

1838 March Term Mc Henry County Court

At a meeting of the Commissioners Court of Mc Henry County held on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of March 1838

Present the hon.

Matthias Mason  
Solomon Poston } Commissioners  
Samuel Sherman }

Joseph Wood } Clerk

Ordered by the Court that the viewes have an extension on the road commencing at Crystal <sup>Lake</sup> and running to the State line

Ordered by the Court that the County road surveyed by Barnum and others commencing at or near Cornishs road running north through Mc Henry to the State line be and is hereby accepted & declared a public highway

Ordered by the Court that the part of the County road laid by Barnum & others from the south line of the County to the three mile Stake constitute a road district And it was further ordered that Martin Powell be and he is hereby appointed supervisor of the above district

Ordered by the Court that the part of the above road from the three mile Stake to the eleven mile Stake shall constitute a road district And it was further ordered by the Court that Abraham Vincent be and he is hereby appointed supervisor of said district

Ordered by the Court that the part of the above road from the eleven mile Stake to the <sup>center of the</sup> outlet of Mc Collins Lake shall constitute a road district And it was further ordered that C.B. Johnson be and he is hereby appointed supervisor of said district

Ordered by the Court that Moody D. Dayley's License shall continue for the time specified in said License.

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Ordered by the Court that the part of the above road from the center of <sup>the outlet of</sup> Mc Collins Lake to the State line shall constitute a road district

And it was further ordered that Alfred Stevens be and he is hereby appointed supervisor of said district

Ordered by the Court that the viewes have an extension on the road commencing at or near Cornishs ferry and running thence to Robert G. Whites on the Kishwaukie thence to the west line of Mc Henry County

Ordered by the Court that Davis Goff shall have a license to keep a public house for the term of one year from the first day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight by paying into the County treasury the sum of five dollars

Ordered by the Court that an election shall be held in the Kishwaukie Precinct for the election of two Justices of the peace and two Constables on the 23 day of April next

Ordered by the Court that an election shall be held on the 23 day of April next in the Neipersink Precinct for the election of two Justices of the peace and two Constables

Ordered by the Court that Emory B. Johnson shall have a license to keep a public house at his residence for the term of one year from the first day of January A.D. 1838 by paying into the County treasury the sum of ten dollars

Ordered by the Court that Seth Washburn shall have a license to keep a public house at his residence for the term of one year from the first day of January A.D. 1838 by paying into the County treasury the sum of ten dollars

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Ordered by the Court that A. B. Wynn be and he is hereby allowed the sum of twelve dollars for furnishing books and stationery for the Circuit Clerk up to March 5<sup>th</sup> 1838.

Ordered by the Court that A. J. Barnum be and he is hereby allowed the sum of two dollars per day for eight days services in surveying County road from A. Cornish to the State line

Ordered by the Court that A. J. Barnum be and he is hereby appointed surveyor pro. tem. in the absence of Mr. Moore surveyor elect for McHenry County

Ordered by the Court that D. C. Haines J. C. Worster and G. Y. Wheeler be and they are hereby appointed Viewers to view, survey, and lay off a road to commence at or near the Abingdon Post office (to intersect a road leading from there to Little Port on Lake Michigan) running thence a westerly course across Squaw Creek to McHenry County seat

Ordered by the Court that Samuel S. Wood Oliver Hubbard and Joseph Klink be and they are hereby appointed Viewers to view, survey, and lay off a road commencing at some eligible point on Squaw Creek thence crossing the McHenry and Pilkeys road at or near Mr. Gordens thence to Bangs Lake thence crossing Flint Creek near Mr. Preemans thence to Joseph Klinks thence to the County line in a direction to Dundee.

Ordered by the Court that P. Smith Wm Jackson and Eli Croigg be and they are hereby appointed Viewers to view, survey and lay off a road commencing at or near Mr. Grep on the south road thence the nearest and best route to Pleasant Grove intersecting the State road at or near Mr. Smiths and leaving it a few rods west of the N.W. corner of Mr. Carrs claim thence to Mr. Whites on the Kishwaukee thence the nearest & best route to the State line in a direct course & nearest point to Big foot Lake

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Ordered by the Court that B. B. Brown Denas Gage and A. S. Barnum be and they are hereby appointed Viewers to view, survey, and lay off a road commencing at the County seat of McHenry County running from thence in a direction towards Pike or Southport in Wisconsin Territory as far as the Wisconsin line making a point of Neffes Harvey & McCombs Mill on Mill Creek

Ordered by the Court that Capt. A. Wheeler Mr. Preeman and Esq. Griswold be and they are hereby appointed Viewers to view, survey, and lay off a road from McHenry to the south line of this county on the east side of Fox river passing Mr. Griswolds house and Dixons Mill on the straightest best route and dryest ground

District No 5

Ordered by the Court that all the State road that passes through Kishwaukee precinct in McHenry County constitute a road district

And it was further ordered by the Court that Proctor Smith be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor in said district for the term of one year

District No 6

Ordered by the Court that all that part of township forty three north range nine east east of the Fox river constitute a road district

And it was further ordered by the Court that John Chandler be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor in said district for the term of one year

District No 7

Ordered by the Court that all that part of the State road leading from Dundee through McHenry to the State line from the eighty two mile stake to the open prairie four miles north of McHenry constitute a road district

And it was further ordered by the Court that Amos Wheeler be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor in said district for the term of one year



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District No 8

Ordered by the Court that all that part of the State road from the south line of the County to the eighty two mile stake constitute a road district

And it was further ordered by the Court that Abner W Beardly be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor in said district for the term of one year

District No 9

Ordered by the Court that all that part of the State road from the open prairie four miles from Mc Henry to the State line shall constitute a road district

And it was further ordered by the Court that Charles A Noyes be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor in said district for the term of one year

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Ordered by the Court that the report of the viewers appointed to view survey and lay off areas to commence at Mc Henry running a southwest course across Wm Mc Holcombes claim to Tom Hartmans through the Bay settlement to the Kishwaukee at or near Mc Whites be and the same is hereby accepted

District No 10

Ordered by the Court that all that part of the County road leading from Mc Henry to the Kishwaukee from Mc Henry to Wm Holcombes claim shall constitute a road district

And it was further ordered by the Court that Stillman Colby be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor in said district for the term of one year

District No 11

Ordered by the Court that all that part of the above road from Wm Holcombes to South prairie shall constitute a road district

And it was further ordered by the Court that Uriah Cottle be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor in said district for the term of one year

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District No 12

Ordered by the Court that all that part of the above road from South prairie to the termination of said road shall constitute a road district

And it was further ordered by the Court that Benjamin J White be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor in said district for the term of one year

Court adjourned until March 12<sup>th</sup> at Independence Grove

Court met pursuant to adjournment March 12<sup>th</sup> 1838 Present the Hon

- Matthias Mason
  - Solomon Weston
  - Samuel Sherman
  - Joseph Wood
- Commissaries  
Clerk

Ordered by the Court that the viewers have an extension on the road commencing at the County road west of Mc Loyds and running east to intersect the State road from Chicago to Milwaukee

Ordered by the Court that the petition of sundry citizens of oak precinct be and is hereby accepted and the prayer thereof granted for the alteration of the place of holding elections from Collinsville to the house of John King in said precinct

Ordered by the Court that John King shall have a license to keep a tavern at his residence for the term of one year from Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 1838 by paying into the County treasury the sum of five dollars

Ordered by the Court that Wm Jager shall have a license to keep tavern at his residence in Oak precinct for the term of one year from Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 1838 by his paying into the County treasury the sum of ten dollars

Ordered by the Court that Each and every male person over the age of Twenty one and under the age of fifty years shall work five days each or pay the sum of Ten shillings for each day



Ordered by the Court that the views have an extension on the road commencing at or near Independence Grove thence to Mechanics Grove thence by J Woods to the Fox River

Ordered by the Court that the views have an extension on the road commencing at Independence Grove thence to Mechanics Grove thence in a direction to Dundee

District No 13 Ordered by the Court that all that part of the Milwaukee road from the north line of Hubbards claim and extending north to Wyndrops brook shall constitute a road district

And it was further ordered by the Court that John Herrick be and he is hereby appointed supervisor in said district for the term of one year

District No 14 Ordered by the Court that all that part of the Milwaukee road from the south line of the County to the north line of Mr Hubbards claim shall constitute a road district

And it was further ordered by the Court that Wm Whigham be and he is hereby appointed supervisor in said district for the term of one year

District No 15 Ordered by the Court that all that part of the Milwaukee road from the north line of Wyndrops claim to where said road crosses the Aux plain river shall constitute a road district

And it was further ordered by the Court that Phineas Sherman be and he is hereby appointed supervisor in said district for the term of one year

District No 16 Ordered by the Court that all that part of the Milwaukee road from Loujays old Stand to the state line shall constitute a road district

And it was further ordered by the Court that Conos Nichols be and he is hereby appointed supervisor on said district

District No 17 Ordered by the Court that Michael C. Moaguire be and he is hereby appointed supervisor on the state road in township forty three

District No 18 Ordered by the Court that Jetho Carver be and he is hereby appointed supervisor on all that part of the state road in township forty four

District No 19 Ordered by the Court that Charles J. Cary be and he is hereby appointed supervisor on all that part of the state road from the north line of township forty four to where it intersects the County road at New Yorks house

Ordered by the Court that J G Cary shall have a license to keep a public house at his residence in Lake precinct for the term of one year from the first day of Jan 1838

Ordered by the Court that J H Pister shall have a license to keep a public house at his residence in said County for the term of one year from the first day of Jan 1838

District No 20 Ordered by the Court that all that part of the County road leading from Washburns to McHenry from the Fox river to the east line of Hankens claim shall constitute a road district

And it was further ordered by the Court that Harvey be and he is hereby appointed supervisor on said district for the term of one year

District No 21 Ordered by the Court that all that part of the McHenry County road east of Hankens claim to the junction of the trails west of Mechanics Grove shall constitute a road district

And it was further ordered by the Court that Thomas W Payne be and he is hereby appointed supervisor on said district for the term of one year



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District No 22 Ordered by the Court that all that part of the McHenry County road from the junction of the trails to the high prairie east of Diamond Lake outlet shall constitute a road district  
 And it was further ordered by the Court that Wm Fenwick be and he is hereby appointed supervisor in said district for the term of one year

District No 23 Ordered by the Court that all that part of the McHenry County road from the high prairie east of Diamond Lake outlet to Seth Washburns shall constitute a road district  
 And it was further ordered by the Court that Jonathan Rice be and he is hereby appointed supervisor on said district for the term of one year

District No 24 Ordered by the Court that all that part of the County road surveyed by Norton & Jones from the east side of the north branch of Indian Creek on the McHenry County road to the north line of Willard Jones claims shall constitute a road district  
 And it was further ordered by the Court that Lewis G Schantz be and he is hereby appointed supervisor on said district for the term of one year

District No 25 Ordered by the Court that all that part of the County road surveyed by Norton & Jones from the north line of Jones claim on the east branch of said road to the state line shall constitute a road district  
 And it was further ordered by the Court that Gerard Gage be and he is hereby appointed supervisor on said district for the term of one year

District No 26 Ordered by the Court that all that part of the County road surveyed by Norton & Jones from the junction at the north side of Jones claim on the west branch to the state line shall constitute a road district  
 And it was further ordered by the Court that Leonard Gage be and he is hereby appointed supervisor on said district for the term of one year

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District No 27 Ordered by the Court that all that part of the County road surveyed by Ragan & Goodens from at or near Soals Inn to where it intersects the McHenry County road shall constitute a road district  
 And it was further ordered by the Court that John G Ragan be and he is hereby appointed supervisor on said district for the term of one year

District No 28 Ordered by the Court that all that part of the County road surveyed by Washburn and Gridley from said Gridley to Bangs Lake shall constitute a road district  
 And it was further ordered by the Court that Marto Bangs be and he is hereby appointed supervisor on said district for the term of one year

District No 29 Ordered by the Court that all that part of the County road from the south line of the County west of the north branch of Chicago river to the seventeen mile tree shall constitute a road district  
 And it was further ordered by the Court that ~~John~~ Cadwell be and he is hereby appointed supervisor in said district for the term of one year

District No 30 Ordered by the Court that all that part of the County road from the seventeen mile tree to the north line of Oak precinct shall constitute a road district  
 And it was further ordered by the Court that Carmi Keacey be and he is hereby appointed supervisor on said district for the term of one year

District No 31 Ordered by the Court that all that part of the County road from the north line of Oak precinct to where said road intersects the state road shall constitute a road district  
 And it was further ordered by the Court that Edward B Jenkins be and he is hereby appointed supervisor in said district for the term of one year



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Ordered by the Court that Rufus Soals shall have a license to keep a public house at his residence for the term of one year from the first of Jan 1838. by paying into the County treasury the sum of ten dollars

Ordered by the Court that Samuel Shermans bill be and is hereby allowed to the amount of ten dollars

Ordered by the Court that Solomon Nortons bill be and is hereby allowed to the amount of ten dollars

Ordered by the Court that Matthias Masons bill be and is hereby allowed to the amount of ten dollars

Ordered by the Court that Joseph Woods bills be and is hereby allowed to the amount of twenty five dollars and eighty five cents

Ordered by the Court that H B Steels bill be and is hereby allowed to the amount of four dollars

Ordered by the Court that John A Mills bill be and is hereby allowed to the amount of fifteen dollars

Ordered by the Court that Wm H St Clair John S Dupile & Nathan Perry be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view survey & lay off a road commencing at Crystal Lake thence by the way of Oriahs Cottle & John Dupiles to the state line near Geneva Lake

Ordered by the Court that Mr Mason J Washburn & Rice be and they are hereby appointed viewers to alter the road leading from S. Washburns to Bang Lake said alteration to commence at an oak tree near Mr M Masons crop Indian Creek & intersect the McHenry road near Mr Rices

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Ordered by the Court that Levi Robert John M Bay and David McCallum be and they are hereby appointed viewers to alter the road leading from A Cornicks Ferry to the state line said alteration to commence at or near Christopher Walkups house said road to be laid so as to run with the Neipersink road the distance of sixty rods north of James Dupiles house and then to intersect the old location

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Ordered by the Court that the report of Viewers on a road commencing at a point between Mechanics Grove and Willard forks thence nearly a south course through Mechanics Grove thence near Diamond Lake on the east side to intersect the contem-plate road near John Hicks house be and the same is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that the report of Viewers appointed to straighten the road commencing near Mr Pillems tavern & running to Madison in Wisconsin Territory be and the same is hereby accepted

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Ordered by the Court that the report of Viewers on a road leading from Washburns to McHenry be and the same is hereby accepted

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Ordered by the Court that the report of the survey of the line between the Counties of Cook and McHenry be and the same is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that the report of viewers appointed to survey and lay off a road to commence at a point near where the Auplain road crosses Indian Creek and running near the course of the Indian trail running to Mr Swankes & Green Bay and also a road branching from the same and running near the course of the trail leading to the upper fork of Fox river be and the same is hereby accepted



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Ordered by the Court that the following property be and is hereby declared taxable one half per cent on the dollar for this year viz On Slaves and indentured or registered negro or mulatto servants on all pleasure carriages, distilleries, and stock in trade, on all horses, mares, mules, asses and neat cattle above the age of three years, on swine over six months old on all one and two horse wagons, on clocks and watches and their appendages and on all sheep and on all Ferreys,

Ordered by the Court that Henry Judson be and he is hereby allowed the sum of thirty eight dollars for surveying and mapping State road

Ordered by the Court that Vibe Beardsley be and he is hereby allowed the sum of forty dollars for services rendered as Commissioner on State road

Ordered by the Court that J. M. Warren be and he is hereby allowed the sum of eighteen dollars for services rendered as commissioner of State road

Ordered by the Court that the chain bearers employed in measuring State road be and they are hereby allowed the sum of twenty seven dollars

Ordered by the Court that A. S. Barnum be and he is hereby allowed the sum of twelve dollars for services as surveyor on State road

Ordered by the Court that S. G. Schanck be and he is hereby allowed the sum of four dollars for services rendered in attending court

This is to certify that H B Steels has deposited a receipt with the Clerk of this Court for \$48. Cash and \$60.22 County orders paid by him into the County treasury  
Court adjourned until Court in course

Wm. H. Johnson  
Clerk

1838 June Term McHenry Co Com Court

At a meeting of the Commissioners Court of McHenry County held on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of June One thousand eight hundred & thirty eight

Present  
The Hon Matthias Mason }  
Solomon Norton } Com.  
O. S. Beach ASST CLK

Ordered by the Court that the petition for a road running from the south east line of the County to Babcock's claim be accepted And it is further ordered that Whitman Cobb, H. G. Whitney, Melancton Raymond be appointed viewers

Ordered by the Court that the report of viewers on the road running from McHenry to Dixon's Mill be accepted

Ordered by the Court that V. H. Freeman be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on the road from McHenry to Dixon's mill

Ordered by the Court that the petition for a road running from the south line of the County to Geneva Lake be accepted And it is further ordered that Clark Weeks Jas Bay & Allen Dufield be appointed viewers

Ordered by the Court that Geo Purdee be appointed Supervisor in the place of Chas A Noyes on the road running from McHenry to Geneva Lake

Ordered by the Court that the order for the appointment of Proctor Smith Wm Jackson & Eli Gray for viewers of road from Vanalsted to Big Foot Lake be continued until next term

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District No 2 Ordered by the Court that David Dufield be and he is hereby appointed supervisor of the road running from Cooks ferry to Geneva Lake in the place of Samt Boulenger to commence at the north line of Township 44. & extend to the state line

District No 3 Ordered by the Court that Jas Dufield be & he is hereby appointed supervisor on the above road in the place of J<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Leau to commence at Syman King & extending to north side of township forty four

District No 4 Ordered by the Court that Samt Perrvilleged be and he is hereby appointed supervisor on the road from Crystal Lake to the territorial line his limits extending from Crystal lake to Mr Beaches

District No 9 Ordered by the Court that Tho May Sen be & he is hereby appointed supervisor on the above road his limits extending from Mr Beaches to the territory line

District No 5 Ordered by the Court that Amal Osmond be and he is hereby appointed supervisor on the road from Crystal Lake to the state line his limits extending from Alvin Judds to the state line

District No 6 Ordered by the Court that J<sup>r</sup> Dufield be appointed supervisor on the above road his limits extending from Alvin Judds to Crystal Lake

District No 7 Ordered by the Court that Chas Patterson be & he is hereby appointed supervisor on the road running from the mouth of Flint Creek to Chas Walkup his limits extending from Flint Creek to the seven mile stake

District No 8 Ordered by the Court that J<sup>r</sup> B Walkup be appointed supervisor on the above road his limits extending from the seven mile stake to Chas Walkup

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Ordered by the Court that the reports of viewers on the road from Granddalls to the state line be & it is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that the petition for a road from the mouth of Flint Creek to Chas Walkup be accepted

Ordered by the Court that the petition for a road from Crystalville to Ducons mile be accepted & further ordered that Chas Walkup Syman King & D W Jolin be appointed viewers

Ordered by the Court that the report of viewers on the road from McHenry to South port in Wisconsin be & it is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that the petition for a road from McHenry to the state line in a direction towards Geneva Lake be & it is hereby accepted it is further ordered that Calvin Suttle Herman C Stewart and miles Booty be & they are hereby appointed viewers

Ordered by the Court that the petition for a road from Caddings Creek to intersect a road leading from Chicago to the mouth of Flint Creek be & it is hereby accepted & it is further ordered that J E Cassidy Tho Coddin & Samt Teabout be & they are hereby appointed viewers

Ordered by the Court that the petition for a road from Mount pleasant to McHenry be accepted & it is further ordered that Levi Moon Allen Dufield & J<sup>r</sup> B Walkup be & they are hereby appointed viewers

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Ordered by the Court that the  
viewers report of the review of the road from the  
north end of the lane at Chas Walkups to the corner  
of Jas Dufcelis fence be & it is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that the  
report of viewers on the road beginning at a stake  
standing on the west bank of Fox river near Nelson  
Thomas house and running to a burr oak stump  
marked "1838" standing in front of C. Walkups house  
in the centre of the road be & the same is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that the  
petition for a road running from Calvin Spencers  
house on the State road at Pleasant Grove to George  
Trumbulls house on the State line near the head of  
Geneva lake be & it is hereby accepted & it is further  
ordered that Reuben Lower Sol J Dunham and  
George Trumbull be & they are hereby appointed viewers

Ordered by the Court that the sundry  
petitions for a road running from the south line of the  
County at or near the place where the road leading from  
Chicago to Ponds Ferry on Fox river crosses said line to the  
west line of the County be & the same is hereby accepted  
and it is further ordered that Isaac Demney J Metcalf  
& Beaman Grandale be and they are hereby appointed viewers

Ordered by the Court that the  
petition for the removal of the place of holding  
elections from Wm Spornables to J Rodgers on the south  
side of the Richwaukie be & the same is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that the  
report of viewers of the road leading from the west  
line of the County to Fox river be & the same is  
hereby accepted & it is further ordered by the Court  
that Jno Beldan Benj C Whitney & Jas Wagoner  
be & they are hereby appointed Supervisors

District No 10  
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Ordered by the Court that the  
report of viewers on the road from Cornishville  
to Fox river in a direction north east be and  
the same is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that the  
petition for altering the road from Chicago  
to Cornishes Ferry be laid aside

Ordered by the Court that the  
remanstrance against the above alteration be laid  
aside

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Ordered by the Court that the  
report of viewers on the road from Chrystal Lake  
to the State line near the head of Geneva Lake  
be & the same is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that Isaac  
Demney be & he is hereby authorized to keep a ferry  
on Fox River provided he pay five dollars for license  
which sum has been paid

Ordered by the Court that the  
Court adjourn until Monday the twenty fifth day  
of June Inst - at Washburn on Indian Creek  
Solomon Boston



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Court met pursuant to adjournment  
Monday June 25<sup>th</sup> 1834

Present The Hon  
Matthias Mason }  
Solomon Norton } Court  
Samuel Sherman }  
J<sup>d</sup> Wood Clerk

Ordered by the Court that the  
alteration of the road leading by Matthias Masons  
and intersecting the McHenry road at Jonathan  
Rices be if the same is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that viewers  
be and the same are hereby appointed to view a road  
to commence at or near Arthur Pattersons on the  
State road leading from Chicago to Milwaukee thence  
to Wm Eastons thence to intersect the road lead from  
Independence Grove to McHenry at the most practicable  
place

District No 14

Ordered by the Court that Wm Ladd  
be if he is hereby appointed Supervisor on the road from  
the D<sup>s</sup> plain at or near Wyncrofts to the State line

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Ordered by the Court that the  
viewers have an extension on the road from J. H.  
Soyses to the State road at or near Ellisville

District No 15

Ordered by the Court the road  
leading from Shermans bridge to Little Port shall constitute  
a road district

And it was further ordered that  
that Solomon Hunt be and he is hereby appointed  
Supervisor in said district

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Ordered by the Court that the viewers  
have an extension on the road leading from Abingdon post office  
to McHenry County Seat

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Ordered by the Court that the  
viewers have an extension on the road from J. Wood  
to Fox River on the same trail

Ordered by the Court that Mr  
Sawyer shall have a license to keep store at  
Independence Grove by paying into the treasury the  
sum of five dollars

District No 16

Ordered by the Court that so  
much of the road leading from Chicago to Fox  
River at Freemans from the south line of the County  
shall constitute a road district

And it was further ordered  
that Jones Boyer be and he is hereby appointed  
Supervisor in said district

Ordered by the Court that there  
shall be an election in McHenry County for a  
Governor & Lieutenant Governor one representative  
to Congress three members to the general assembly  
three County Commissioners one Sheriff one Coroner  
& one County Surveyor

Ordered by the Court that there  
shall be an election in Indian Creek precinct  
for one Constable

Ordered by the Court that there  
shall be an election in Oak precinct for two  
Constables

Ordered by the Court that  
there shall be an election in Abingdon precinct  
for one Justice of the peace

Ordered by the Court that  
there shall be an election in McHenry precinct  
for one Justice of the peace & one Constable



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Ordered by the Court that there shall be an election in Virginia precinct for two Constables

Ordered by the Court that there shall be a third Justice of the peace at the County Seat of N<sup>o</sup> Henry County

Ordered by the Court that Samuel Sherman be and he is hereby appointed one of the Judges of election in Oak precinct in place of Arthur Patterson resigned

Ordered by the Court that the Clerk make out a bill against Doct J H Haines for the furnishing of a room for the Circuit Court at the May term 1838

Ordered by the Court that every person who is an inhabitant of this county who shall take & kill any wolf or wolves in the county shall receive the following bounty to wit, for each wolf known and denominated the big wolf of six months old and upwards ten dollars for each wolf of the same kind under the age of six months and for each wolf known and denominated the prairie wolf of any age the sum of five dollars to be paid out of the County treasury on the certificate of the clerk of the county commissioners Court the person claiming such reward shall produce the scalp or scalps with the ears thereon within thirty days after the same was taken & killed also to comply with all of the act entitled an act for the encouragement of killing wolves passed by the State Legislature of this State March 2 1837

Ordered by the Court that each Grand Jurymen be allowed the sum of seventy five cents per day

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Ordered by the Court that each Petit Jurymen be allowed the sum of seventy five cents per day

Ordered by the Court that Matthias Mason be allowed the sum of ten dollars for services as Commissioner

Ordered by the Court that Solomon Norton be allowed the sum of ten dollars for services as Commissioner

Ordered by the Court that Samuel Sherman be allowed the sum of five dollars for services as Commissioner

Ordered by the Court that J Woods bill be allowed to the amount of fifty one <sup>42</sup>/<sub>100</sub> dollars

Ordered by the Court that S G Schuncks bill be allowed to the amount of eighteen <sup>57</sup>/<sub>100</sub> dollars

Ordered by the Court that O S Beachs bill be allowed to the amount of five dollars

Ordered by the Court that A B Steels bill be allowed to the amount of thirty three dollars

Ordered by the Court that Wm A Beachs bill be allowed the amount of one <sup>50</sup>/<sub>100</sub> dollars

Ordered by the Court that John Carters bill be allowed to the amount of four dollars



Ordered by the Court that  
Sherman's bill be allowed to the amount of four  
dollars

Ordered by the Court that  
Abner W Beardsley's bill be allowed to the amount  
of four dollars

Ordered by the Court that  
John Mc Innes bill be allowed to the amount  
of six dollars twelve and a half cents

Ordered by the Court that  
C B Johnson's bill be allowed to the amount  
of twenty <sup>3</sup>/<sub>100</sub> dollars

Ordered by the Court that  
Wm C Keys bill be allowed to the amount of  
five dollars

Ordered by the Court that  
A A Owen & Co's bill be allowed to the amount  
of six <sup>99</sup>/<sub>100</sub> dollars

Ordered by the Court that  
Freeman Harvey's bill be allowed to the amount  
of two dollars

Ordered by the Court that  
Wmoy Browns bill be allowed to the amount of  
twenty five dollars

Ordered by the Court that  
A B Wynkoop's bill be allowed to the amount of  
thirty three <sup>6</sup>/<sub>100</sub> dollars

This is to certify that A B Steel  
has deposited with the clerk of this Court a receipt  
for \$83.50 Cash and \$5.81 County orders paid by him  
into the County treasury

Court adjourned until Court in course

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Ordered by the Court that the  
petition for a road from Little Port in a north  
westerly direction to Fox River be accepted and that  
Haines Gaye <sup>4</sup>/<sub>100</sub> Wm Ladd and George Craig be and they  
are hereby appointed viewers

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Ordered by the Court that the  
viewers have an extension on the road leading from  
Squaw Creek to the South line of the County in a  
direction towards Dundee

Ordered by the Court that the  
poll books be opened at the August elections to  
vote for and against a division of the County of  
McHenry the line thereof to be the centre of Fox  
River from north to south and that the east end  
be called Lake County

Court adjourned until Court in course

Ordered by the Court that Otis  
Hinchey be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor  
in place of Michael C Maguire on the State Road  
in Township forty three in Oak Creek Precinct for  
the term of one year from the first of March A.D. 1838.

Court adjourned until Court in course.  
Solomon Norton



1838 Special Term McHenry Co. Court

July 16<sup>th</sup>

At a meeting of the Commissioners Court of McHenry County held on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of July one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight

Present

The Hon,

- Matthias Mason } Com<sup>rs</sup>
- Salomon Norton } Com<sup>rs</sup>
- Joseph Wood } Clerk

Ordered by the Court that Henry B Steele Sheriff be and he is hereby authorized to Enquire into all persons that are keeping Public Houses in this County and they who have got no Licence are to get them or take these Signs down or be fined according to Law.

Ordered by the Court that E. B. Johnson be and he is hereby allowed the sum of one <sup>88</sup>/<sub>100</sub> dollars for Boarding prisoners at the May Circuit

Ordered by the Court that Isaac Haacott be and he is hereby allowed the sum of four dollars for attendance at the May Circuit, Ct as Constable,

Ordered by the Court that Seth Washburn be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Six <sup>51</sup>/<sub>100</sub> dollars for Boarding & Medicine for Paupers

Ordered by the Court that Richard Archer be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Twenty Seven dollars for Boarding Paupers 9 weeks.

Ordered by the Court that S. G. Schanck be and he is hereby allowed the sum of forty six dollars for 23 days setting Jail for 1838.

Ordered by the Court that J. Wall be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Two <sup>19</sup>/<sub>100</sub> dollars for paper & quills & one days line

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Ordered by the Court that Salomon Norton be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Two <sup>59</sup>/<sub>100</sub> dollars for one days attendance at Court as Com<sup>rs</sup>

Ordered by the Court that Matthias Mason be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Two <sup>59</sup>/<sub>100</sub> dollars for one days Attendance at Court as Com<sup>rs</sup>

Ordered by the Court that S. G. Schanck be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Two dollars for one day in setting with Sheriff - and also the Sheriff is hereby allowed the sum of one dollar for his services.

This is to Certify the Henry B Steele has deposited a receipt with the Clerk of this Court for \$94.26 in County Orders & \$0.25 in Cash Paid by him into the County Treasury

This is to Certify that S. G. Schanck has deposited a receipt with the Clerk of this Court for the Jail Book for 1838 the amount of Jails to be collected, being five hundred sixty four dollars and forty one cents.

Court Adjourned untill Court in Course,  
Solomon Norton



September Term McHenry Co Com. et

Sept 3<sup>rd</sup> 1838.

At a meeting of the County Commissioners Court, of McHenry County State of Illinois on the third day of Sept A.D. 1838.

Present The Hon.

Salomon Norton }  
Random Steele } Co Commissioners  
William Jackson }  
And  
Joseph Wood } Clerk

Ordered by the Court, that the road surveyed & viewed by Wm Jackson Eli Craig and Procter Smith be and is hereby accepted and the same is hereby declared a public high way

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Ordered by the Court that so much of the County road leading from the south line of said County of the range to the west line of the same, and surveyed by Wm Jackson and others, on so much as passes through Virginia Precinct, shall constitute a road district.

District No 1

And it was further ordered that David Welch be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on said district, for the term of one year from the first of March A.D. 1838.

Ordered by the Court, that so much of the County road leading from the south of the County to the west line of said County and surveyed by Wm Jackson and others, as passes through the Kishwaukee Precinct, shall constitute a road district.

District No 2

and it was further ordered by the Court, that David Johnson be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on said district for the term of one year from the first of March A.D. 1838.

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District No 3

Ordered by the Court, that so much of the County road leading from the south line of the County to the North in a direction to Geneva Lake, as passes through the Kishwaukee Precinct, shall constitute a road district and

And it was further ordered by the Court, that John Green, be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on said district for the term of one year from the first of last March A.D. 1838.

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Ordered by the Court, that the report of James Bay & Clark Wicks viewing an road leading from the south line of the County to the north line of the State, near Geneva Lake, be and the same is hereby accepted and is declared a public high way

District No 4

Ordered by the Court, that so much of the above road as lies between the south line of the County and the Range line between six & seven shall constitute a road district.

And it was further ordered by the Court that James Bay be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on said district for the term of one year from the first of March A.D. 1838.

District No 5

Ordered by the Court that the remainder of the above road that lies between the range line of six & seven to where said road intersects the Geneva Lake road, shall constitute a road district

And it was further ordered by the Court, that Clark Wicks be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on said district, for the term of one year from the first of March A.D. 1838.

Ordered by the Court, that Brown & Johnson shall have a ferry license to keep a ferry across Fox River at McHenry the County Seat of said County for the term of one year, by paying the sum of Ten Dollars,



September Term McHenry Co. Com. Court.

Ordered by the Court that the County road surveyed & viewed by Robert & White Whiteman Cobb & Nathaniel W. Raymond be and is hereby accepted and the same is hereby declared a public high way.

Ordered by the Court that the viewers have an Estention on the Road leading from Polkys ferry to Chrystie Lake.

Ordered by the Court that Wm Luce shall have a Licence to sell goods wares & Merchandise in the Town of McHenry for the Term of Ninety Days for the Sum of five Dollars.

Ordered by the Court that Jos & Wm Crane shall have a Licence to sell goods wares & Merchandise at his Residence at Independence grove, for the Term of one year for the Sum of Eight Dollars.

Ordered by the Court that George Thompson shall have a Licence to sell goods wares & Merchandise at his Residence in said County for Term of one year from the first of June A.S. 1838, for the Sum of five Dollars.

Ordered by the Court that the viewers have an Estention on the road from Little Fort to Fox River.

Ordered by the Court that Mrs. Martin a poor woman shall be allowed the Sum of Ten Shillings per week, as long as is found actually necessary to said out by John Fort in furnishing provisioning & other necessary actually necessary, and said Fort shall report to this Court at there next December Term 1838, and shall receive his order on the County Treasury for the Sum so said out.

Ordered by the Court that the order granting County Bounty on wolves be and is hereby Repealed.

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Ordered by the Court that the viewers have an Estention on a road leading from Abbotts to Fox River.

Viewed & Copied Ordered by the Court that the road surveyed by Patrick E. Cassidy Samuel Teabout & Robert S. Coddington be and the same is hereby accepted and declared a public high way.

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Ordered by the Court that the road surveyed & viewed, by John B. Walker Allen Dufield & Levi More be and the same is hereby accepted and declared a public high way.

District No 6

Ordered by the Court that so much of the above road as lies between McHenry and the Range line, between Six & Seven shall constitute a road District

And it was further ordered by the Court that Allen Dufield be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on said District for the Term of one year from the 1<sup>st</sup> of March 1838.

District No 7

Ordered by the Court that so much of the above road as lies between the Range line of Six & Seven and Mount Pleasant, shall constitute a road District.

And it was further ordered by the Court that Levi More be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on said District for the Term of one year from the first of March 1838.

Ordered by the Court that the County road viewed & surveyed by E. S. Hanes John C. Weston & A. S. Barnum, be and the same is hereby accepted and declared a public high way.

Ordered by the Court that the County road surveyed by Isaac Deacon James H. Loyd & Samuel Sherman be and the same is hereby accepted and declared a public high way.



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Ordered by the Court that Robert White William Spoonable & John M Bay be and they are hereby appointed to review so much of the road ~~from the~~ leading from the Kishwaukee to Crystal Lake from the out Let of Crystal Lake to where it intersects the Sunny Road at Longlaff gate.

Ordered by the Court that the petition of sundry Citizens of McHenry County praying for the appointment of viewers to view and lay off a road to commence at or near Mr Christopher Walkkuff house in what is called Virginia Settlement thence North crossing the north Branch of the Kependink at or near Lake & Seafields Mill site thence continuing north on the most feasible route to the line of Wisconsin, be and the same is hereby accepted and the prayer thereof granted.

Ordered by the Court that the County Road from McHenry to the State Line viewed by Calvin Tuttle & H. C. Stewart, & surveyed by A. S. Barnam be and is hereby accepted and the same is declared a Public high way.

Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry Citizens of McHenry County praying for the appointment of viewers to view survey and lay off a road to commence at or near Mr Thomas & William Helkams, thence in a northerly direction across Mill Creek near Millers Mill thence to the North Line of this State. Also to lay out a cross road commencing near Moscos Estys and intersect with the new Milwaukee Road west of Fenny Chapp.

Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry Citizens of McHenry County praying for the appointment of viewers to view survey and lay off a road to commence at Little Fort Landing thence westerly to intersect the Milwaukee <sup>road</sup> near the Bridge crossing the Desplain River known as the Lovejoy Bridge, viewers C. S. Cary Philip Blanchard & George King - be and the same is hereby accepted and the prayer thereof granted.

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Ordered by the Court that A. B. Winkoop be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Ten 75/100 Dollars for Desk Stationary &c.

Ordered by the Court that Joe Wood be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Thirty three 63/100 Dollars for Services & Stationary &c. Per Bill.

Ordered by the Court that Solomon Norton be and he is hereby allowed the sum of five Dollars for 2 days Services as County Commissioner.

Ordered by the Court that Ransom Steele be and he is hereby allowed the sum of five Dollars for 2 days Services as County Commissioner.

Ordered by the Court that Wm Jackson be and he is hereby allowed the sum of five Dollars for 2 days Services as County Commissioner.

Ordered by the Court that H. B. Steele be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Two Dollars for 2 days Services as Sheriff of said County.

Ordered by the Court that Wm L. Wray be and he is hereby allowed the sum of One 50/100 Dollar for assisting in making abstracts of the August Election.

Ordered by the Court that O. S. Beach be and he is hereby allowed the sum of One 50/100 Dollar for assisting in making abstracts of the August Election.

Ordered by the Court that the Judges & Clerks of Elections in Abundon Precinct be and they are hereby allowed ~~one~~ Dollar per day for these Services. Per Bill.



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Ordered by the Court that the Judges & Clerks of Elections of Lake Precinct be and they are hereby allowed the sum of one dollar per day for these services. per bill.

Ordered by the Court that the Judges & Clerks of Elections of Oak Precinct be and they are hereby allowed the sum of one dollar per day for these services per bill.

Ordered by the Court that the Judges & Clerks of Elections of Indian Creek Precinct be and they are hereby allowed the sum of one dollar per day for these services per bill.

Ordered by the Court that the Judges & Clerks of Elections of Virginia Precinct be and they are hereby allowed the sum of one dollar per day for these services per bill.

Ordered by the Court that the Judges & Clerks of Elections of Fishwanke Precinct be and they are hereby allowed the sum of one dollar per day for these services. (per bill)

Ordered by the Court that the Judges & Clerks of Elections of the Upper Sink Precinct be and they are hereby allowed the sum of one dollar per day for these services. (per bill.)

Ordered by the Court that the Judges & Clerks of Elections of McHenry Precinct be and they are hereby allowed the sum of one dollar per day for these services. (per bill.)

Wm. Garrison  
Ransom Steple  
Solomon Norton

December Term McHenry Co. Com. Court

At a meeting of the Commissioners of said County on the third day of September Decem<sup>r</sup> 1838

Present  
Solomon Norton  
Ransom Steple  
Wm. Jackson  
Joseph Wood Clerks

Ordered by the Court that the Salona Martin be and is hereby allowed the sum of fifteen dollars as (per bill)

Ordered by the Court that viewers be appointed to alter a portion of the Road running from Curshed Ferry to the state line near the head of Geneva Lake commencing at David Duffield thence near to the West line to intersect the old Road on the N. of Andrew Daulty - Viewers Christopher Walkup, Wm Holcomb & John McLure

Ordered by the Court that viewers be appointed to alter a portion of the Road which commences at McHenry & thence running in a direction for Geneva Lake (or by foot) so far as the line of Wisconsin Territory is the portion of the line of Wisconsin Territory. Viewers Calvin Suttle, Wm Holcomb & C. Taylor

Ordered by the Court that viewers have an attention on a Road leading from Christopher Walkup to the state line north by S Lakes Mill site. Viewers Christopher Walkup,

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Ordered by the Court that Leonard Loomis be and he is hereby allowed the sum of two dollars and twenty five cents for his services as (per bill) 30 days May term Court. Ct. A. 1838



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Ordered by the Court that the Grand Jurors be allowed the sum of six shillings per day for services at the September Term 1838 of the Circuit Court

Ordered by the Court that the Petit Jurors be allowed the sum of six shillings per day for services at the Circuit Court at the September Term 1838

Ordered by the Court that W. D. Brown be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Twenty Dollars and fifty Cents for furnishing Room (per bill)

Ordered by the Court that W. C. Owen be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Six Dollars and forty Cents for Lumber (per bill)

Ordered by the Court that A. W. Munkoop be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Twenty Seven Dollars & nine Cents for an office including exp. Officers fees from 1<sup>st</sup> June Six months then for room (per bill)

Ordered by the Court that Rufus Sales be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Three Dollars for his attendance on the Circuit Court as Constable (as per bill)

Ordered by the Court that Richard Archer be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Forty Three dollars and twenty nine cents for Board of Pauper John Carver (as per bill)

Ordered by the Court that Samuel S. Greenleaf be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Fifteen dollars & eighty seven and a half cents (as per bill)

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Ordered by the Court that viewers be and they are hereby appointed to Review the County Road running through Chicken Grove to Geneva Lake that portion of the Road lying between Brown Trumbles & Kishwaukee - Viewers Selected Rogers, Doretta Smith & Eli Craig

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Ordered by the Court that viewers be and they are hereby appointed to view and locate a County Road beginning from a point at or near W. Henry, thence Northwest toward the mouth of Pekabonika River passing at or near the house of David M. Ollum. Thence westward to a point at or near the house of Alvin Judet in Wisconsin Parish then near the Residence of John Diggins thence to the County line in a direction to the mouth of the above said River Viewers David M. Ollum, J. W. Starr & L. D. Durbane & John S. Barnam

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Ordered by the Court that viewers be and they are hereby appointed Viewers to view and survey and open a Road, commencing at or near Independence Grove on the Milwaukee & Chicago Road, thence running in a southward course passing through or near the west end of Long Grove in a direction to Bloomingdale to the County line Viewers - Wm Fenwick, John Vick & Stephen Shepard

Ordered by the Court that John M. Deem be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Three Dollars for his attendance, three days, at the Circuit Ct September Term, (as per bill)

Ordered by the Court that the Judges & Clerks of Election be allowed the sum of One dollar per Year day for services at the Special Election Nov. 25. 1838



December Term McHenry Co. 1838 <sup>Court</sup>

Ordered by the Court that the Judges and Clerks of Special Election in <sup>Madison</sup> Precinct be and are hereby allowed the sum of one Dollar per day for their services (per bill on file)

Ordered by the Court that the Judges and Clerks of Election in McHenry Precinct at the Special Election be and are hereby allowed the sum of one Dollar per day for services (per bill on file as per bill on file)

Ordered by the Court that the Judges and Clerks of Special Election in Oak Precinct are hereby allowed the sum of one Dollar per day for services as per bill on file

Ordered by the Court that the Judges and Clerks of Special Election in Indian Creek Precinct be and they are hereby allowed the sum of one Dollar per day for their services as per bill on file

Ordered by the Court that the Bailiff be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Twelve Dollars for blanks (as per bill)

Ordered by the Court that the Resignation of John S. Rayan of Indian Creek Precinct be and is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that the Resignation of John S. Rayan as Judge of Election in Indian Creek Precinct be and is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that Eben Kemp be and is hereby appointed Judge of Election in Indian Creek Precinct in place of John S. Rayan who Resigned

December Term McHenry Co. 1838 Com. Court

Ordered by the Court that <sup>the</sup> place of holding Elections in Jefferson Precinct be and is hereby removed to the house of Robert Metcalf Judges of Election John Diggins Daniel Lower Alvin Suedel

Ordered by the Court that an Ejectment be given to the viewors on the Road from Little Fort to the Milwaukee Road at Lovejoy this be and is hereby accepted viewors Philip Blanchard, C. S. Hairy, W. King

Ordered by the Court that the Report of J. W. Dearborn, C. B. Smith & Seth Deek viewors on the Road leading from Northham on the Milwaukee Road to Millers Mills also a Branch of the same which extends to D. M. Howland ~~the south~~ to intersect the Subit & Milwaukee Road be and is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that viewors be and are hereby appointed to view and lay off a Road to commence at the termination of the Present Road running from Little Fort to the Des Plaines River near Louisa via. A. Deeks & Sand Lake to Fox River and the Old Indian Ford at Coopers Landing be and is hereby accepted viewors. Seth Deek Cherry Esty & Charles Bean

Ordered by the Court that viewors be and are hereby appointed to view and lay out a County Road commencing near Arros Timber on the Milwaukee Road & running in a northwesterly direction across Mill Creek at Mr. Laells Bridge thence in the most suitable place in the same direction before mentioned to the north line of the State ~~be and is hereby accepted~~ viewors James Ormoy, Gibson & George W. Hering

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Ordered by the Court that the place of holding Elections in Abingdon Precinct be and is hereby removed to the House of W. N. Herald in said Precinct

Ordered by the Court that the an election will be held at the House of W. N. Herald in Abingdon Precinct on the twenty ninth day of December AD 1838 for one Justice of the Peace & one Constable

Ordered by the Court that the place of holding Elections in Indian Creek Precinct be and is hereby removed to the House of Erastus Houghton in said Precinct

Ordered by the Court that an Election will be held at the House of Erastus Houghton in Indian Creek Precinct on the twenty ninth day of December AD 1838 for one Justice of the Peace only

Ordered by the Court that Wm Whigham be and he is hereby allowed the Sum of Three Dollars for his services at the Circuit Court, Sept Term 1838 as per bill

Ordered by the Court that an election will be held at the House of Robert Metcalf on the twenty ninth day of December AD 1838 in the Neipsunk Precinct for two Constables

Ordered by the Court that Horace Butler be and he is hereby allowed the Sum of fifteen Dollars. (as per bill)

December Term AD. 1838 McHenry Co. Court

Ordered by the Court that Erastus Houghton have ~~no~~ a License to keep a Publick House at his Residence for the term of one year from the first day of ~~December~~ <sup>August</sup> AD. 1838. by paying into the County Treasury the sum of Seven Dollars

Ordered by the Court that John B. Bagan be and he is hereby allowed the Sum of Two Dollars and fifty cents for fees for County services (as per bill)

Ordered by the Court that Wm L. Ray be and he is hereby allowed the sum of One Dollar for assistance in making out Abstracts of votes at the Special Election in Nov. 22. AD 1838

Ordered by the Court that an extension be allowed <sup>on</sup> a portion of the Road leading from Independence Grove to the Mouth of the Neipsunk, on Fox River by J. Woods the same is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that W. A. Cowan be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Six Dollars for attendance at Court two days & carry Poll Books from Virginia P. C. as per bill

Ordered by the Court that Solomon Boston be and he is hereby allowed the Sum of Two Dollars for visiting Paupers as per bill

Ordered by the Court that Ransome Steele be and he is hereby allowed the Sum of Two Dollars & fifty cents visiting Paupers (on bill)



December Term McHenry Co. Court

Ordered by the Court that Solomon Norton be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Two Dollars & fifty cents per day for three days service at Court

Ordered by the Court that Wm Jackson be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Two Dollars and fifty cents per day for three days service at Court

Ordered by the Court that Ramsome Steele be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Two Dollars and fifty cents for three days service at Court

Ordered by the Court that Henry B Steele Sheriff be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Three Dollars for attendance at Court three days

Ordered by the Court that Lewis G. Schanck Treasurer be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Four Dollars for two days attendance at Court

Ordered by the Court that Joseph Wood Clerk be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Forty Two Dollars & Sixty six cents as per bill on file

Wm Jackson  
Ramsome Steele  
Solomon Norton

Ordered by the Court that this Court be and is hereby adjourned to the 1st Monday in Jan. A.D. 1839. To meet at the House of Jesse H. Foster in Indian Oaks Precinct McHenry Co.

Special Term McHenry Co. Court

At a meeting of the County Commissioners of said County on the 7th day of January A.D. 1839

Present the Hon<sup>ble</sup>  
Solomon Norton } Com<sup>rs</sup>  
Ramsome Steele }  
Joseph Wood } Clerk

Ordered by the Court that Leonard Lomis be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on the County Road leading from Wm Cantals by the Comp Lake to intersect the McHenry Road 2 miles East of McHenry until the 1st Monday in March A.D. 1839.

Ordered by the Court that B. Simons shall have a Licence to sell or peddle Goods wares and Merchandise for the term of one year from the first day of January A.D. 1839, by pay into the County Treasury the sum of Six Dollars.

Ordered by the Court that John Easton shall have a Licence to sell goods wares and Merchandise for the term of one year from the first day of Nov 1838 by paying into the County Treasury the sum of Seven Dollars.

Ordered by the Court that Wm Crane Jarven Licence shall continue for the term of one year from the date of his Licence by paying the sum of Ten Dollars.

Ordered by the Court that Swain J. Stoops shall a Licence to sell goods wares and Merchandise at their residence for the term of one year from the first day of January A.D. 1839 - by paying into the County Treasury the sum of five Dollars.



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Special Term McHenry Co. Com. Court

Ordered by the Court that the Judges & Clerks of the Special Election shall be paid out of the County Treasury the sum of one dollar each, held in Indian Creek Precinct. - See 29<sup>th</sup> Dec 1838.

Ordered by the Court that the Judges & Clerks of the Special held in Abingdon Precinct on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1838, shall be paid out of the County Treasury the sum of one dollar each. -

Ordered by the Court that the Judges & Clerks of the Special Election held in Westport Precinct on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1838, shall be paid out of the County Treasury the sum of one dollar each. -

Ordered by the Court that Hiram Kennecott be and he is hereby allowed the sum of five dollars for serving as Coroner in the case of E. Wray deceased.

Ordered by the Court that Solomon Norton be and he is hereby allowed the sum of two dollars and fifty cents for one days attendance at Court.

Ordered by the Court <sup>that</sup> Random Steele be and he is hereby allowed the sum of two dollars and fifty cents for one days attendance at Court.

Ordered by the Court that Henry D. Steele be and he is hereby allowed the sum of one dollar for one days attendance at Court. -

Ordered by the Court that Joseph Wood be and he is hereby allowed the sum of fifteen dollars and thirty eight cents per bill.

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Special Term McHenry Co. Com. Court

Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry Citizens of McHenry County praying the appointment of Viewers to view survey and lay off a road to commence at Erastus Houghton on or near the Town Line at the McHenry Road and following said Township Line East as near as practicable to Lake Michigan -

Court adjourned until Court in Course.  
Solomon Norton  
Random Steele