

8 o'clock A.M., July 18th

Board met as above and called to order by Dady, chairman pro tem.  
All members present except Holding.

The commissioners having made a detailed settlement with the Treasurer of Sargent county, do hereby certify that they find the books and vouchers in his office in proper and satisfactory condition, and that the balance of the different funds as shown by such settlement are all properly accounted for and exhibited to the board, and said board express themselves as properly satisfied with condition of affairs in the county treasury.

Justic report of H. B. Rime for quarter ending July 2, 1888, was presented and approved.

The auditor was instructed to draw the warrants for the same.

Holding in the chair.

The following resolution was introduced:

Resolved, That the July settlement with the Treasurer be published in one newspaper, as required by law; that the county auditor be instructed to award such printing to the paper which will publish the same for the price.

On motion the resolution was adopted unanimously.

Moved to appropriate \$1000 or so much thereof as is necessary, out of the bridge fund for bridging at slough between sections 19 and 30 - 130-56.

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On motion \$500 or so much thereof as is necessary was appropriated out of the bridge fund for the purpose of repairing on section 84 - 130-53. Said amount to be expended by Austin King, and paid for on report of commissioner Oermann.

Petition from residents in Hamlin, asking to have a bridge built across the Wild Rice River between sections 30 and 31 - 130-53, was presented. Said petition signed by 17 petitioners.

On motion the petition was laid on the table.

Offer of James Thomas of grading a slough on section line between sections 23 and 24, 130-53, for the sum of \$500, was referred commissioner Oermann, who has to report at the meeting of the board.

On motion the sum of \$500 be appropriated out of bridge fund for the purpose of grading a slough on the section line between sections 4 and 9, 130-56.

Moved by Dady that the balance on hand in the sinking fund be transferred to the general county fund.

On motion the board adjourned till 1 o'clock, p.m.

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Board met as above and was called to order by chairman Holding

Members present: Holding, Barton and Patten.

The following bills were audited and allowed.

Bill of Hale & Barton, chairs for county,

" Z. O. Patten, services as commissioner,

" John Herman, " "

" S. G. Bady, retaining fees case of St. H. Bradley,

" E. H. Barton, services as commissioner,

\$	30.00
	9.00
	36.00
	6.00
	56.95

On motion board adjourned till tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock

8 o'clock, a.m. July 19<sup>th</sup>.

Board met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by chairman Holding. All members present.

Petition from citizens of Harlem asking to have said village incorporated, was presented. Petition signed by 12 petitioners.

After reading and filing petition from citizens of Harlem, in this county, asking that the village of Harlem may become incorporated under the general law, and it appearing by satisfactory proof by affidavits that all the requirements of law in relation thereto have been fully complied with, and that the census map and survey required by law, have been duly exhibited,

It is hereby ordered, that by and with the consent of the qualified voters residing in the territory proposed for incorporation, as by law provided, the territory in such petition specified, shall become an incorporated town under the name of Town of Harlem, and it is further ordered that an election be held in said town on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of July, A.D. 1888, at the school-house in said town, to determine whether or not such territory shall become an incorporated town.

Bill of The Item, printing court calendar, \$5.00, was voted on.

Yes - Herman and Barton.

No - Bady, Patton and chairman.

The following bills were audited and allowed:

Bill of S. G. Bady, services as commissioner,

" D. Holding, goods for paupers,

" J. E. Ellsworth, constable fees,

" St. H. H. Penn, one hanging lamp,

" D. E. Rice, mailing for court room,

" John McVeigh, cleaning courthouse,

" E. D. Post, making returns for 1887 election,

" T. G. Bartlett, sheriff's fees,

" Chas. Adlem, cash paid for correcting assessment,

" St. L. Wolfe, justice blanks,

\$	14.00
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rejected

On motion board adjourned till tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

8 o'clock Am. July 20th.

Board met as above and adjourned till 8 o'clock am. July 21st.

8 o'clock, a.m. July 21st.

Board met according to adjournment and was called to order by chairman Holding. Members present: Holding, Dady and Oberman.

The following bills were audited and allowed:

Bill of E. M. Ainsworth, moving desk for clerk of court,	\$ 3.00
" " Allen Osborn, services as bailiff,	32.00
" " F. G. Bartlett, court calendar, \$5.00, allowed,	32.00
" " R. Holding, services as commissioner, and time and expense Bradley case,	31.00
" " M. D. Patton, work for county,	6.05
" " Wm. Hurly, printing notices for Superintendent,	12.15

On motion the Auditor was instructed to notify the superintendent not to publish any notices except in official papers.

On motion the treasurer was instructed to place the unpaid tax of 1886 upon the collectable list.

On motion the county treasurer of Sargent county, D. T., be instructed to immediately proceed to collect the delinquent personal property taxes of 1886 and 1887.

The following resolution was presented by Dady:

Resolved, That in all unorganized townships in this county, all section lines and congressional township lines are, and the same are hereby declared to be public highways of the width of 4 rods; the center of such road to be the line of such section or township, according to the government survey.

On motion the resolution was adopted.

The following bills were audited and allowed:

Bill of W. A. Ellsworth, boarding jurors,	\$ 16.10
" " A. Danford, services as superintendent,	57.00
" " F. G. Bartlett, sheriff's fees,	131.75

The following resolution was introduced:

The Board of county commissioners of Sargent county desire to express their appreciation of the manner in which the term of court just adjourned has been conducted, and to compliment Judge McConnell upon the able and efficient manner in which he has conducted the business of the term.

Call for the reading of the minutes was made.

On motion the minutes were approved as read.

On motion board adjourned till first Monday in September, 1888.

Attest: Chas. Alden, Do. Auditor.