

# Minutes of the Town Council,

## Borough of Hamley.

Pennsylvania.

### Volume One.

January, 1884 to July, 1891.

Barley P. Woodward,

Ephriam Gillam,

James St. Cewilliger,

Thomas J. Oldfield

Victor A. Kelker.

} Secretaries.



Circular Annexed to Charter of Borough

The Decree of Court in the Matter of the Borough of Hawley

New York, January 23, 1884, on motion of E. Richardson, Esq., the Court confirm the judgment of the Grand Jury and decree that the district mentioned in the petition shall be incorporated into a borough in accordance with the prayer of the petitioners; that the corporate style and title thereof shall be "The Borough of Hawley," that the boundaries thereof shall be as follows, viz.: Beginning at the middle of the Pennsylvania Coal Company's bridge crossing the Lehigh River, near the West Hawley depot of the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company, and running thence up the said river in the middle thereof to a point in continuation of the northerly line of lot numbered sixty-five, on Second street, as marked on said (Pa. Coal) Company's map of the village of Hawley; thence north forty-three and one-half degrees east about twenty-one rods to the northeast corner of said lot numbered sixty-five, now owned by William Shelp et al.; thence south forty-seven and a half degrees east, about one hundred and fifteen rods to the southeast corner of lot numbered one, on Second street, now owned by M. M. Treadwell et al., at the central point between Second and Third streets and on the northerly line of Fifth street; thence south about sixty degrees east about two hundred and six rods to the line between the counties of Wayne and Pike at a point sixty-four rods from the mouth of the

Wallenpaupack Creek; thence along the said county line south ninety-five degrees west sixty-four rods to said mouth of creek; and thence up said Wallenpaupack Creek the various courses one hundred and fifty-three rods to stones, twelve rods south from the southeast corner of the lands of M. N. B. Killam; thence running across lands of Joseph Atkinson and the David Bishop lands north about sixty degrees west about two hundred and four rods to the southwest corner of lot numbered seven, according to the Bishop survey of lots, said lot being on Twentieth street and known as the "E. Neiball lot;" thence north twenty-one degrees west on the division line between the lots on Twentieth and Twenty-first streets eighty rods to the southerly line of Fourteenth street, at the corner of lots numbered five and six, on said Fourteenth street, and thence northerly about eighty rods to the place of beginning.

The first borough election shall be held at the house of Julius Scott on the nineteenth day of February, between the hours of seven o'clock A. M. and seven o'clock P. M. of said day, and designate Harley P. Woodward to give notice of said election and the manner thereof, and Court do appoint Ephraim Killam to be Judge, and Gustav W. Ames and Isadore Kastner to be Inspectors, of said election.

BY THE COURT,

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At the first election for the Borough of Hawley, held at the house of Julius Scott, February 19th, 1884, the following officers were elected:

For Burgess	Hon. James Millham	full term.
" Councilman	George Schlaeger	3 years
" "	Arthur Knobell	" "
" "	Fred. Meisinger	2 "
" "	H. P. Woodward	" "
" "	Thomas Manyan	1 year
" "	Marcellus Plum	" "
" Town Constable	Edward Watson	
" Judge of Elections	Charles Pierson	
" Inspector	John Glass	
" "	G. W. Ames	
" Justice of the Peace	Ephraim Killam	

" " "	" Joseph Atkinson	1 year
" " "	" John E. Manderville	" "
" Auditors	" George W. B. Allen	3 years
" " "	" Wm D. Louris	2 "
" " "	" Royal Toft	1 year
" Officers of Poor.	" John Warren	full term
" " "	" Thomas H. Toft	1 year.

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The first meeting of the Town Council for the new Burrough of Hawley was held in the reading room of the Keystone Hotel, in said Burroughs, on Friday afternoon, February 26, 1884.

Present: George elect James Milham, Councilmen-elect George Schlager, Arthur Kimball, Fred Meissner, Mr. Oliver, Thomas Mangans and H. R. Woodward. Will Burgess having taken the oath of office before a Justice of the Peace, he administered the same to the above named City Commissioners.

On motion of Arthur Kimball and seconded by Thomas Mangans, H. R. Woodward was chosen Secretary to record minutes of this meeting.

On motion the Secretary was instructed to purchase a Record Book for the use of the Town Council, said book to cost between four and six dollars.

On motion of Mr. Meissner and seconded by M. Oliver, Council adjourned to the first Monday in March, at 7 o'clock, P.M. in "The Hawley Times" Office on River Street.

H. R. Woodward Secretary

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Thomas Mangau, Fred Meisinger, Marceline Plummer

The Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

On Motion duly made and seconded, the following By-Law was adopted:

Be it resolved, That the deliberations of the Council shall be controlled and governed by the Parliamentary rules governing other legislative bodies, and that the following shall be the order of business at all stated meetings: First, Readings of minutes; <sup>Second,</sup> Report of Special Committees; Third, Report of Standing Committees; Fourth, Petitions, Communications, &c.; Fifth, Bills and Ordinances; Sixth, Unfinished Business; Seventh, New Business.

On Motion duly made and seconded, H.P. Woodburn, Mr. Penn and Thomas Mangau were made a Committee to prepare suitable By-Laws and Ordinances to be submitted for approval at the next meeting.

A motion was made to employ E. Richardson Esq. for the ensuing year as the attorney for the Board of Council.

A motion was carried making A. Kintle and H. Meisinger a Committee to revise the assessment and see that duplicates are made out for use of the Burough.

On Motion duly made and seconded, James Colgate was recommended as Collector of State and County Taxes.

On Motion the Chair appointed the following a Committee on Streets and Sidewalks. George Schlayer, W. Penn and Fred. Meisinger.

On Motion Council adjourned to meet at the same place March 17th, 1884, at 7 o'clock P.M.

Montgomery Society

of last stated meeting read and approved.  
On Motion of Mr. Oliver, and seconded  
by N. P. Woodward a report of the Committee  
on Bye Laws and Ordinances was read and the  
following report which was approved.

## HAWLEY BOROUGH ORDINANCES.

The following Ordinances were, on the 17th day of March, 1884, ordained and enacted, adopted and passed by the authority of the Town Council of the Borough of Hawley, in council assembled, as the Ordinances of said Borough, to go into effect and operation from and after the 5th day of May, A. D. 1884:

### ORDINANCE RELATIVE TO DOMESTIC ANIMALS.

#### SECTION 1.—Horses and Neat Cattle not to run at large—Duty of Constable in relation thereto.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Town Council of the Borough of Hawley, and it is hereby ordained by the authority of the same, That it shall not be lawful for horses, neat cattle, swine, sheep, geese, or other domesticated animals of mischievous nature to go at large in the said borough; and if any such animals shall be found at large within the said Borough it shall be the duty of the High Constable forthwith to take up and impound the same; or if any of the said animals shall be found in any lot or close, it shall be the duty of the High Constable, at the request of the owner or occupant of said close, to take up and impound the same.

#### SECTION 2.—Notice to be given when Cattle are Impounded—Sale of Cattle Impounded, &c.

And be it further ordained, by the authority aforesaid, That when any of the animals shall have been impounded as aforesaid, it shall be the duty of the High Constable to give personal notice forthwith to the owner or owners thereof, if known; but if the owner or owners be not known, then the said Constable shall give notice by three advertisements in some conspicuous places in said Borough, one of which shall be on the Borough Pound; and if the owner or owners of such animal or animals, or some other person for him, her or them, shall not within twenty-four hours after such personal notice, or within three days after such notice by advertisement pay the fees and charges hereinafter mentioned, the Burgess shall issue his warrant to the High Constable for that purpose, in pursuance whereof such animal or animals shall be sold at public vendue by said Constable, after seven days' notice on small sale, by three advertisements put up as aforesaid, for the payment of such fees and charges; and the surplus, if any, shall be paid to the owner or owners of said animal or animals, if known; but if not known, or if said owner shall not appear to said Constable for the same, then such surplus shall be paid to the Treasurer of said Borough, for the use of such owner when called for; and in case of advertisement, the said Constable shall furnish necessary food for such impounded animal or animals.

#### SECTION 3.—Smallies.

And be it further ordained, That the charges shall be as follows, to wit:

for impounding Horses, &c., Neat Cat-

tle, and if any dispute shall arise as to the amount of food furnished and the value thereof, and of attention bestowed in taking care of said impounded animal or animals, the same shall be referred to the Burgess, whose decision shall be final. The fees allowed to the Burgess for issuing the warrant to sell shall be fifty cents.

The above charges for impounding

shall be collected by the High Con-

stable, who shall pay one-half thereof to

the Treasurer for the use of Borough.

#### SECTION 4.—Putting Horses, &c.

And be it further ordained, That if any person or persons shall be concerned in putting any Stallion or Jack to a mare within the Borough, unless the same be done in a stable or barn with closed door, such person or persons shall each forfeit and pay the sum of Ten Dollars for each offence, to be recovered for the use of the Borough as debts of a like amount are by law recoverable, with costs of suit.

#### SECTION 5.—Dogs, &c.—Proviso.

And be it further ordained, That hereafter on every dog owned or kept by any person within the Borough, a tax of fifty cents, and upon every slut so owned or kept in the Borough as aforesaid, a tax of one dollar, shall be paid by the person or persons so owning or keeping said dog or slut; said tax to be inserted in the duplicate of road and borough taxes by the clerk, and collected in like manner with said taxes; and that the same be inserted in the duplicate for 1884, provided that if any dog or slut shall be known to be about or in the Borough for three weeks for which no owner or claimant can be found, it shall be the duty of the High Constable, or any other person to whom said facts are known, to kill such dog or slut.

### OBSTRUCTIONS TO HIGHWAYS.

#### SECTION 1.—Obstructions on Sidewalks.

And be it further ordained, That if any horse team, or other team, or vehicle shall be found standing upon or across any of the side walks, or crossings, or tied with a line across said side walk or crossing, it shall be the duty of the High Constable or any other person forthwith to seize and remove such horse or other obstruction, and to hold the same till the fee of fifty cents shall be paid by the owner or person claiming the same.

#### SECTION 2.—Wood, Bark, Coal, Wagons, Lumber, &c., not to be left in the streets—To sell the same for the use of the Borough—Fees for seizure—Fees for selling—Proviso.

And be it further ordained, That if any wood, bark, coal, or other material fit only for fuel, or any omnibus, wagon, sleigh, or other vehicle, or any boards or other lumber, shall be found, and remaining for the space of twenty-four hours, after notice by the High Constable, or Street Commissioner, to the owner, if he can be found, and if

value of all such fuel and other articles as he should have seized under the provisions thereof.

And for the time and expenses of carrying out this ordinance necessarily spent, and incurred by said Commissioner, a reasonable allowance shall be made in the settlement of his accounts, and the fees to be allowed for such seizure shall be as follows, to wit:

For every omnibus and four-horse wagon or vehicle.....	\$0.50
" " other vehicle,.....	.25
" " 1000 shingles,.....	.10
" " 100 feet boards or other sawed stuff, by board measure,.....	.10
" " load of stone, barrel of salt, flour, lime, pot ash, fish, cedar, other valuable thing,.....	.15
" seizing every plow, harrow, or scraper,.....	.15
" " article not enumerated,.....	.15
" giving personal notice,.....	.10

The fees for selling any of said articles shall be the same as fees allowed to township Constables, and a seizure under this section shall create a lien upon the article or articles seized. And if the High Constable shall neglect or refuse to perform the duties enjoined by this section, it shall be the duty of the Street Commissioner to perform the same, and to demand and receive the fees provided for in this section.

Provided, however, that if it shall be necessary in the opinion of the Burgess for any person who is erecting any building to occupy a portion of any street, or of the public ground for his building material, he shall not be subject to the penalties herein established, if before using said ground he shall have procured from the Burgess a permit in writing for said purpose.

#### SECTION 3.—No earth to be thrown on any of the streets without a permit.

And be it further ordained, That any person wishing to put upon any of the streets, alleys, lanes, or public grounds of the Borough, any earth or stones, shall get a permit from the

Street Commissioner for that purpose, which permit shall state where, or on what street, alley, lane, or public ground the same shall be put; and any person who shall not obtain such permit, shall forfeit and pay for each such offence the sum of \$20.00 (twenty dollars) and costs, to be sued for in the name of the Borough before any Justice of the Peace of Wayne county.

#### SECTION 4.—Offensive matter not to be thrown into the streets.

Be it further ordained, That if any person shall put, place, or throw on any of the avenues, streets, lanes, or alleys, or public lands, any coal ashes, decayed vegetable matter, or any unhealthy or offensive animal substances, or filthy material, or any watter or thing having a tendency to deprive the citizens of the safe, free, and full enjoyment of the avenues, streets, lanes, alleys, and public lands, such person, on conviction thereof, shall forfeit and pay the sum of \$5.00, (five dollars) for the use of the Borough. Provided, That coal ashes may be thrown upon the streets the same as earth is placed thereupon, as provided in section 3.

#### INJURIES TO PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

##### SECTION 1.—Injury to Pound, &c.

Within the name of the Borough, one-half thereof for the use of the Borough, and the other half to the use of the High Constable, or of any other person who prosecutes for the same.

#### SECTION 2.—Injury Trees and Lamps.

And be it further ordained, That if any person shall voluntarily and wilfully girdle, cut down, or destroy, or otherwise injure any fruit, shade, or ornamental tree in said Borough, or shall break any street lamp, public or private, or injure or destroy any post sustaining a lamp, he, she, or they shall for each offence, on conviction thereof, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding twenty-five dollars.

#### SECTION 3.—Horses not to be tied to Shade Trees.

And be it further ordained, That if any horse or team be found tied or fastened to any of the ornamental or shade trees in said Borough, it shall be the duty of the High Constable, or any other person, forthwith to seize and remove such horse, or other animal, and to hold the same until the fee of one dollar shall be paid by the owner or person claiming the same, one-half to be paid into the Treasury.

#### EXHIBITIONS, AMUSEMENTS, &c.

##### SECTION 1.—Circuses, Menageries, &c. —Rates for Licenses — Penalty for not Obtaining a License.

And be it further ordained by the authority aforesaid, That the price for a license for exhibitions within the limits of the Borough for any Circus, Menagerie, Theatrical performance, Wax Figures, or other exhibition, or stand for the sale of any kind of goods, wares, or merchandise whatsoever that shall be set up or established for the purpose of making and receiving money, shall be as follows, to wit:

For each and every Circus or Menagerie, for each day that the same shall be opened, a sum not less than ten dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars, in the discretion of the Burgess.

And for every other exhibitor or stand as aforesaid, of whatsoever kind or nature, and for each day, a sum not less than one nor more than ten dollars, in the discretion of the Burgess, or in his absence, of the Borough Treasurer, and in their absence, of two members of the Town Council. Provided, that the Burgess may grant license for one year for a sum not less than five dollars, nor more than fifty dollars.

Said license to be taken and paid for before the commencement of any exhibition or stand.

And if any person or persons shall set up any such exhibition or stand without having first obtained a license therefor, such person or persons so offending shall forfeit the sum of forty dollars, to be recovered before any Justice of the Peace of Wayne county, in the name of the Borough, as debts of like amount are by law recoverable, with costs of suit.

#### DISORDERLY BEHAVIOUR.

##### SECTION 1.—Riotous conduct, profane language, &c.

And be it further ordained, That it shall be the duty of the Constable, without other warrant than the authority herein contained, to arrest and take into custody any person or persons behaving in a riotous or disorderly manner, publicly using any indecent

ties of the Peace of said Borough. But if such arrest be made in the night time, it shall be the duty of the Constable to take such person or persons to the Lock-up for safe keeping until the succeeding regular morning; and then said Constable shall forthwith take him or them before the Burgess or said Justice of the Peace for trial; and if on trial such person or persons shall be convicted of either of the above offenses, such person or persons shall be sentenced to pay a fine for the use of the borough of not less than five nor more than twenty dollars; and in case of neglect or refusal to pay such fine and costs, such person shall be committed to the County Jail for the space of twenty-four hours for each dollar of said fine and costs, or until said fine or the proportional residue thereof shall be fully paid, with costs; Provided, always, that a conviction shall not be necessary to justify such arrest and detention.

#### SECTION 2.—Drunkenness.

And be it further ordained, That if any person shall be found intoxicated within the Borough, it shall be the duty of said Constable forthwith to arrest such person and carry him or her to said Lock-up, and it shall be the duty of the keeper thereof to keep said person in said Lock-up till he or she shall become sober, and then to re-deliver said person to said Constable, who shall forthwith take him or her before the Burgess or a Justice of the Peace, and if upon trial such person shall be found guilty of said offence, he or she shall be fined a sum not less than three dollars nor more than five dollars, and in default of payment of said fine and costs said person shall be committed to the county jail for the space of twenty-four hours for each dollar of said fine and costs, as hereinbefore provided for.

#### SECTION 3.—Fast Driving.

And be it further ordained, That it shall be the duty of, and it is hereby enjoined upon, the High Constable, without any other warrant than the authority herein contained, to arrest and take into custody any person or persons who shall be found driving or racing wantonly in any of the streets of said Borough, and to forthwith take such person or persons before the Burgess or a Justice of the Peace of said Borough for trial; and if on trial such person or persons shall be convicted of either of the above offences, such person or persons shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than five nor more than ten dollars and costs; Provided, always, that a conviction shall not be necessary to justify such arrest.

#### TAXES AND ACCOUNTS.

##### SECTION 1.—*Duties and Compensation of Street Commissioner.*

And be it further ordained, That it shall be the duty of the Street Commissioner judiciously to expend the taxes that shall come into his hands for such purpose in repairing and improving the public streets, lanes, alleys and grounds of the Borough, under the general supervision and direction of the Town Council, and for every day necessarily employed by said Street Commissioner he shall be allowed in the settlement of his accounts with the Borough such sum as the Council shall from time to time direct; and that the Street Commissioner be required to meet with the Council at every regular monthly meeting, and that he be required to render, at each of said meetings, an account current for the preceding month, showing how much time he has expended personally, how much other work had been laid out on the streets, and what materials he has furnished or purchased, and of whom,

Town Council at their next meeting after said settlement for their approval, or disapproval, and if approved shall be entered upon the books and filed among the records of the Borough.

#### SECTION 3.—*Other taxes and how collected.*

And be it further ordained, That for the collection of all taxes that may be levied by the said Town Council, the Burgess shall issue his warrant to the Collector of the County rates and levies for the Borough, or to any other proper person, for the collection of the same; said person or collector to give bonds with security, to be approved by the Town Council.

#### SECTION 4.—*Time of levying taxes.*

And be it further ordained, That it shall be the duty of the Town Council to levy taxes at their first meeting in each year after their election, but if not done at that time it may be done at any subsequent meeting.

#### MISCELLANEOUS ORDINANCES.

##### SECTION 1.—*Burning Shavings, &c.*

And be it further ordained, That any person who shall be engaged in building, and who wishes to burn his shavings, or any person who wishes to burn any kind of rubbish, shall be permitted to do so between the hours of six and nine o'clock in the forenoon, under the watch and care of some careful person, but not otherwise, under penalty of two dollars for each offence, to be recovered before the Burgess in the name of the Borough, with costs of suit.

#### SECTION 2.—*Walks.*

And be it further ordained, That all plank walks hereafter built shall be laid crosswise or transversely, in a line of the street, and of plank not more than twelve inches wide nor less than one and one-half inches thick; that all pavements, foot, side, and cross walks shall be of sufficient height to prevent being washed or overflowed by water from the gutters or streets, and on grade with connecting walks. The width of all walks or pavements shall be fixed by the Borough Council. It shall be the duty of the owner or owners to grade, curb, pave, gutter, build, and repair the side or foot walks respectively fronting on his, her, or their lot or lots of ground, in this Borough, within sixty days after the service of the notice hereinafter provided for. The form of the notices to be given to the owner or owners of a lot or lots to grade, curb, etc., shall be as follows:

" Hawley, Pa., .....

" To.....

" You are hereby notified that you are required to (grade, curb, pave, gutter, or build of stone or wood, of sufficient height to prevent washing or overflowing by water from the gutter or street, on grade with the connecting walks, of the width of . . . feet, or repair the pavement, foot, or side walk) in front of your lot of ground on . . . street, in the Borough of Hawley, within sixty days from the date of service of this notice. If you fail to comply with this notice within the time above stated the Town Council of said Borough will cause the same to be done, agreeably to an Act of Assembly of May, 1873, P. L., page 881.

" Witness my hand and the seal of the said Borough of Hawley the day and year aforesaid.

" Sec'y of Hawley Borough Council."

This notice shall be served by giving to the owner or owners, or the occupier or occupiers of the premises upon which the pavement, foot, or side

shall be allowed the same fees as are allowed the Sheriff for like services, to be paid for by the Borough. The Secretary shall receive, file, and keep all such returns for future reference.

**SECTION 3.—Treasurer's Commission.**

And be it further ordained, That the commission to be received by the Treasurer on all moneys received, and on all moneys paid on orders, shall be fixed at the first stated meeting in March of each year for the ensuing year; but if not done at that time it may be done at any subsequent meeting. Provided, that on failure to fix said commission at any stated meeting in the year the Treasurer's commission for that year shall be the same as for the year last fixed by the Council.

**SECTION 4.—High Constables Fees.**

And be it further ordained, That the fees of the High Constable, for services rendered, shall be the same as those of Township Constables, except that the High Constable shall not be paid for, nor required to, attend elections.

**SECTION 5.—Suits, how brought.**

And be it further ordained, That all suits for the recovery of fines, penalties, etc., shall be brought in the name of the borough before the Burgess or some Justice of the Peace of Wayne county.

**SECTION 6.—Imprisonment.**

And be it further ordained, That in default of the payment of any of the fines, penalties, or forfeitures hereinbefore provided for, the person convicted shall be committed to the county jail for the space of twenty-four hours for each dollar of said fines, penalties, or forfeitures and costs remaining unpaid.

**TOWN COUNCIL.**

**SECTION 1.—Time of meeting.**  
And be it further ordained, That the

determine any other time for a meeting of said Council.

**SECTION 2.—Expenditure and Indebtedness—Claims against Borough.**

And be it further ordained, That no member of said Town Council shall authorize, direct, or consent to, the expenditure of any money for Borough purposes, or shall authorize, direct, or consent to, the incurring of any indebtedness for Borough purposes, unless such expenditure shall have been ordered, or such indebtedness approved, at a previous meeting of said Council; and it is hereby declared to be the duty of all persons having claims, demands, or accounts against said Borough, to file the same with the Secretary of said Council, whose duty it shall be to present the same at the next meeting of said Council.

**SECTION 3.—Standing Committees.**

And be it further ordained, That at the first stated meeting in March of each year the President shall appoint the following committees, to serve one year: A Committee on Streets and Sidewalks, and Borough Ordinance Committee.

**SECTION 4.—Rules, &c.**

And be it further ordained, That the deliberations of the Council shall be controlled and governed by the parliamentary rules governing other legislative bodies, and that the following shall be the order of business at all stated meetings: 1st, Reading of Minutes; 2d, Reports of Special Committees; 3d, Reports of Standing Committees; 4th, Petitions, Communications, &c.; 5th, Bills and Orders; 6th, Unfinished Business; 7th, New Business.

**SECTION 5.—Yea and Nays.**

And be it further ordained, That at the request of three members of the Council the yeas and nays on any question shall be recorded.

JAMES MILLHAM, Burgess.  
H. P. WOODWARD, Secretary.

On motion, the Record Book furnished by the Secretary was accepted and order paid.

On motion of Mr. Plum and seconded by Arthur Knibb, the above ordinances were ordered published in "The Hawley Times" according to law and 50 extra copies printed for the use of the Borough. The ordinances to be signed by the Burgess and Secretary.

On motion the bond of Thomas V. Taft, Overseer of the Poor, was accepted and filed.

On motion the Council adjourned to meet the same place on the first Monday in April at 7 o'clock P.M.

approved.

On Motion Mr. Spence was made  
Chairman of the meeting.

A Motion was duly made and seconded  
to appoint a Street Commissioner.

Motion duly made and seconded that  
Burnett Bennett be the Street Commissioner -  
for the ensuing year.

Mr. B. Bennett made the following  
proposition to the Borough Council: That  
he would accept One Dollar and Forty-  
Five cents per day (\$1.45) Compensation as  
Street Commissioner provided he were  
made Borough Collector of Tolls. He  
further stated that he would collect two  
tolls for Fairs and one half per cent (2 1/2) on  
the dollars.

In motion the Commission to be allowed  
the Borough Treasury above he one per  
cent (1) on all money received and paid  
out.

On motion A Knobell was appointed Borough  
Treasurer for the ensuing year. He to furnish  
funds for double the amount of the  
toll duplicate.

A. Motion was made and carried to  
levy a 5 mill tax on valuation for Borough expenses.

A. Motion was made that the Chair-  
man appoint a Committee consisting of ~~one~~ of  
the Commissioners to make a survey of the  
boundaries of the Borough of Harvey. The  
Committee consisted of H. Messinger, A. Knobell  
and H. P. Woodward.

In motion adjourned to meet at the  
same place on April 21, at 7 o'clock.

Schlesinger, Mangum and others.

On Motion Mr. Plumb was made Chairman of  
and Speaker for the Society

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

On Motion B. Bennett was appointed Collector  
of Tithes at 2<sup>1/2</sup> percent Commission

The following bill of work and material of Street  
Commissioner Bennett was read and order directed  
to be drawn on the Treasurer for the amount.

	Labor	
1.	B. Bennett, Labor	\$ 21.64
2.	Hugh Cole, " "	8.00
3.	William P. Hardin, " "	9.50
4.	Geo. Schlesinger, " "	5.00
5.	Dudson Pennington, " "	4.50
6.	Lorenzo Atkinson, " "	.20
7.	Henry Bishop, " "	1.13
8.	J. S. Ainsworth & Co., " "	29.37
	Material	
9.	W. H. & Son's Painters, stone doab	\$ 6.00
10.	Set Atticium stone Peter Wunder <sup>90</sup> <sub>100</sub> \$ 3.50 Pew Rock	7.40

On Motion the sum of Two Hundred Dollars,  
Nash, Canada, to be given to the Poor Fund

On Motion a Committee was appointed  
to find a home. The Committee consisted of  
A. Knibb, M. Plumb and Geo. Schlesinger.

On motion adjourned to meet at the  
Harvey Office May 19, 1884 at 7.30 p.m.  
M. Plumb Secretary for term.

Harrup, Pa., May 19, 1884. Council met as per  
adjournment. Members present: Chief Burger, James  
Millham, and Councilmen Kim, Knibb, Schlesinger

# Additional Ordinance

SEC. 1. Be it ordained by the Town Council of the borough of Hawley, and it is hereby ordained by the Authority of the same, that the Town Council shall annually elect or appoint one of their members thereof Assistant Burgess, whose duty shall be to preside over the meetings of the said Council in the absence or disability of the Burgess, and during such absence or disability, shall exercise the like powers and perform the like duties of the same.

SEC. 2. That the above additional ordinance shall go into effect on and after the 2d day of June, 1884.

JAMES MILLHAM, Burgess.  
H. P. WOODWARD, Sec'y.

The ordinance laying down the rules to be observed in the Borough of Hawley, now laid over for future action.

On Motion the following resolution was passed:

Resolved, That the side or foot-walks on Eighteenth Street, shall be of uniform grade, paved to the width of Ten Feet, with good and durable flag stones, curbed with substantial curbstones. For the protection of the walks, and that gully sufficient to carry off the water shall be maintained. It is also resolved, that the High Constables give notice, in accordance with the by-laws, to the several owners or occupants of lots situated on the said Eighteenth Street to grade, pave and curb the side or foot-walks in front of their respective lots.

On Motion the Collector D. B. Bennett was required to file a bond in the sum of Two thousand dollars.

Adjourned to meet at E. Killans Office on June 2, 1884.

H. P. Woodward, Secretary.

Hawley, Pa June 7, 1884 - Council met as per adjournment in E. Killan's Justice's Office.  
Members present: H. P. Burgess, James Millham

it build a pony & reported the same finished; and  
the Committee were on motion discharged.

The petition of Liggett on West 21st Street, in the  
District of Rutgers was brought up, and on motion  
the Chairman appointed Thomas Morgan and H. Brown  
as a committee to examine into the matter and report  
at the next regular meeting.

A communication was read from P. O. Smith, Secy  
of the City of New York relative to the adoption of debts of the  
District of Rutgers and the new Borough of Hawley.  
The following bills were read and voted paid:

No. 1	John Belmont Baker	\$430.00
"	Liggett, Dr. College	22.00
"	Mr. D. H. T. "	11.63
No. 9	William Hardwick	6.00
"	Hawley People	11.50
"	John Hawley	3.50
"	J. H. Hawley	39.38
No. 12	John Hawley	57.00
"	Michael Rossman Slave	13.
"	William T. Hardwick Baker	9.69
No. 15	Henry Hawley	5.50
"	Levi's Evans	4.23
No. 19	J. S. Anne H. C.	1.60
"	Jacob Seidler	2.32
"	J. S. Hawley	3.25
No. 17	Lot Allinson	3.62
"	Hawley Town	71.75
No. 24	Lot Allinson (Opn Acct.)	7.40

(On Motion Mr. Blum was elected  
President Rutgers for the year.

On Motion the following resolution was  
passed: Resolved, That the property owned  
residing on Sixteenth Street (16) in the Borough of  
Hawley between the Mech & Kellerman property

On Motion adjourned to Aug 1<sup>st</sup> at 10 A.M.

Hawley, Pa, July 1, 1884; here was held a  
adjourned meeting present Dr. Wm. McIlroy, the town  
clerk, Schlafer, Morgan, Blum, Knobell and Head. To  
the minutes of last regular meeting adopted & filed  
present, the Committee on annexation report for  
year,

The High Committee made a report to the Board  
and several notices, with affidavits offered to the Board  
on all property located on 18 and 16th Street,  
in accordance to resolution.

The following bills were read and off the docket:

No. 31	J. Hollingshead & Co., lumber	36.6
" 15	A. Bennett, labor &c	14.8
" 16	" " "	23.13
27	A. Pennington Lumber	12.50
28	A. Reafel	30.77
18	F. Waller	7.00
" 21	Thomas Kellen	2.50
" 26	Thomas Kelly	5.75
19	J. S. Ames & Co	16.68
22	William <sup>Kremer</sup> <del>Verdun</del> lumber	3.75
25	J. Bradbury lumber	1.88
28	E. Watson, Carting, fire &c	10.44
32	Geo. Schlafer labor	3.00
" 18	E. Gillam, Surveying, rent	18.
" 30	Wm. P. Harding lumber	35.
38	Joseph Stiltz	4.00
41	W. Twelvert	44.50
34	Owen Kilbide	26.

The petition of taxpayers residing on Third Street  
in Palmyra Township asking to be annexed

Einige Mitglieder sind auch Eltern weiter.

B. Bennett was appointed Collector of Poor Tax at 2 per cent. Commission.

Our Session adjourned to meet on the first Monday  
in August.

Harley, D. August 4, 1884. Council met as for  
a adjournment. Members present: Mr. Blum, A. Kimball,  
George Schlagel, Fred Morgan, James Williamson, Burgess.

Minutes of first regular meeting read and approved.

The Committee on Stock-up, reports progress. Committee on Organization was instructed as follows: The Secretary to a City Petitioners for an incorporation that the board of Governors refuse to act for want of authority.

Petition of Mr. T. Harding, complaining of water  
running into his cellar caused by water overflowing  
from the cellar of William Bernstein & Mrs John  
McGivern, was received. A motion was made  
and carried that the Secretary of the Council  
notify said Bernstein and McGivern to raise  
and grade said works so as to prevent night-  
or forenoon overflowing or over flowing.

A petition was received from a number of citizens to open a road from 18th Street, near Martin Beaufle to the new road in the rear of the Gravelly Dene building. On motion a committee of three was appointed consisting of A. Kinsler George Schlayer and ~~Hannan~~ anyone to look after said road and to report at the next regular meeting.

(9) Notifying the owner, J. Bergmann, of course that on 17 and 18 Streets he is required to raise his sidewalk to a grade with that of Avenue Dammann.

40	Thomas Kelly -	100.50
52	Cornelius Ottman -	1,250
39	Allyn Bartovsek -	1,500
42	Fred Bellman -	3,000
43	Henry Jones, with bounds thereof Roxbury & T., village -	1,000
69	A. Timke	100
47	Michael Rehm, man.	1,250
	On Motion adjourned to meet on the first Monday in September,	

Hanley Pa., Sept 1, 1884. - Council met at 7 o'clock adjourned. Minutes present: James McElroy, Supervisor, Councillor, A. Timke, Esq., Schager, Thomas Magowan and Hartwood. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. The Committee appointed to inquire into the most leading from Mr. Bepple's 18 Belmonte Street, resigns no jurisdiction.

The Chairman of Committee on Stock reported by submitting estimate of cost to be about \$100. On motion the Committee, Wardens and Clerk were empowered to proceed with the building. Dimensions to be 12 by 18 feet, one story high, and to be located on the ground near the Borough Pound. The following bills were read and approved.

No 15 E. Kilian, services and rent 100.00

No 16 James Fowler work &c 100

On motion duly made and seconded the Committee on Streets and Sidewalks were instructed by the Council to cause all foot-walks to be raised where notices have been served and the time expired.

On motion the Secretary was ordered to serve notices on property holders residing on

men Shultz, Schlagel, Mangum and Zimmerman were present  
and Mr. Hinckle was elected Chairman, ~~for the~~

The Committee on Lock up, reported progress. Committee on Streets and works asked the Council to direct the Surveyor to give Blasdale Bros account of their motion to lay a foot walk in front of their wool factory.

The following bills were approved and ordered paid:

No. 49	Allen Millham, labor on lockup - - - - -	4.83
" 48	Wm Dunn " " " " " 5.00	
" 46	J. T. Johnson Board - - - - -	6.00
No. 51	J. C. Wilson Board - - - - -	5.00

An motion Mr. Hinckle was made a Committee to repair the bridge spanning the Pungoak Creek at Cromwell tunnel.

A motion was made appointing George Schlagel a committee to examine all cellar-wings and see that they are secure against accident & destruction.

An motion Adjoined to regular meeting in November

Hanley, Pa., Nov 3, 1884.—Council met as per adjournment. Members present Cluff, Burgen, James Millham, and Commissioners Hinckle, Schlagel, Neisinger, Mangum and Woodward.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

H. P. Woodward, Committee on building lock-up, reported the same finished. A. Hinckle, Committee appointed to repair the Cromwell bridge, reported that he had attended to that duty, and that the bridge was in a safe condition. George Schlagel, a committee appointed to see that all cellar-wings were safe, reported that he had attended that duty and thought that all structures were safe.

56	John T. Hardin, Labor	111.80
57	E. Watson, Services	5.52
58	E. William, Surveying	4.00
59	Reactor & Firewood, wood &c.	11.80
60	Frank Schreder, Thining Books	8.
61	A. Leib, Roof, Lockups	20.

On motion the Council agreed to pay William C. Rankin, twenty-five cents per month for lighting and furnishing oil for the lamp at the Middle Rail Road Company.

On motion the Hawley Baptist Church is to have the privilege of laying a stone from the Canal bridge to William C. Rankin's lot. On Charlton duty made and received. Wm T. Hardin was appointed Street Commissioner at a compensation of \$1.25 per day for a time time being. The Parkings to be under and receive no restrictions from the attending Street Committee.

Estimated Cost of Lockups \$130.27.

On motion adjourned until regular meeting in December. H P Mordand, Secy.

Hawley, Pa. Dec 1 1884. - Council met as for adjournment. Minutes present: Chief Burgm. James Wicksam, Commissioner A. Kinsler, Ken Schlegel, F. Meisinger and Mr. Plumb. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

The following bills were read and voted for:

Mr. T. Hardin, labor 40 - 48.31

Vernon and Wicksam 1.50

J. S. Danner, lumber 93.04

W. L. ' 0 , 0 , 0 25.20

Henr. Schlegel, Thomas Mangum, Al. S. Woodward, etc.  
Meeting was called to order by Mr. Plum, Assistant Burgess.

The following bills were read and approved:

78	Wm T. Harding 12 days labor - - -	15.00
79	Wm Kellert 9 " "	11.87
82	Henry Lyons 1 1/2 " "	1.50
81	John Cawley 14 1/2 " " (including \$1000 bond 3% interest) John Cawley 3/4 " " of team 1	5.62 2.23 36.74
80		

Work on Bridge Mid Creek

85	Wm T. Harding 5 days	6.25
86	Wm Kellert 5 "	6.25
87	Henry Peoples 5 "	6.25
88	Chas Sheller 14 1/2 "	5.00
87	Wm Pecky 14 1/2 "	1.00
	Jno Cawley 4 1/2 " Team	13.50
		38.25

Adjourned to regular meeting in February  
At Woodruff, Sect. of

Hanley, Pa. Friday, 2, 1885. Regular meeting  
adjourned to Friday, February 27, 1885.

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In the Common Pleas of Wayne County,  
In Equity.

In the matter of adjusting the in- }  
debtedness of the township } Nov. 1 May Term 1884.  
of Ralmeysburg between said }  
township and the borough of Hanley }  
Hon. Henry Wilson, Master.

Total amount of indebtedness of Supervisor in overcharge of the Poor - - - - -	\$6038.60
Supervisor's debt contracted - - - - -	\$647.89
	\$1460.71

Over dues clear

\$1,100.92

Want to be paid by January 1st 1883

January 1st, 1883

\$1,100.92

### Schedule C.

#### Underletters of Ralston township:

I. Dues contracted by Supervisor

James Murray Judgment & Int. Church 1884

\$619.14

H. P. Morrison contractor

\$94.45

E. Richardson, balance due on services -

\$3.30

J. S. Clark Esq., attorney lawyer

2.36

Total

\$647.59

II. Dues contracted by Supervisor in the form

Stock Hospital or Hospital - Danville

\$114.03

" " " - Town

23.77

John Morris, contractor -

6.00

Order held by Dr. J. D. H. Newell Sept 1883 to Dec 1884

\$1.77

" " " Dr. McLean March 1883 to January 1884

\$6.35

" " " Royal Vict Dec 1883 to Sept 1883

16.80

" " " Mrs. Bennett

No. 116 Ann Hanley

4.00

" 119 Mary Keathen

4.00

" 122 Michael Lusk

5.00

" 124 Mary Flynn

4.00

" 132 Ann Harvey

4.00

" 133 Mitchell Lusk

3.00

" 135 Mary Keathen

4.00

" 134 Mary Flynn

4.00

" 89 Margaret Hanley

4.00

Order held by J. H. Murphy

4.00

" " " Pa. leone Lee

59.13

" " " Mrs. Lorraine

4.00

Total

\$1,100.92

Closed valuation of Palmyra	\$18,944.00
" " Harvey	<u>18,618.00 Total \$966,859.00</u>
Aggregate indebtedness	81,088.61
Not to be paid by Palmyra	\$314.19
" " Harvey	<u>769.14</u> <u>81,088.61</u>

Supervisors debt.	\$647.89
Not to be paid by Palmyra	\$139.96
" " Harvey	<u>457.93</u> <u>\$647.89</u>

Commission debt	\$440.72
Not to be paid by Palmyra	\$129.23
" " Harvey	<u>311.14</u> <u>\$440.72</u>

Dissemination,	
To be paid by Palmyra.	
Supervisors debt	\$139.96
Overdue " "	<u>129.23</u> <u>\$268.19</u>

to be paid by Harvey	
Supervisors debt	\$457.93
Overdue " "	<u>311.44</u> <u>769.42</u>
	<u>\$1088.61</u>

Now February 10, 1885, the report of Henry Mason, Trustee, being filed, the same is approved and the trustee fee is fixed at \$100 with cost of advertising and expenses amounting to \$20 additional.

The report is confirmed absolutely, unless exceptions be filed within ten days from the date of filing, before the Court.

Harvey, Pa., February 28, 1885 Council met as per adjourned of January 5 Feb'y 2, Members present, Chief Burgess Jno. Milham, and Commissioners Kinsler, Plum Schlegel and Hardwick. Minutes of last State meeting read

	Henry Bishop's pay	63
93	Chas Shearer 1/2 " "	
94	Henry Bishop's handbag case broken	2.78. 40
95	James McLean, Painter for Tanning bridge & all	3.35
96	J. Adams & Co 17 feet Pine	1.34
97	Jacob Siedar Repair, in St. Louis \$10	3.70
98	J. S. Fowler paper	5.17
99	Cooking & Peletet, lighting St. lamps	3.00
(100)	E. Watson, gas	84
<del>100</del>	" " "	23-
101	G. Kinkele services 18 Mins. etc	2.40

Bill of damages sent in by Robert, Commercial  
 for the loss of a horse was laid on the table  
 On motion the compensation to E. Richardson  
 for legal services for the first year is to be  
 \$25.

On motion the Secretary is to ascertain  
 the sum of \$25 for services for the first  
 year.

On motion the Committee a discreet price is

where the following named persons were called to  
Office to wait.

Burgess - A. C. Dingman

Town Council Daniel Jacobs full term

R. T. Ames full term

E. V. Murray one year

High Constable Edward Watson

Director of the Police William Cromwell

Chairman of Election G. W. Killam

Chairman of Re-Election Frank Schraeder

Sixty-four Directors Joseph Atkinson

Assessor Stanley Orum

Charles Pierson

Assistant Assessors John Glass

August Lieber

D. B. Wickham

Thomas D. Taft

Auditor - J. S. Welsh

Entered March 3<sup>rd</sup> 1885

G. Killam, Secy

Borough of Hawley Convened at the home of A. Knibble  
March 2<sup>nd</sup> 1853 - members present

A C Dingsman Burgess -

Councilmen - A. Knibble George Schilager  
Fleissinger, & V. Murray, R. J. Ames and Daniel Jacobs

On motion

R. J. Ames was chosen Secretary for the meeting  
A. C. Dingsman R. J. Ames and Daniel Jacobs  
certified to the Burgess of their election, and Office of the said.

On motion

The Burgess appointed the following named members of the  
Council a Committee on Roads and Bridges. First

R. J. Ames, A. Knibble and George Schilager

On motion of E. V. Murray, seconded by A. C. Dingsman Edward Wilson was  
appointed Street Commissioner and wagon price

at \$1.50 per day

On motion I was requested that the following shall be the  
maximum wages per day for men and teams or one  
horse to set - For one Horse-Wagon and man \$2.25 per day  
for two horses - Wagon and man \$3.00 per day

On motion

A. Knibble was chosen Treasurer for the ensuing year. Commission  
from the town at (1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ) one and a half per cent for receiving and  
paying out money ( $\frac{1}{2}$  of 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ) for receiving ( $\frac{1}{2}$  of 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ) for  
paying out

On motion

The Burgess was requested to appoint a Committee of three  
to investigate and inquire into the matter of damage  
claimed by Charles Amerson for loss of Horse at the  
Shanty Hill Bridge, and make report as to the same  
at the next regular meeting of the Council - The following  
named members were appointed such Committee

R. J. Ames - E. V. Murray & George Schilager

On motion

Joint  
The Burgess was requested to collect license from the proprietor  
of the Skating Rink known as the Star Rink, as coming  
under the Head of "other Exhibitions"

On motion

E. William, was appointed to serve as Secretary of the  
Council for the ensuing Year - to be paid the sum of  
fifty Dollars for brick service used for furnishing an  
office for the meetings of the Council for the year ensuing

object for or during the past year, and also to reconsider the action of the Council in the matter and manner of the appointment of the Street Commissioners.

Members present - C. C. Dickinson, Burgess - Councilmen A. Wimble George Schlagor, Daniel Jacobs, F. Heisinger and E. V. Murray  
Motion It was voted and carried that a Borough Tax of five mills be levied for the ensuing year

The following Bill for park of last year was presented by W. J. Harding  
Ward 11 W. J. Harding 3 days at 10/- £3,750  
Ward 12 Charles Linscott 1 day at 10/- & 20/- \$100 at 3/- £2 85 }  
Ward 13 Henry Young 2 days at 10/- £3 13 } £ 9,72 }

Motion Bill adjourned and orders directed to be drawn up  
treasurer for the several amounts

Motion of George Schlagor seconded by F. Heisinger - it was voted  
and carried to reconsider the vote as to the manner and  
removal of the appointment of Street Commissioner at the  
meeting March 27 1855

Motion of F. Heisinger seconded by A. Wimble - Wm. J. Harding was  
appointed Street Commissioner, and on request of A. Wimble  
Heisinger and Geo. Schlagor the year and mayors were ordered  
to be placed in the minutes

Yeas - Daniel Jacobs - Geo. Schlagor, F. Heisinger, A. Wimble - 4  
Nays - E. V. Murray - 1

Motion It was voted and carried that the Street Commissioner  
receive the sum of one thousand dollars per day for such time  
as he shall be engaged in the discharge of his duties

Motion It was voted and carried, that the High Constable be required  
to give Bond with sufficient Surety in the sum of  
Five Hundred Dollars, for the faithful discharge of his duties

Motion It was voted and carried that the Street Commissioner be  
required to give Bond with sufficient Surety in the sum  
of two hundred Dollars for the faithful discharge of  
his duties

No Motion Council adjourned

A Co Dingmane Burgess  
Commitment A Visible  
George Schlagger, F. Kinsimer, Daniel Jacobs  
R. J. Unruh, Fred. & D. Mandel  
Meeting Called to order and Minutes of the  
Annual Meeting read and approved - Minutes of  
the meeting of March 7<sup>th</sup> (Special) were also approved  
in the matter of loss of Charles Cressman's son  
reported progress -

Committee X  
Communications received, read first - Claim of James Deigman  
for damage to his property by the grading of the road  
in front of his property - Claiming damage to the amount  
of Nine Hundred Dollars - ordered referred to  
James Deigman

Second from P. P. Smith Esq in re relation to the above  
said communication from Ed. Billerick on the matter of  
water works with offer to put in Stock water if  
enough hydrants can be secured to be taken  
Great dissatisfaction prevails in the Borough  
Council in relation to the matter of Street Commissioners  
part being in favor of E. Watson, and part in favor of  
Wm. T. Haudens - therefore Resolved that a vote be  
taken by ballot for the choice between the two as to  
which shall be Street Commissioners - such vote taken  
and resulted in declaring E. Watson Street Commissioner

In the matter of the license imposed by the Burgess of one dollar a  
night - Appeal taken before the Council and  
it was committed to Thirty Dollars a year for the  
Home Districting only - year to commence March 1<sup>st</sup> 1883  
a Committee of Two was ordered to be appointed by the  
Burgess to confer with the officers of the Township in  
relation to the indebtedness of the Borough to the Township  
Daniel Jacobs and E. William were appointed such  
Committee

On motion Adjourning to meet on Monday evening  
at 7 PM

Members present - W G Zimmerman, J. Burgess  
Committee A. Kinsle, Geo. Schilager, D. Jacobs  
R. I. Jones and E V Murray

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.  
Committee on Ammunition Horse rates report nothing further done in  
the matter.

Report of D. Jacobs and E. Kellam in the matter of indebtedness  
of Borough due Palmyra Township - recommended that  
the Borough Council proceed at once to provide for  
the payment of said indebtedness and interest to the  
amount of \$869.13 principal and \$60.87 interest  
Calculation to May 1<sup>st</sup> 1885

On motion of A. Kinsle seconded by D. Jacobs that the Borough  
issue Bonds to the amount of One thousand dollars  
to pay existing indebtedness of the Borough to the Township  
on motion it was agreed that said Bonds shall be redeemable  
in five years with privilege to pay the same  
in five years or at the pleasure of the Borough  
on motion it was agreed to appoint a Committee to go  
bate said Bonds - A. Kinsle, D. Jacobs and  
E V Murray was appointed said Committee  
on motion I was Resolved that the Street Commissioners shall  
be under the control and direction of the Committee  
on Streets and Sidewalks, and that no work be done  
on the Streets except the same be ordered to be done  
by a majority of said Committee

on motion the Bills for work on Streets by C. McMillan and E. Watson  
were approved and orders directed to be drawn  
on Treasurer for amount - amt of Bills \$3.50

on motion Bill of Watson for carrying Stone and furnishing Coal for  
Lock-up was approved and order to be drawn for  
the amount - on board of prison - amt of Bills \$7.39

on motion Bills for Board of prison in Lock-up were approved  
and orders directed to be drawn on Treas for amount  
on motion Adjourned to meet on Friday the 17<sup>th</sup> of April

"Messenger, R. S. Ames and E. V. Murray"

on motion A Kinsle was chosen Chairman pro tem

Special Committee on Bonding Borough to pay existing indebtedness etc  
to be continued - continued to report at next meeting  
Committee on Streets and Side walls report that a curb line has been set  
between the Jam Bridge near the P.O. and 1st st. the R.R. Co  
ask to be permitted to narrow the street 10 feet on the  
P.O. side - the Committee recommended that the street  
be kept full width way 10 feet

On motion of H. T. Ames seconded by George Schilliger - Bennett Bennett was  
appointed Collector of Borough Tax for this year. Commis-  
sion allowed 3%

on motion the Secretary was instructed to order a Book of 400 or  
500 pages for a Tax Record

on motion Bonds to pay the existing indebtedness to the Township of  
Palmyra, as per H. Wilson's report be issued to be of the  
denomination of Five Hundred Dollars the Bonds to  
aggregate one thousand Dollars, one payable in  
three years and the other in five years, interest annually

on motion Council adjourned to meet first Monday of May 1885

E. William See,

D Jacobs, R J Amico, F Meisinger and E V Murray

Minutes of the former meeting read and approved.

Report of Special Committee on Negotiating Bonds - Report that certain parties agree to take same Bonds at 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ % to some certain amount and part of the whole amount.

Report of Committee on Ammunition House matter, report "nothing further done  
in the matter"

Motion - it was ordered that the Secretary communicate with the  
President of the Erie and Wyoming Valley R R Co in regard to  
the Shanty Hill Bridge and its approaches, and as to  
what they are intending to do in the matter of claim of Com-  
mission for loss of Horse Feb 1885, to state that the  
Supervisors at the time refused to accept the Bridge  
as left by the Company's Engineers

Motion - the Secretary was instructed to answer the Monaghan letter  
in the Shanty Hill Bridge matter

Motion - the following bills were approved and order to be drawn  
by Secretary or Treasurer for same

Bills presented by E Watson Street Commissioner for work on  
the street - amount of Bills \$47 37  
Bill of Watson Boarding prisoners &c 2 00

Bill of J Beemer building Culvert 16 50

Bill of J T Rodman for Blank Book 6 00

Bill of Herbert Wagner for printing financial statement 22 50

Motion - E V Murray was made a Committee to notify all persons to clear up  
rubbish and ash heaps on streets in front of their premises - also  
to notify all persons having open cellar way on streets to put  
guards around them for the safety of the public

Motion - it was voted to pay a salary of ten dollars per month to  
the High Constable for service for the present year

Motion - The Secretary was requested to prepare Bonds to the  
amount of One thousand Dollars bearing interest at the  
rate of 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ % in denominations of \$500

Motion - Council adjourned to meet first Monday of June

on motion O'Kibble was chosen Chairman

Minutes of regular meeting passed to next meeting

The object of the meeting as stated was to carry out  
the motion passed at a former meeting to provide for  
the payment of the existing indebtedness, due Palmyra  
Township from the Borough, by the appointment of a  
person to receive the money in the Bonds issue  
and to pay the same to the offices of Socia Bond  
Supt authorized to receive the same.

on motion - It was resolved that the Treasurer of the Borough be  
authorized to receive the money from sale of Socia  
Bonds and pay the same to the proper offices of  
the Township taking charge a proper receipt  
showing Socia indebtedness and have made up

on motion

Adjourned

E Kellamay

not being a quorum Council adjourned to meet Wednesday evening June 1<sup>st</sup>  
June 3<sup>rd</sup> 1885 Council met as per Adjournment Present A C Dugan an Burgess  
A Kinable R J Ames D Jacobs and E V Murray.

Report of

E V Murray Special Committee - Reports that the Street Commissioners  
was notified to see to the fixing of safeguards around open cellar ways  
none had been fixed except J T Radnor

Report of A Kinable appointed at special meeting to receive and pay over money  
of the Township. Reports as follows - that he has paid said indebtedness  
to the officers of the Township as per his instruments amounting \$1929.32

Committee on Common Horse Care, report Borough not liable - report of Committee  
 accepted and Committee discharged

following Bill of Account and orders directed to be drawn on Treas for amounts last	
E Willam for rent and service	\$12.50
Z Watson for work on Streets &c	48.50
W Phillemore work on Streets	.62
J Caranagh work on Streets	3.13
Circlitors Bill of March 7 <sup>th</sup> /85	3.00
H P Woodward Bill for printing	1.50
Z Watson Buying dead animals	5.00 <u>74.25</u>

motion the resignation of Geo Schlagel as Comptilman was accepted

on motion of A Kinable seconded by D Jacobs it was voted to fill  
the above vacancy

on motion of A Kinable seconded by B J Ames - Robert Willard  
was chosen a member of the Comitil in place of  
Geo Schlagel's resignation

On motion adjourned

E Willam Sec

19 Jacobs R J Amus and Robt Millarce  
on motion A Kimble was chosen Chairman of the meeting  
on motion Council adjourned to meet on Tuesday Evening  
at 7-30 o'clock P.M.

July 7<sup>th</sup> 1855 Council met as per Adjournment at the  
Office of E. Gillam - members present A. Kimble  
D. Jacobs R. J. Amus, and Robt Millarce.  
A. C. Dingman is the Chair  
Minutes of former meeting read and approved

The following Bills were presented and  
on motion the bills were approved and orders directed  
to be drawn on Tico, for payment of said Bills

Bills of E Watson as Street Com & High Const Ant \$101.50  
This bill was reduced to (see bill) no 1 81.50  
Bill of E Watson for town Police Clubs no 2 ,80  
Bill of E Watson Blankets for Lockup from Seiter no 3 ,650  
order no 27 \$88.80

28	Bill of A Campbell work on Streets	5.00
29	Bill of Ed Wheeler work on Streets	7.50
30	Bill of L A White Team work on Streets	48.00
31	Bill of M Tully work on Streets	24.38
32	Bill of Frank Stevenson work on Streets	10.63
33	Bill of J H Crowley team work on Streets	33.00
34	Bill of Elwood Barnes work on Streets	7.50
35	Bill of James Flynn work on Streets	5.63
36	Bill of Fred Williams Stone for Shrine	1.50
37	Bill of Stephen Kearny work on Streets	1.25
38	Bill of Thos Nallin work on Streets	1.25
39	Bill of Jas Mahan work on Streets	1.25
40	Bill of John Senson work on Streets	.63
41	Bill of Hugh Mahan work on Streets	3.13
42	Bill of John Kearny work on Streets	6.88
43	Bill of John Van Demark work on Streets	.63

24	Balance of W. Mason (expenses & expenses)	"
25	Balance of Bill of L Atkinson Incurred	12.5
26	Bill of Auditor for Auditing School Taxes and Amt last 11/4	2.00
		<u>258.84</u>
		\$4448.31

In Motion It was agreed to pay E Watson for 2 months service to wit  
 May and June salary at 10 dollars per month reducing  
 Bill as stated under Bills (opposite page)

In Motion Council adjourned sine die  
 E William Secy

adjourned to Tuesday Evening August 4 1883

Tuesday Evening Aug 4th the Council convened as per adjournment  
at the Office of the Clerk, members present A Kimble  
D Jacobs, F. Leavenworth, L. L. Moore, R. J. Ames,  
C C Dugay - Burgess called to the Chair

minutes of former meeting read and approved  
on motion of A Kimble it was ordered that a Committee was  
appointed to consider the claim of Mr. A Perfante as to  
damage from rain from the sewer in front of his house  
in No 36 St.

Robt. Miller, C Jacobs & R J Ames were appointed said  
Committee

On 11/1/83  
At Kimble's demand by D Jacobs, the Burgess was  
authorized to retain Mr. Ellmeny to enter an appearance  
in the C Commissioner Horse damage Case, on the day  
mentioned in the will to wit 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of Sept 1883  
Bills the following bills for street work and other expenses  
including one month salary for High Constable were  
approved and orders directed to be drawn on Treasurer  
for the several amounts

2 Watson Bill July 31 <sup>st</sup> No 1 - work, Salary &c	\$73 00
2 Watson Bill July 31 <sup>st</sup> No 2 - work by S Stickles	5 00
50 AJ Goldbaugh July 31 work by Street	7.50
51 J S Ames & Co July 31 work in Street with team	16.50
52 Allyn Babcock July 31 work in Street with Horse	3 38
53 John Cannon July 31 work in Street	1.25
" 54 Wm H. Ward July 31 work on Street	1.25
" 55 Henry Schmitt July 31 work on Streets	1.25
" 56 M Tu Tully July 31 work on Streets	23.75
" 57 John Schellp July 31 work on Streets	1 25
" 58 Henry France July 31 work on Streets	12.00
" 59 Jobus Glancy July 31 work on Streets	2 50
" 60 Jerry McQuinn July 31 work on Streets	1.62
	\$149.25.

team work on Streets in 1884 to wit \$175.50 (paid secondly) of that amount

On motion of A Knibble seconded by R T Arnes, that the property owners on Depot Street in S & side be notified to lay a side walk and curb the same at present grade

(On motion Council adjourned)

August 18<sup>th</sup> 1886 Council met in special meeting at the office of E William Murray, present - A Knibble, D Jacobs, R T Arnes, Robt Millard & E Murray motion D Jacobs was chosen president of the meeting.

The President stated the business of the meeting to be the election of a President for the balance of the year - To act upon report of Special Committee in the Perfumie claim for damage done - and to take action upon the matter of High Constable salary, as voted upon at the meeting of the Council May 4<sup>th</sup> 1885

Special Committee being called upon stated that they were not yet ready to report

on motion of Robt Millard seconded by R T Arnes, it was voted and carried that a salary of Ten Dollars per paid the High Constable for service for the year ending first Monday in March 1886

on motion of R T Arnes seconded by E Murray it was carried and carried that the Burgess A C Dingman President of the Council for the balance of the year ending the first Monday of March 1886

(On motion adjourned)

E William Murray

adjourned to Tuesday evening August 4 1885

Tuesday Evening Augst 4<sup>th</sup> 1885 Council convened as per adjournment  
at the Office of S Millard members present A. Krindle

D Jacobs, T Meisinger, Robt Millard, R J Ames.

At 6 Dingman Burgess called to the Chair

minutes of former meeting read and approved

On motion of A Krindle seconded by T Meisinger, a Committee was

appointed to investigate the claim of Mr A Perpente as to  
damage from water from the sewer in front of his house  
on 96<sup>th</sup> Street -

Robt Millard, D Jacobs & R J Ames were appointed said  
Committee

On motion of A Krindle seconded by D Jacobs, the Burgess was

X authorized to retain an Attorney to enter an appearance  
in the Commissioner Horse damage case, on the day  
mentioned in the writ to wit 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of Sept 1885

On motion the following bills for street work and other expenses  
including one month salary for High Constable were  
approved and orders directed to be drawn on Treasurer  
for the several amounts

order no 49	E Watson Bill July 31 <sup>st</sup> No 1 - work, Salary &c	\$73 00
" " 49	E Watson Bill July 31 <sup>st</sup> No 2 - work by Street	5 00
" " 50	A J Goldbaugh July 31 work by Street	7.50
" " 51	J S Amis & Co July 31 work in Street with team	16.30
" " 52	Allyn Babcock July 31 work in Street with Horse	3 38
" " 53	John Camen July 31 work in Street	1.25
" " 54	Wm Henn July 31 work on Street	1.25
" " 55	Henny Schmitts July 31 work n. Streets	1.25
" " 56	Mike Tully July 31 work in Streets	23.75
" " 57	John Schulp July 31 work on Streets	1.25
" " 58	Mary Frane July 31 work in Streets	12.00
" " 59	Jobus Glancy July 31 work on Streets	2 50
" " 60	Jerry Malqueum July 31 work on Streets	1.62
		\$149.25.

Order No 1st OLR. 11. Assent 23<sup>rd</sup> Inst. 1885

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team work on Streets in 1884 to wit \$178.50 (paid secondly) & of  
that amount

On motion of A Knible seconded by R T Ames that the property owner on Depot  
Street on S & side be notified to lay a side walk and curb  
the same at proper grade

(On motion Carried adjourned)

August 13<sup>rd</sup> 1885 Council met in Special meeting at the Office of E William  
Munroes present - A Knible, D Gardes, R T Ames, Robt Millard & D Murray  
on motion D Gardes was Chosen president of the meeting.

The President Stated the business of the meeting to be the  
Election of a President for the balance of the year - To act  
upon report of Special Committee in the Perfume claim  
for damage case - cause to take action upon the matter  
of High Constable salary, as voted upon at the meeting of  
the Council May 4<sup>th</sup> 1885

Special Committee being called upon stated that they were  
not yet ready to report

On motion of Robt Millard Seconded by R T Ames, it was voted and  
Carried that a salary of Ten dollars per month be  
paid the High Constable for service for the balance of the  
year ending first Monday in March 1886

On motion of R T Ames Seconded by D Murray it was voted  
and Carried that the Burgess & C Dingman act as  
President of the Council for the balance of the year  
ending the first Monday of March 1886

(On motion adjourned)

E William Munroe

Jacobs & U. Imble

E C Dingsman president in the chair  
minutes of former meeting read and approved

Special Committee in the Porpoint damage case report Borroughs not  
liable for damage in said case - Committee discharged

on motion of A Kimble seconded by Robt Mcllane that the above  
report be accepted and Committee discharged

Standing Committee on Streets and Sidewalks state  
that they have no report to make

The following Bills were on motion, approved and Desiring  
instructions to draw orders on Treas for the same,

Bill of High Const for 1 month salary	\$10.00
" J E Wilson Street Commissioner for work	12.00
Bill of C Shearer for stone in 184	2.00
Bill of E Willam for rent & service	12.50
" of E Willam for Surveying	<del>3.00</del> \$150.10
" of E Farane \$7.50 and of A Tuthill \$2.50	\$10.00

on motion of A Kimble seconded by Robt Mcllane - that Mrs Winnis widow  
of John Winnis due he paid out of the Poor fund the sum  
of Thirty dollars for service as Curator of Poor of her  
husband John Winnis

on motion adjourned

E William Day

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C. Hinckle, R. T. Cimes, S. Meisinger, G. Jacobs & Wm. Miller  
members of former meeting read and approved  
A. C. Dwyer, Special Committee to retain an attorney in the  
Assmann House case. Reports that he has retained  
P. P. Smith Esq. at a fee of Thirty dollars to try the case  
and carry the same to the final close of the same.

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Motion of Robt Millard seconded by A. Hinckle - That notice be served  
on the Company in regard to the Branch Hill Bridge  
that the Burgess be requested to have an attorney file  
a notice to the Superintendent of the Penna Coal Co.  
at Hawley to have the approach to said Bridge  
on the Branch side put in safe condition for  
public travel

on Motion of Robt Millard Seconded by R. T. Cimes. The following  
bills were approved and the Sec ordered to draw  
orders on the Treasurer to pay the same - to wit

Bill of E Watson	Salary as High Const	\$10.00
" " "	work of half on Streets 2 1/2 days	\$3,75
" " "	work of man & Horse on Streets 11 "	24,75
" " "	A Stilt work on Streets	1 1/2 " 1.88
" " J Kearney	" " "	1 1/2 " 1.88
" " Ed Wheeler	" " "	4 " 5.00
" " M Tighe	" " "	7 1/4 " 9.07
" " Chas Shaeffer	" " "	5 " 6.25
" " B Lusk	" " "	4 " 5.00
" " H Mohan	" " "	2 1/2 " 2.88
" " S Kearney	" " "	2 3/4 " 3.45
" " Jas Lynch	" " "	3 " 3.75
" " S Stukles	" " " paid \$828.88	10.00 \$87.66

on motion adjourned

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