

March Term McHenry Co. Court

At a meeting of the County Commissioners of said County, on the 30th day of March A.D. 1839.

Present the Honorable
Solomon Norton }
Ransom Steele }
S. William Jackson } Comd.

Joseph Wood } Cllr.

Ordered by the Court

That the Viewers have an attention on the County Road from Mc Henry to the West Line of the said County in a direction to the Pekatomika River - until the next term of said Court.

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Ordered by the Court that the Viewers

have an attention on a road from Lovejoys Bridge to Fox River passing S. Pecks & Sand Lake until the next term of said Court.

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Ordered by the Court that an

attention be and is hereby granted, on the petition commencing at or near W. Walkeys and running to the Wisconsin Territory by Scofield & Lakes Mill until the next term of said Court.

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Ordered by the Court that the Petition

of sundry citizens praying for a Road, commencing at St. Johns Lake thence in a south west direction by Koubbells Point thence to intersect the County Road from Fairman to Chicago at or near Benderwaacker. And it was further ordered that Abraham Benderwaacker, Daniel Wait & Mark Bang be Viewers on said Road.

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Ordered by the Court that the County

Road Surveyed by Oleson & Trames and others commencing near the House of A. Trimmitt & running in a northward direction across Deer Bridge to the State Line be and is hereby accepted & declared a Publick Highway.

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Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry citizens of McHenry Co. Praying for the Appointment of Viewers to view Survey & locate a County Road to commence at on the State line on a direct course from Geneva Outlet to intersect the Road already located from McHenry to Antantia at or near the Southeast corner of Town No. 16 North & Range 7 East - be and is hereby accepted. Viewers Bela W. Tryon, Robert L. Howard & Alfred Thomas

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Ordered by the Court that the Petition of

Sundry Citizens of McHenry Co. Praying for the Appointment of Viewers to view Survey & Lay off the County Road to commence at or near what is called Stegins Settlement through McHenry County to the State line on the most direct and feasible Route to South Post in Wisconsin Territory be and is hereby accepted. Viewers Chas. A. Hoys, Darius C. Andrews & Robert Mortealy

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Ordered by the Court that the Petition of

Sundry Citizens of McHenry County Praying for the appointment of an alteration of the New Milwaukee Road laid out by Jones & Norton including only that part of said Road between T. A. & Peckas South Line to when it intersects with the Fox River Road be and is hereby accepted. Viewers American & Briley, Willard Jones & Geo. A. Drury

viewers Noticed

Ordered by the Court that David Goff

shall have a License to keep a House of Publick Entertainment at his Residence for the Term of One Year from the first day of January A.D. 1839. Having filed Bond in pursuance of Law & paid into the Treasury of the County the sum of Seven Dollars.

Ordered by the Court that Stanton No. Thomas

shall have a License to keep a Ferry over Fox River from the first day of Jan. A.D. 1839 one Year at or near his Residence. Having filed Bond in pursuance of Law & paid into the Treasury of the County the sum of Seven Dollars.

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Ordered by the Court that John
Weldin License for A.D. 1838 shall be reduced
to the sum of Five Dollars

Ordered by the Court the Solomon
D. Belbin shall pay the sum of eight Dollars
for the year 1835 for a license

Ordered by the Court that Christy
G. Wheeler have a License to keep a House
of Publick Entertainment at his Residence for the
Term of One Year from the first day of Jan.
A.D. 1835 by paying into the Treasury of the County
the sum of Ten Dollars

Ordered by the Court that William
Easton have a License to keep a House of Publick
Entertainment at his Residence for the term of
one year from the first day of Jan. A.D. 1835
by paying into the Treasury of the County the
sum of Ten Dollars

Ordered by the Court that J. H.
Pester have a License to keep a house of Publick
Entertainment at his Residence for the Term
of One year from the first day of January A.D. 1835
by paying into the Treasury of the County
the sum of Ten Dollars

Ordered by the Court that Asahel
Distro have a License to keep a Temperance House
at his Residence for the Term of One year from
the first day of January A.D. 1835 by paying into
the Treasury of the County the sum of Five
Dollars

Ordered by the Court that Andrew
Donnelly have a License to keep a house of
Publick Entertainment at his Residence for
the Term of One year from the first day of
January A.D. 1835 by paying into the Treasury
of the County the sum of Seven Dollars

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Ordered by the Court that William
Dwyer have a License to keep a house of
Publick Entertainment from the first day
of Jan. A.D. 1835 having paid into the Treasury
of the County the sum of Ten Dollars

Ordered by the Court that Abner
W. Driscoll have a License to keep a Temperance
House of Publick Entertainment at his
Residence from the first day of Jan. A.D. 1835
by paying into the Treasury of the County
the sum of Five Dollars

Ordered by the Court that Christopher
Watkup have a License to keep a Temperance House
for the space of One year from the first day of Jan.
A.D. 1835 by filing a Bond in pursuance of Law, and paying
into the Treasury of the County the sum of Seven
Dollars

Ordered by the Court that Doctor Smith
have a License to keep a House of Publick Entertainment
at his Residence for the space of One year from the
first day of January A.D. 1835 by filing a Bond in
pursuance of Law, and paying into the Treasury
of the County the sum of Eight Dollars

Ordered by the Court that Joseph Wood
have a License to keep a Temperance House at
his Residence for the space of One year from the
first day of Jan. A.D. 1835 by filing a Bond in pur-
suance of Law & paying into the Treasury of
the County the sum of Five Dollars

Ordered by the Court that the viewers on the
Road from Little Fort to the Milwaukee Road at Long
Bridge have an extension until the next term of this
Court viewers Philip Blanchard, C. S. Keiser &
Wm King

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Ordinance by the Court that the following Rates in the County of McHenry & State of Illinois be and are hereby established for the Year eighteen hundred & thirty three

for each Wagon & Span of Horses or Oxen	3 1/2
" " One Horse Wagon & Horse	3 1/2
" " Horse & Rider	65
" " Extra or Led Horses or Ox	6 1/2
" " Foot Passengers	12 1/2
" " Not Cattle per head	6 1/2
" " Hog, Sheep, Goat & Calves per head	4
" " Horse & Mule or horse & Gig	3 1/2
" " Cart & Oxen or Horse & Cart	3 1/2

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Ordinance by the Court that the Petition of sundry Citizens of McHenry County praying for a Road the Appointment of Whims to view Survey Layoff & locate a County Road commencing at some eligible point on the South Line of said County in a direction from Dundee to V. C. Strickland thence by Bangs Lake thence by the place of Asa Goodenough; thence to Chop Squaw Corners at or near Chester Hamilton's thence to intersect the Road said from Jones to Hop River at the most eligible point be and the same is hereby accepted; Viewers, V. C. Strickland W. C. Crossy & Chester Hamilton.

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Ordinance by the Court that the viewers on the County Road commencing at Russell Anelms on the South Line of the County, thence intersecting the Milwaukee Road at Independence Grove, have an extension until the next Term of said Court

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Ordinance by the Court that an extension be allowed to the Viewers on a portion of the Road leading from Independence Grove to the Mouth of the Peipsinko, on Fox River by Woods until the next Term of said Court.

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Ordinance by the Court that an extension be allowed to the Viewers on a portion of the County Road commencing at the West Line of McHenry County thence East to Crystal Lake, until the next Term of said Court - Viewers, William Spronable, Robert S. White & John M. Bay.

W.C. Strickland

Ordinance by the Court that Caleb Williams be and is hereby appointed Supervisor on the County Road from Crystal Lake to the State Line; his Limits extending from Alvin Judds to Crystal Lake

Ordinance by the Court that Ezra Holwell shall have a license for the term of one year from the first day of January A.D. 1839, having filed Bond in pursuance of Law & paying into the County Treasurer the sum of Five Dollars Tax & the Costs of this permission

Ordinance by the Court that the Report of the Viewers on the County Road commencing near the House of A. Drumst & extending in a Northwesterly direction across Lacelles Prairie to the State Line, be and is hereby accepted and declared a Public Highway. Viewers, Shason J. Haines, James Emery & George W. Craig

Road No. 1

Ordinance by the Court that so much of the Lake Road as lies between Little Fort and the State Line North shall constitute a Road District No. 1. And it is further ordered by the Court that James Howell be and is hereby appointed Supervisor on said Road District for the term of one year

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Ordered by the Court that John King be and is hereby appointed Supervisor on the State Road in Township Forty Three, for the Space of One year

Ordered by the Court that ^{William} John Dyer be and is hereby appointed Supervisor on the State Road in Township forty four & No. 3 for the Term of One year

Ordered by the Court that John Flood be and is hereby appointed Supervisor on the all of that portion of the State Road that lies between the State Line and the North line of Township No. 41 forty four when it intersects the County Road at the New York House & No. 41

Ordered by the Court that Jereiah Porter be and is hereby appointed Supervisor on the State Road from the New York House to the State line North Road District No. 5

Ordered by the Court that Phileman Cadwell be and is hereby appointed Supervisor on so much of the County Road as lies between the South Line of said County & the Section mile line, for the term of one year. Road District No. 6

Ordered by the Court that Hiram Doolley be and is hereby appointed Supervisor on so much of the County Road as lies between the Section mile line and the North line of Oak Precinct for the term of one year. Road District No. 7

Ordered by the Court that Erastus Luce be and is hereby appointed Supervisor on so much of the ^{County} Road as lies between the North line of Oak Precinct to when intersects the State Road at C.S. Day's Tavern for the Term of one year Road District No. 8

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Ordered by the Court that Rufus Sales be and is hereby appointed Supervisor on so much of the Milwaukee Road as lies between the South line of the County, and extending to the School House near Indian Creek for the Term of One year Road District No. 9

Ordered by the Court that John Miller be and is hereby appointed Supervisor on so much of the Milwaukee Road as lies between the School House near Indian Creek to the North line of Davis & Mark's Claim, for the term of One year, Road District No. 10

Ordered by the Court that J. H. Foster be and is hereby appointed Supervisor on so much of the Milwaukee Road as lies between the North line of D.C. Stiles' Claim and the North line of Tobias Wynkoop's Claim for the term of One year. Road District No. 11

Ordered by the Court that Thomas M. Sun be and is hereby appointed Supervisor on so much of the Road as lies between the North line of Tobias Wynkoop's Claim to the center of the O. P. Line River for the Term of one year, Road District No. 12

Ordered by the Court that John & Clarkson be and is hereby appointed Supervisor on so much of the Milwaukee Road as lies between the center of the O. P. Line River, and to when it intersects the State Road at the New York House, for the term of One year. Road District No. 13

Ordered by the Court that Eliason Haines be and is hereby appointed Supervisor on the County Road as lies between Amos Bennett and running North to the State Line for the Term of one year, Road District No. 14

Ordered by the Court that Orlin Smith be and is hereby appointed Supervisor on the County Road near Williams to Mill Creek for the term of one year, Road District No. 15

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Ordered by the Court that Thomas Plumly be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on the County Roads Commencing at the South line of the County River No. 1 and running to the Three mile Stake North for the Term of one year. Road District No. 1 West side of Fox River

Ordered by the Court that Philip W Compton be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on the County Roads from the Three mile Stake on the River Road on the West side of Fox River to the eleven mile Stake for the Term of one year. Road District No. 2 W. J. River

Ordered by the Court that B. B. Brown be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on all the County & State Roads leading from McHenry three miles in each direction, except when the County Road crosses the creek east of the place where the County State Road flows across, the said creek, near McHenry, for the term of one year. Road District No. 3 W. J. River

Ordered by the Court that E. Wightman be and he is hereby appointed on the State Road from the center of McCallum Lake to the State Line North for the Term of one year. Road District No. 4 West of Fox River No. 4

This is to certify that H. B. Steele has deposited with the Clerk of the Com. Court a Receipt from the Treasurer L. G. Schanker for the sum of Two hundred and forty three dollars and sixteen cents for taxes for the year A.D. 1838

Ordered by the Court that Solomon Norton be and he is hereby allowed the sum of thirty two Dollars for money advanced for County Raupers

Ordered by the Court that J. M. Thomas be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on the County Road from Fox River opposite Jolin's Creek to Christopher Walkup for the Term of one year - Road District No. 5

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Ordered by the Court that Doctor Smith be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on so much of the State Road as lies between the South line of the County and where the said Road leaves the County road west for the Term of one year Road District No. 6

Ordered by the Court that Ward Burley be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on so much of the State Road as lies between the West line of the County to where the County Road runs the State Road West running North for the term of one year. Road District No. 7 West of Fox River

Ordered by the Court that A. B. Winkroop be and he is hereby allowed the sum of twenty Dollars and 9/100 for Stationary per bill

Ordered by the Court that Michael Murry be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on so much of the County Road as from Bangs Lake to Seth Washburn's as lies between Bangs Lake & Erastus Houghton, for the term of one year Road District No. 16 East of Fox River

Ordered by the Court that Ballance be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on so much of the County Road as lies between Seth Erastus Houghton and Seth Washburn for the term of one year, Road District No. 17 East of Fox River

Ordered by the Court that this Court stand adjourned until to Morrow Morning (March 7) at 8 o'clock

The Court met pursuant to Adjournment

This is to certify that H. B. Steele has deposited with the Clerk of the Co. Com. Court a Receipt from the County Treasurer L. G. Schanker for the sum of forty two Dollars & fifty cents for taxes for the year 1838

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Ordinance by the Court that Duke Hale
 be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on
 so much of the County Roads as lie between
 the outlet of the McWilliam Lake and the
 State line Northward, for the term of one
 year. Road District No. 9 W. H. Weber

Ordered by the Court that the following List
 of Property shall be taxable in McHenry County
 for the Year 1839 viz. On all Slaves and
 indentured or Registered Negroes or Mulatto
 Servants, on all Pleasure Carriages, on Distilleries
 and Stoves in Trade, on all Horses, Mares
 Mules asses and net Cattle over the age of
 three years on all Swine 6 Mt old and up
 -wards, on all one and two Horse Waggon
 on all Clocks, Watches and their appendages
 on all Sheeps, on all Saw and Grind Mills, on
 all Rifles one half per cent. County Tax, and
 one fourth Road Tax

Ordered by the Court that the following
 List of Persons are drawn as Grand Jurors for
 the May Term of the Circuit Court Thursday after
 the first Monday in 1st May next. viz.

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| Mathias Mason | Madison Washburn |
| Christopher Spoonable | John Spilley |
| Whitman Cobb | Gideon Colby |
| John Purdy | John L. Gibson |
| Alex Steuber | Oliver Cozier |
| George Stratton | Isaac Hargraves |
| Daniel Hrales | George A. Drury |
| Christopher Manso | Abel S. Kellogg |
| Christophus Arnold | Alexander Whittell |
| Ameriah Boughton | Locklin J. Madden |
| David McWilliam | Alvin Judd |
| William T. Drummet | |
- South of American Creek }

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Ordinance by the Court that the following List of
 Persons are drawn as Petit Jurors for the May Term
 of the Circuit Court held on the Thursday after
 the first Monday in May next viz.

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| Godfrey Drexley | Edw. S. Beardsley |
| Mathias King Jr | William Laedel |
| Harley Hambley | David Wick |
| William Spoonable | Abel H. Hambluff |
| J. H. Starr | Benjamin White |
| David Bradley | Solomon J. Durham |
| Allen T. Bronson | Orson P. Rogers |
| Isaac Willmot | Capt. G. G. Gault |
| Luther Elmshury | Lewis Brown |
| Joseph D. Tuttle | George T. Born |
| Philip Blanchard | Alison Sanclon |
| John McClure | Samuel S. Greenleaf |

Ordered by the Court that those shall
 be an attorney at Law shall be employed to attend
 to any case or business the said Court may think
 necessary

Ordered by the Court that ^{William} Jackson
 be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Ten Dollars
 for 4 days attendance at Court

Ordered by the Court that W. Ransom Steele
 be and he is hereby allowed the sum of ten Dollars
 for 4 days attendance at Court

Ordered by the Court that Solomon Boston
 be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Ten Dollars
 for 4 days services at Court

Ordered by the Court that Sam. S. Greenleaf
 be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Twenty Three
 Dollars and seventy five cents

Ordered by the Court that J. G. Schantz
 be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Six dollars
 for 3 days services at Court.

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Ordered by the Court that the sum of \$3.00 be and he is hereby allowed the sum of three Dollars Three Dollars for three days attendance at Court

Ordered by the Court that Joseph Woods be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Twenty Two Dollars for services at Court

Ordered by the Court that Joseph Woods be and he is hereby empowered, to call on all those who are keeping Publick Entertainment and Stalls in Said County, and cause them to take License for the same, or enter Complaint according to Law

It is hereby ordered that this Court adjourn until Court in August

M. M. Jackson
Ransom Steele
Solomon Norton

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At a Meeting of the McHenry County Commissioners Court the 24th day of June AD 1839

Present the Hon^{ble} Solomon Norton
Ransom Steele 3 Com.
W. M. Jackson

Joseph Wood 3 Clerk

Ordered by the Court that an exception be given on the County Road from the residence of McHenry thence by Robert S. White & Crystal Lake to Sand Ferry thence L. W. Dritz, W. Hoffman & John Bellin

Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry Citizens of McHenry County praying for a County Road commencing at Roman Branch near Crystal Lake & Cross Fox River at Sand Ferry thence a new Road near the deep hollow & the south line of the County on the Chicago Road be and is hereby accepted viewers, Lyman King, Isaac King & Isaac Denny

Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry citizens of said County of McHenry for a Relocation of the County Road from the Co. Seat of McHenry leading south to the County Line & west of Fox River be and is hereby accepted viewers W. Hoffman, Hot Crow & Robin Reed

Ordered by the Court that an exception be given on the County Road leading from McHenry Co seat, by David McAllister, to the mouth of the Peatonica River

Ordered by the Court that a License be granted to Isaac Denny to keep a Ferry on Fox River at his Residence in McHenry County by paying into the County Treasury - the sum of five Dollars -

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Ordered by the Court that an extension be given on the County Road commencing at some eligible point in a division between Dundee and Mr. Ammons on the County line thence by By Bangs Lake to intersect the Road laid from pond to Fox River at the most eligible point

Ordered by the Court that N. B. Steel be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Thirty One Dollars for services as Sheriff &c as per bill

Ordered by the Court that Mark Titus be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Sixteen Dollars & Ninety Cents as per bill

Ordered by the Court that Henry Smith be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Three Dollars for House Rent & Labour as per bill

Ordered by the Court that W. B. Brown be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Thirty four Dollars and Seventy five cents for use of Room for Court &c as per bill

Ordered by the Court that Christopher Walkup be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Six Dollars for services taking charge of Prisoners as per bill

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Ordered by the Court that viewers have an Extension on a road leading from C. Walkup to the State Line north passing Lake & Seafields Mill -

Ordered by the Court that Job McEmber be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Six Dollars for services 'watching' prisoners as per bill

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Ordered by the Court that Ambrose Stollker be and he is hereby allowed the sum of four Dollars & Twenty five cents for guarding Jail

Ordered by the Court that S. S. Small be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Eleven Dollars & Twenty five cents for 'Shop' Rent

Ordered by the Court that Wm Almsbury be and he is hereby allowed the sum of four Dollars for services as guarding Prisoners

Ordered by the Court that Geo. Wooster be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Three Dollars and fifty cents for services guarding prisoners

Ordered by the Court that Isaac Dany be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Three Dollars for guarding prisoners

Ordered by the Court that William Hartman be and he is hereby allowed the sum of fourteen Dollars and fifty six cents for as per Bill on file

Ordered by the Court that John McSun be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Thirteen Dollars and Ten cents as per Bill on file

Ordered by the Court that the State Atty. Huntington be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Twenty Dollars as per bill on file

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Ordered by the Court that
The Petition of sundry citizens of McHenry
County Praying for a Relocation of the County
Road from McHenry Co. Seat running in
a northwesterly direction on the nearest
and best Route to the lower T. Driely and
now erected Corp. Kipsensink, thence
to the North Line of the State in a direction
to Salem in Wisconsin Territory be and
the same is hereby accepted. Viewers;
Alfred Staton, A.S. Wernum &
W. B. Brown

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Ordered by the Court that
the Petition of sundry citizens of McHenry
Co for a County Road commencing at the
South East Corner of Section Thirtieth One Township
(144) forty four North Range (6) the East of the
(3) Third principal Meridian, thence in
an easterly direction until it intersects the
Fox River and Wisconsin Road at or
near Grandey St. & Bishop's be and the
same is hereby accepted. Viewers;
Grandey St. & Bishop, W^m Spence
and John Green.

Ordered by the Court that the Petition
of sundry citizens of McHenry County Praying
for a County Road commencing at the North
Line of Saick County to intersect the Dundee
Road to where it strikes the above said line
thence on the nearest and best Grounds to
Syvester Hanson's thence to John W. Davidson's
thence to A. S. Dams' thence to where it
intersects the State Road to where it intersects
of Wauwatese & the claim known by the name
of "Baber's Claim" be and the same is
hereby accepted. Viewers; Liza Duse,
Sabe S. Burns & James Johnson

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Ordered by the Court that the Petition
of sundry citizens of McHenry Co Praying for
the Survey & Location of a County Road comm-
encing at the Block School House in Pleasant
Ground on the State Road thence west by Langhe
Bach's the nearest and best direct Route to
intersect the State Road at or near
Rogus, be and the same is hereby accepted
Viewers; W^m M. Jackson, J. Glenfield
and Calvin Spencer

Ordered by the Court that the Petition
of sundry citizens of ~~McHenry~~ McHenry Co. Praying
for the Survey & Location of a County Road commencing
at a Road near Gehina Ford's, thence
South to intersect the Chicago Road running
to A. Roman's Mill be and is hereby accepted
Viewers; W^m White, A. Fortune and W. Jackson

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Ordered by the Court that the
Petition of sundry citizens of McHenry Co. for
a Survey & Location of a County Road comm-
encing at the North Line of Kane County
one and a half miles South of Thompson's
thence the nearest and best route to the
North East Corner of Whiteman Cobb's
Claim, thence the nearest and best route
to the west line of McHenry County near
the Blachford Settlement, be and the
same is hereby accepted. Viewers; W. Cobb
& W. Batts and C. Huntington

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Ordered by the Court that the
Petition of sundry citizens of McHenry Co.
for a Survey and location of a County Road
beginning at the South Line of Saick Co.
at or near the "Luzon" the House of
Mr. Clawson thence North west to Churnis
& Co. Saw Mill, thence in the same direction
to Fox River, thence to Crystal Lake or
the nearest and best way through Saick County
to Madison City in Wisconsin Territory be
and the same is hereby accepted. Viewers
Joseph Kinick, Wm. Joslin & James R. Churnis

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Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry Citizens of McHenry Co for the Survey & Location of a County Road Running from McHenry Co. Seat running in a ^{northwesterly} direction to the northeast corner of Crop Sails one half mile west of Range nine East as near as the nature of the ground will admit, thence due north to the north line of the State be and the same is hereby accepted. Viewers; A. J. Barnum, Samuel Jackson and S. D. Wheeler Stephen Pardee

Ordered by the Court ^{that} the Petition of sundry Citizens of McHenry Co. Praying for the Survey & Location of a County Road to commence at Little first and Run in a northwesterly direction to Posters Tavern thence on or near the Town line by S. D. Childs thence north westerly by Millers Mill to the Milwaukee Road near the House of D. M. Rollins thence through the upper Gay Settlement be and the same is hereby accepted. Viewers; Jacob Miller, S. D. Childs & Dennis Gay

Court adjourns until 7 O'clock to morrow morning

June 4. Court met pursuant to adjournment

Ordered by the Court that the Orders issued for this Term commence at 4 o. one

Ordered by the Court that the place of holding Elections in Oak Precinct be ^{changed} removed to the House of Michael Dehanty in said Precinct

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Decided -

Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry Citizens of McHenry County praying for a Survey & Location of a County Road running from the Milwaukee Road to the Lake Road in the vicinity of the one now travelled connecting the above Roads near Mr. Robbins & Mr. Parks, be and the same is hereby accepted. Viewers; Wm. Clark, Dr. M. Bacon & Samuel Ransom

Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry Citizens of McHenry County Praying for the Survey & Location of a County Road from the State line ^{north upon the} to intersect the Crop Road ^{already} laid from S. D. Deartons to Mt. Small, be and the same is hereby accepted. Viewers. A. J. Bailey, Abel E. Hall & Alexander Kennedy

Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry Citizens of Saick County for a County Road commencing at Erastus Houghton's on or near the Town line at the McHenry Road & following Saick's Survey line East or as near as practicable to Lake Michigan be and the same is hereby accepted. Viewers, Erastus Houghton, John Hornet & Allen Brinson

Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry Citizens of McHenry County for a County Road commencing at Seth Washburn thence to Diamond Lake, thence to Fort Hill thence to McHenry be and is hereby accepted. Viewers Jonathan Rice, Wm. Stewart and Joseph Wood

Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry Citizens of McHenry Co. Praying for a County Road commencing at a near Mr. Thompsons thence to Mr. White on the Milwaukee thence the nearest and best route to big Foot Lake or till it strike the county line north at or near Mr. Crumbles be and the same is hereby accepted. Viewers; J. B. Snow, Erastus Smith & Joseph White Robert G. White, Lauffer Bach & Jonathan Jackson

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Ordered by the Court that L. G. Schank be and he is hereby allowed the sum of fifteen Dollars for services as per bill

R & No 2 E. J. Miller

Ordered by the Court that John Russell be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on Road District No 2 in Township Tirty Three East Side Fox River -

Ordered by the Court that A. B. Mykrook be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Thirty Eight Dollars and thirty Three cents as per bill

Ordered by the Court that ^{that} M. Robinson Depty Sheriff of McHenry County be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Three Dollars and Twelve and a half cents as per brot. Ck certificate

Ordered by the Court that H. B. Steel Sheriff be and he is hereby allowed the sum of fifty cents as per brot. Ck certificate

Ordered by the Court that C. Walkup Depty Sheriff be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Twelve and half cents as per brot. Ck certificate

Ordered by the Court that the Gravel jurors for the May Term of Circuit Court be allowed the sum of Seventy five cents per day for services as jurors

Ordered by the Court that the Petit jurors for the May Term of the Cook. Court be and they are hereby allowed the sum of Seventy five cents per day for services as Jurors

June Term McHenry Co. Court A.D. 1839

Ordered by the Court that N. S. State be and he is hereby allowed the sum of sixteen Dollars for Irons as per bill

Ordered by the Court that John Gridley's Licence shall continue for the term of one year from the 1st day of January A.D. 1839 - having paid into the County Treasury the sum of five Dollars -

Ordered by the Court that Seth Washburn's Licence for Doven shall continue for the term of one year from the 1st day of January A.D. 1839 - having paid into the County Treasury the sum of Ten Dollars -

Ordered by the Court that Rufus Dole's Licence shall continue for the term of one year from the 1st day of January A.D. 1839 - having paid into the County Treasury the sum of Ten Dollars -

Ordered by the Court that J. C. Cary's Licence shall continue for the term of one year from the 1st day of January A.D. 1839 having paid into the County ^{Treasury} the sum of Ten Dollars -

Ordered by the Court that Jeremiah Porter's License shall continue for the term of one year from the 1st day of January A.D. 1839 having paid into the County Treasury the sum of Ten Dollars

Ordered by the Court that Erastus Nichols License shall continue for the term of one year from the first day of Jan. A.D. 1839 having paid into the County Treasury the sum of Five Dollars

Ordered by the Court that Philip McQuinn's License shall continue for the term of one year from the first day of January A.D. 1839 having paid into the County Treasury the sum of Ten Dollars

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Ordered by the Court that James B Gordon's License shall continue until the first day of January AD 1840 (1841) having paid into the County Treasury the sum of Five Dollars

Ordered by the Court that Michael Delanty's License shall continue one year from the first day of Jan AD 1839 having paid into the County Treasury the sum of Ten Dollars

Ordered by the Court that Galton Spencer's License shall continue one year from the first day of Jan AD 1839 having paid into the Co. Treasury the sum of eight Dollars

Ordered by the Court that Wm B Brown's License shall continue one year from the first day of Jan AD 1839 having paid into the Co. Treasury the sum of Ten Dollars

Ordered by the Court that James Hobbs's License shall continue one year from the first day of May AD 1839 having paid into the Co. Treasury the sum of Five Dollars

Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry citizens of McHenry County in Adams's Precinct praying for the appointment of Joseph Metcalf as judge of election in place of John Higgins in said Precinct be and the same is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry citizens of McHenry Co praying for the survey & location of a County Road commencing at the north east corner of Foster's claim on Section 14 of Foster Township 4th Range 4th East 3rd Southwardly until it intersects the State Road near Spencer's claim, be and the same is hereby accepted Viewers, St Foster, Jacob Davis & Calvin Spence

June Term McHenry County Court AD 1839

Ordered by the Court that Joseph Woods be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Thirty six Dollars and eight one Cents as per bill on file

Ordered by the Court that an election be held in each Precinct in McHenry Co on the first Monday in August next to Elect three County Commissioners, one Co. Surgeon One Co. Coroner Clerk, one Probate Justice of the Peace, one Co. Treasurer, one School Commissioner one County Recorder one County Sheriff and two Justices of the Peace and two Constables in each Precinct in said Co. of McHenry

Court adjourned until one o'clock P.M. Court next pursuant to adjournment

Ordered by the Court that the Report of the Surveyors on the Road leading from Hishwauken at or near John Higgins settlement through McHenry County in a direction for South Port in Wisconsin Territory be and the same is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that Wm E. Hays be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Five Dollars for guarding prisoners as per bill

Ordered by the Court that the Report of the Surveyors & Report of views on the Road from Camp Lake to Point Lake in the direction for Chicago be and the same is hereby accepted

And it was further ordered that Daniel Rowland be and he is hereby appointed a Supervisor on the above Road 18. E. F. Row from Camp Lake &c for the year 1835

Ordered by the Court that the A/c of W B Still as Sheriff of McHenry Co be and he is hereby accepted as per bill on file

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Ordered by the Court that Denis F. Sage be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on the South Port and Belvidere Roads that lie between South Port and the East side of Fox River known as Range District No. 19 East of Fox River

Road District No 10 West Side Fox River Ordered by the Court that William Steele be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on the South Port and Belvidere Roads from the West side of Fox River to the West line of Range 8

Road District No 11 West Side Fox River Ordered by the Court that John B. Macleod be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on that portion of the South Port and Belvidere County Road lying between the West line of Range 8 and the State Road

Road District No 12 West Side Fox River Ordered by the Court that Chas. A. Stoye be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on that portion of the County Road known as the South Port & Belvidere Road as lies between the State Road and Lake Sec. Mill Wash

Road District No 13 West Side Fox River Ordered by the Court that Chas. W. Goodrich be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on that portion of the Belvidere and South Port Roads as lies between Lake Sec. Mill to the Kishwaukee Creek

Road District No 14 West Side Fox River Ordered by the Court that Thomas Nuttall be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor on the County Road known as the South Port & Belvidere Road that lies between the Kishwaukee Creek and the West line of the County of McHenry

June Term McHenry Co. Comm. Court Ad 1839

Ordered by the Court that John McQueen be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Three Dollars for services as per bill

Ordered by the Court that Wm. M. Jackson be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Six Dollars and Twenty five cents for attendance at Court

Ordered by the Court that Solomon Norton be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Six Dollars and Twenty five cents for attendance at Court

Ordered by the Court that Reansome Still be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Six Dollars and Twenty five cents for attendance at Court

Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry Citizens of McHenry County praying for the survey and location of a County Road from the Bridge across Dyman Creek on the Road leading from McHenry to Half Day thence East as near as practicable on the line dividing sections three and ten, two and eleven, one & twelve in Town 14, forty four north Range 18) Eight East thence as near on the same course as is practicable to the Milwaukee well Chicago Stage Road at or near the house of Oliver Josier on said Road thence East as aforesaid to the United States Military Road leading from Chicago north and lying between the De Plains and Lake Michigan rivers and is hereby appointed accepted, Viewed; Oliver Josier, Joseph Wood A B Myrrofs

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Road between
No 20 East
Side Fox
River

Ordered by the Court that Erasmus
Houghton be and he is hereby appointed
Supervisor on the County Road from
the East Line of the said Houghton's
Claim to where it intersects the Road
sealing from Wolf Day to McHenry
for the

R. D.
No 21
E. F. R.

Ordered by the Court that John
Griffin be and he is hereby appointed
Supervisor on so much of the County Road
as lies between Wolf Day the East Line
of E. Houghton's Claim & Rufus Jones

R. D.
No 22 E
D. F. R.

Ordered by the Court that J.
Schank be and he is hereby appointed
Supervisor on so much of the County Road
as lies between Matthias Mason and
the North Line of Willard Jones Claim

R. D.
No 23 E
D. F. R.

Ordered by the Court that Geo.
Gage be and he is hereby appointed
Supervisor on so much of the County Road
as lies between the North Line of Willard
Jones Claim and the State Line north

Ordered by the Court that
C. G. Wheeler be and he is hereby allowed
the sum of three dollars for Room
Rent, for holding Court, June Term

Ordered by the Court that
H. St. Oram be and he is hereby allowed the
sum of Eleven Dollars and fifty six cents
for attendance at Court June Term

Ordered by the Court
that J. Wood be and he is hereby
allowed the sum of Five Dollars
for attendance at Court

McHenry Co. Coms. Court June Term 1839

Ordered by the Court that H. B.
Steel Sheriff be and he is hereby allowed the
sum of Two Dollars and fifty cents for
attendance at Court

Ordered by the Court that J.
D. Schank be and he is hereby allowed
the sum of nine Dollars and twenty
four cents the balance his due as
Co. Treasurer of said County

Ordered by the Court that J. G.
Schank be and he is hereby allowed the
sum of Five Dollars for services at Court
this Term

Ordered by the Court that
this Court adjourn until the next
Inst. at 2 o'clock Dated McHenry June 24, 1839
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Wm. M. Jackson
Ransom Steel
Solomon Norton

Court Met pursuant to adjournment Present
the Hon^{ble} Solomon Norton Esq^r
Ransom Steele
& W^o Jackson
Joseph Wood
Clerk

Ordered by the Court that Edward
Gleson be and he is hereby appointed Super-
-visor on that portion of the Lake Road
from Little Fort to the State Road South-
-west of Little Fort
Road District No 24 E. L. River

Ordered by the Court that the place
of holding Elections in Wisconsin be removed
to the School House near Mt. Jerome
in said Precinct Section No 1 Town 45
Range 5 East

Ordered by the Court that Herman
Harvey be and he is hereby allowed the sum
of Five Dollars for services as Constable at the
May Term of the Circuit Court A^d 1839 as per
bill on file

Ordered by the Court that David
Smith be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor
on that portion of the County Road lying in
Township forty five and forty six in the
Precinct known as the Chicken Grove and Geneva
Lake Road

Ordered by the Court that John Green
be and he is hereby appointed Supervisor
on so much of the County Road as lies in
Township Twenty Precinct known as the Chicken
Grove and Geneva Lake Road

Ordered by the Court that the
Report of viewers on the Chicken Grove & Geneva
Lake Road and Part of the Survey be
and the same is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that
the Report of the Survey of Viewers of the
County Road commencing at the west
line of the County and running South
East in the direction of Dundee be and the same
is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that the
Report of N. W. Foster, Jacob A. Davis and
Spencer Viewers on the County Road commencing
at Pleasant Grove and running due North
to the Chicken Grove & Geneva Road
be and is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that the
Report of W^o Sprague, John Green and
Viewers on the County Road leaving Chicken
Grove on the Township line thence in the
direction to Leander (Bishop) be and
is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that the Report
of Whitman Cobb, Roswell Bates and
Malvin Huntington Viewers on the County
Road commencing on the west line of
the County near Blackford and thence running
South East to the County Line be and the
same is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that
the Report of W^o Jackson and Joseph
Campbell Viewers on the County Road commencing
at Reddish Road thence in a South East
Course to a Stake School House at
Pleasant Grove be and is hereby accepted

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Comm. has been filed

W.D. Gen. D. D. and he is hereby appointed
W. H. R. Supervisor on the so much of the Dunlee
No. 17 Road as lies between the State Road
and the South Line of the County

W.D. W. Albert D. Smith and he is hereby
H. R. appointed Supervisor on so much
No. 18 of the Dunlee Road as lies between
the State Road and the West end
of said Road

W.D. W. Calvin Hill and he is hereby appointed
H. R. Supervisor on the County Road from
No. 19 Spencer's to the center of Township forty
four Range 3 East of the third principal
meridian

W.D. W. George and he is hereby appointed
H. R. Supervisor on the County Road from the
No. 20 Center of Township forty four Range 3 East
to the Chicken Grove and Geneva Lake
Road

W.D. W. Bishop and he is hereby appointed
H. R. Supervisor on the County Road leading from
No. 21 Chicken Grove on the Township line
East to his Residence

W.D. W. Roswell Bates and he is hereby
H. R. appointed Supervisor on the County
No. 22 line that near Blackfries, thence
Running South East to the County line

W.D. Laugel and he is hereby appointed
W. H. R. Supervisor on
No. 23 the County Road between Jeddick
Road and the State School House
at Pleasant Grove

Ordered by the Court that
this Court adjourn until 8 o'clock
to morrow morning June 21st A.D. 1839

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Ordered by the Court that the
Reports of ^{and also} W. H. Huffman, Ruben Bredy
and W. H. Cowe viewers on the County
Road from McHenry to the County line
South be and the same is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that
C. S. Gay's ~~have~~ a Druggist License shall
continue for the term of one year from
the first day of January A.D. 1839

Ordered by the Court that
Hiram Whitehead's Store license shall
continue for the term of one year from
the first day of January A.D. 1839

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Ordered by the Court that the
Report and plat of B. B. Brown, Alfred
Strom and John Kimbal Road viewers
on the County Road from McHenry to
the State line North be and the same
is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that for
No. 24 District Kimbal be and he is hereby appointed
W. H. R. Supervisor on that portion of the County Road
from McHenry to the State line North that
lies between the State line and within three
miles of McHenry Village

Special Term McHenry Co. Court 6th June 26. 1839

R. S. Plumb, be and he is hereby Reappointed
No. 1. W. Supervisor on the County Roads commencing
F. River at the south line of the County and running
north to the three mile stake - Road District
no. 1 W. F. River

R. S. R. Compton be and he is hereby reappointed
No. 2 Supervisor on the County Roads from the
W. F. River three mile stake on the River Road West
of Fox River to the eleven mile stake north

Ordered by the Court that so much
of the Order of the former Court which empowered
Joseph Wood to enter a certain quantity
of Land mentioned in said Order be and
the same is hereby Reversed

Ordered by the Court that so much
of the Order of the former Court which authorized Joseph
Wood to make any further conveyance of the
Quarter section of Land on which the State
of Justice of Scott County is located to Thomas
H. W. United heirs or assigns be and the same
is hereby Reversed

Ordered by the Court that an Election
be held in Lake County on the first Monday in
August next in each Precinct as now organized
in McHenry Co. for Three Commissioners, one
Clerk, one Sheriff, one Coroner, one
Probate Justice of the Peace, one Auditor,
one Recorder, one School Commissioner,
one Surveyor, two Justices of the Peace, and
two Constables in each precinct

Ordered by the Court that the portion
of Indian Creek and Abingdon Precincts,
McHenry and Virginia Precincts as the
East and West ends of the Division Line
between Lake and McHenry Counties, ^{be} attached
to the opposite Precincts

Special Term McHenry Co. Court 6th June 26 1839

Ordered by the Court that
R. D. Brown be and he is hereby appointed
Supervisor on so much of the ^{W. F.} River Road as
is ~~within~~ within Road District No. Three
F. River

Ordered by the Court that William
M. Jackson be and he is hereby allowed the
sum of Six Dollars and Twenty five cents
for attendance at Court

Ordered by the Court that
Ransom Stale, be and he is hereby allowed
the sum of Six Dollars and Twenty five
cents for attendance at Court

Ordered by the Court that
Solomon Barton be and he is hereby allowed
the sum of Six Dollars and Twenty five
cents for attendance at Court

Ordered by the Court that J. Wood
be and he is hereby allowed the sum of
Two Dollars and fifty One cents as per bill

Ordered by the Court that Joseph
Wood be and he is hereby allowed the sum
of Six Dollars and Twenty Five cents for attendance
at Court

Ordered by the Court that
H. A. Owen be and he is hereby ~~appointed~~
allowed the sum of Six Dollars and
Twenty five cents for attendance at Court

Ordered by the Court that
Christopher Walkup be and he is hereby
allowed the sum of Two Dollars for attendance
at Court Two Day

Ordered by the Court that
H. A. Owen be and he is hereby allowed
the sum of five Dollars as per bill

Special Term McHenry Co. Courts. June 21st 1835

Ordered by the Court that
Starr Titus be and he is hereby allowed
the sum of Ten Dollars as per bill

Ordered by the Court that
L. G. Schanck be and ~~the same~~ he is
hereby allowed the sum of Fifty Eight
Dollars for services as assessor ~~County~~
nine days

Court adjourned until Court
in course

Wm. M. Jackson
Ransom Steel
Solomon Norton

September Term McHenry Co. Courts. Court. A.D. 1839

At a Meeting of the County Court
of McHenry County, State of Illinois on the 2nd
day of September A.D. 1839.

Present the Honorable
B. B. Brown
Gideon Colby. } Clerk

Benjamin B. Brown & Gideon Colby
came forward and took the Oath of Office
also Liba S. Beardsley Co. Comm. Clerk of said
County of McHenry State of Illinois & filed Bond
According to Law.

And upon draft it proved that
Gideon Colby drew for one Year B. B. Brown for two years
and Robert White for three years.

Ordered by the Court that Liba S. Beardsley do
and he is hereby appointed an agent to make
application to the Register of the Land Office in
Chicago for the South East Quarter (Section 26) in
Range 8, East Township (75) North on which the Cou-
nty Seat of McHenry County is located for the
purpose of obtaining a Grant and Sufficient Title
to said Land, ^{according} to the act of Congress in such cases
made and provided.

Ordered that this Court adjourn until the 16th
of September A.D. 1839 at Ten O'clock A.M.

Special Term of McHenry County Court Sept. 16 1839

The County Commissioners of McHenry County convened in pursuance to adjournment Sept. Sixteenth 1839. Ten O'clock AM

Present, the Honorable B. B. Brown

Gibbs S. Beardsly Clerk

Commissioners

The Court adjourned to the 17th 1839

Court convened pursuant to adjournment Present, the same as yesterday and continued until four o'clock PM and was dismissed

Court adjourned to the 2th of October A. D. 1839
B. B. Brown

Special Term of the McHenry County Court Oct 8

The Commissioners Court, in and for the County of McHenry met, pursuant to adjournment previous Notice given for a special session to be commenced on Monday the 7th day of Oct. A. D. 1839 at 10 O'clock AM

Present, the Honorable B. B. Brown, Robert G. White & Gideon C. White

Gibbs S. Beardsly

The Court was opened by A. B. Cornish

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Ordered by the Court that a view be granted on the Road known as the Kishwaukee and Crystal Lake Road and that Wm. Spurrable John M. Bay and ~~James~~ ^{James} be said Viewers

Ordered by the Court that the Judges and Clerks of the several Precincts in this County be paid for their services during the August Election for the year 1839

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Ordered by the Court that the view be continued and time granted until the next Court in course to report and then to report on a Road leading from McHenry in a westerly direction to David M. Collins thence to Alvin Fuchs near John Giggins and from thence in a direction towards Platonic

Ordered by the Court that Robert G. White be allowed the sum of five Dollars for services at the County Court

Ordered by the Court that the Clerk of the Commissioners Court in and for the County of McHenry and State of Illinois be instructed to ^{obtain} information from the funds Commissioners respecting that part of the revenue money which belongs to McHenry County

Oct. Special Term McHenry County Com. Court 1839

Ordered by the Court that Jany Siemer be wanted to B. B. Brown by his paying in to the County Treasury the sum of Ten Dollars to establish a ferry across Fox River at McHenry the rate of ferrying the same as heretofore

Ordered by the Court that George Wooster be and he is hereby allowed the sum of seven Dollars for services at Court

Ordered by the Court that Merrill Stevens be and he is hereby allowed the sum of nine Dollars as per bill

Ordered by the Court that Phineas Sherron be and he is hereby allowed the sum of one Dollar as per bill

Ordered by the Court that ^{Wm. Wiggans} D. H. Foster be and he is hereby allowed the sum of nineteen Dollars and fifty cents for boarding the Prisoners at the May Special Term of the McHenry Court

Ordered by the Court that George Wooster be and he is hereby allowed the sum of one Dollar for opening and adjourning the Probate Court of McHenry County at the Oct. Term 1839

Ordered by the Court that Herman M. Curry be and he is hereby allowed the sum of one Dollar and forty eight cents for supper to make at Table for the Court Room

Ordered by the Court that Horace Long be and he is hereby allowed the sum of four Dollars and seventy five cents as per bill

Oct. Special Term McHenry County Com. Court 1839

Ordered by the Court that N. S. Wate be and he is hereby allowed the sum of One & 50/100 Dollars for Gauley Prisoners by George Wooster request

Ordered by the Court that N. B. Cornish be and he is hereby allowed the sum of nine Dollars as per bill

Ordered by the Court that B. B. Brown be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Thirty and 10/100 Dollars for Court Room during the September Term 1839

Ordered by the Court that J. S. Greenleaf be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Nineteen & 25/100 Dollars as per bill on file

Ordered by the Court that H. A. Owen be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Twenty One and 25/100 Dollars for six Official feet Stationery &c

Ordered by the Court that the Petition of divers Citizens of Virginia and Rippon in the Precinct praying for a review and relocation of a Road from Boliviers to the State Line in a direction to the South part in Wisconsin Territory between Ranges six and seven be and the same is hereby granted and that Josiah Doughty, Geo. Stratton and John Bolivier be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners to review and relocate said Road

Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry Citizens of McHenry County for a survey and location of a Road commencing at Mrs Purdy's and running ^{in a direction to the State} by or near Mrs. Buckland be and the same is hereby granted and that John Purdy, William McConnell and L. S. Burnham constitute a board of Commissioners to survey and locate said Road

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Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry Citizens of Mc Henry County for a location of a Road commencing at Eli W. Brigham and running in an easterly course until it intersects a road at the Territory line on Sec. 31. R. 14. East branch the same is hereby accepted and that Wm A. McCouche Samuel McKerrick and Horatio Gibson constitute a board of Commissioners to view and locate said Road

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Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry Citizens of Mc Henry County praying for a location of Road commencing at Mc Henry the County Seat of said County and running from thence in a Northward direction to the N.W. Corner of one half mile west of Range 9. E. and near as the ground will admit thence due North to the North line of the State of Illinois. be and the same is hereby accepted and that A. S. Barnum Samuel Jackson and C. D. Wheeler constitute a board of Commissioners to view and locate said Road

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Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry Citizens of Mc Henry County praying for the location of a Road commencing at Pleasant Grove and running from thence to the State line in a direction to Geneva Wisconsin Territory be and the same is hereby accepted and that Robert G. Lath Samuel W. P. Tower Joseph Hanna and Wm Porter constitute a board of Commissioners to view and locate said Road

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Ordered by the Court that Horace Long be and he is hereby allowed the sum of One Dollar for Guarding Prisoners One day and Night

Ordered by the Court that Josiah W. Krup be and he is hereby allowed the sum of One Dollar as per bill on file

Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry Citizens of Mc Henry County praying for the location of a Road commencing on the South line of said County and running from thence in a Northward direction by S. N. White to the East line of said County at or near W. Freeman's be and the same is hereby accepted and that Joseph S. Heneck, Thomas and Olymper Miller constitute a board of Commissioners to view and locate said Road.

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Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry Citizens of Mc Henry County praying for a review and relocation of a Road commencing at Christopher Walkepp and running from thence to a place known and designated as Lakes Mills be and the same is hereby accepted and that Samuel Lake William H. Corbin and John McClure be and they are hereby appointed to view and relocate said Road

Ordered by the Court that the Petition of sundry Citizens of Mc Henry County praying for the location of a Road to commence at Christopher Walkepp and running on the West boundary to the North line of the State at or near E. W. Brigham be and the same is hereby accepted and that E. W. Brigham Alfred Stone, Mrs. W. Siddings constitute a board of Commissioners to view and locate said Road

Ordered by the Court that the reports of the Commissioners appointed to view and locate a Road from C. Walkepp to the line of Wisconsin Territory be and the same is hereby accepted

Ordered by the Court that Christy D. Wheeler draw from the County Treasurers chest of the first money that is collected, a sufficient quantity to purchase the necessary Books appertaining to the Office of Recorder

Oct. Special Term of McHenry County Court, A.D. 1839

Ordered by the Court that Starr Titus be and he is hereby appointed collector to collect the Taxes on that portion of lands lying East of Fox River in McHenry County and also that portion of County which is known and denominated Lake County

Ordered by the Court that Christopher Walkup be and he is hereby appointed collector to collect the Taxes on all that portion of County lying West of Fox River which is now known and denominated the County of McHenry

Ordered by the Court that Horace Long be and he is hereby appointed agent for the County of McHenry State of Illinois to make an arrangement and adjustment on equitable principles with the heirs of Thomas Haines in relation to the contract made and entered into with the Commissioners of McHenry County or their authorized agents to erect, construct and complete the Court House & Jail of said County and that he is further instructed to use all reasonable diligence to bring this matter to a speedy termination

Ordered by the Court that the following List of persons are drawn as Grand Jurors for the September Term of the McHenry Circuit Court A.D. 1839 viz

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|----|------------------|----|------------------|
| 1 | George Albo | 13 | J. W. Dritz |
| 2 | Titus Chatfield | 14 | C. W. P. Souer |
| 3 | Uriah Cottle | 15 | Horatio Gibson |
| 4 | John McBar | 16 | Ch. Henderson |
| 5 | Benj. Doughlass | 17 | Jacob Springer |
| 6 | Lucas Probst | 18 | Daac. G. Furlock |
| 7 | E. W. Braggchany | 19 | John McUmber |
| 8 | Chauncy Bookwith | 20 | Alfred Stevens |
| 9 | B. S. Barwith | 21 | Wm. McConnell |
| 10 | James Bryan | 22 | W. S. Jerny |
| 11 | Franklin Wallace | 23 | Nathan H. Foster |
| 12 | Myr. Sandry | | |

Oct. Special Term McHenry County Court, A.D. 1839

Ordered by the Court that the following List of persons be drawn as Petit Jurors for the September Term of the McHenry Circuit Court A.D. 1839 viz

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|----|-------------------|----|------------------|
| 1 | Horace Long | 13 | Calvin Spencer |
| 2 | Abraham Vincent | 14 | George Stratton |
| 3 | Charles Patterson | 15 | Wm. Steele |
| 4 | Wm. Hoffmann | 16 | Daniel Newcomb |
| 5 | David McCollum | 17 | John McQueen |
| 6 | James Watson | 18 | John McScary |
| 7 | Hamletton Touch | 19 | Samuel Merrick |
| 8 | Philo. Taylor | 20 | Wesley Ladd |
| 9 | Byges Thomas | 21 | James Lawson |
| 10 | John Solz | 22 | Charles Reynolds |
| 11 | Samuel Swilliger | 23 | John Higgins |
| 12 | Amos Scofield | 24 | |

Ordered by the Court that J. B. Beard be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Ten Dollars for services rendered at Court.

Ordered that the Court adjourn to the Twenty Eighth of Oct. A.D. 1839.
C. P. Dixon

Oct Special Term McHenry County Court 1839

The Court met on the 28 in accordance with previous adjournment

Present their Honors R. G. White
and Sidron Colby

Ziba J. Beardsley
Clerk

Ordered that viewrs be appointed to view and locate a Road commencing on the Road leading from Pleasant Grove to the outlet of Geneva Lake at a point on said Road one fourth or Half a Mile North of R. G. Whites then Eastward on the best and most rout to the State Road leading from Chystat Lake to Wisconsin at or near John Williams and that William H. Blair Benjamin White and John Cream be said viewrs

Ordered by the Court that Ziba J. Beardsley be and is hereby allowed the sum of Ten dollars for services rendered as Clerk

Ordered by the Court that the Clerk be and is hereby authorized to take security of Starr Liddis as collector for the Taxes for 1839 Charles Bartlett Isaac Hicox and H. B. Phelps security

Ordered by the Court that the Clerk be and is hereby appointed to enter into bonds with the several collectors for the collecting of Taxes for the Year 1839 C. Walkups security to be Benjamin J. Rosworth and Josiah Walkup

Robert G. White
Sidron Colby } Comm

Ziba J. Beardsley Clerk

December Term McHenry County Commissioners Court 1839

At a meeting of the County Commissioners Court of McHenry County State of Illinois convened at McHenry on the 2d day of December A. D. 1839

Present The Honorable Benj. B. Brown
Sidron Colby

Commissioners
McHenry Co.

Ziba J. Beardsley Clerk

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Ordered by the Court that the viewrs appointed to view a road leading from Christopher Walkups to a place known and designated as Lakes Mills in the county of McHenry have an Extension in time for the viewing of said road and that they make their report at the next term of the Court. And it is further ordered that Benjamin Douglass be appointed in place of Samuel Lake, one of the said viewrs.

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Ordered by the Court that an extension in time be granted to the viewrs appointed to view a road leading from Eli W. Pritchards in an easterly direction to a road leading which it intersects at the Territory line on Sec 31. Range 09 East and that they make their report at the next term of this Court, and that Horatio Gibson, Wm M. Collins and Samuel Meritt be said viewrs.

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Ordered by the Court that an extension in time be granted to the viewrs appointed to view a road leading from McHenry in a westerly direction to David McCollums thence to Alvin Sudds then John Diggins and from thence in a direction towards Petatonica and that they make their report at the next term of a Court in course

Ordered by the Court that the clerk of the County Commissioners Court be authorized to issue orders to the Grand and Petit Jurors for their services at the September Term of the Circuit Court of McHenry County

Ordered by the Court that the clerk of the Circuit Court be, and he is hereby allowed the sum of Twelve Dollars and seventy cents for Stationary 1 Month &c for his Office

Ordered by the Court that the Judges and Clerks of Election at the last special Election be allowed their legal fees for services rendered at said Election

Ordered that the Court adjourn until tomorrow at 9 o'clock A. M.

December Term W. Henry County Commissioners Court Dec 4th. 1839

The Court met pursuant to adjournment
Present as yesterday.

Ordered by the Court that a Special Election to elect a Probate Justice of the peace to supply the existing vacancy, be held on Wednesday the 25th day of December inst.

Ordered by the Court that J. C. Greenleaf be, and he is hereby allowed the sum of Eight Dollars and seventy five cents for rent of shop for an office of Clerk of Circuit and County Commissioners Courts.

Ordered by the Court that the Saw mill situated on the outlet of Chicago Lake owned by Messrs Long and Hovey be exempted from taxation until such time as the County Commissioners Court shall otherwise direct.

Ordered by the Court that John Mcomber be and he is hereby appointed a Judge of Elections within and for the W. Henry Precinct in place of W. L. Way deceased.

Ordered by the Court that Isaac G. Wilson be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Thirty Dollars for "Ex Officio" services as Clerk of the Circuit Court within and for the County of W. Henry.

Ordered by the Court that the several Judges and Clerks of Election be allowed one days compensation for services at the last Special Election for Senator and that the Clerk of the County Commissioners Court be authorized to issue orders of Election for the same.

Ordered by the Court that the report of the viewers appointed to view a road leading from Pleasant Grove to the state line near the mouth of Geneva Lake be and the same is hereby accepted.

Ordered by the Court that the report of the viewers appointed to view a road leading from Southport to Belvidere be and the same is hereby accepted.

Ordered by the Court the appointment of Stan Titus ^{as collector} be and the same is hereby revoked, the said Titus having failed to put in bonds according to the conditions of his said appointment.

December Term W. Henry Co. Commissioners Court Dec. 4th

Ordered by the Court that Ziba J. Beardsly be and he is hereby allowed the sum of Fifty four Dollars eighty seven and one half cents for services and Stationary be as pt. Bill accepted.

Ordered by the Court that Isaac G. Wilson be appointed and he is hereby so appointed agent for the County of W. Henry to make application at the present session of the Legislature of this State for the passage of a law legalizing the assessment of Taxes made by order of the County Commissioners Court, for the year Eighteen Hundred hundred and thirty nine.

Ordered by the Court that an extension in time be granted to the viewers appointed to view a road leading from Kiskadee to Crystal Lake thence easterly to Fox River and that they make their report at the next Term of this Court.

Ordered that the Court adjourn to a Court in Course
Attest
Ziba J. Beardsly Clerk
Isaac G. Wilson Depy
Gideon Colby
D. P. Brown
C. Commissioners
W. Henry Co.

At a Special Meeting of County Commissioners Court of W. Henry County Commenced at W. Henry on the 17 day Feb. 1840

Present Thomas Honours
Gideon Colby Co. Comm. of W. Henry County
Ziba J. Beardsly Clerk

Ordered by the Court that W. Beardsly be allowed the sum of Eight Dollars for services rendered as Constable at the Sept Term 1839.

Ordered by the Court that a Special Election be held at the House of Benjamin Crandall on Tuesday the 25 day of Feb. 1840 for Ben Constable in Virginia Precinct.

Ordered by the Court that we take County Orders for all Sums granted in this County.

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