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Phoenix Insurance!—Special attention is called to this Company for Insurance as being one of the safest and best conducted in the United States. It is the "Old Phoenix, of Hartford, Connecticut." Farmers in this county are particularly directed to this Company as giving perfect security to their dwellings and barns, at low rates. ISAAC HUNTING, Agent, Grand Haven, Mich.

JOURNAL

Of the Board of Supervisors, of Ottawa County, Mich., October, 1863.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session, at the village of Grand Haven, on Monday, October 12, A. D. 1863.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman.

The roll was called by the clerk. The following supervisors answered to their respective townships:

Blendon, C. L. Storrs;

Georgetown, H. Jenison;

Polkton, Joel A. Walter;

Wright, Benjamin Lillie;

Olive, Otto Brayman;

Robinson, John W. Barnard;

Zeeland, J. G. Van Hees.

No quorum being present, on motion of Mr. J. G. Van Hees,

The board adjourned until to-morrow morning, at 8 o'clock, in the forenoon.

TUESDAY, October 13, A. D. 1863, 8 o'clock, A. M.

Board met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the chairman.

The roll was called by the clerk.

The following supervisors answered to their respective townships:

Allendale, Giles T. Woodbury;

Blendon, Carlton L. Storrs;

Chester, George W. Reed;

Crockery, Sidney Lawrence;

Georgetown, Hiram Jenison;

Grand Haven, Robert W. Duncan;

Holland, M. J. D. Howard;

Jamestown, William D. Kirby;

Olive, Otto Brayman;

Polkton, Joel A. Walter;

Robinson, John W. Barnard;

Spring Lake, Uzel B. Eames;

Tallmadge, John Rice;

Wright, Benjamin Lillie;

Zeeland, J. G. Van Hees.

On motion, of Robert W. Duncan, which was carried, the chairman appointed Manly D. Howard, of Holland, to fill the vacancies in the committees of finance, roads and bridges, occasioned by the absence of Dr. Ledebor.

On motion, of Mr. Reed, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the supervisors of the different townships be requested to report, during the day, the amount drawn by them upon the volunteer relief fund, since the third day of June last.

On motion, of Mr. Howard, adjourned until half past one o'clock this afternoon.

TUESDAY afternoon, one and a half o'clock.

The board met pursuant to adjournment.

The roll called. A quorum present.

The chairman read a communication from the publisher of the Grand Haven Union.

On motion, of Mr. Howard, the communication was laid on the table.

On motion, of Mr. Howard, the reports of the supervisors, relative to the volunteer family relief fund, were referred to the committee of said relief fund.

The chairman read an account, of Mr. John C. Blanchard, for \$72 60, for making a list of all the land entered in this county.

On motion, of Mr. Van Hees, the account was rejected.

The committee on accounts reported sundry accounts which were allowed, from No. 1 to No. 48, inclusive.

The following accounts were rejected by the board:

1. To George G. Donnelly, Justice fees.

2. To Otis Freeman, constable fees.

3. To Moses B. Hopkins, attorney fees.

The chairman read a communication from Wm. H. Parks, prosecuting attorney.

On motion, of Mr. Duncan, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That so much of the communication as relates to the salary of the Prosecuting Attorney be referred to the committee on accounts, to be reported upon at the next meeting of this board, and that an order for the sum of fifty dollars be drawn in favor of the Prosecuting Attorney, for the money to be paid by him to Mr. J. H. Standish, the amount of said order to be deducted from the salary of the Prosecuting Attorney as finally established.

On motion, of Mr. Duncan, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the resolution of this board, of date of October 18, 1861, authorizing the Sheriff to purchase all stationery, lights and fuel, for the use of the county offices, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

The clerk read the following communication:

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Ottawa County:

GENTS: The undersigned begs leave to make the following statement, to wit:

That in accordance with a resolution of a former session of the board the undersigned was requested to have the work in the county clerk's office, what was left undone by the former clerk, Mr. E. G. Young, done and notify the bondsmen that the county would hold them responsible for the expenses, and that I have notified them; and that they have made an agreement with the undersigned; and that the work is finished, and that the undersigned has been paid by the said bondsmen, without charge to the county.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

P. VAN DEN BERG,
County Clerk.

On motion, of Mr. Van Hees, it was ordered that the communication be accepted and written in the journal of the board.

On motion, of Mr. Howard, the board adjourned until to-morrow morning, at 8 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, October 14, A. D. 1863, 8 o'clock, A. M.

The board met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the chairman.

The roll was called by the clerk and a quorum was present.

The proceedings of yesterday were read and approved.

Mr. Lillie offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the board of supervisors of Ottawa County authorize the payment of a bounty of \$100 to every person volunteering into the United States service, after this date, who shall be mustered into said service, be credited to the county of Ottawa and apply on the present contemplated draft; that the chairman and clerk of this board be authorized to issue bonds of the county of Ottawa, and to negotiate for money, a sufficient amount of said bonds to raise all the required county monies hereby provided for, which bonds shall be signed by said chairman and clerk and be made payable in sums of \$100 each, three years from date, at a rate of interest not exceeding ten per cent per annum; that the money raised on said bonds be paid into the county treasury of said county and the bounty hereby authorized paid therefrom by said treasurer, to each volunteer entitled thereto, on producing to said treasurer the proper proof that such volunteer has been mustered into the United States service and credited to the county of Ottawa on the contemplated draft; and that the Prosecuting Attorney of this county be directed to take the necessary steps, at the proper time, to lay the proceedings of this board, in relation to raising bounty monies, before the Legislature, at the next session thereof, to the end that a law may be passed legalizing the action of this board in authorizing the issue of said bonds, and providing for the payment of said bonds, when they become due, by tax upon the taxable property in this county.

Mr. Howard moved that the resolution should read \$150, to every person, &c., instead of \$100.

The amendment was accepted by Mr. Lillie.

Whereupon, on motion, of Mr. Howard, the resolution was adopted as amended, by the following vote:

Yeas—Allendale, Georgetown, Holland, Grand Haven, Olive, Polkton, Robinson, Spring Lake, Tallmadge, Wright and Zeeland—11.

Nays—Blendon, Chester and Jamestown—3.

Mr. Lawrence, of Crockery, was absent.

Mr. John H. Sanford, State Road Commissioner, read a report of his proceedings which was accepted, filed and his account was allowed under No. 49.

The committee on accounts reported sundry accounts which were allowed, from No. 50 up to No. 70, inclusive.

On motion, of Mr. Howard, the board adjourned until one and a half o'clock this afternoon.

WEDNESDAY afternoon, one and a half o'clock.

The board met pursuant to adjournment and called to order by the chairman.

The roll was called by the clerk, a quorum being present.

Mr. Woodbury offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That, in our opinion, it is for the best interest of the county that the county seat of this county be removed from its present site, in Grand Haven.

Mr. Howard moved that the consideration of the whole subject be postponed until to-morrow morning, at 9 o'clock, which was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—Crockery, Holland, Grand Haven and Zeeland—4.

Nays—Allendale, Blendon, Chester, Georgetown, Jamestown, Olive, Polkton, Robinson, Tallmadge and Wright—10.

Mr. Eames, of Spring Lake, was absent.

On the original resolution the vote is as follows:

Yeas—Allendale, Blendon, Chester, Georgetown, Jamestown, Olive, Polkton, Robinson, Tallmadge, Wright and Zeeland—11.

Nays—Crockery, Holland and Grand Haven—3.

Mr. Eames, of Spring Lake, being absent.

Carried.

Mr. Woodbury offered the following resolution:

Whereas, It is proposed to remove the county seat of Ottawa County, Michigan, from its present location at Grand Haven, in said county. It is therefore

Resolved, That the north-west quarter of the south-east quarter of section No. ten, in township No. seven, north of range No. fourteen west (N. W. $\frac{1}{4}$ S. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 10, town 7 N. range 14 W.), in the township of Allendale, in said county, is the place now and hereby designated by us to which such proposed removal is to be made according to the law in such cases made and provided.

Mr. Eames moved to amend the resolution by striking out the place designated and insert Spring Lake, which motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—Crockery, Holland, Grand Haven and Spring Lake—4.

Nays—Allendale, Blendon, Chester, Georgetown, Jamestown, Olive, Polkton, Robinson, Tallmadge, Wright and Zeeland—11.

Mr. Howard moved to amend the resolution by striking out the place designated and insert the following:

To the north-east quarter of south-west quarter, of section sixteen, township of Olive. Which motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—Crockery, Holland, Grand Haven, Olive and Spring Lake—5.

Nays—Allendale, Blendon, Chester, Georgetown, Jamestown, Polkton, Robinson, Tallmadge, Wright and Zeeland—10.

On the original resolution the vote stood as follows:

Yeas—Allendale, Blendon, Chester, Georgetown, Holland, (Mr. Howard explained his vote and gave notice that he would at a future time move a reconsideration of the vote by which the resolution was adopted), Jamestown, Olive, Polkton, Robinson, Tallmadge, Wright and Zeeland—12.

Nays—Crockery, Grand Haven and Spring Lake—3. Carried.

Mr. Woodbury offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the county clerk shall cause the proposition for the removal of the county seat of Ottawa County, from Grand Haven to the north-west quarter of the south-east quarter, of section ten (10), in township No. seven (7), north of range No. fourteen (14), west, in the township of Allendale, in said county, to be submitted to the vote of the electors in the several townships in said county, at the township meetings next to be held in said county, and that he cause the proper notices thereof to be posted up in three of the most public places, in each township of such county, for at least thirty days previous to the time fixed for such vote and cause the same to be published in the —, a newspaper printed in said county, three successive weeks previous to such vote, setting forth that such proposed location has been designated by a two-thirds vote of the board of supervisors of said county, and stating the day when the proposition will be submitted to the electors of the county, in their several townships.

Mr. Howard moved to lay the resolution on the table, which motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—Crockery, Holland, Grand Haven and Spring Lake—4.

Nays—Allendale, Blendon, Chester, Georgetown, Jamestown, Olive, Polkton, Robinson, Tallmadge, Wright and Zeeland—11.

On the original question the vote stood as follows:

Yeas—Allendale, Blendon, Chester, Georgetown, Jamestown, Olive, Polkton, Robinson, Tallmadge, Wright and Zeeland—11.

Nays—Crockery, Holland, Grand Haven and Spring Lake—4. Carried.

Mr. E. J. Avery, superintendent of the

poor, presented to the board the following report:

Report of the Superintendent of the County Poor, Oct. 14, 1863:

The Superintendents of the Poor of the County of Ottawa present the following report:

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Ottawa County:

The undersigned superintendents respectfully report that on the 13th day of October, 1862, they had on hand the amount of \$800 00

They have drawn orders to the amount of 290 51

Leaving a balance in the treasury of 509 49

And we recommend that the following amount be raised at the present meeting of the board for the support of the poor: 290 51

Which, with the balance on hand, will make the sum of 800 00

Which is presumed to be sufficient for the ensuing year.

E. J. AVERY, Chairman
Co. Superintendents.

On motion, of Mr. Van Hees, the report was accepted and adopted.

Mr. Lillie offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That Edward J. Avery, of Grand Haven, Henry D. Post, of Holland, and Stephen Hedges, of Tallmadge, be and they hereby are appointed superintendents of the poor for the county of Ottawa—the said Edward J. Avery for the term of three years, the said Henry D. Post for the term of two years, and the said Stephen Hedges for the term of one year.

Mr. Van Hees moved to amend the resolution by striking out the name of Henry D. Post and insert the name of Jacob den Herder, which motion was accepted by Mr. Lillie.

Whereupon, the resolution as amended was adopted.

Mr. Reed offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the sum of one-tenth of one mill on the dollar valuation of the property of the county be raised for the benefit of the County Agricultural Society and the mechanic arts. G. W. Reed.

Mr. Van Hees moved to amend the resolution by striking out one-tenth and inserting one-twentieth, which amendment was accepted by Mr. Reed.

Whereupon, the resolution as amended was adopted.

Mr. Duncan offered a resolution to buy a farm, for a county poor farm, in the township of Wright, which resolution was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—Crockery, Georgetown, Grand Haven, Polkton, Spring Lake and Wright—6.

Nays—Allendale, Blendon, Chester, Holland, Jamestown, Olive, Robinson, Tallmadge and Zeeland—9.

Mr. Eames offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the distinction between the town and county poor be and the same is hereby abolished.

Which resolution was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—Crockery, Holland, Grand Haven, Polkton, Spring Lake and Wright—6.

Nays—Allendale, Blendon, Chester, Georgetown, Jamestown, Olive, Robinson, Tallmadge and Zeeland—9.

The committee on the family volunteer relief fund reported as follows:

Your committee on the volunteer family relief fund would respectfully report:

The following are the amounts paid out in orders on the volunteer family relief fund, as reported by the supervisors of the several townships, from June 3, 1863, to date:

Allendale,	\$126 00
Blendon,	200 00
Chester,	106 00
Crockery,	367 00
Georgetown,	120 00
Grand Haven,	646 53
Holland,	693 24
Jamestown,	66 00
Olive,	
Polkton,	234 22
Robinson,	50 00
Spring Lake,	268 00
Tallmadge,	487 50
Wright,	248 50
Zeeland,	107 00

Total,.....\$3,725 99

Indebtedness, June 3, 1863, 1,325 19

Total,.....\$5,051 18

Amount raised June 3, 1863, 4,000 00

Leaving orders standing out, at date, 1,051 18

Your committee would recommend