly to be made and done, we do bind ourselves, our heirs executors and administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated ~~and dated~~ this second day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty

Whereas the above bound Robert W. Dunbar was on the first Monday in August A.D. 1850. duly elected County Treasurer for the County of Vanderburgh in the State aforesaid by the qualified Voters of said County, to serve for the term of three years from the time of his said election. And until his Successor is Chosen And qualified. Now therefore the conditions of the Above Obligation are such, that if the said Robert W. Dunbar Shall pay over all Moneys According to Law which Shall Come into his hands for State County Road or other purposes. And if the said Robert W. Dunbar Shall well faithfully And promptly discharge all the duties of his said Office According to Law then the Above Obligation Shall be Null and Void. but Otherwise it Shall be And remain in full force and Virtue

R. W. Dunbar (Seal)
M. J. Bray (Seal)
G. B. Walker (Seal)
Crawford Bell (Seal)
Silas Stephens (Seal)
John M. Stockwell (Seal)
Levi L. Laycock (Seal)
J. H. Palfandick (Seal)
A. Guinchert (Seal)

Recorded Feb. 16th 1854
Wm. H. Walker Aud.

Know all men by these presents that We Robert W Dunbar Charles Harrington Bernard Shirro Nathan Rowley and William Caldwell are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of fifteen thousand Dollars for the payment whereof well and truly to be made and done we do bind Ourselves our heirs executors and administrators. jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this second day of September A.D. 1850

Whereas, the above bound Robert W. Dunbar was on the first Monday in August A.D. 1850. duly elected County Treasurer for the County of Vanderburgh in the State aforesaid by the qualified Voters of said County to serve for the term of three years from the time of his said election, and until his successor is Chosen and qualified. Now therefore the Conditions of the above Obligation are such, that if the said Robert W. Dunbar shall faithfully perform the duties of his said Office connected with the Surplus Revenue, County Seminary and three per Cent funds of said County and shall faithfully pay over to the persons entitled thereto the said funds which may come to his hands during his Continuance in said office and shall faithfully transfer to his successor in said office all money books and papers belonging or relating to the said funds, then the above Obligation shall be null and void otherwise it shall be and remain in full force and Virtue

R. W. Dunbar (Seal)
Charles Harrington (Seal)
Bernard Shirro (Seal)
Nathan Rowley (Seal)
W. Caldwell (Seal)

Recorded Feby 16th 1854
Wm. G. Walker

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At a session of the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County begun & held on Monday Morning March 6th A.D. 1854 at the Office of the County Auditor (the Court House being Occupied by the Common Pleas Court) in Evansville in said County when present Edmund Maidlow Alexander Maddox and Cassimer Schlamp. Members Composing said County Board

No 889 L $1.75/100 Ordered that Ellis Nightengale be allowed an Order of one dollar and seventy five cents for a poll improperly Charged him & paid on the duplicate of 1853.

No 890 L $1.75/100 Ordered that be allowed one dollar and seventy five cents for a poll improperly Charged and by him paid on the duplicate of 1853

Now here Philip Kock applies to this board for relief from the payment of taxes assessed for the Year 1853 upon improvements which have been destroyed by fire situate upon lots No 9 - 10 & 11 in block No. 136 in Lamasco City and the board hearing the testimony of said Kock on oath defers the further consideration of said application until some subsequent day of the present Term

No 891 L. $5.00/100 Ordered that Esau Newman be be allowed five dollars for provisions furnished John Rocket a pauper in Armstrong Township pr bill on file

Now here Wm Linsweiler submits to this board a receipt from G.W. Kennerly Supervisor shewing that said Wm Linsweiler has paid over the road fund in his hands amounting to $2.80/100 dollars to his successor in the said Office of Supervisor

Now here the County Auditor submits to the Board the Appointment and proceeding thereon of Grampee W. Hardin Assessor for Union Township William Jervis Assessor for Perry Township and Adam Wolf Assessor for German Township to fill Vacancies in said Offices which said Appointments and the proceedings had thereon the Board Now here Confirms and Approves

The County Auditor submits to the Board the Bond of James Roquet taken in accordance with an Order of this Board made at the December Term 1853 Ordering and directing said County Auditor to approve and accept a certain bond of said Roquet and make to him a deed which proceeding of the Auditor this Board now here approves

Approval of Roquet's additional Bond

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No. 892 L $1.50/100 Ordered that That Thomas Bowyer be Allowed one dollar and fifty cents for ~~[illegible]~~ Seniors as road viewer per bill on file.

No. 893 L $3.00/100 Ordered that Wm Bowyer be Allowed three dollars for Seniors as Supervisor per bill on file

No. 894 L $3.00/100 Ordered that Richard Lichfield be Allowed three dollars for Seniors as Supervisor per bill on file.

No. 895 L $1.50/100 Ordered that John Thummann be Allowed one dollar and fifty cents for ~~one and a half days~~ seniors as road viewer per bill on file.

No. 896 L $2.50/100 Ordered that Wm Prewitt be Allowed two dollars and fifty cents for Seniors & return as road viewer per bill on file.

Now here the Auditor reports to the Board and exhibits the bills of John Miller — Shewing he has issued Orders to said Miller for fifty cords of wood for the County Poor Asylum which the board now here approves

No. 897 L $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr Danl. Morgan be Allowed Twenty Five dollars for one quarters Seniors as Physician to the County Poor to Feb 28th 1854 per bill on file

No. 898 L $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr John S. Walker be Allowed be Allowed Twenty Five dollars for one quarters Services as Physician to the County Poor to Feb 28th 1854 per bill on file

No. 899 L $25.00/100 Ordered that Dr Hugh Ronolds be Allowed Twenty five dollars for One quarters Salary for Seniors as Physician to the County Poor to Feb 28th 1854 per bill on file.

Now here Wm Prewitt, Thomas Bower, and John Thummann, Viewers heretofore appointed by this board and make report as follows to wit

No. 900 L Ordered the County Auditor be Authorized and directed to issue to Robert Barns an order on the County Treasurer for taxes by him Erroneously paid, upon the W½ of the S.W. qr of Sec. No. 24 in Town 5 South of range No. 10 West which tract was listed, and belonged to R. McJohnston, so soon as said Barns produces his receipt Shewing that he has paid the State and County taxes on said tract of land for A.D. 1853, And that said Auditor also include in said Order, a poll tax paid by said Barns, for A.D. 1853, — he having Shewn to this Board that he is, and was at the time of the Assessment of said taxes exempted by Age, from the payment of said poll tax

Now here Wm Prewitt Thomas Bower, and John Thummann, Viewers heretofore appointed by this Board to view a certain road therein named come into Court. And ~~and~~ present their report of a view by

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them made, which report is in the following words to Wit;

"Vanderburgh County Ss. of Indiana

To The Honorable Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County. At March Term 1854. We the undersigned Viewers having been duly Sworn did on the 22nd day of February 1854 proceed to View a certain route as in your Order described to wit; (Commencing) at a point on the Owensville and Evansville road near Esau Newmans residence running thence south on the line dividing Scott Township and Armstrong until it intersects the road leading from said Owensville and Evansville road to the Boonville and Harmony road near the North West Corner of the West half of the North West quarter of Section Number (13) thirteen in Town (5) five South of Range (11) eleven west. And further we the undersigned Viewers do report the said road to be of no Public Utility as a highway

Wm Prewitt
Thomas Bower
John Stutsman

The Board after duly Considering said report and the things therein ~~Contain~~ Accept and Approve the Same.

Ordered that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at Nine Oclock

Edwd Maidlow Pres.t

Tuesday morning at nine oclock the Board met pursuant to adjournment when the members thereof where present as of Yesterday

No 901 L .75/100 Ordered that Richard Browning be Allowed Seventy five Cents for Services as Clerk of an election held in Scott Township per bill on file

No 902 L $47.25/100 Ordered that Stampley W Hardin be Allowed forty Seven dollars And twenty five Cents for Assessing Revenue for A.D. 1854 per bill on file

No 903 L .75/100 Ordered that John L. Whittlesey be Allowed Seventy five Cents for Services as ~~Clerk~~ Judge of An election held in Centre Township on July 1852 per Certificate on file

No 904 L .75/100 Ordered that Wm Whittlesey Jr be Allowed Seventy five Cents for Services as Clerk of An Election held in Centre Township in January 1853 per Certificate on file

No 905 L $7.50/100 Ordered that Lewis B. Day Assessor of Centre Township be Allowed Seven dollars and fifty Cents for Assessing Revenue for A.D. 1854 per bill on file

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No 906L $50.25/100 Ordered that Lewis B. Day be Allowed fifty dollars & twenty five cents for assessing Centre Township for A.D. 1854 per bill on file

No 907L $25.00/100 Ordered that Jacob Lunkenheimer be Allowed twenty five dollars for ex Officio Services as Clerk of the Circuit Court from Jan 53 to March 1st 1854 per bill on file

No 908L $25.00/100 Ordered that Wm H Walker be Allowed twenty five dollars for one quarters Ex Officio Services as auditor to March 1st 1854 per bill on file

Report of the Clerk of the Circuit Court filed with the County Auditor January 13th 1854

A List of Fines collected by Jacob Lunkenheimer clerk of the Vanderburgh circuit court and of the court of Common Pleas of Vanderburgh County from November 28th 1852 to January 1st 1854

V.C.C.	State vs Barker		$ 2.00
	" " Riddle		" 2.00
			2.00
			$6.00
C.C.P. V.C.	State vs Spencer Glacier	5.00	
	" Hugh McCrary	5.00	
	" William McCrary	5.00	$15.00
	" Sullivan		5.00
		Total	$26.35

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County ss

I Jacob Lunkenheimer do Swear that the foregoing Account is true as I verily believe So help me God

Jacob Lunkenheimer

Subscribed & Sworn to before me January 13th 1854
John Walsh T.V.C.

A List of Jury fees Collected by Jacob Lunkenheimer Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court & of the Court of Common Pleas of Vanderburgh County from November 28th 1852 to January 1st 1854

V.C.C.	Kollenburgh vs Fritsch	$4.50
	City of Evansville " Reed	$4.50
	M.P. Jones vs Trustees G.M.E. Ch	$4.50
	Jas H. Messick vs R. Jenkins	4.50
C.C.P.V.C.	Walter Miller vs Charles Collins	4.50
	Total	$22.50

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County ss

I Jacob Lunkenheimer do Swear that the foregoing Statement is true as I verily believe So help me God

Jacob Lunkenheimer

Subscribed & Sworn to before me January 13th 1854 John Walsh T.V.C.

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A List of Docked Fees Collected by Jacob Sunkenheimer Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Vanderburgh County Indiana from November 28th 1852 to January 1st 1854

Jno. M Bonnemick	Vs	E Gunnberts	$1,00
Walter Miller	Vs	Charles Collins	3,00
Jesse B. Miller	"	Bayless Bennett	3,00
State	Vs	Yackeres et al	3,00
State	Vs	Johnson	1,00
Jno A.	Reitz & Co.	Jno Green	3,00
Diefenbach	Vs	Rockefuss	3,00
Mintzer	Vs	Yackeres	3,00
State	Vs	Spences Glacier	1.00
"	"	Hugh McCrary	1,00
"	"	Wm McCrary	1.00
			$23,00

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } ss

I Jacob ~~Jacob~~ Sunkenheimer do swear that the foregoing Statement is true as I verily believe So help me God

Jacob Sunkenheimer

Subscribed And Sworn to before me January 13th 1854
John Walsh C.V.C.

Amount allowed for 150 copies of An Act in rel to Settlement of Decedents Estates $15.00

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } ss

I Jacob Sunkenheimer do Swear that the forgoing Statement is true as I verily believe So help me God

Jacob Sunkenheimer

Subscribed & Sworn to before me January 13th 1854
John Walsh C.V.C.

Amount allowed for the Board of Commissioners of Vanderburgh County Distributive Share of the Estate of Joseph Finney $15,66

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } ss

I Jacob Sunkenheimer do swear that the forgoing Statement is true as I verily believe So help me God

Jacob Sunkenheimer

Subscribed & Sworn to before me January 13th 1854
John Walsh C.V.C.

No 955 $154,$^{54}/_{100}$ Ordered that Christian Pipkins Recorder of Vanderburgh County be Allowed one hundred and fifty four dollars And fifty four cents for making General Indexes for County Recorders Office per bill on file

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Now here Richard Ruston William Ingle and Yerah Fairchild Commissioners appointed at the last Term of this Board to review, and assess such damages as in their appinnion might be done to the premises of Mrs Broadis whose remonstrance was filed at the last term of this Board come into Court and report as follows

"We the undersigned being appointed Commissioners at the December term of the County Commissioners Court of Vanderburgh County to view the premises belonging to the heirs of James Broadus in the North west quarter of Section Number Six in Town five south of range eleven west and assess the damages done to said Tract of Land by opening a road through the said tract. Met on the fourth day of February 1854 and were qualified according to law do assess the damages by said road to said tract of Land at one hundred dollars In witness our hands and seals this fourth day of February 1854

Richard Ruston
William Ingle } Commissioners
Yerah Fairchild

The board of After duly considering said report and hearing the testimony of witnesses. consider that said road should be granted. and the Board does now hereby grant the prayer of the petitioners for said road, and authorize order and direct that the Supervisors having charge of said road to open the same to the width of thirty feet and keep the same in good travelling condition, & that the aforesaid damages be paid out of the County Treasury

The following Report ~~and Remonstrance~~ was submitted to this Board in the foregoing Case by Viewers appointed by the County commissioners of Vanderburgh and Posey Counties upon the petition of Simon Williams and others for a certain route for a road in said petition named which petition was presented to the County Board of Vanderburgh County at their Time Term A.D. 1853 - Said report is in the words and figures following to wit;

"To The Hon The Boards of Commissioners of Vanderburgh and Posey Counties

The undersigned Commissioners appointed by Your Honorable Boards at the last Time and September Terms thereof, upon the petition of Simon Williams & Others residents of Armstrong Township. to view mark and locate a certain road in said petition named beg leave to Report

That we did as directed in the order of Appointment on the 30th day of September A.D. 1853 meet at the house

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of Sam[l] McDonald Esq in Armstrong Township in the County of Vanderburgh. And after qualifying we did proceed to view mark and locate said proposed Highway, According to the prayer of said petition as follows to Wit; The Commenced at a point on the South line of Congressional Township (4) four in Range eleven West. At which the road leading from Evansville to Lynthiana Crosses. Said Township line in Armstrong Township aforesaid. And ran thence west on said Congressional Township line. to the South West Corner of Section. Number thirty one in Township Number four. South of range number eleven west through the South end of lands belonging to the following persons Viz:- Simon Prewitt. the heirs of John Williams, Simon Williams. and Peter Sariser. And the North end of the Lands belonging to Sam[l] McDonald William Prewitt. the heirs of John Williams. and the heirs of Henry Ewin. & to Rhodis Rogers and James A. Ewin. thence we ran South west through the North west quarter of Section Six in Town five South of Range eleven west. Which land belongs to the heirs of James Bradis. to the South west Corn of said quarter Section, thence South on the County line across the South Corner of the South west quarter of Section Number Six town & range same thence South west leaving the line of Vanderburgh County through a part of the North East quarter of the South East quarter of Section Number twelve in town five South of range twelve west in Posey County Which said tract of land belongs to Wendel Wasmer. Intersecting the Evansville and Poseyville road at a Stone Set[d] at the South west Corner of the Catholick Church lot. The undersigned are of opinion that said road will be of public utility And believe the prayer of the petitions should be granted

All of Which is Submitted

October 26th 1853 } Marshall McMurran
Wm Davis

Upon here the Board grants said road And it is now here declared an established road and its width as hereinbefore ordered shall be thirty feet and the Supervisor are directed to open said road & keep it in good travelling Condition

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No 909 L $10,25/100 Ordered that John B Meeker be Allowed ten dollars and twenty five Cents for a Stove furnished the County Recorder

No 910 L $3,00/100 Ordered that Wm Green be Allowed three dollars for Jenny Timmons at 5 Inquest held by the Coroner per bill on file

No 911 L $1,40/100 Ordered that Orr & Swanson Sixty dollar and forty Cents for Coal furnished the County Jail per bill on file

No 912 L $2,50/100 Ordered that Yezah Fairchild be Allowed Two dollar and fifty Cents for Services as a Commissioner to Assess damages on road in Armstrong Township and making a return to this Board of the award of said damages per bill on file

No 913 L $1,50/100 Ordered that Wm Engle be Allowed One dollar And fifty Cents for Commissioner in awarding damages on a road in Armstrong Township per bill on file

No 914 L $1,50/100 Ordered that Richard Ruston be Allowed One dollar And fifty Cents for Services as Commissioner awarding damages on a road in Armstrong Township per bill on file

Now Jan Cassimus Schlamp who was at the Last Term of this Board Appointed to expend an Appropriation made by the Board of two hundred dollars to supply the County Poor Asylum with Potatoes, makes Report to this Board that he has purchased Forty Bushels of Potatoes for said Asylum and expended said appropriation to the best advantage in his power for the interest of the County and has at this time in his hands one dollar and Ninety five Cents, remaining from said appropriation, which Report the Board Approves as well as the Act of said Agent in expending of said appropriation

Ordered that the Board adjourn until to Morrow Morning at 9 O'Clock A.M. Edmd Maidlow Pres.t

Orderd

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Thursday Morning at 9 Oclock the Board met Pursuant to adjournment when present as of Yesterday

No 915 L $50.00/100 Ordered that Hon Conrad Baker be Allowed fifty dollars for ~~Salary~~ as Judge of the Court of Common Pleas to January 13th 1854 Per bill on file (in part)

No 916 L $34.61/100 Ordered that Hon Conrad Baker be Allowed thirty four dollars and sixty one cents for one quarters Salary as Judge of the Court of Common Pleas to January 13th 1854 Per bill on file

Now here the County Auditor Submits to this Board the Account against Elizabeth Ball a deaf & Dumb person sent from Vanderburgh County to the institution at Indianapolis for the Deaf & Dumb for the sum of Five dollars and fifteen cents which this board orders to be collected with the damages provided by law off the Proper Persons to wit Andrew Ferrell the guardian

No 917 L $4.00/100 Ordered that Robert Fergus be allowed four dollars for a Coffin furnished the County for a Pauper Per bill on file

No 918 L $1.90/100 Ordered that James M. Bell be Allowed one dollars and ninety cents for work at the County Poor Asylum Per bill on file

No 919 L $13.00/100 Ordered that Edwd Andrews be Allowed thirteen dollars, for burying Paupers for County Per bill on file

No 920 L $2.10/100 Ordered that J. & M. Reilly be Alloned two and ten cents for greems furnished the County poor Asylum Per bill on file

No 921 L $16.50/100 Ordered that Edward Andrews be Allowed sixteen dollars and fifty Cents for board him at the County Poor Asylum Per bill on file

No 922 L $9.75/100 Ordered that Sam Sizler be Allowed Nine dollars and Seventy five Cents for Stationary furnished the County Per bill on file

No 923 L $30.00/100 Ordered that Edward Andrews be Allowed thirty dollars for part of bill for Superintending County Poor Asylum & articles furnished the Poor Per bills on file

No 924 L $41.29/100 Ordered that Edward Andrews be Allowed forty One dollars And twenty nine cents for ~~Ex~~ Superintending County Poor Asylum & furnishing Articles for Poor Per bills on file

No 925 L $22.70/100 Ordered that Philip Deusner be Allowed twenty two dollars and seventy cents for Shoes for the County Poor Per bill on file

No 926 L $42.74/100 Ordered that James Scantlin be Allowed forty two dollars and seventy four cents for goods furnished the County Poor Asylum Per bill on file

Now here the Board proceeds to examine the bids of the Physicians for attendance upon the County poor Asylum and all the paupers within the County of Vanderburgh requiring medical attendance including the prisoners that may require medical attendance in the County prison. And accepts the bid of Dr Madison J. Bray, George B. Walker, Wm H. Byford, Hugh Ronalds, John T. Walker and James W. Hatchell to attend upon and furnish medicines to all the transient & permanent poor within the County of Vanderburgh who may become a County Charge and require medical attendance. ~~Also they agree~~ said Physicians to attend to all the sick within the County at the County poor Asylum and the prisoners within the County jail for the period of one Year from and after the first day of March AD 1854. And furnish all the medicines required for such sick paupers or prisoners for the sum of three hundred dollars per annum payable quarter yearly at the end of each and every quarter

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No 927 L $11,94/100 Ordered that Christian Morganheimer be allowed eleven dollars and ninety four cents for for provisions furnished the County for the poor asylum per bill on file

No 928 L $11,79/100 Ordered that Babcock Brothers be allowed eleven dollars, and seventy nine cents for good furnished the county poor asylum per bill on file

No 929 L $147,19/100 Ordered that Ellis & Schlamp be allowed one hundred and forty seven dollars and nineteen cents for provisions furnished the county poor asylum per bill on file

No 930 L $64,64/100 Ordered that Robert Barnes be allowed sixty four dollars and sixty four cents, for good furnished the County poor asylum per bill on file

No 931 L $3,00/100 Ordered that Jacob Sunkenheimer be allowed three dollars for pens furnished the clerks office per bill on file

No 932 L $10,05 Ordered that Olmsted & Vanduzen be allowed ten dollars and five cents for lumber furnished County for public buildings per bill on file

No 933 L $10,87 Ordered that John S. Gavitt &c be allowed ten dollars and eighty seven cents for summonsing juries for Commonpleas Court per bill on file

No 934 L $23,25/100 Ordered that Sylor & Delzell be allowed twenty three dollars and twenty five cents for stationary furnished County per bill on file

Ordered that Oliver King be appointed Trustee for union Township to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Harvey F. Calloway

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No 935 L $29,85 Ordered that Wm H. Walker be allowed twenty nine dollars and eighty five cents for cash paid for maps and materials for office per bill on file

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No 936 L $5.90/100 Ordered that Wm H Walker be Allowed five dollars and ninety cents for Cash paid for wood for Circuit and Common pleas Courts and for the County per bill on file

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

Edmd Maidlow Prest

Thursday morning at 9 O'clock the Board met pursuant to adjournement. When the members Composing said Board ~~met pursuant to~~ were present as of Yesterday

No 937 L $6.25/100 Ordered that Edmund Maidlow be Allowed Six dollars and twenty five Cents for good furnished a pauper and services attending to the Appropriation made at a former term of this board

No 938 L $1.00/100 Ordered that Richard Huston be Allowed One dollar for viewing a road in Scott Township per bill on file

No 939 L 25.00/100 Ordered that John S. Gavitt be Allowed twenty five dollars for Ex Officio Sum as Sheriff to March 1st 1854 per bill on file

No 940 L $116.80/100 Ordered that John S. Gavitt s.v.c. be Allowed One hundred ~~doll~~ and Sixteen dollars and eighty Cents for ~~[illegible]~~ Committing dieting and discharging prisoners at the County Jail per bill on file

It is now here Ordered that Professor Hugh Reynolds Rev Alexander Sterrett and Saml Orr Esq be and they are hereby Appointed School Examiners for Vanderburgh County to Serve for One Year & until their Successors are qualified from March 1st A D 1854

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Ordered that the Board adjourne until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock

Edmd Maidlow Prest

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Friday morning at nine o'clock the Board met pursuant to adjournment when present as of Yesterday

No 941 L $66.20/100 ordered that Sheets & Braden be allowed sixty six dollars, and twenty cents for books furnished County per bill on file

No 942 L $56.55/100 Ordered that Sheets & Braden be allowed fifty six dollars and fifty five cents for books furnished County per bill on file

No 943 L $1.00/100 Ordered that Jacob Lunkenheim be allowed one dollar ~~and~~ for registering a negro per bill on file

No 944 L $84.61/100 Ordered that Asa Iglehart be allowed eighty four dollars and sixty one cents for 1 quarters salary as Judge of the Common Pleas Court to April 13th 1854. to be drawn after the expiration of said quarter

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It is now here ordered that the Plank Road Company be notified to lay the additional track on said road as contemplated in an order of this Board passed at the Special April Term of this Board held in ~~April 1853~~ 1853. And that said additional track be laid down and ready for use on or before the first day of January 1855

No 945 L $0.75/100 Ordered that Wm Hughes be allowed seventy five cents for sending a pauper to the poor Asylum per bill on file

No 946 L $40.50/100 Ordered that Ira P. Grainger be allowed forty dollars, and fifty cents per bill on file for assessing the Revenue of 1854 in Knight Township

No 947 L $50.00/100 Ordered that Wm Warren Assessor of Pigeon Township be allowed fifty dollars as part ~~a partial~~ payment for his services in the assessment of revenue for A.D. 1854, and this allowance is not hereafter to be considered a precedent in making such allowances.

The Report of the County Auditor to the County Board in relation to the condition of the School Funds of the County as follows, to wit;

"To The Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh

The undersigned County Auditor of said County submits the following Statement shewing the condition, and operations of the Common School Funds of said County from February 28th 1853 to March 1st 1854

There was outstanding on Loans on February 28 1853 of Common School and Congressional Township Funds (over)

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	22.908 25	
Amd of County Seminary Funds	5.753 97	
" " Surplus Revenue "	4.095 96	
" " Saline "	335 00	
" " Salt Sec "	443 00	
Total Loans February 28th 1853	33.536 18	
Amount Loaned by Auditor to March 1st 1854	4.432 00	
Total Loans to March 1st 1854	37.968 18	
Amount Repunded by borrowers to March 1st 1854	3316 00	
Amount Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1854	34.652 18	
Since making my last Annual Report to the County Board the Treasurer and Auditor have made Sale of the County Seminary Lot in Evansville for the Sum of 11.210 00		
& Received on the principal of said Sale 200 00		
which Loans Outstanding on loans to be added to the foregoing demand from said Sale	11.010 00	
Total Amount Outstanding on Loans March 1st 1854		$45.662 18

Receipts & Disbursements

Receipts

Balance on hand February 28th 1853	2,429 04	
Rec'd Since to March 1st 1854 as follows		
" Loans refunded	3.316 00	
" from interest on Loans	2.685 58	
" from State Treasury	222 44	
" " Miscellaneous Sources.	573 21 v	
" " Fines & Forfeitures	494 08 v	
Total Receipts to March 1st 1854		9.718 35

Disbursements

Loaned from from February 28th 1853 to March 1st 1854	4.432 00	
Amount distributed to Township	2.013 25	
Incidental Expenses	225 75	
Total Disbursements to March 1st 1854		6670 00
Balance in County Treasury March 1st 1854		$3.047 35

Since March 1st 1853. The different Kinds of Loans have been transfered to "Common School Funds" in Accordance with the provisions of Chapter "98" of the Revised Statutes of 1852. the 3rd Sec of which Act makes the County liable for the preservation of said Funds and the payment of the annual interest thereon as established by Law, All of which is Respectfully submitted

William H. Walker A. V. C.

Evansville March 4th 1854

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which report the Board after due Consideration and examination do ~~hereo~~ now here accept and approve and the Board proceeds to examine the accounts and proceeding in relation to the trust funds and Compare the cash notes and Mortgages with the books and reports and report the following result of such examination

Report

of the condition and operation of the School Fund of Vanderburgh County, for the Year ending March 1st 1854

Penalties, fines and forfeitures		494.08
Surplus Revenue Fund	4.095.96	
Congressional Township Fund	22.908.25	
Bank Tax Fund	443.00	
Saline Fund	335.00	
Seminary Fund	5.753.97	
Proceeds of Sales of County Seminary	11.210.00	
Miscellaneous or other Funds	573.31	
Total Amount of Fund on Loan		$45.662.18
Amount refunded within the Year	3.316.00	
Amount reloaned	4432.00	
Balance on hand	534.30	4.966.30
Amount Loaned on real estate	44.451.70	
Amount Loaned on personal security	1.210.48	
Balance on hand as above	534.30	46.196.48
Amount of interest received within the Year		2.683.58
Amount of interest distributed	2.013.25	
Amount of interest on hand	2.683.58	
Incidental expenses of Fund	225.75	

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County

The undersigned commissioners Auditor and Treasurer of said County certify ~~as appears~~ that the foregoing report is Correct as appears from the records in the Office of said Auditor

Witness our hands this 11th day of March A.D. 1854

Auditor
Treasurer

Ordered that the Board adjourne until tomorrow ~~in Course~~ morning at Nine Oclock

Edmd Maidlow Prest

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Saturday Morning at 9 Oclock the Board Met Pursuant to adjournment When the members thereof were present as of Yesterday.

Stockwell Ingle & Carpenter
Ex parte Petition to Vacate lots Alleys Blocks &c in Stockwells Enlargement of the City of Evansville

And now at this time Come the Petitioners to wit on the day of March A.D. 1854 & on the day of the Term of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Vanderburgh

And their Petition being heard and it appearing to the Court that due notice has been given of the pendency of said Petition And upon evidence adduced, And the Court being Satisfied of the truth of the Allegations of the Petition And No opposition being made thereto.

It is therefore ordered and adjudged that the prayer of the Petition be granted, And that said Lots Numbers Eighteen Seventeen Sixteen fifteen fourteen and the adjoining half of Lot Number thirteen, all in Block Number One in said Stockwells Enlargement, be and they are hereby Vacated And also that Lots number thirteen fourteen fifteen Sixteen, Seventeen, eighteen Nineteen twenty, twenty One, twenty two, twenty three, twenty four, twenty five, twenty Six, twenty Seven, twenty eight, twenty nine, thirty, and thirty one, And also all the Alleys as originally laid Out in said Blocks Number Nine, and existing at the time of the filing of this petetion, be And the Same are hereby Vacated,

And Also that all said Lots in said Block No. Ten (10) from Number One, to Number Thirty three, (33) inclusive, And all the Alleys in said Block Number ten, be and the Same are hereby Vacated,

Provided that this Vacation of said lots and Alleys in Blocks Number Nine and ten Shall not affect the outer boundries of said Blocks or the general Street lines thereof, nor the Course or width of the boundries of said Streets, adjoining said Blocks, Also that So much of said Block No Eighteen (18) as lies between Ingle and Ann Streets And Northeastwardly of the Ohio River or South west Side of eighth Street extended Straight to Ann Street be, and the Same, is hereby Vacated, by the Consent of said Stockwell, Ingle, and Carpenter the said part of said Block Number eighteen (18) last hereinabove described, is hereby Annexed and added to, and made a part of said eighth Street, And Also the said Blocks

number twenty (20) and twenty One (21) (in said petition named) and all the lots and Alleys therein as the same were of record, and existed at the date of the filing of this petition be and the same are hereby Vacated. Provided that the Street lines of said Blocks number twenty (20) and twenty One (21) shall not be vacated or changed from their position at the date last aforesaid except as to the lines of Ninth Street of said two blocks which are hereby vacated by and with the Consent of the parties to this petition, so changed as to make said Ninth Street run through said Stockwells Enlargement between said two Blocks on the line of, and continuous to said Ninth Street as it runs through the Crescent Enlargement of Evansville, and leaving said Ninth Street between said two Blocks of the same width neither more nor less, than the same was at the filing of this petition

The same lots & Blocks all being in Stockwells Enlargement of to the City of Evansville

No 948 L $30.00/100 Ordered that William H. Walker Sr. be Allowed thirty dollars for serves as County Agent to the 1st of March a.D. 1854

No 949 L $9.00/100 Ordered that John S. Gavitt Sr. be Allowed nine dollars for a desk furnished the Sheriffs Office, per bill on file

No 950 L Ordered that L. W. Heberd be Allowed two dollars and seventy five Cents for Mattress and pillows furnished for County Jail, per bill on file

Ordered that Edmund Maidlow and Cassimer Schlamp Esqrs be and they are hereby Appointed by this Board to decide upon the propriety of having gas pipes and gas conveyed into the New Court house building and the jail, for the purpose of liting the Court ~~Court~~ room, offices, and passages with gas, and that they, if they agree upon the propriety lighting said buildings with gas, Contract for having (the gas pipes & fixtures properly placed in said building) and in case of a disagreement in regard to the propriety of lighting said buildings with gas, the whole of the members of the County Board ~~at the next term thereof~~ shall decide upon the propriety of ~~said Procedure~~ Contracting for gas pipes and fixtures for said Court House and jail or either of them and having the same properly arranged within and about said building or buildings

No 951 L $250.09/100 Ordered that William H. Walker Sr. be Allowed two hundred and fifty dollars and nine cents for serves as County Auditor to March 11th 1854 per bill on file

No 952 [illegible] $3.00/100 Ordered that Jacob Lunkenheimer C.V.C.C. be Allowed three dollars for postage by him paid on Communications with Superintendent of Insane Asylum and other institutions for County purposes

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It is now here ordered that an allowance of one dollar and fifty cents per week from this date be allowed for the temporary relief of John Rocket a pauper lying sick and unprovided for in Armstrong Township And that said Allowance be drawn in orders on the County Treasury in favor of the Trustees of Armstrong Township who have the expending of the same, and they are to decide upon the length of time said allowances shall continue provided that it is to cease at the next Term of this Board And the County Auditor is Authorized Ordered and directed to issue said orders to said Trustees or to some person appointed by them to receive the same upon this order

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It is now here ordered that The Heirs of James Broadus be allowed one hundred dollars being damages awarded to Mrs Broadus or the heirs of James Broadus by Richard Ruston Wm Ingle and Zerah Fairchild Commissioners appointed to review a certain road located through the land belonging to the heirs of James Broadus deceased

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It is now here ordered, that John Harrison Esq, be And he is hereby appointed, by this Board, a Commissioner or agent, for the County, to inspect the Materials of the New Court House, and Jail, and to examine the ~~same~~, and buildings as the work progresses, and accept or Condemn said Materials before used, or after they have been placed in the buildings, if in his opinion the said Materials do not correspond with such as are required by the Specifications on file in the Auditors Office, And that said Agent be Authorized, And instructed to Also examine and inspect said buildings and see that the work as it progresses towards Completion is ~~are~~ in accordance and Corresponds with the ~~requisitions~~, ~~and~~ intentions of the Specifications, and Contract on file in office of the County Auditor,

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Appointment of John Harrison New Court House Commissioner

The County Auditor produced to this Board his official Bond on the first day of the present Term of this Board, and the Board approved of said Bond, and the Securities therein on the day and at the time said Bond was presented

Ordered that the Board adjourn until monday morning at 10 O'Clock

Edmd Maidlow Prest

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Monday morning March 13th the Board met pursuant to adjournment when present Edmund Maidlow and Casimer Schlamp two of the members composing said Board. and Alexander Maddus appeared the other member appeared and took his seat upon said Board Now here John Ingle Jr Esqr presents to this Board, the proposition of the President & Directors of the Evansville and Crawfordsville Rail Road Company by which it is proposed by said Rail Road Company ~~that they~~ to set appart to the County of Vanderburgh the sum of Twelve Thousand dollars of the Capital Stock of said Company, by said County of Vanderburgh, to be distributed pro-rata, amongst the tax payers of said County for Rail Road Taxes by them paid for for the Years 1850, 1851, 1852, and 1853. And this Board After Only Considering said proposal and the matters and thing therewith Connected do Now Here accept the same, and that the list of such, taxes be immediately made out for arraingement

No 956 L $\frac{75}{100}$ Ordered that Charles Knowles be Allowed Seventy five Cents for Serves a Judge of an election held in Scott Township per bill on file

No 957 L $\frac{75}{}$ Ordered that Wm Martin be Allowed Seventy five Cents for Serves as Inspector of an April Election held in Perry Township per bill on file

No 958 $5,\frac{40}{100}$ Ordered that S Boardman be Allowed five dollars and forty Cents for attendy to and burying a pauper in Centre Township per bill on file

It is now here ordered that Edmund Maidlow and Cassimer Schlamp Esqr be and they are hereby Appointed by this Board, to visit the County poor farm and Asylum

Copied and examin into the necessity of making further improvements to the said asylum buildings, for the accommodation of the inmates of said Asylum, And that said Committe have the Authority to Contract for any, and all improvements to said Asylum they may deem necessary for the Comfort and welfare, of the paupers at said institution

It is now here ordered, that the Superintendent

Copied of the County Poor Asylum Edward Andrews be Authorized Ordered and instructed, to hire a man labourer at the County poor farm for the purpose of Cultivating the ground and to assist him in and about said farm, until the next meeting of this Board

No 959 L $15,\frac{00}{100}$ Ordered that Edmund Maidlow Esqr be Alowed fifteen dollars for Serves as Superintendent of the materials of the public buildings to date

No 960 L $21,\frac{00}{100}$ Ordered that Edmund Maidlow Esqr be allowed twenty one dollars for 7 days Official Serves as County Commissioner at the present Term of this Board

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No 961 L $12.00 Ordered that Alexander Maddux Esqr. be Allowed Twelve dollars for Services as County Commissioner at the present Term of the County Board

No 962 L $9.00 Ordered that Alexander Maddux Esqr be Allowed Nine dollars in full for 9 days Services as County Commissioner at the present March Term of the County Board.

963 No 963 L $21.00 Ordered that Casimer Schlamp Esqr be allowed Twenty One dollars for 9 days Servs as County Commissioner at the present March Term

ordered that the Board adjourn until Court in Course

Edmd Maddux
Alexander Maddux
Casimir Schlamp

Delivered to the Sheriff on the day 12 Papers to be Served being orders of the board at the March Term with subpenas and Seals attached thereto March 16th 1854

Wm H. Walker A.C.C.

April 11th 1854 George L. Williamson produces his bond as Constable for Union Township With William G. McDowell and James W King as Securities therein which bond I approved & swore said Williamson into office.

William H Walker A.V.C.

April 12th 1854 Silghman Haufe produces his bond as Constable for Pigeon Township with William Bates and John P. Henderson as his Securities therein which bond is approved and I have this day Sworn said Haufe into Office

William H. Walker A.V.C.

April 14th 1854 Edward T. Martin produces his bond ~~as Constable~~ for the faithful discharge of his duties as Constable of Pigeon Township which bond is Approved with William Bates Charles Jones and John Gavitt as his Securities therein

William H. Walker A.V.C.

April 15th 1854 Approved the bond of James L Patten Constable of Pigeon Township

April 17th 1854 Approved the bond of John Robinson Constable of Pigeon Township

May 15th 1854 Approved the Bond of Alfred Hitch a Constable in and for Centre Township

May 26th 1854 Sherman Fairchild of Centre Township produces his bond as Constable which bond I approved & Swore said Fairchild into Office

Wm H. Walker A.V.C.

May 29th 1854 Archibald Fitzgerald Constable elect for German Township for 1854 & files his bond which bond I have this day approved and I also ~~have~~ administered to such Constable the Official Oath

William H. Walker A.V.C.

Lorenzo W. Hopkins Constable elect for German Township for 1854 produces his bond as such Constable which bond I approved & administered to said Hopkins the oath of Office

Wm H. Walker A.V.C.

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Certificate

Know all men by these presents that ~~that~~ Marcus Sherwood of Vanderburgh County, having this day purchased the North East quarter of the South West quarter of section No 16 (Lot No 11) Containing forty Acres, being part of the School Section belonging to Congressional Township number Seven South of Range number eleven west in Vanderburgh County Indiana, for the sum of one hundred and Sixty dollars of which he has paid forty Seven dollars and twenty Cents, being one third part of such purchase money and one Years interest in advance on the residue, which is one hundred and twenty 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 the said Marcus Sherwood 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 paid said interest for any Year or the residue of said Principal for Sixty days after either become due, the said Tract and all payments thereto-fore 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 28th day of November A.D 1836

Nathan Rowley Commission (Seal)

Transfer

In Consideration of the Sum of five hundred dollars to me in hand paid I George P Walker do sell and Assign to Philip Miller the foregoing and Annexed Certificate of the School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County, and all of my interest of in or to the land therein described the Certificate being (No 11), and the land designated as the North East quarter of the South West quarter of Section number Sixteen in Town Seven South of Range number eleven west being the same land sold by Nathan Rowley School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County on the 28th day of November 1836 to Marcus Sherwood and by Sherwood to Henry Deter and by said Deter to the undersigned which assignments are recorded in Book "G" at Pages 80 & 81 of the records of Vanderburgh County and in record "H" of the proceeding of the County Commissioners at Page 93 & 94

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 27 day of March A.D 1854

George P Walker (L.S.)

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } Ss

Before me William M Walker Auditor in and for said County personally came

George B Walker. And acknowledged that he signed And Sealed. the foregoing transfer for the uses and purposes therein

In witness Whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and affixed the Seal of the Board of Commissioners of Said County at Evansville. on this the date last herein above written

William H. Walker A.V.C.

Recorded April 19th 1854
Wm H. Walker Aud

Certificate

Frederick Wetzel having this day purchased the South Half of the South East quarter of Section Number Sixteen, (Sat No 8 on the Platt) being part of the School Section belonging to Congressional Township Number five South of Range number eleven west in Vanderburgh County Indiana for the sum of Two hundred and forty dollars. of which he has paid Seventy dollars and eight Cents. being one fourth part of the purchase money. and One Years interest in advance on the residue of the Principal. which is one hundred and eighty dollars and eight 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 Frederick Wetzel. 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 Centum per Annum. after either Principal or interest has been due for Sixty days until paid 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 1834

Nathan Rowley Seal
Commissioner V.C.

Transfer

For Value received I hereby Assign Sell and transfer. all my right title interest and Claim to the within Certificate to Peter Bachele. witness my hand and Seal this 26th day of February 1842

Frederick Wetzel Seal

The State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County } ss

Before me Nathan

Rowly. School Commissioner of the County aforesaid personally appeared Frederick Wetzel and acknowledged the above assignment to be his Voluntary Act for the purposes therein named

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand Seal this 26th day of February 1842

Nathan Rowly Seal
School Commissioner

Whereas Peter Buchele Assignee of Frederick Wetzel did on this 19th day of April A.D. 1854 produce to the undersigned William H. Walker Auditor of Vanderburgh County Indiana a Certificate of Purchase in Writing dated September 30th 1837 signed by Nathan Rowley who at said date was the School Commissioner of Vanderburgh County by which it appears that said Frederick Wetzel did on said 30th day of September 1837 purchase of said School Commissioner (Lot No. 8) The South Half of the South East quarter of Section number Sixteen in Township number five South of range number eleven West for the sum of Two Hundred and forty dollars of which he paid, seventy dollars and eighty cents being one fourth of the Original Purchase money on said tract of land. And One Years interest in advance on the residue. And it also appears from a transfer attached to said Certificate of Purchase that Frederick Wetzel Wetzel did on the 26th day of February A.D. 1842 Assign Sell and transfer said Certificate with all of his interest therein to the said Peter Buchele who has paid the full amount of principal and interest due upon due upon said Certificate and the land therein described and demanded a deed for the same

Deed

Therefore Know All Men By These presents, that in consideration of the premises, and in conformity with the Statutes in such case made and provided, I William H. Walker Auditor of the County of Vanderburgh in the State of Indiana do give and grant the said South Half of the South East quarter of Section number Sixteen in Township number Five South of Range number eleven West containing Eighty Acres be the same more or less to the said Peter Buchele his heirs and Assigns

I Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Affixed the seal of the Board of Commissioners of said County at Evansville on this 19th day of April A.D. 1854

William H. Walker
Auditor of Vanderburgh County

State of Indiana
Vanderburgh County ss

Before me James J. Walker a justice of the Peace in and for Pigeon Township in said County on this 19th day of April A.D. 1854 personally appeared

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Deed

William H. Walker the Auditor of Said County And Acknowledged the execution of the Annexed deed. for the uses and Purposes therein mentioned

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal at my Office in Evansville in Said County. on this the date herein last Above Written

James T. Walker Justice (S.S.)

Recorded April 19th 1854
William H. Walker A.V.C.

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that he resides in _____; *that said mortgage is recorded in Record No.* _____, *page* _____, *in the Recorder's office of Vanderburgh County, Indiana, and that the following is a description of the land on which said mortgage exists, viz:* _____

*that this affidavit is made for the purpose of having said mortgage indebtedness deducted from the assessed valuation of said mortgaged premises for the year 1*____, *as provided by an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, entitled "An Act concerning the taxation of real estate encumbered by mortgage, and delcaring an emergency.*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 4th *day of* January 190 6

NOTE.—Not exceeding $700 of mortgage indebtedness can be deducted. No deduction shall be allowed greater than one half the assessed valuation of the real estate mortgaged.