

BOOK 5

Book No. 5.

Minute Book of the proceedings and transactions
of the
Board of Trustees
of the Inhabitants of the town of Pottaj, St. Louis,
Missouri

OFFICERS. 1942 - 1943.

MAX H. HONERKAMP - TRUSTEE and CHAIRMAN of the Board.
CLYDE BEINSMITH - TRUSTEE.
WILLIAM BELCHAIRE - TRUSTEE.
WILLIAM TOWERS - TRUSTEE.
PETER LECHE - TRUSTEE.
MARY BELCHAIRE - COLLECTOR and TREASURER.
RICHARD S. BOSS - TOWN CLERK.
WILLIAM BELCHAIRE - TOWN MARSHAL.

November 2nd 1942.

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees
 of the Town of the Town of Postage, New Brunswick, N.J.

November 2, 1942.

The meeting was called to order by trustee and
 Chairman of the Board, Max. Hovey at 8:30
 P.M., with all members present,
 Absent none.

The minutes of the regular meeting held
 October 5th, was read, and approved on motion
 made by Peter Seble, seconded by Dr. Powers
 and carried.

The Clerk read the financial report of the
 town treasurer Mary L. Stine, as follows:

Balance in St. Charles Savings for Oct. 5 th ,	\$ 355.39
Warrants issued & authorized by the Board Oct. 5 th ,	\$ 69.57
Balance in bank this date	\$ 285.82
Amount of cash on hand	\$ 83.54
Balance on deposit and on hand Nov. 2 nd ,	\$ 369.36

On motion made by Peter Seble, seconded by
 Dr. L. Stine and carried, the treasurer's report was
 accepted.

The Clerk was instructed by the Board to have
 the auto license stickers for 1943 and 1944 made
 at once.

It was noted that three students of the Senior
 School had moved out of town and the Clerk
 was instructed to reduce the number of students
 from forty to thirty seven the number of sections to
 be filed. It was noted also that another student
 probably had left town, but no proof being evident
 of this fact, no reduction was made and further
 investigation could be made.

On motion made by Fred Philanth, seconded
 by Dr. Powers and unanimously carried, Dr. L. Stine
 was elected Town Marshal by the Board. The term
 of office to run until resignation, or until replaced
 by election of the Board.

It was made known to the Board that Postage,
 New Brunswick, no longer had a Justice of the Peace.

Cash allowed → Deeds paid - Franconia June 27.75
 11/2/42 → Union Bldg Co. 14.00
 # 41.75 total

being within our limits since Mr. Hilditch
 has ceased to function in this capacity.
 It was pointed out and agreed upon
 that the Chairman of the Board must act
 in this capacity and all judicial and
 law enforcement laws, that might arise
 within the incorporated limits, of the town.
 The Chairman of the Board being duly granted
 this authority by law

No further business being presented
 the meeting adjourned on motion made
 by Clyde Hilditch, seconded by Peter Eckley,
 and carried.

Richard S. Bass - Secy.

Max Stoneham, Chairman of the Board.

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Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants of the Town of Fortage, New Sioux, Mo.

December 7th, 1942.

The meeting was called to order by trustee and Chairman of the Board, Max Stoverkamp at 8:30 PM, with all members present.

Absent none.

The minutes of the regular meeting held Nov. 2nd was read, and approved on motion made by Peter Echele, seconded by Mr. L. Blaine and carried.

The clerk read the following report of town treasurer Harry L. Fainor.

Amount in hand, Nov. 2 nd , 1942	\$ 285.82
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Warrants issued November 2 nd ,	\$ 41.75
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Balance in hand, November 2 nd ,	\$ 244.07
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Deposited in hand, November 14 th ,	\$ 215.23
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Out on hand	76.99
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Total as per report and on hand Dec. 7 th ,	\$ 536.29
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On motion made by Peter Echele, seconded by Mr. L. Blaine, and carried the treasurer's report was accepted as read.

The clerk read the following bills.

S. G. Adams & Co. for printing auto license	\$ 27.68
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S. Charles Quarry Company for crushed rock	63.24
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Tuition for 36 students to Franciscan School	27.00
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Union Elec. Co. for November street lighting	14.00
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Mr. L. Blaine for 14 Am. Lohm City tractors @ 75¢	10.50
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P. Echele for 4 Am. Lohm @ 35¢	1.40
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Byrd, L. Blaine for 3 Am. Lohm @ 35¢	1.05
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Total	\$ 141.87
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On motion made by Byrd, L. Blaine, seconded by Mr. Stoverkamp and carried above bills were ordered paid.

Byrd, L. Blaine paid the clerk the sum of \$5.25 and Mr. L. Blaine \$2.60 for 1/2 load and 1/4 load of crushed rock, respectively, at \$10.50 per load.

No other business appearing the meeting adjourned on motion made by Byrd, L. Blaine, seconded by Mr. Stoverkamp and carried. Max Stoverkamp

Chairman - L. S. Blaine, Clerk

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the
Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants of
the town of Portage, New Sioux, Mo.

January 11, 1943.

The meeting was called to order by trustee
and Chairman of the Board, Max Hourkamp
at 8:35 P.M.

The minutes of the regular meeting held
December 7, 1942 was read, and approved on
motion made by Peter Echels, seconded by
Byde Selemith and carried.

The clerk read the financial report of
Town Collector and Treasurer, Mary E. Fairer.

Income on deposit Dec. 7th 1942. \$459.30

Warrants issued December 7th \$141.87

Balance on deposit & Chas. Sav. Bank \$317.43

Deposited in bank Dec. 9th 1942 88.07

Deposited in bank Jan. 8th 1943. 44.38

Balance on deposit Jan. 11th 1943. \$449.88

The clerk read the following bills

Franciscan News - Jan. 1st 1943 \$27.00

Queen Electric Co. - Dec. 1942 ^{lighting} \$14.00

Total amount of bills due \$41.00

On motion made by P. Echels, seconded by
Mr. LeBlaine and carried, above bills were
ordered paid.

Mr. Harry Zimmer appeared before the
Board and complained that the Cox Guard
patrol were stopping and searching privately
owned cars on the street along the river bank,
stating that some of his customers had been
stopped, and this procedure was interfering
with his business. The Board of Trustees after
consideration decided to investigate the
complaint.

No further business appearing on motion
made by Byde Selemith, seconded by Peter Echels,
and carried, the meeting adjourned.

H. S. Lass, Clerk.

Max Hourkamp Chairman.

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Trustees of the Trustees of the County of Portage, Des Moines, Mo.

February 1st, 1943.

The meeting was called to order by trustee and Chairman of the Board, - Max Haverkamp at 8:30 P.M. with all members of the Board present.
Absent none.

The minutes of the regular meeting held January 11th, 1943 was read and approved on motion made by Clyde Beilawitz, seconded by Peter Echels and carried.

The clerk read the following financial report of Tax Collector and Treasurer, Mary G. Fainor.

Amount on deposit in S. Charles Savings Bank, 1/11/43	\$ 449.88
Disbursements 1/13/43	\$ 41.00
Balance on deposit, 1/13/43	\$ 408.88
Deposited in bank 1/13/43 (refund on utility tax) from the County Treasurer	\$ 108.27
Deposited 1/15/43.	\$ 131.79
Balance on deposit 2/1/43.	\$ 648.94

On motion made by Peter Echels, seconded by Clyde Beilawitz above report was accepted.

The clerk read the following bills -

Franciscan News - Tuition for 36 students for February	\$ 27.00
Union Electric Company - January street lighting	14.00
Total	\$ 41.00

On motion made by Peter Echels, seconded by Max Haverkamp and carried above bills were ordered paid.

Chief Machinist Mate Morris D. Coberth, Officer in Charge of Portage, Des Moines, Coast Guard Base, appeared before the Board to answer complaint of Mr. Harry Zimmer made at the previous meeting of the Board relative to stopping of automobiles and the questioning of drivers as to the contents of the automobiles, particularly as to ^{guns} arms and Kodaks. Officer Coberth explained that he had been courteous to everyone that had been stopped, and that the procedure was a part of the Army and Navy ^{regulations} all Government posts, and that he and

Lieutenant were carrying out Government's orders.

Officer Covert, stated further that he and Mr. Zimmer were good friends, and that all parties concerned now understood each other. The Board accepted this explanation without comment on further action. Officer Covert requested permission to use the town road grade on the street along the river front. This matter was referred to the Street Commissioners.

No further business appearing the meeting adjourned on motion made by Clyde Guilleville, seconded by Mr. Powers and carried.

Richard S. Bass, Clerk
 Nat. Starobinsky - Chairman.

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Portage des Sioux, Missouri.

March 1st, 1943.

The meeting was called to order by trustee and Chairman of the Board, Max Loverscamp at 8:30 P.M. All members present except Dr. Powers.

The minutes of the regular meeting held February 1st, were read and approved on motion made by Peter Eckle, seconded by Dr. L. Blaine, and carried.

The clerk read the report of the town treasurer Mary L. Faine.

Feb. 1 st , 1943 Cash on deposit in St. Charles Sav. Bank	\$ 648.94
Feb. 1 st , 1943 Warrants issued	\$ 41.00

Balance on deposit	\$ 607.94
Cash on hand March 1 st , 1943	\$ 43.00
Cash on deposit and on hand March 1 st	\$ 650.94

On motion made by Clyde Reikemith, seconded by Peter Eckle, the treasurer's report was accepted.

The clerk read the following bills:

Franciscan News - March tuition	\$ 2.70
Union Electric Co. of Missouri - Feb. street lighting	\$ 14.00
Max Loverscamp for labor on streets	\$ 4.20
Max Loverscamp " " " "	\$ 12.90
Vincenz Gumpert " " " "	\$ 1.40
R. S. Lass, Clerk's office expense	\$ 2.00
Total	\$ 61.50

On motion made by Clyde Reikemith, seconded by Peter Eckle, and carried above bills were ordered paid.

The Board after discussion agreed that all automobile tax must be paid on or before March 15, 1943, on the collection of tax owed be turned over to the Justice of the Peace. The Board agreed also that all property tax must be paid on or before March 15, 1943 on a penalty of six percent owed be imposed retroactive to January 1st, 1943.

The following citizens of the town were selected by the Board to serve as the officials of

The regular term election to be held Tuesday April 6th 1943 at which time five candidates are to be elected as a Board of Trustees to serve for the ensuing year.

Harry Gasser, was nominated to serve, as clerk, by Dr. G. Blaine.

Paul Hartig, was nominated to serve as judge, by Clyde Perlman.

Joseph Roscher, was nominated to serve as judge, by Peter Eckly.

Edward G. Siegel was nominated to serve as judge, by Max Haverkamp.

The north room of the School Building was chosen for the polling place. The clerk of the Election Board was ordered to use his discretion, if the School room could not be secured.

No further business appearing the meeting adjourned on motion made by Peter Eckly, seconded by Dr. G. Blaine, and carried.

Richard S. Lewis, Clerk.

Max Haverkamp - Chairman.

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees
of the Taborite of the Town of Fortage, Michigan, No.
April 5, 1943.

The Board of Trustees met in regular session
at 8:30 o'clock in the evening of above date with
Max Howerkamp, Chairman of the Board presiding
and with all members of the Board present. Present were:

The minutes of the regular meeting, held March 1st,
1943, were read, and approved on motion made by
Peter Echels, seconded by Mr. L. Blaine, and carried.

The clerk read a summary of the Treasurer
report for the fiscal year from March 15, 1942 to
March 20, 1943.

Receipts

Balance on deposit March 16 th , 1942.	\$ 671.67
Receipts from town property tax	\$ 207.34
" " Common law	\$ 1080.16
" " Automobile licenses	\$ 118.00
" " rent of occupied streets	\$ 15.50
" " Township license	\$ 20.00
" " Merchants license	\$ 70.00
" " Miscellaneous accounts	\$ 203.41
Total receipts	\$ 2366.08

Disbursements

Disbursements as per published itemized statement	\$ 1577.92
Balance in hand March 20 th 1943.	\$ 789.49
	\$ 2367.41
Overdeposit	\$ 1.33
Total disbursements	\$ 2366.08

The clerk read the following monthly report of the Treasurer.

Balance on deposit March 20, 1943	\$ 789.49
Deposited in hand April 5, 1943.	\$ 100.70
Total balance on deposit as of 4/5/43	\$ 890.19

On motion made by Clyde Silenwith, seconded
by Mr. Powers, ^{and carried} above report was duly accepted
the same being duly published as prescribed by
law, and so recorded herein in the minutes
of this meeting. The itemized account of
disbursements being kept on file by the Treasurer
and clerk and duly recorded in the minutes of the

board meetings throughout the year.

The Clerk read the following bills, due for payment.

Franciscan News - April tuition	\$27.00
Grand Electric Company - March street lighting	14.00
Dr. Powers - yearly fee for trustee	12.00
Wm. LeBlanc - " " " "	12.00
Peter Cahaly - " " " "	12.00
Max Humberkamp - " " " "	12.00
Fees and office expenses for Tony Treasurer ^{50.83}	55.56
Fees and office " ^{20.00} " ³⁷ " " Clerk	23.00
Case, Allen, Saver Pipe Co.	60.75
Dr. LeBlanc, labor and miscellaneous expenses	27.96
Max Humberkamp, labor on streets	22.15
Max Humberkamp " " "	12.60
August LeBlanc, " " "	18.55
Dr. Smith " " "	16.30
Wm. LeBlanc " " "	14.70
Peter Cahaly " " "	2.45
Larrie LeBlanc, " " "	3.50
Morris Cook, " " "	2.80
Clarence Smith " " "	2.80
J. G. Beato " " "	2.45
Albert Hummer " " "	2.45
Steve LeBlanc " " "	1.40
Joseph LeBlanc " " "	1.40
Charles Trasser " " "	2.80
S. Charles Quarry Co. for crushed rock	65.72
Lee L. Ruffert - fee for school building	12.00
Total	\$ 452.24

On motion made by Wm. LeBlanc, seconded by Dr. Smith, and carried above bills were ordered paid.

No further business appearing, on motion made by Dr. Powers, seconded by Peter Cahaly, and carried the meeting adjourned.

Richard S. Dues, Clerk

Max Humberkamp - Chairman

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Special Meeting of the Board of Trustees
 of the Inhabitants of the Town of Portage, Des Sioux,
 Mo., April 12th 1943.

The Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants of the Town
 of Portage, Des Sioux, Mo., met in Special
 Session on the evening of April 12th 1943
 at which time all five members of the Board
 of Trustees, having been duly elected to serve
 as trustees for the ensuing year for the said town
 of Portage, Des Sioux, Mo., were duly sworn into
 office by Notary Public, Mary G. Fairway.
 The Trustee Oath of office being duly filed with
 the Clerk of said town.

Richard S. Bass, Clerk.

Max Hoverskamp Chairman.
 Those taking the oath of office were
 Mr. G. Haine,
 Peter H. Eckel,
 Clyde Seilenth,
 Mr. Pevere
 Max Hoverskamp.

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants of the Town of Portage des Sioux, Mo.

May 31, 1943.

The Board of trustees met in regular session at 8:30 P.M. on the evening of May 31, 1943, at the regular meeting place in the school building with the Town Clerk Richard S. Saxe, presiding, and with all duly elected members of the board present.

Thank none.

The temporary chairman called the meeting to order, and informed the board that the first order of business was to elect the officers for the ensuing year.

Oliver Reilmenth made a motion which was seconded by Peter Eckel and carried unanimously, that all elected and appointed officers for the years 1942 and 1943 be re-elected and reappointed for the years 1943 and 1944.

The officers ~~being~~ re-elected being as follows.
 Chairman of the Board - Max H. Hovestamp
 Town Marshal - Tom Loblaine.

Street Commissioners { Oliver Reilmenth.
 Tom Loblaine.
~~John Eckel.~~

The appointive officers being reappointed were -
 Mary L. Favour - Town Collector and Treasurer.
 Richard S. Saxe - Town Clerk.

The duly elected Chairman of the Board Max H. Hovestamp took charge of the meeting at this time.

The clerk read the ^{MINUTES OF THE} regular meeting held April 5th, and the minutes of the temporary meeting held April 12th, 1943. On motion made by Peter Eckel seconded by Tom Loblaine, and carried the minutes of both meetings were unanimously approved.

The clerk read the following financial report of town treasurer Mary Favour.

(See next page)

Balance in bank April 2nd, 1943. \$ 890.19
 Less 6 cents for banking sheets 06

Balance 4/2/43 \$ 890.13

Reimbursements April 2nd, 1943 \$ 452.24

Balance on deposit May 30, 1943. \$ 437.89

On motion made by Peter Eckels, seconded by
 Dr. Powers and carried above report was accepted.

The clerk announced ~~to~~ to the board that a bond
 in the amount of \$500.00 signed by Laura Hunt,
 Richard S. Goss and Paul A. Goss had been
 filed with the clerk, by Mary LeFavre for the
 acceptance of the board, for the faithful performance
 of her duties.

On motion by Dr. Powers, seconded by Clyde Spilant
 and carried the bond was declared acceptable.

The clerk read the following bills which were due for
 payment.

Harry Grasser, fee for clerk at the regular election	\$ 3.00
Paul Harty, " " judge " " " "	\$ 3.00
Joseph Gochery, " " " " " "	\$ 3.00
Edward G. Hiner, " " " " " "	\$ 3.00
Levy for polling place - Paul L. Puffer for school flag.	\$ 2.50
Paul H. Justell for street improvement	
Bond #1 - Principal 60.00 - Interest 80.00	\$ 140.00
Printer fees for printing ballots	\$ 3.25
Union Electric Company - Street lighting for April	\$ 14.00
Franciscan News - May tuition for students	\$ 27.00
Harry W. Grasser - Election Expense	2.50
Harry W. Grasser - Gasoline and oil for tractor	12.41
Total	\$ 213.66

On motion made by Clyde Spilant, seconded
 by Dr. LeBlanc, and carried above bills were
 ordered paid.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned
 on motion made by Clyde Spilant, seconded by
 Peter Eckels and carried.

Richard S. Goss Secy.

Max Stamerberg Chairman.

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board
of Trustees of the, Inhabitants of the town
of Portage des Sioux, Missouri.

June 7th 1943.

The meeting was called to order by trustee
and chairman of the board, Max Howerkamp,
at 8:30 P.M. With all members present,
Absence none.

The minutes of the regular meeting held May
3rd, were read, and approved on motion
made by Wm. L. Blaine, seconded by Peter Behle
and carried.

The clerk read the financial reports of
the Town Treasurer - Mary L. Laine,

Balance in bank May 3rd, 1943 \$ 437.89

Warrants issued on this date \$ 213.66

Balance on deposit \$ 224.23

Deposited in bank June 5th, 1943. 29.04.

Balance on deposit June 7th 1943. \$ 253.27

On motion made by Wm. L. Blaine,
seconded by Wm. Powers above report was
accepted as read.

The clerk read the following bills -

Franciscan news for June tuition. \$ 27.00

"Due to the fact, that as school had closed
and the news were leaving town for the
summer, Obed Guilamity, agreed to pay
them the tuition due in cash, and the
clerk was ordered to reimburse Mr. Guilamity
with the regular warrant."

Union Electric Company for May ^{lighting} \$ 14.00

Obed Guilamity - reimbursement

for iron pipe bought to drain water \$ 7.14

Total \$ 48.14

On motion by Wm. Powers, seconded by
Wm. L. Blaine, ^{and carried} above bills were ordered
paid.

No further business being in order the meeting
adjourned, on motion made by Wm. Powers, seconded
by Obed Guilamity, and carried
Max Howerkamp Chairman - L. S. Bass Clerk.

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Tabor of Postage, New Sioux, Wisconsin.

July 5th, 1943.

The meeting was called to order by trustee and Chairman of the Board, Max Houtkamp at 8:30 P.M. with all members of the Board present.
Absence - none.

The minutes of the regular meeting held June 7th were read and approved on motion made by Peter Eckel, seconded by Axel Selin and carried.

The following report of the Town Treasurer, Mary L. Stain was read by the Clerk.

Balance in bank June 7th, 1943. \$ 253.27

Warrants issued, as authorized by the Board June 7th, 1943. 48.14

Balance in bank 205.13

Income & cash on hand July 5th, none

Total funds on deposit and on hand \$ 205.13

On motion made by Max Houtkamp, seconded by Peter Eckel, the treasurer's report was accepted.

The Clerk read the following bills:

Union Electric Co. for June, street lighting \$ 14.00

Wm. L. Stain for labor and material grading 10.00

Wm. L. Stain, 12 hrs. labor @ \$1.25 moving sheds 15.00

Paul Firth, 16 hrs. labor @ 35¢ on streets 5.65

Max Houtkamp 12 hrs. labor with grader @ 75¢ 9.00

Total - \$ 53.65

On motion made by Peter Eckel, seconded by Axel Selin and carried warrants were ordered drawn in payment of above bills.

The Board by unanimous vote ordered that new stop and merchants license be issued to C. L. Kothermich on his application to the Board for same.

The Board by unanimous vote ordered that delinquent notices be sent ^{immediately} to Axel Selin and delinquents to pay common next taxes

The Clerk reported to the Board that Harry Ginner, had paid to the town collector \$21.08 for next purchase from the Board in March 1943.

By Aug. 2nd
 on appeal before the board at its next
 regular meeting, ^{to be held} Aug 2nd 1943, to show
 cause why taxes had not been paid.

No further business being in order,
 on motion made by Capt. Dickinson, seconded
 by Mr. Powers and carried, the meeting
 adjourned

Richard S. Low Secy.

Max Storvickman Chairman.

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees
of the Substitutes of the Town of Portage, Wisconsin, Inc.
August 2, 1943.

The meeting was called to order by trustee and
Chairman of the Board, Max Lovernkamp at 8:30 P.M.
With all members of the Board present. Absent none.

The minutes of the regular meeting held July 5,
was read and approved on motion made by Peter Eckle,
seconded by Chas. L. Claire, and carried.

The clerk read the financial report of town treasurer
and collector, Mary L. Laine, as follows.

Amount in hand July 5 th , 1943.	\$ 205.13
Warrants issued by order of the Board	\$ 53.65
Balance in hand after issue of warrants	\$ 151.48
Reported in hand 7/15/43 \$150.71 less 6 cents	\$ 150.65
" " " 7/29/43	\$ 143.20

Balance in hand Aug 2, 1943.	445.33
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On motion made by Clyde Peilsmith, seconded by
Chas. L. Claire, the Treasurer's report was accepted by
the Board.

The clerk read the following bills -

Quincy Electric Company	\$ 14.00
L. S. Bass, Clerk's office expense	\$ 3.38
Max Lovernkamp 6 hrs. local city grader on streets	\$ 4.50
	\$ 21.88

On motion made by Peter Eckle, seconded by
Chas. L. Claire, bills were ordered paid.

It was reported that Mr. Ebling of St. Peters
Wausau, Wis. has sold his property and supplies and is selling
his products in town and had not paid his
occupational license.

No other business appearing the meeting
adjourned on motion by Chas. L. Claire, seconded
by Clyde Peilsmith, and carried.

L. S. Bass - Clerk.

- Chairman of Board, Max Lovernkamp

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board
of Trustees of the Inhabitants of the town of
Portage, St. Louis, Mo.

September 13, 1943.

The meeting was called to order by
trustee and Chairman of the Board Max Howerkamp
at 8:30 P.M. with all members present, except
Mr. Powers. Absent, one.

The minutes of the regular meeting held
August 2, 1943 were read and approved on
motion made by Peter Echle, seconded by
Mr. LeBlaine, and carried.

The clerk read the ^{following} financial report of
the town collector and treasurer Mary LeFavre.
Amounts deposited in bank Aug 2, 1943 \$445.33
Warrants authorized for issue, Aug 2, 1943 \$21.88
Balance on deposit after issuing warrants \$423.45
Cash collected for auto license in August \$2.00
Total on deposit and on hand 9/13/43 - \$425.45

The clerk read the following bills.

Quincy Electric Company - Aug street lighting	\$14.00
Tuition for 38 children for September	\$28.50
Paul Harty - 93 hrs labor on street @ 35¢	\$32.55
Mr. LeBlaine, mowing weeds on street with mower 11 hrs. @ \$1.25	13.75

Total amount of bills to be paid \$88.80

On motion made by Mr. LeBlaine, seconded
by Peter Echle, and carried, warrants
were ordered drawn to pay above bills.

No other business appearing on motion made
by Peter Echle, seconded by Clyde Beilant
and carried, the meeting adjourned.

H. S. Pass, Clerk

Max Howerkamp, Chairman.

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees
of the Inhabitants of the Town of Fortage, Des Moines, Mo.
October 4, 1943.

The meeting was called to order by trustee and Chairman
of the Board, Max Amercamp at 8:30 P.M. with all
members present except Mr. Coover.
Absent, one.

The minutes of the regular meeting held Sept. 13, 1943
was read and approved on motion, made by Peter Eckels,
seconded by Mr. L. Blaine and carried.

The Clerk read the following financial report of
the town collector and treasurer Mary L. Fairer,
Balance in hand Sept. 13, 1943 \$ 423.45
Warrants authorized for issue, Sept. 13, 1943 88.80
Balance on deposit Oct. 4, 1943 \$ 334.65
Cash on hand October 4, 1943 5.00
Balance on deposit and on hand \$ 339.65

On motion, made by Peter Eckels, and seconded by
Mr. L. Blaine and carried the treasurers report was
accepted.

The Clerk read the following bills -

Union Electric Company - Exp. Street lighting	\$ 14.00
Franciscan News - Tuition for October 1943	\$ 30.00
Max Amercamp - 14 hrs. @ 75¢ grading streets	\$ 10.50
Max Amercamp - 3 hrs labor on streets @ 35¢	\$ 1.05
Chris Logg, 11 hrs. labor on streets @ 35¢	\$ 3.85
Mr. L. Blaine, 5 hrs. labor " " " 35¢	\$ 1.75
Mr. L. Blaine, 3 hrs labor at the town @ \$ 1.25	\$ 3.75
Total of bills to be paid	\$ 64.90

On motion, made by Clyde Feilsmith, seconded by
Mr. L. Blaine, and carried warrants were ordered drawn to pay above
bills.

No other business appearing, on motion made
by Clyde Feilsmith, seconded by Peter Eckels
and carried the meeting adjourned at 10:00 P.M.

H. S. Bass, Clerk.

Max Amercamp, Chairman.

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the
Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants of
the Town of Fortage, Des Moines, Mo.

November 8th 1943.

The meeting was called to order by Trustee
and Chairman of the Board Max Hovestamp at
8:30 P.M. All of trustees present. Absent none.

The minutes of the regular meeting held
October 4th were read and approved as meeting
made by Clyde Seilsmith, seconded by Mr. Powers
and carried.

The Clerk read the following report of the
town treasurer Mary E. Lavoie -

Cash in hand October 4 th , 1943.	339.65
Varrants issued October 6 th 1943.	64.90
Balance on deposit, October 6 th 1943	274.75
Deposited in hand Nov. 2 nd , 1943	280.94

Total on deposit, Nov. 8th 1943 - \$555.69

On motion made by Peter Eckel, seconded
by Clyde Seilsmith and carried the treasurer's
report was accepted.

The Clerk read the following bills which were
due.

Huron Electric Company	\$14.00
Franciscan News (Nov. tuition)	29.25
Leslie Hoffman, County Clerk for recording all taxes in tax book	2.20
Note: Clerk also made payroll to Max Hovestamp & Hovestamp having paid Hoffman cash out of pocket.	
Total	\$45.45

On motion made by Mr. Powers
seconded by Mr. L. Blair, and carried above
bills were ordered paid.

The Clerk read a communication from
Mr. Wm. Hovner which stated that the amount
owed due by Hovner would be paid this year.

The board agreed to allow Mr. Hovner until the
first of the year to pay his common rent plus
his interest from date tax was due at the rate

of six percent.

The attention of the Board was called to the removal of certain safety and stop signs by persons unknown. The suggestion being that signs were taken down on the night of Halloween.

After discussion it was agreed that the Board should reinstall these signs.

No further business appearing the Board adjourned on motion made by Clyde Fairbank, seconded by Peter Eckel, and carried.

L. S. Bass - Clerk.

Wm. Sturtevant Chairman.

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the
Board of Trustees for the Trustees
of the Town of Portage Des Sioux, Mo.
December 6th, 1943

The meeting was called to order by
Trustee and Chairman of the Board
Max Lowenkamp, with all members
of the Board present. Absent none.

The minutes of the regular meeting
held November 8th, 1943 were read and
approved on motion made by
Mr. Powers, seconded by Mr. L. Thaine,
and carried.

The Clerk read the following report
of the Town Treasurer Mary L. Thaine,
Cash in hand, Nov. 8th 1943 \$ 555.69
Warrants issued \$ 45.45

Balance \$ 510.24

Deposited in bank, Dec. 2nd, 1943 \$ 18.85

Total on deposit, Dec. 6th, 1943 \$ 529.09

On motion made by Peter Gable,
seconded by Clyde Seilsmith, and carried
above report was accepted.

The Clerk read the following bills
Due Union Electric Co. for 100. Street lighting \$ 14.00
" Franciscan News " Reg. tuition 29.25
Total \$ 43.25

On motion made by C. Seilsmith,
seconded by Peter Gable, above bills
were ordered paid.

On motion made by Peter Gable, seconded
by Clyde Seilsmith, and carried
the Merchants' license
due from Town, being in amount \$ 5⁰⁰ xx
due for 1943 was ordered to be given
to Attorney L. S. Dyer for collection.
Net expense of collection to be added to
bill.

It was reported that the Jacobs property
in the Portage Commons had been sold.
Net amount unknown.

No further business being in order the meeting
 adjourned on motion by Mr. Powers, seconded
 by Peter Eckle and carried.

J. S. Bass Clerk.

✓ Max Hornumey Chairman.

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board
 of Trustees for the Tolobitana of the Town of
 Horage, Michigan, Mo.

January 5th 1947

The meeting was called to order by
 trustee and Chairman of the Board Max Hornumey.
 With all members present.

Due to illness of the Clerk the minutes
 of the previous meeting held Dec. 6th was
 not read, nor were the financial reports
 of the town treasurer.

The following bills were allowed and
 warrants were ordered drawn.

Franciscan News for Jan. tuition	\$29.25
Huron Electric Co for Dec. street lighting	\$14.00
	<u>\$43.25</u>

No further business being transacted the
 meeting adjourned

Alfred Santory.

✓ Max Hornumey Chairman.

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board
of Trustees for the Inhabitants of the Town
of Portage des Sioux, Mo.
February 7, 1944.

The ~~meeting~~ meeting was called to order
by trustee and chairman of the Board Max Howerkamp
at 8:30 P.M. with all members of the Board present.
Absence, none.

The minutes of the regular meetings held
December 6th, ¹⁹⁴³ and January 5th 1944 were read and
approved on motion, made by ~~the~~ ~~trustees~~, seconded
by Peter Echele and carried.

The clerk read the ^{following} report of the town treasurer
Mary LeFavre.

Balance in bank Dec. 4 th , 1943.	\$527.78
Warrants issued January 1 st , 1944.	<u>43.25</u>
Balance on deposit January 1 st , 1944.	484.53
Deposited in bank January 9 th , 1944.	115.90
" " " " 24 th , 1944	202.00
" " " " 25 th , 1944	109.05
" " " February 5 th 1944	<u>128.78</u>
Total on deposit	\$1040.26

On motion, made by Clyde Seilsmith, seconded
by ~~Dr. LeFavre~~, ^{and carried} above report was accepted.

The clerk read the following bills:

Union Electric Co. for January street lighting	\$14.00
Franciscan Sisters for February tuition	<u>29.25</u>
Total.	\$43.25

On motion, made by Clyde Seilsmith, seconded by
Peter Echele and carried above bills were ordered
paid.

The matter of collecting the merchants license from
Mr. J. King was reported as still being inves-
tigated by attorney L. A. Dyer.

Mr. L. Christman was present at the meeting
and requested that the town board send every
effort to obtain the necessary oil to heat
as many streets as possible this spring.

After discussion of this matter the Board
promised Mr. Christman that every effort
would be made to secure as much oil as possible.

The Board discussed the matter of calling on the
 proper authorities and the County Court to request
 that Postage Lane between Highway 94 and Postage
 be black-topped. This was unanimously agreed upon.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned
 on motion made by Peter Eckle, seconded by
 Clyde Seilsmith and carried.

H. S. Lane, - Clerk.

Waf. Stamerhough - Chairman.

Minutes of Regular Meeting of the Board of
Trustees for the Inhabitants of Portageville, Mo.
March 6, 1944.

The meeting was called to order by trustee
and Chairman of the Board Max Hovertamp
at 8:30 P.M., with all members present but
Dr. Pevers. Absent - one.

The minutes of the regular meeting held
Feb. 7, 1944 were read and approved on motion
made by Peter Eckel, seconded by Dr. G. Blaine
and carried.

The clerk read the following report of treasurer:
The clerk read the treasurer Mary G. Tavor:

Balance on deposit Feb. 7, 1944.	\$1040.26
Varrants issued in February	<u>43.25</u>
Balance	\$997.01
Deposited in bank March 2, 1944	<u>69.53</u>
Balance on deposit 3/2/44	\$1066.54
Bank book balanced 3/2/44 March 2	
Balance of -----	\$1023.29
indicating that all checks had not been cashed.	
Total cash on hand -----	<u>23.76</u>
Total cash balance -----	\$1047.05

On motion made by Clyde Seelamith, seconded by
Peter Eckel and carried the treasurer's report
was accepted.

The clerk read the following bills

Quincy Electric Co. for February street lighting	\$14.00
Franciscan Sisters for March tuition	<u>\$29.25</u>
Total	\$43.25

On motion made by Peter Eckel, seconded by
Clyde Seelamith and carried above bills were ordered
paid.

The board after discussion decided that automobile
license and property tax money be paid by
April 1, 1944 on the penalty should be assessed
and made retroactive to Jan. 1, 1944.

The following citizens of the town were
selected by the Board to serve as officials
of the regular town election to be held
Tuesday - April 4, 1944 at which time

Five citizens are to be elected as a Board of Trustees to serve for the ensuing twelve months.

The N.D. room of St. Francis school was selected by the Board as the polling place for the election.

Harry W. Grasser was nominated for clerk by Mr. L. Blaine.

Paul Ditz " " " judge by C. Reichenitz.

O. J. Linghammer " " " " " Peter Seibel.

Edward L. Siew " " " " " Max Howerkamp.

By unanimous vote of the Board above selectees were chosen to serve. Judge Joe Lothermich was also chosen by unanimous vote to serve as alternate judge in the event of the absence of the three selected judges.

The clerk was directed by the Board to send a letter of condolence to Judge B. H. Ager and family in the loss of their son and brother the Hon. David H. Ager in the Armed forces of our nation.

No further business being in order the meeting adjourned on motion made by Clyde Reichenitz, seconded by Mr. L. Blaine, and carried.

L. S. Lass - Clerk

Max Howerkamp - Chairman

minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of Postage, Fox River, Wisconsin.

April 3, 1944.

The meeting was called to order by trustee and Chairman of the Board, Max Hoenesamp at 8:30 P.M. with all members of the Board present, Absent none.

The minutes of the regular meeting held March 6, 1944 was read and approved on motion made by Peter Cahle, seconded by Dr. LeBlain, and carried.

The clerk read the ^{following} report of the treasurer for the fiscal year from March 20, 1943 to March 22, 1944 both dates inclusive.

Balance on deposit and on hand March 20, 1943 -	\$ 789.49
Receipts	
Personal Estate Taxes - collected	140.19
Common taxes	976.29
Levy for occupied streets	5.50
Drum Shop license	10.00
Occupational license	45.00
Miscellaneous income	130.12
Automobile tax collected	72.00
Total Income	\$ 2,169.59

Disbursements as per itemized statement	\$ 1,161.87
Cash on deposit St. Charles Camp Land 3/22/44	999.90
Cash balance on hand	7.82
Total Disbursements	\$ 2,169.59

Financial Summary

Balance in bank March 20, 1943	\$ 789.49
Deposited in bank April 6, 1943 to March 22, 1944	1,372.13
Tax on checks	.15
Cash balance on hand	7.83

Total bank transactions for fiscal year \$ 2,169.59

On motion made by Peter Cahle, seconded by Dr. Powers, ^{and carried} above report was accepted.

The clerk read the following monthly statement of local treasurer Mary Estivore.

See next page No. 29.

Balance in hand March 22, 1944.	\$ 999.90
Deposited in bank March 27, 1944.	262.76
Deposited in bank March 31, 1944.	142.77
Cash on hand	<u>5.20</u>

Total cash on deposit and on hand April 3, 1944 \$1410.63

On motion, made by Clyde Beilowitz, seconded by Wm. L. Claine, above report was accepted

The clerk read the following bills:

Franciscan News - April tuition for 39 students	\$ 29.25
Quincy Electric Company - March street lighting	14.00
Maxumont - Faculty trustee fee	12.00
Wm. Powers " " "	12.00
Clyde Beilowitz " " "	12.00
Wm. L. Claine " " "	12.00
Peter Eable " " "	12.00
Mary L. Starnes, Treasurer 3% commission on total cash (\$1,783.01) handled during fiscal year and expense	63.52
H. S. Bass, clerk - Total fee 20.00 plus expense \$3.00	23.00
Ed. L. Puffer - Lunch for school building for board meetings	12.00
A. D. Grassert - Gasoline for grades 6/9/43 to 3/24/44	12.56
Maxumont - Labels on streets	17.70
Wm. L. Claine " " " operating grades	55.50
Orville Eable " " "	19.25
George Sulfox " " "	5.60
O. J. Klinghammer " " "	7.00
Larrie L. Claine " " "	18.55
Clyde L. Claine " " "	24.50
August L. Claine " " "	12.60
Wm. L. Claine Repairing repairs on grades \$5.75 Feb. last - box	6.35
Total.	\$381.38

On motion, made by Clyde Beilowitz, seconded by Wm. Powers and carried above bills were ordered paid.

To further business appearing, the meeting adjourned on motion, made by Wm. L. Claine, seconded by Clyde Beilowitz and carried.

H. S. Bass, clerk.

Clyde Beilowitz Chairman.

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of Postage for Snow, Me.
May 22, 1944.

The meeting was called to order by the Clerk L. S. Bass who acted as temporary chairman with all members of the newly elected board present. ^{MAX HONERTAMP - PETER ECKEL - CHAS. BELSMITH, DR. LEBLANC AND O. J. KLINGHAMMER.}

Chairman

The first order of business transacted was the election of a permanent chairman of the board to serve for the ensuing year. The temporary chairman called for nominations for permanent chairman. Peter Eckel nominated Chas. BelSmith, the nomination was seconded by O. J. Klinghammer. Dr. LeBlanc moved that nominations be closed, the motion was seconded by Max Honertamp and carried. Chas. BelSmith being duly elected unanimously as chairman of the board for 1944 and 1945 until the next regular election. At this juncture, Chairman BelSmith took charge of the meeting.

Street Com.

The next order of business transacted was the election of three street commissioners. Dr. LeBlanc, Peter Eckel, and O. J. Klinghammer, were nominated by Max Honertamp, the motion was duly seconded and carried.

Collector

The next order of business transacted was the selection of the executive officers of the board to serve the ensuing year. Peter Eckel moved that Mrs. Marie BelSmith be selected for Town Collector. The motion was seconded by Dr. LeBlanc and carried.

Clerk

Max Honertamp moved that L. S. Bass be chosen for Town Clerk, the motion was seconded by O. J. Klinghammer and carried.

Marshal

Peter Eckel moved that Dr. LeBlanc be selected for Town Marshal. The motion was seconded by O. J. Klinghammer and carried.

Fees for Marshal

By electing the Town Marshal, the Board of Trustees unanimously agreed to pay the regular

and legal fee to the town marshal for arrests made, and the serving of any and all legal papers required for the transaction of the business of the board.

The minutes of the regular meeting held April 3, 1944 were read by the clerk and approved on motion made by Max Hoversamp, seconded by Peter Ecker, and carried.

The annual collectors report to the board of trustees and the inhabitants of the town of Portage des Sioux, was read and accepted on motion made by Peter Ecker, seconded by Max Hoversamp and carried.

The clerk read the monthly report of the town collector.

Amounts in bank April 3, 1944	\$ 1410.63
Warrants issued to pay levies, bills 4/3/44	\$ 381.38
Balance	\$ 1029.25
Deposited in bank during April 1944	\$ 340.10
Total	\$ 1369.35

The following bills were paid by the clerk, on authorization by the board 5/3/44

Traverseaux News	\$ 29.25
Queen, Elec. Co. of	\$ 14.00
Total	\$ 43.25

Balance on deposit as reported by Mary Stearns	\$ 1326.10
Balance on deposit as reported by Marie Schubert	\$ 1320.90
Cash on hand 5/22/44	\$ 14.26
Total cash on deposit and on hand 5/22/44	\$ 1335.16
Approximate discrepancy in accounts	\$ 5.20

The clerk was instructed to prepare the security bond to cover the duties of the collector for the ensuing year.

Edw. Schmitt and O. J. Hughamer volunteered to sign the bond which was accepted unanimously by the board, on motion made by Peter Ecker seconded by Max Hoversamp and carried.

The clerk read the following bills:
See next page.

Harry Grasses, fee for clerk at town election \$3.00
 Paul Ditty " " judge " " " \$3.00
 Edw. L. Sauer " " " " " " " \$3.00
 J. A. Becher " " " " " " " \$3.00

Edw. L. Sauer ^{place} fee for school building for polling \$2.50
~~\$5.00 STREET IMPROVEMENT~~

PAYMENT ON
 STREET IMP.
 Bond.

Dr. Charles Savings Bank - ~~payment~~ ^{final} bond \$140.00
 5th x final payment on Street Improvement
 Bond No. 1.

Ranch Lumber & Grocery Co. \$44.75

Dr. Charles Quarry Company \$246.13

Mary L. Sauer - 3% commission on \$340.10

Cash collected from new collection also reported \$10.20

Total \$455.58

On motion, made by Max Haverkamp, seconded by Peter Eckle, warrants were ordered drawn to pay bills.

Judge Jas. Lothermel was present at the meeting and paid \$13.07 for crooked saws purchased from the Board of Trustees in March, 1949.

Mr. Lothermel also asked for and received bill in amount \$35.85 for crooked saws sold to St. Francis Church, during March.

Max Haverkamp duly elected trustee for the year at the election held in April, tendering his resignation to the Board stating that he has recently established residence in Nebraska, and no longer should be a resident of Oregon. On motion, made by Peter Eckle, seconded by O. J. Hingham and carried Mr. Haverkamp's resignation was accepted.

On motion, made by Peter Eckle, seconded by Mr. L. Blair and carried Lawrence Polking was selected to serve on the Board of Trustees for the ensuing year, replacing Max Haverkamp.

No further business being in order, on motion, made by P. Eckle, seconded by O. J. Hingham and carried the meeting adjourned.

L. S. Laws, Secy.
 Clyde Beilsmith Chairman.

MAX HAVERKAMP
 RESIGNS AS
 TRUSTEE.

LAWRENCE
 POLKING ELECTED
 BY BOARD.

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees
for the inhabitants of the town of Portage du Lac, Wis., Mo.

June 5, 1944.

The meeting was called to order by Trustees and
Chairman of the Board Clyde Beckwith at 8:30 P.M.
with all members of the Board present. Absent none.

The minutes of the regular meeting held May 22, 1944
were read and approved on motion made by
Peter Eckle, seconded by Wm. L. Blaine, and carried
by unanimous vote.

The clerk read the following report of the town
treasurer Mrs. Marie Beitzel.

Cash on deposit and on hand May 22, 1944.	\$ 1335.16
Warrants issued to pay the several bills	455.58
Balance on hand May 22.	879.58
Deposited in bank June 3, 1944	64.12

Total balance on deposit June 5, 1944. \$ 943.70

On motion made by Wm. L. Blaine, seconded by
Peter Eckle and carried above report was accepted
by unanimous vote.

The clerk reported that the discrepancy, ^{in amount, \$ 5.20} reported in
the minutes of the May 22nd meeting had been
found and cleared.

Lawrence Becking the recently appointed member
of the Board of Trustees succeeding Max Louwagamp
was duly sworn into said office by the clerk.

The clerk read the following bills:

Union, Electric Co., for May street lighting	\$ 14.00
Franciscan Fund, Litchia, for month of June	29.25
Frank Saale, for repairing two school benches	4.50
H. J. Duval, for notice furnished in April	5.00
Orville Eckle, for 4 lbs. lobes on street	1.40
Clyde L. Blaine, " " " " "	1.40
Wm. L. Blaine, " " " " mowing deeds	13.75
Max Louwagamp, fee for trustee on meeting	1.00
Max Louwagamp reimbursed expense	1.00
Wm. L. Blaine " " "	2.00
Total	\$ 73.30

On motion, made by Lawrence Pelling, seconded by O. J. Klinghammer and carried above bills were ordered paid.

The following citizens were reported delinquent in paying Automobile tax - L. Ferguson, Mr. Bennett and Mr. Kirk - no action taken.

The matter of purchasing the Felling Stone building for a town board meeting place and Social Center was discussed at length by the board - no action taken officially.

On motion, made by Lawrence Pelling, seconded by Peter Echele and unanimously carried the meeting adjourned.

L. S. Bass, Clerk.

Clyde Beilsmith, Chairman of the Board

July 3 - 1944

The board of Trustees met in a regular session with Clyde Beilsmith as chairman all members of board present. minutes of June 5 1944 read and approved.

Do to the sudden illness and death of town Clerk Mr Bass motion by O. J. Klinghammer seconded by Wm L. Clair to appoint C. J. Echele as temporary Clerk until such time for the appointment of regular Clerk.

The following Bills were presented for payment

Union Electric for Street Lighting	14 ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀
Wm L. Clair reimbursement for trip to St Charles	# 2 ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀
R. S. Bass for call to Washington D C	# 1 ⁶⁸ / ₁₀₀
Total	# 17.68

On motion by O. J. Klinghammer seconded by Lawrence Pelling and carried bills were ordered paid

Balance brought forward from pre meeting	\$ 877.40
warrants issued	17.68
Balance on Deposit	\$ 859.72

An ordinance providing for the calling and holding of a special Election for the purpose of testing the sense of the qualified voters of the Inhabitants of the town of Postage Des Sioux, Missouri, on the following proposition to incur an indebtedness of the said town of the Inhabitants of the town of Postage Des Sioux in the amount of Fifteen Hundred (\$1,500⁰⁰/₁₀₀) dollars for the purpose of acquiring by purchase a parcel of Real Estate within the limits of said town being part of Block (29) Town of Postage Des Sioux, known as (Helling's Hall) to be used by said town as its town hall for use by its Public Officers and other uses, and to evidence said indebtedness by the issuance of Bonds in said amount for said purpose, designating the polling places there for naming the Judges of said Election, Prescribing the form of ballot to be used thereat, and the form of notice of said Election, and directing the Publication of said notice.

Was introduced by trustee D. Klinghammer read in full for its first reading by the Clerk and taken up for consideration.

It was moved by trustee Wm Le Clair and seconded by trustee Peter A. Eckel that all rules of the board of trustees of the inhabitants of the Town of Postage Des Sioux Missouri which might prevent, unless suspended, the passage and adoption of said proposed ordinance at this meeting be suspended for the purpose of permitting the passage and adoption of said ordinance at this meeting.

The roll was called upon the question of the adoption of the motion for the suspension of such rules, with the following results.

(over)

Trustee Wm Le Clair - yea
 Trustee Peter A. Echele yea
 Trustee Clyde Beulsmith yea
 Trustee O. J. Klinghammer yea
 Trustee Lawrence Poeling yea
 The chairman declared such motion carried

Trustee Peter A. Echele then moved that said proposed ordinance be now passed to its second reading. Trustee Wm Le Clair seconded the motion

The roll was called upon the question of the passage of said ordinance to its second reading, with the following results,

Trustee Wm Le Clair voted yea
 Trustee Peter A. Echele voted yea
 Trustee Clyde Beulsmith voted yea
 Trustee O. J. Klinghammer yea
 Trustee Lawrence Poeling voted yea

The chairman declared the motion carried the proposed ordinance was thereupon read a second time in full

Trustee O. J. Klinghammer then moved that said proposed ordinance be now passed to its third reading, Trustee, Wm Le Clair seconded the motion

The roll was called upon the question of the passage of said ordinance to its third reading.

Trustee Wm Le Clair voted yea
 Trustee Peter A. Echele voted yea
 Trustee Clyde Beulsmith voted yea
 Trustee O. J. Klinghammer voted yea
 Trustee Lawrence Poeling voted yea

The chairman declared the motion carried the proposed ordinance was read third time in full.

Trustee Lawrence Poeling thereupon moved that the said proposed ordinance be placed upon its final passage, as introduced and read, without amendment, Trustee O. J. Klinghammer seconded the motion

The roll was called upon the motion of placing the proposed ordinance upon its final passage, as introduced and read, without amendment, with the following results: ✓

Trustee Wm L. Clair voted yea
 Trustee Peter A. Echele voted yea
 Trustee Clyde Beilsmith voted yea
 Trustee O. J. Klinghammer voted yea
 Trustee Lawrence Poeling voted yea

The Chairman Clyde Beilsmith there upon put the question "Shall the proposed ordinance entitled:

An ordinance providing for the calling and holding of special Election for the purpose of testing the sense of the Qualified voters of the inhabitants of the town of Portage Des Sioux Missouri, on the following proposition

To incur an Indebtedness of the said town, of the inhabitants of the town of Portage Des Sioux Missouri in the amount of Fifteen hundred $\$1,500.\frac{00}{100}$ Dollars for the purpose of acquiring by purchase a parcel of real estate within the limits of said town being part of Block (29) town of Portage Des Sioux, known as Fehlig's Hall to be used by said town hall for use by its Public Officers and other uses, and to evidence said indebtedness by the issuance of Bonds in said amount for said purpose, Designated for the polling places therefor naming the Judges of said Election,

Prescribing the form of ballots to be used
 thereat, and the form of notice of said Election,
 and Directing the Publication of said notice,
 be finally passed as read "

The roll was called upon the question
 of the passage of said proposed Ordinance,
 with the following results.

Trustee Wm Le Claire voted yea
 Trustee Peter A. Echele voted yea
 Trustee Clyde Beulsmith voted yea
 Trustee A. J. Klinghammer voted yea
 Trustee Lawrence Poeling voted yea

The Chairman Clyde Beulsmith thereupon
 declared said motion carried and the proposed
 ordinance, finally passed and adopted. The
 Chairman then signed said Ordinance
 in approval thereof and it became Ordinance
 No. 107 - of the inhabitants of the town
 of Portage Des Sioux, Missouri

It was then moved by Wm Le Claire
 that the Chairman and all the trustees sign
 the minutes of this meeting in attestation of
 the correctness thereof. This motion was second
 ed by trustee Peter A. Echele

The roll was called, with following results
 It was then moved by Trustee Lawrence Poeling and
 seconded by A. J. Klinghammer that the meeting adjourn
 The motion carried and the meeting adjourned.

Clyde Beulsmith
 Wm Le Claire
 Peter A. Echele
 A. J. Klinghammer
 Lawrence R. Poeling

P. A. Echele
 Town Clerk

August 7 - 1944

The meeting was called to order by Trustees, and Chairman of Board Clyde Beelsmith at 8:30 P.M. With all members of Board present absent none.

The minutes of regular meeting read and approved as read, motion by Mr Le Clair seconded by C. J. Klinghammer and carried.

The Clerk read the Collector's report ^{as follows}

Balance on Deposit	\$ 859.42
Deposit in Bank	23.67
Total deposit as of Aug 7 - 1944	\$ 883.39

A motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by Peter A. Ebele and carried the report of Collector was accepted

The Clerk read the following bills

Union Electric Co.	\$ 14.00
Mr Le Clair 21 hr @ 1.25 mowing tract	26.25
Paul Kirtz 65 hr @ 35 per hr	22.75
Mrs Beulah Bars Clerk's outfit to St. Charles	13.25
Disbursements	\$ 76.25
Total Cash Balance	\$ 807.14

A motion by C. J. Klinghammer seconded by Mr Le Clair and carried bills as read were order paid

No other business to be transacted, on motion by Peter Ebele, seconded by Lawrence Poeling, and carried the meeting adjourned.

Clyde Beelsmith
Chairman

P. A. Ebele
Clerk

September 11 - 1944

The meeting was called to order by Chairman of Board Clyde Beilsmith at 8³⁵ P. M. with all members of Board present absent none.

Minutes of the regular meeting held Aug. 7 were read and approved, on motion made by Peter Echele seconded by Lawrence Poeling, were approved as read.

The Clerk read the following report of the treasurer Mrs. Marie Beilsmith.

Balance on Deposits		\$807.14
The Clerk was ordered to pay following bills:		
Francisco's 42 Children 1st		\$31.50
Union Electric		14.00
Harry Gruner for clerk at special	Electric meter	3.00
Paul Kertz " " Judge	Electric meter Aug 8-44	3.00
Joseph M. Boucher " " "		3.00
Frank Rovia " " "		3.00
Rev. L. Suffer for polling place	School house	2.50
Notes disbursement		\$60.00
		60.00
Balance on deposit as of today.		\$747.14

On motion by O. J. Klinghammer seconded by Mr. LeClair bill was read and order paid.

Suggestion by Clyde Beilsmith to have Lawrence Poeling investigate several prospective buyers for the building in Town Hall, and to report to board at next regular meeting.

Suggestion by Peter Echele for Mr. LeClair make necessary repairs on town grader and reconstruction in grader for dragging streets.

No other business to be transacted on motion by Peter A. Echele seconded by O. J. Klinghammer, and carried meeting adjourned.

Clyde Beilsmith
Chairman

Peter Echele
Clerk

October 2 - 1944

Regular meeting of Town Board was called to order by Chairman of Board Clyde Beilomith at 8:15 P.M.

Minutes of the regular meeting held Sept 11th read and approved as read.

The clerk read the following report of the Treasurer Mrs Marie Beilomith

Balance on Deposit ————— # 747.14

The following bills were ordered Paid

Franciscan Mun. tuition 42 Ch @ 75¢	- 31.50
Union Electric for Sept	14.00
Mr LeClaire for tires for Town Grader	45.00
Lawrence Poehling for 4 Keys @ .35¢	1.40
Mr LeClaire for 1 1/4 ton ^{for town hall} coal	8.45
Total Disbursements	# 100.35

Balance on deposit # 100.35
646.79

Motion by Lawrence Poehling seconded by Mr LeClaire bill were order paid as read.

Motion made by Peter C. Echle to sell snow fencing to Mr LeClaire there being no further need due to State aid providing the necessary protection the motion seconded by Lawrence Poehling

No other business to be transacted on motion by C. J. Klinghammer seconded by Mr LeClaire meeting adjourned

Clyde Beilomith
Chairman

P. Echle,
Clerk

November 6th 1944

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Board Clyde Beilsmith at 8 P.M. with all members present about none.

Minutes of regular meeting held Oct 2nd 1944 were read and approved as read.

The clerk read the following report of the treasurer Mrs. Marie Beilsmith

Balance on Deposit	\$ 646.79
Deposit	163.00
Total	\$ 809.79

The following bills were order paid

Franciscan Nurs 44 Children @ 75	33.00
Union Electric for Oct street lights	14.00
Rev. J. Puffer rent for school ^{for meeting}	6.00
Les Hoffman copy of real assessment	2.38
Total Disbursements	55.38
Total Balance	\$ 754.41

Motion by Peter A. Eichel seconded by Lawrence Poeling bills as read were order Paid.

It was suggested by Clyde Beilsmith for the town Board to have Euchre & Lotto in town hall Sunday Nov 26th at 2 P.M. also to solicit the support of every citizen of the town for prizes and take is also to solicit volunteer workers to make necessary improvements for the occasion.

No other business to be transacted on motion by Mrs J. Clair seconded by Lawrence Poeling and carried meeting adjourned.

Clyde Beilsmith
Chairman

A. Eichel
Clerk

December 4th 1944

Meeting was called to order by Chairman of Board Clyde Beilsmith at 8 P.M. all members of Board present.

Minutes of regular meeting held Nov 6th 1944 read and approved as read

The following report of Treasurer Mr. Beilsmith

Balance on deposit	754.41
Deposit	77.24
Total	\$ 831.65

Bills to be paid for Dec.	
Francisco Nuns 44 Children @ 75	33.00
Union Electric for Nov. St. lights	14.00
S. G. Adams Co for auto sticker	29.33
Henry J. J. for 4 spark plug @ 65¢	260
Total disbursement	78.93
Total Balance	\$ 752.72

Motion by Mrs. LeClaire seconded by C. J. Klingham bills of receipt were ordered paid.

Motion by Peter A. Echele and seconded by Lawrence Poeling authorizing the Clerk to have new warrants book printed for the General use and also to have one printed to be known as "Real Estate Fund" it was also the opinion of the Board to maintain a separate "Fund" of all income and expenses of the Town Hall.

Suggestion by Clyde Beilsmith to make necessary improvements to provide amusement for the children of the town, and the surrounding community as well.

No other business to be transacted on motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by Mrs. LeClaire meeting adjourned at 10²⁰

A. Echele
Clerk

Chairman
Clyde Beilsmith.

January 8th 1945

Meeting was called to order by the Chairman of the Board Clyde Beilsmith at 8:10 P.M.

Minutes of regular meeting held Dec 4 1944 read and approved as read.

The Clerk read the following report of Treasurer Mrs. M. Beilsmith

Balance on Deposit	\$752.72
Deposits Jan 4 th 1945	64.73
Total Balance	\$817.45

The following bills were ordered Paid

Franciscan Nurs' 44 children ^{@ 75 each}	33.00
Union Electric street lights ^(Dec 1944)	14.00
Banner News for ads ^{Bond issue notice}	24.55
Total disbursement	71.55

Balance \$745.90

Motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by O. J. Klinghammer bills as read were order paid.

The condition of the roof on porch east end of Town Hall was discussed, suggested by Peter A. Echle seconded by O. J. Klinghammer, ^{authorize} to have Clyde Beilsmith to take measurements and buy metal roofing.

Due to severe cold weather condition and the absence of Board member Wm. Le Clair it was suggested to have a quorum.

No other business to be transacted motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by O. J. Klinghammer meeting adjourned at 9:30 P.M.

Clyde Beilsmith
Chairman

A. Echle
Clerk

Ordinance No. 110

This Contract, entered into this (5th) day of February 1945, by and between Union Electric Company of Missouri, a corporation of the State of Missouri, its successors and assigns, herein after called "Contractor" and the Village of Portage Des Sioux, Incorporated as the Inhabitants of the Town of Portage Des Sioux a municipal Corporation operating under the Laws of the State of Missouri

The Village, acting by its Board of trustees, does hereby award to the Contractor all the lighting by means of Electricity of its streets, avenues, alleys and public places of the Village of Portage Des Sioux as they may now exist or may hereafter be established or opened within the limits of said Village, as said limits now exist or may be extended, for a term of ten (10) years from and after the date of this contract, in the manner and to the extent hereinafter provided.

An ordinance providing for the lighting by Electricity of the streets, avenues, alleys and other Public places in the Village of Portage Des Sioux, Incorporated as the Inhabitants of the Town of Portage Des Sioux, in the State of Missouri, by Contract setting forth the terms of the Proposed Contract therefor between said Village and Union Electric Company of Missouri, its successors and assigns and permitting said Company to erect, operate and maintain Poles, Lines, Wires Cables and other appliances in the Streets and all other Public Places, necessary for the appropriate to the performance of said Contract

Trustee Lawrence Poelmy the moved that said proposed Ordinance be now read for the first time Trustee Peter C. Ebel seconded the motion.

The roll was called upon the question of the adoption, of the Ordinance as read with the following results

Trustee Clyde Beulsmith - yea
 Trustee Wm Le Clair - yea
 Trustee Peter A. Ebel - yea
 Trustee O. J. Klinghammer - yea
 Trustee Lawrence Poeling - yea

The Chairman declared such motion carried

Trustee O. J. Klinghammer then moved that said proposed ordinance be now passed to its second reading Trustee Wm Le Clair seconded the motion

The roll was called upon the question of the passage of said ordinance to its second reading with the following results

Trustee Clyde Beulsmith - yea
 Trustee Wm Le Clair - yea
 Trustee O. J. Klinghammer - yea
 Trustee Peter A. Ebel - yea
 Trustee Lawrence Poeling - yea

The Chairman declared the motion carried the proposed ordinance was there upon read a second time.

Trustee Wm Le Clair then moved that said proposed ordinance be now passed to its third reading. Trustee Peter A. Ebel seconded the motion

The roll was called upon the question of the passage of said ordinance to its third reading.

Trustee Clyde Beulsmith - yea
 Trustee Wm Le Clair - yea
 Trustee Peter A. Ebel - yea
 Trustee O. J. Klinghammer - yea
 Trustee Lawrence Poeling - yea

Trustee Clyde Bealwith - yea
 Trustee Wm L. Clair - yea
 Trustee Peter A. Echle - yea
 Trustee O. J. Klinghammer - yea
 Trustee Lawrence Poeling - yea

The Chairman Clyde Bealwith thereupon declared said motion carried and the proposed ordinance, finally passed and adopted. The Chairman then signed said ordinance in approval thereof and it became Ordinance No. 110. of the inhabitants of the Town of Portage Des Sioux Missouri

It was then moved by Lawrence Poeling that the Chairman and all the Trustees sign the minutes of this meeting in attestation of the correctness thereof. This motion was seconded by Trustee O. J. Klinghammer.

The roll was called with the following result

February 5th 1945

Regular monthly meeting of the Board of Trustees was called to order by Chairman of Board Clyde Beulmuth.

Minutes of regular meeting read and approved as read

Clerk read the following report of Treasurer Mrs M. Beulmuth

Balance on Deposit	\$745.90
Deposit January 16-1945	140.05
" February 3 rd 1945	<u>137.47</u>
Balance	\$1023.42

Following bills were ordered paid

Franciscan Num 44 Children's Fund	33.00
Union Electric street lighting	14.00
National Printing Co. for check books	<u>13.80</u>
Total disbursement	<u>60.80</u>
Net Balance	\$962.62

Motion by Peter A. Echele seconded by Mrs L. Clark bills as read were order paid.

Plans were presented at this meeting by Representatives of the Union Electric Company of Missouri, Mr Elmer Wayne and Mr. Carter Lewis for the installation of (six) additional street lights at the following locations:

- (1) Washington and Church Street
- (2) Second and Latour Street
- (3) Washington and Fourth Street
- (4) Latour and Common Field Street
- (5) Saucier Street and Common Field Street
- (6) Main Street and Lawrence Street

Chairman of the Board, Clyde Beulmuth presented the matter of adopting the installation of the six additional lights at the above location, according to Contract.

Trustee Peter A. Echele then moved that said plan be accepted, and Trustee Lawrence seconded the motion. Chairman Clyde Beulmuth therefore declared said motion carried and the proposed Plan be adopted.

No other business to be transacted
 motion by O. J. Klinghammer, seconded by
 Wm L. Clair meeting adjourned.

Peter A. Echele
 Clerk

Clyde Beilsmith
 Chairman

March 5th 1945

Regular monthly meeting of the Board
 of Trustees, was called to order by Chairman
 of Board Clyde Beilsmith.

Minutes of previous meeting read
 and approved as read.

Clerk read the report of Treasurer
 Mrs M. Beilsmith

Balance on Deposit	\$ 962.62
Deposit March 1 st	31.00
Balance as of March 5 th	\$ 993.62

The following bills were ordered Paid

Freemason Muns 44 ch @ 75 [¢]	33.00
Union Electricist lights	14.00

Total disbursement	47.00
Net Balance	\$ 946.62

Motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by
 O. J. Klinghammer bills as read and order
 paid.

The nomination of Election Judges
 being the next order of business.

Wm L. Clair nominated H. W. Granger Clerk
 Peter A. Echele nominated Paul Hartzogs Judge
 Clyde Beilsmith nominated Joe W. Borchert "
 O. J. Klinghammer nominated J. B. Borchert "

The regular town Election to be held
 April 3rd 1945 to elect five citizens of the
 town to serve for the ensuing year.

Clyde Beilsmith

April 2nd 1945

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beelsmith 8¹² P.M. with all members present absent none.

Minutes of regular meeting held March 5th read and approved as read

Treasurer report by Mrs. Marie Beelsmith

Balance on Deposit	\$ 946.62
Deposit March 6 th 1945	487.00
" " 15 "	74.00
Cash on hand	8.90
	<u>\$1516.32</u>

Pay on Checks	.21
Balance	<u>\$1516.11</u>

The Clerk read the following report of treasurer for the fiscal year from March 22nd 1944 to March 15th 1945

Balance on Deposit ^{Receipts} March 22-1944	1007.72
Town real estate Taxes	181.83
Common's Taxes	1509.47
Rent for occupied St.	14.50
Occupational license's	50.00
Cattle Taxes	117.00
Miscellaneous income	157.25
Total income	<u>\$3037.77</u>

Disbursements	1521.66
Net Balance	<u>\$1516.11</u>

The following Bill were order paid

Franciscan Nuns ^{4 ch @ 75¢}	\$33.00
Wm Le Clair trustee fees	12.00
Clyde Beelsmith trustee fees	12.00
P. A. Echele trustee fees	12.00
O. J. Klinghammer, fees	12.00
L. J. Poeliny trustee fees	12.00
A. J. Echele Clerk fees	15.00
Mrs. Marie Beelsmith Coll fees	37.12
Wm Le Clair ^{10 hr @ 50¢} 13 grading 6 hour labor on grade ^{@ 75¢}	19.25
Peter A. Echele 6 hr @ 75¢	4.50
Paul Kurtz 8 hr @ 50¢	4.00
Franciscan Nuns typing financial St.	3.00
Union Electric street lights March 1945	10.08
Total Disbursements	<u>\$185.95</u>

Net Balance 1516.11
 Total Disbursements 185.95
 Balance \$1330.16

Motion by Peter A. Ekehle seconded by Lawrence Poeling, bills as read were order^{Paid}

Due to the election to be held April 3rd to elect five board members, no other business to be transacted, Motion by Lawrence Poeling to adjourn seconded by Mrs Le Claire meeting adjourned at 10:30 P.M.

Clyde Beilsmith
 Chairman

Clerk
 A. Ekehle

May 8th 1945

The board of trustees met in regular session at 8:15 P.M. at the regular meeting place in town hall with the town Clerk A. J. Ekehle presiding and with all duly elected members of board present

The temporary chairman called the meeting to order, the first order of business was to elect the officers for the ensuing year.

Peter A. Ekehle made a motion which was seconded by Lawrence Poeling and carried unanimously, that all elected and appointed officers for the year 1944 and 1945 be re-elected and reappointed for the year 1945 and 1946

The officers selected being as follows
 Chairman of the Board Clyde Beilsmith
 Town Marshal Mrs Le Claire

Street Com { Mrs Le Claire
 Peter A. Ekehle
 O. J. Klunghammer

The officers being reappointed were Mrs Beilsmith Town Collector and Treasurer, A. J. Ekehle Town Clerk.

The Clerk read the minutes of meeting held April 2 1945. On motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by Mrs Le Claire minutes were

approved as read.

Clerk read the report of Town treasure Mrs. Beilsmith

Balance on deposit \$1330.16

Deposit April 26 - 1945 108.30

Balance \$1438.46

The following bills were order paid

Rauch Lumber Co. supplies for hall	# 248.34
St. Charles quarry 18.35 Tom crushed rock	35.57
Franciscan Munitution for 44 ch @ 75	33.00
Union Electric street lighting	19.32
H. W. Grasser Election Clerk election	6.00
Paul Firty Election judge & 4 laborers	5.00
J. W. Borscher Election judge	3.00
J. W. Borscher Election judge	3.00
Union Electric light town hall	1.24
Total disbursement	354.47
Net Balance	\$1083.99

Motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by Mrs. Le Claire bills as read were order paid.

No other business to be transacted on motion by Mrs. Le Claire seconded by Peter A. Echele meeting adjourned at 10:20 P.M.

Clyde Beilsmith

Clerk
A. Echele

June 4th 1945

Meeting of Board of Trustees of the Inhabitant of the town of Postage & Dixon Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved as read.

The Clerk read the report of Treasure Mrs. Beilsmith

Balance \$1083.99

Deposit 155.97

Balance June 4th \$1239.96

Motion by P. A. Echele seconded by Lawrence Poeling treasure report be accepted as read

(over)

The following bills were ordered Paid

Bond No. 2 #100 ⁰⁰ Retirement on principle #18 ⁰⁰ interest	
Paid to St Charles Saving Bank	#168.00
Franciscan News 44ck @ 75	33.00
Joe Echelle Earnest money ^{part payment} apt	50.00
of purchase price of Town hall	
Wm Le Claire of Mr mowing @ \$1.50 per hr	
8 hr labor @ 75 per hr.	16.50
Mrs Cecilia Hickling for piano in hall	10.00
U. Electric lights for town hall	1.24
Frank Saale 2 hr labor ^{50 per hr} repair culvert	1.00
Total Disbursement	279.74
Net Balance	#960.22

Motion by O. J. Klinghammer seconded by Wm Le Claire bills as read were ordered approved as read.

Motion by P. A. Echelle that town Marshall Wm Le Claire collect auto License from the Citizens who have not paid there town License. the Motion was seconded by T. Poetney

There being no other business to transact Motion by O. J. Klinghammer seconded by Wm Le Claire making a journal 1045 7

Lyde Beilsmith
Chairman

Clerk
A. Echelle

July 2 1945

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants of the town of Postage De Sioux was called to order by Chairman Lyde Beilsmith

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved by entire Board
The report of Treasurer Mrs Beilsmith as follows

Balance	#960.22
Deposit	425.52
Total Balance	#1385.74

Motion by O. J. Klinghammer seconded by Lawrence Poeling treasury report be approved
The following bills were order Paid

St. Charles Quarry Co. 250. ^{#1.90 per ton} _{60 ton of rocks}	485.66
Gus Le Claire 13 hr. rock hauling ^{#1.50 per hr}	19.50
W. Electric start lighting ^{town hall #1.00} _{\$12.88}	13.88
Peter A. Echelle 13 hr. labor .50¢ per hr	6.50
Mr. Pfeiffer 4 hr. labor .50¢ per hr.	2.00
Total Disbursement	527.54

Net Balance #858.20

Motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by P. A. Echelle bills be approved as read

A request of the town Board by Mr. D. Rehm to pay for improvement of sidewalks in front of (Store) after due consideration it was the opinion of the Board not to make such improvement other citizens would object to such practice as the towns revenue would not justify for such claims.

Motion by Peter A. Echelle that O. J. Klinghammer explain the decision of the Board to Mr. Rehm the motion was seconded by Lawrence Poeling.

Emmons Abstract Co. of St. Charles Mo. requesting the Town Board to give quit Claim Deed for the (North East quarter) of Block No. 44 known as the King's property, the Deed the being presented to the Board for their approval, and to be signed by Chairman and Clerk of Board and execute same before Notary Public. after discussion by the Board Motion by L. Poeling to give quit claim Deed to the Emmons Abstract Co of St. Charles the motion was seconded by Mr. Le Clair and unanimously approved by

The Board, the Deed thereupon was signed by Chairman & Clerk of Board and Deed delivered to Emmons Abstract Co.

There being no other business to be transacted Motion by O. J. K. seconded by Wm. J. Clair Making adjourned

Clyde Beilsmith
Chairman

Clerk
A. Echels

August 6th 1945

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants of the Town of Portage Des Sioux was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith.

The minutes of the regular meeting held July 2nd 1945 were read and approved on motion made by Peter A. Echels, seconded by Wm. J. Clair and ^{carried}

The Clerk read the Treasurer report:-

Balance #858.20

The following bills were order Paid

Union Electric street lights ^{+1.00 town hall} \$12. ⁸⁵	13.88
Gus Le Clair mowing Streets 15 ⁴⁴ / 150	22.50
Total disbursement	46.38

Balance #811.82

Due to Board members Clyde Beilsmith and Peter A. Echels being officers of the Cemetery Association, a scheduled meeting being held demanded their presents. Motion by J. Voelting seconded by Wm. J. Clair to adjourn.

Clyde Beilsmith
Chairman

Clerk
A. Echels

September 10th 1945

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitant of the town of Postage Des Moines, Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith.

The minutes of previous meeting read and approved as read.

The Clerk read the following report of Treasurer.

Balance	821.82
Deposit	<u>174.00</u>
Balance	2 995.82

On motion made by Mrs Le Clair seconded by P. A. Echele and carried, above report was accepted as read.

The following bills were order Paid	
Franciscan Minn 43ck @ 7.4	32.25
Union Electric street Lighting 12 ⁵⁵ full 1 ⁰⁰	13.88
Gus Le Clair 5hr 50¢ per hr.	<u>2.50</u>
Total Disbursements	48.63
Net Balance	\$947.19

The subject of repairing the town grader was brought before the Board by Chairman, to make necessary repairs and recondition said grader after discussion the part necessary tires and other replacement, it was the unanimous opinion of the Board, the cost would not justify considering the general condition of grader.

P. A. Echele suggested to Board member Mrs Le Clair to make bid for Grader including three rolls of fencing 12 posts. Mrs Le Clair bid \$60⁰⁰

Chairman then called for motion to sell said grader and fencing for said bid.

Motion by C. J. Klinghammer to sell grader and fencing to Mrs Le Clair for \$60⁰⁰ the motion was seconded by Lawrence Poeling and carried.

There being no other business to be transacted Motion by P. A. Echele to adjourn seconded by Mrs Le Clair and carried ^{meeting} adjourned

Chairman
Clyde Beilsmith
Clerk A. Echele

October 1st 1945

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitant of the Town of Postage De Sionne Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith

Minutes of the regular meeting was read and approved on motion by O. J. Klinghammer seconded by Mr. Le Clair and carried.

Clerk read the report of Treasurer
Balance

#947.19

Motion by P. A. Echele seconded by O. J. Klinghammer
treasurer report accepted as read.

The following Bills were ordered Paid

Franciscan Muns 43 ch @ .75 ^t	32.25
St Charles Co. Treasure for asphalt rock used for street improvement	
2875 gal asphalt 12 ³ / ₄ cent per gal	
67-95 tons of rock #1 ⁸⁰ per ton	49864 53089
Total Disbursement	
Balance	416.30

On motion by P. A. Echele seconded by Mr. L. Clair
above bills were ordered Paid.

The subject of making some necessary improvement was brought before the Board by Chairman to Paint north side of Hall in order to protect inner wall from moisture to avoid damage to the newly plastered wall's

No other business to be transacted on motion by O. J. Klinghammer seconded by Lawrence Polking meeting adjourned

Clerk
A. Echele

Chairman
Clyde Beilsmith

November 5th 1945

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants of the Town of Portage Des Sioux Mo. was called called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith

The minutes of the regular meeting held Oct 1st read and approval as read on motion by Mr L. Clair seconded by Lawrence Poeling and carried

The Clerk read the report of Treasurer

Net Balance	416.30
Deposit Oct. 24	103.88
Balace	\$520.18

An motion by A. J. Klinghammer seconded by Peter A. Echele. Treasur report accepted was read.

The following bills were order Paid
Franciscan Nurs 43ch @ 75 32.25

Union Electric Month of Sept & October	# 25.76	
street lighting Town Hall	2.09	27.85
Total Disbursement		60.10
Balace		460.08

Motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by Mr L. Clair the above bill were order Paid

The Chairman give an account of the Union Electric stating their intention to extend the necessary lines to the designated street intersections as was granted upon at regular meeting held Feb. 5th 1945

Resolution by A. J. Klinghammer to have Board Meeting 7 P.M. Resolution was unanimously agreed upon by all members of the Board

No other business to be transacted on motion by P. A. Echele seconded by Lawrence Poeling meeting adjourned

Chairman
Clyde Beilsmith

Clerk
A. Echele

December 3rd 1945

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitant of the Town of Postage D^{ist} District Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith

Minutes of the regular meeting held Nov 5th 1945 was read and approved as read on motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by Mr Le Clair

Clerk read the report of Treasurer

Balance 460.08

Motion by C. J. Klinghammer seconded by P. A. Echel report accepted as read.

The following Bills were ordered Paid

Franciscan Missions	43 ch @ 75	32.25
Union Electric street lighting	12 ⁸⁵ full \$1 ⁰⁰	14.28
Less Hoffman Copy real Estate Tax		2.56
Total Disbursement		49.09

Balance #410.99

Motion by Mr Le Clair seconded by C. J. Klinghammer the above bills were ordered paid.

The Chairman Clyde Beilsmith then mentioned to the Board Mr. Frank Raugh a member of Chamber of Commerce of St Charles stating their intention of sending two representatives to organize a Community Fire Department

A Community meeting scheduled Dec 12th 1945 at 8 P.M. in town Hall to make appointment of Officers and solicitors.

No other business to be transacted on motion by P. A. Echel seconded by J. Poeling meeting adjourned at 10 P.M.

Clerk
A. Echel

Chairman
Clyde Beilsmith

January 7th 1946
 Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants
 of the town of Postage & Dixie Mo was called
 to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith.

Minutes of regular meeting held Dec 3rd
 was read and approved as read

The Chairman then presented the
 report of Treasurer same to be read for
 approval by Board.

Balance	410.99
Deposit January 2 - 1946	125.31
Balance	536.30

Motion by P. A. Echele seconded by
 Mrs Le Clair Treasurers report accepted & read

The following bills were ordered Paid

St Charles Quarry for 23.39 tons of rock for street improvement @ 1.90	\$45.32
American News 43 ch @ 75	32.25
Union street lighting #12 ⁸⁵ hall #1 ⁰⁰	13.88
Total Disbursement	91.45
Balance	\$444.85

Leroy Barnard presented the following
 road improvement plan to Board members
 for their approval, that any time the County
 equipment was used for street repair or im-
 provement, that Street Commissioner Mrs Le Clair
 make necessary agreement to use said equipment
 on street to River that he Leroy Barnard would
 pay all cost of said repairs or improvement

No. other business to be transacted
 on motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded
 by C. J. Klinghammer meeting adjourned

Chairman
 Clyde Beilsmith

Clerk
 P. A. Echele

February 4th 1946

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants of the Town of Portage Des Sioux Mo was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith

Minutes of regular meeting of Jan 7th read and approved as read.

The Clerk thereupon read the report of the Treasurer Mrs Beilsmith.

Balance	444.85
Deposit Jan 30 th 1946	216.52
Balance #	661.37

Motion by Lawrence Doeling seconded by C. J. Klinghammer treasurer report accepted ^{as read}

The following Bills were ordered Paid

Franciscan Men's 43 Ch @ 75	# 32.25
Union Electric street lighting including all night lighting can also see additional street light recently installed \$24 ⁵² / Fall 1 ⁰⁰	25.52
Total Disbursement	# 57.77
Balance	# 603.60

The condition of town streets was discussed by Board members to improve drainage of ditches. motion by C. J. Klinghammer authorizing street Commissioner Mrs. Clair to make necessary improvement motion was seconded by Lawrence Doeling and carried.

No other business to be transacted motion by Mrs. Le Clair to adjourn seconded by P. C. Echele meeting adjourned.

Clerk
P. C. Echele

Chairman
Clyde Beilsmith

March 4th 1946

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants of the Town of Postage & Sioux, Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beekwith Minutes of regular meeting held Feb 4th read and approved

Clerk read the report of Treasurer Mrs Beekwith
Balanced # 603.60

Deposit Feb 28th 1946 295.00
Balanced # 898.60

The following Bills were ordered Paid.

Franciscan News 43 ch @ 75¢	32.25
Union Electric street lighting 24 ⁵²	
Town Hall #1.00	1.00 = 25.52
Total Disbursement	57.77
Balanced	# 840.83

On motion by Peter A. Echele seconded by Wm Le Clair above bills were Paid.

The following citizens of the town were selected by the Board of Trustees to serve as officers of the regular town election to be held Tuesday April 2nd 1946

H.W. Grasser	was nominated	Clerk	by C. J. Klughammer
C.A. Rothermick	"	Judges	by Wm Le Clair
Paul Kirtz	"	"	by P.A. Echele
Aug Art	"	"	Law Pooling
E.J. Duvall	alternate	"	Clyde Beekwith

Five citizens are to be elected as a Board of Trustees to serve for the ensuing year
Town Hall selected as Polling place.

The Chairman brot before the Board meeting the advisability of quit Claiming unto Joe Echele holding title for any further use by the town of Postage & Sioux, Mo.

Chairman then called upon the Board to consider offer made by Joe Echele to repurchase said property and pay to said town the sum of \$1023.00 for a quit claim deed by said town, conveying to him its interest in said ground and repairs made in and to the building on said lot, but not including any (book)

Counter tops, tables, benches, chairs or safe or anything on the main floor of said Building
 Thereupon it was moved by Trustee J. P. Le Clair and seconded by Peter K. Echele that Town Board accept offer by J. P. Echele for said Building and lot of ground, and Town forever quit claim said lot of ground and Building known as Public Hall.

Trustee Lawrence Poeling thereupon moved that the Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitant of the Town of Portage Des Sioux Mo. be authorized to execute and deliver a quit claim deed for the South Fifty five 55 feet of the East half of Block 29, in the Town of Portage Des Sioux, St Charles County Missouri.

O. J. Klinghammer seconded the motion
 Chairman thereupon declared said motion carried and that quit claim deed be delivered.

No other business to be transacted to be transacted upon motion by J. P. Echele to adjourn, seconded by Mrs. Le Clair meeting adjourned 9:45 P.M.

Clerk
 J. Echele

Chairman
 Lyde Beilsmith

ORDINANCE NO. 111

An ordinance to authorize a sale and transfer of the title or interest of the Inhabitants of the Town of Portage des Sioux, in the State of Missouri, to the South fifty-five (55') feet of the east half of Block 29 of the Town of Portage des Sioux to Joseph Echele and certain lumber and counters contained in the building on said lot and directing the Chairman of the Board of Trustees to make and deliver a deed for the same to said Echele.

WHEREAS, The Town of the Inhabitants of The Town of Portage des Sioux, Missouri, did on the 13 day of June, 1945, enter into an agreement with Joseph Echele by which it bargained with the said Echele to purchase from him the said fifty five (55') feet of the East half of Block 29, Town of Portage des Sioux, paid \$50.00 only of the purchase price, took possession thereof and made alterations of and repairs to the building thereon and thereby acquired an equitable title or ^{interest} to said property, which property was intended for use by said Town as its Town Hall and for use by its officers:

WHEREAS, said Joseph Echele has offered to ^{re-}purchase said property and pay to said Town the sum of \$ 1023^{00/100} for a quit claim deed by said Town conveying to him its interest in said ground and all alterations and repairs made in and to the building on said lot of ground and all lumber now located in the basement or cellar of said building and formerly a constituent part of said building, also two large counters on main floor, but not including any counter tops, tables, benches, chairs or safe, or anything on the main floor of said building except said two long counters.

WHEREAS, the said Town of the Inhabitants of the Town of Portage des Sioux has acquired other quarters for the use of its officers and it has been determined that said Town will not need the said Echele property for said uses and that the said offer by said Echele will compensate the said Town for the amount paid to said Echele for said property and also for all alterations, repairs and improvements made on said lot by said Town and it is considered that it would be to the best interest of said Town to accept the said offer by said Echele and quit claim said property to him.

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Ordained by the Inhabitants of the Town of Portage des Sioux, in the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section One. That the Inhabitants of the Town of Portage des Sioux, in the State of Missouri quit claim, sell and convey to Joseph Echele, his heirs and assigns, for the sum of \$ 1023⁰⁰/₁₀₀ the following described lot of ground, to-wit:-

The South fifty five (55') feet of the East half of Block 29, in the Town of Portage des Sioux, St. Charles County, Missouri, bounded East by LeSieur Street, South by Church Street, West by West half of said Block and north by property formerly belonging to Brust together with all allocations, repairs and improvements made on said lot by said Town and all lumber now located in the basement or cellar of the building on said lot and formerly a constituent part of said building and also two large counters on the main floor of said building, but no counter tops, tables, benches, chairs, safe or other movable property on said main floor.

Section Two. That the Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants of Town of Portage des Sioux, State of Missouri, be, and hereby is authorized, in the name of the Inhabitants of the Town of Portage des Sioux, Missouri to execute, acknowledge and deliver to Joseph Echele a quit claim deed conveying to said Joseph Echele, his heirs and assigns the said described lot of ground and improvements thereon together with all alterations and repairs made in and to the building on said lot and all lumber now located in the basement or cellar of said building formerly a constituent part of said building and two long counters on the main floor of said building but no other movable property on said main floor. Said deed to be sealed with the corporate seal of said Town and to be counter signed by the Town Clerk.

Reading of Ordinance No. 111 April 1st 1946

An Ordinance to authorize a sale and transfer of the title or interest of the Inhabitant of the Town of Postage Des Moines Mo in the State of Missouri, to the South fifty-five (55) feet of the east half of Block 129 of the Town of Postage Des Moines to Joseph Ebel and certain lumber and counters contained in the building of said lot and directing the Chairman of the Board of Trustees to make and deliver a quit claim deed to said Joseph Ebel.

Trustee Peter A. Ebel then moved that said proposed Ordinance No. 111 be now read for the first time Trustee Lawrence Poling seconded the motion.

The roll was called upon the question of the adoption of the Ordinance as read with the following results

Trustee Clyde Belemith	yes
Trustee Peter A. Ebel	yes
Trustee Mrs. Le Clair	yes
Trustee A. J. Klinghammer	yes
Trustee Lawrence Poling	yes

The Chairman declared such motion carried

Trustee A. J. Klinghammer then moved that said ordinance be now passed to its second reading Trustee Mrs. Le Clair seconded the motion

The roll was called upon the question of the passage of said ordinance to its second reading with the following results

Trustee Clyde Belemith	yes
Trustee Peter A. Ebel	yes
Trustee Mrs. Le Clair	yes
Trustee A. J. Klinghammer	yes
Trustee Lawrence Poling	yes

The Chairman declared motion carried the proposed ordinance was there upon read a second time

Trustee Lawrence Poeling then moved that said proposed ordinance be now passed to its third reading, Trustee P. A. Echel seconded the motion.

The roll was called upon the question of the passage to its third reading.

Trustee Clyde Beel Smith yes
 Trustee P. A. Echel yes
 Trustee Lawrence Poeling yes
 Trustee Wm Le Clair yes
 Trustee A. J. Klinghammer yes

The Chairman declared the motion carried the proposed ordinance was read for the third time.

Trustee A. J. Klinghammer thereupon moved that proposed ordinance be placed upon its final passage, as introduced and read without amendment, Wm Le Clair seconded the motion.

The Chairman Clyde Beel Smith thereupon put the question "Shall the proposed ordinance ^{intended}

an ordinance to authorize a sale and transfer of the title or interest of the Inhabitant of the Town of Postage Des Sioux in the State of Missouri, to the South fifty five (55) feet of the East half of Block No 59 of the Town of Postage Des Sioux to Joseph Echel and certain lumber and counter contained in the building on said lot and directing the Chairman of the Board of Trustees to make and deliver a quit claim deed for the same to said Echel.

The Chairman Clyde Beel Smith thereupon declared said motion carried and the proposed ordinance, finally passage and adoption. The Chairman and Trustees then signed said ordinance in approval thereof and it became Ordinance No. 111 of the Inhabitant of the Town of Postage Des Sioux Mo.

April 1st 1946
 Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants
 of the Town of Postage Dr. Sioy Mo. was called to order
 by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith.

Minutes of regular meeting held March 4th
 were read and approved as read.

The first order of business to be transacted Clerk
 to read Treasurer report

Balance	\$ 840.83
	<u>365.00</u>
Deposit March 13 th 1946	\$ 1205.83

The following bills were ordered Paid.

Clyde Beilsmith trustee fees	12.00
Mr. Le. Clair trustee fees	12.00
Peter A. Echle Trustee fees	12.00
A. J. Klinghammer trustee fees	12.00
Lawrence Poeling Trustee fees	12.00
C. J. Echle Clerk fees	20.00
Mrs. Marie Beilsmith Collector fees	43.60
Franciscus Munition 43 ch @ .75 [¢]	32.25
Union Electric streeting lighting	25.52
Wm D. Piesser 24 hr labor 50 [¢] per hr	12.00
Lawrence Le. Clair 20 hr 50 [¢] per hr	10.00
Postage Dr. Sioy Volunteer Fire Dept	100.00
Shinner Kennedy town tax book	77.99
Total Disbursement	<u>381.36</u>
Balance	\$ 824.47

Financial Report (Warrent No. 684 - Canallal) 77.99
902.46

Balance March 24 1945	1516.11
Real estate tax	159.26
Commons tax	993.00
Street rent	7.00
Auto tax	120.50
Occupational license	55.00
Utility tax	118.52
St Francis Parish	212.60
Cemetery association	192.55
Frank Saah	11.05
Sale of Grader	60.00
Receipts from hall	40.02

Refund for rock

Total receipts \$ 3485.61

Disbursement

Franciscan tuition	327.75
Union Electric	180.57
Bond retirement	168.00
Simon Henke Co Treas oil	498.64
St Charles Quarry rock for St Francis Park	
Cemetery association Blank Seal	416.20
Rock for streets	150.35
Rauch Lumber Co. material for hall	248.34
Trustee Clerk & Treas. Salary	112.12
Election expenses	15.00
Labor on street	100.25
Leslie Hoffman Copying Taxes	2.56
Joe Echels payment on hall	50.00
Total Disbursement for Year	\$2279.78
Balance end of Fiscal Year	1205.83
Disbursement for Month of March	381.36

Net Balance \$824.47

Motion by Wm Le Clair to accept ^{Void payment} Treasurer report seconded by C. J. Klinghammer #90246

Mr. Geo. C. Tubersing appeared personally before the Town Board, requesting the Board to issue Tavern License to be used at My River Home located on Harnham Street on Block No. 80 in the Town of Postage & Lions Mo. The Chairman then stated to the applicant the sub; and regulation of Ordinance No. 100 defining regulation and controlling the sale of Malt Beverages to which he agreed to abide. after consideration by Board it was moved by P. C. Echels to issue License to Geo. C. Tubersing seconded by Lawrence Poeling and carried.

No other business to be transacted on motion by Wm Le Clair seconded by C. J. Klinghammer meeting adjourned

Chairman

Lloyd Beilsmith

Clerk

A. Echels

May 6th 1946
M. L. Hill B. O. R. + 111.

TRUSTEES' OATH OF OFFICE
TOWN OF PORTAGE DES SIOUX, MISSOURI

* * * * *

We, and each of us having been duly elected Trustee for the Town of Portage des Sioux, Missouri, at a regular annual election held on Tuesday, April 2nd, 1946, for the purpose of electing five (5) Trustees to serve the said Town during the ensuing year, do solemnly swear that we will execute the duties of such Trustees according to the law to the best of my and our ability and will not willingly violate or willingly permit to be violated any of the laws or ordinances of said Town according to the best of our ability and knowledge.

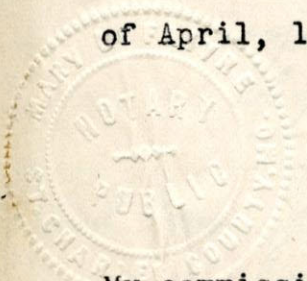
(Signed) Clyde Beilsmith Trustee
(Signed) Peter A. Echel Trustee
(Signed) Wm Le Claire Trustee
(Signed) O. J. Klinghammer Trustee
(Signed) L. P. Poelung Trustee

State of Missouri)
County of St. Charles)

Before me Notary Public with and for said County appeared

Clyde Beilsmith Wm Le Claire L. P. Poelung
Peter A. Echel O. J. Klinghammer to me personally known and who subscribed the foregoing, and who being by me sworn upon oath.

Done at Portage des Sioux, Missouri this 10th day of April, 1946.



Mary Lawrence
Notary Public

My commission expires Oct. 23rd 1947

of a number of streets. Motion by P. A. Echel to authorize Street Com. to purchase rock. Second by O. J. Klinghammer. No other business to be transacted on motion by Wm Le Claire to adjourn seconded by Lawrence Poelung. Approved
Clerk A. Echel / Chairman Clyde Beilsmith

May 6th 1946

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitant of the Town of Portage Des Sioux Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith

Minutes of regular meeting held April 1st read and approved as read

The Clerk read the Treasurer report

Balance	902.46
Deposit April 24 th 1946	147.34
" May 2 nd 1946	1047.37
Balance	\$2097.17

The following Bills were ordered Paid

H. W. Greaser Clerk fees	3.00
Aug. Crp. Judge fees	3.00
C. M. Rothermel Judge fees	3.00
A. J. Duwall Judge fees	3.00
Franciscan Nun, Quitor 43 checks	32.25
Union Electric street lighting ^{town hall}	25.52
St Charles Quarry for 24-35 ton rock	49.67
Rauch Lumber & Snow Co for tile	153.15
Skinner Kennedy Stationary Co ^{for tank Book}	46.37
Total Disbursement	318.96
Net Balance	\$1778.21

The first order of business to be transacted by the newly elected Board of Trustees to serve 1946 to April 1947. the Clerk ^{A. J. Ecker} acting as temporary Chairman called the meeting to order.

Lawrence Poeling thereupon made a motion that all newly elected Officers for the ensuing year retain their same office this was seconded by O. J. Klinghammer. and carried.

Chairman of Board Clyde Beilsmith
 Town Marshall Wm Le Clair
 Collectors Treasurer Marie Beilsmith
 Clerk A. J. Ecker

The Chairman brought before the Board the condition of a number of streets. Motion by P. A. Ecker to authorize Street Com. to purchase rock seconded by O. J. Klinghammer. No other business to be transacted on motion by Wm Le Clair to adjourn seconded by Lawrence Poeling. adjourned

Clerk A. J. Ecker Chairman Clyde Beilsmith

June 3rd 1946

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitant of the Town of Portage, Des Moines, Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beelsmith meeting was held in the New Memorial Hall

Minutes of meeting held May 6th was read and approved as read. All members present
The Clerk read the report of Treasurer Marie Beelsmith

Balance	\$ 1778.21
Deposit May 29 th	132.00
Balance	\$ 1910.21

The following Bills were order Paid

Franciscan News 43 ch @ 75	32.25
U.S. State treasure for pump unit	591.00
Warrant St Charles Quarry 136-2 ton rock @ 2.00	277.85
No. 70 issued Joe Eitel half cost of abstract title	23.75
to St Charles Bank Mr Le Clair 2 hr grading @ 2.50 per hr	
amount in two hr moving street @ 1.50 per hr	68.00
Correct should be Mr Le Clair 1.8 hr labor @ 50¢ per hr	9.00
\$1.68 Union Electric street lighting	24.52
\$1.00 - principal St Charles Saving Bank No. 8701 - ^{warrant} 64.00 Cancelled	
64.00 interest	
Total disbursement	\$ 1024.37
Balance	\$ 885.84

On motion made by Mrs Le Clair seconded by Lawrence Poeling and carried above bills were ordered paid.

No other business to be transacted on motion by O. J. Klinghammer seconded by Peter H. Eitel Meeting adjourned

Chairman
Clyde Beelsmith

Clerk
A. Eitel

July 1st 1946

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitant of the Town of Portage Des Sioux Mo was called to ^{order} by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith

Minutes of the regular meeting held June was read and approved as read.

The Clerk read the report of the Treasurer Marie Beilsmith

Balance	# 883.84
Deposit June 5 th	595.00
Balance	# 1478.84

Motion by A. J. Klinghammer to accept Treasurer report seconded by Peter A. Eche

The following bills were order Paid

St Charles Savings Bank Bond Retirement	# 168.00
Union Electric Street Lighting	24.52
Total Disbursement.	192.52

Balance	# 1286.32
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Motion by Peter A. Eche seconded by A. J. Klinghammer above bills were order Paid no other business to be transacted on Motion by L. Poeling seconded by Mrs Le Claire meeting adjourned

Clerk J. Eche Chairman

August 5th 1946

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitant of the town of Portage Des Sioux Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith.

Minutes of the regular meeting held July 1st read and approved as read.

The Clerk read the report of Treasurer

Balance	# 1286.32
Deposit August 5 th 1946	195.20
Balance	# 1481.52

The following bills were ordered Paid

Union Electric street lighting	24.52
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Mrs Le Claire 13 hr mowing @ 1.50 per hr	19.50
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Mulling & Lashin Printing, Co.	7.30
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Disbursement	51.32
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Balance	# 1430.20
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An motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded

(over)

Bond No. 2

100.00 principle

68 = interest

by A. J. Klinghammer above bills were ordered
Paid.

No important business to be transacted
upon motion by Mrs. LeClair seconded by L. Poeling
meeting adjourned

Clerk
A. Echele

Chairman
Clyde Beilsmith

September 3rd 1946

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the
Inhabitants of the Town of Postage Des Moines, Mo.
was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith
meeting was held in New Memorial Hall.

Minutes of meeting held August 5th
was read and approved as read.

The Clerk read the report of Treasurer
Marie Beilsmith.

Balance \$1430.20

On motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded
by A. J. Klinghammer Clerk and Treasurer report be
approved as read. The following Bills were
ordered Paid.

Franciscan Nun's 47 ch. @ 75 ^c each	35.25
Union Electric street lighting	24.52
Mrs. LeClair this morning street @ 1.50	10.50

Total Disbursement 70.27

Net Balance \$1359.93

Tavern
Licenses
\$20.00
per year

Derril Rehm made application for Malt
Liquor License to sell 3.2 Beer in Tavern located
on Church & Lesieur St. On motion by P. A. Echele
to issue said License to the applicant. this was
seconded by Lawrence Poeling and carried.

Chairman then brought before the Board
members about having Personal Property included in
~~assess~~ tax assessment for 1946. after discussion by
Board members, upon motion by Mrs. LeClair and
seconded by A. J. Klinghammer and carried and it
was so ordered to include all Personal Property in
1946 tax assessment.

No other business to be transacted upon motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by A. J. Klinghammer meeting adjourned

Clerk
P. A. Echele

Chairman
Blyde Beilsmith

October 16th 1946

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants of the Town of Portage Des Sioux, Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith meeting held in New Memorial Hall.

Minutes of Meeting held September 3rd was read, upon motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by A. J. Klinghammer minutes be approved as read.

✓ Clerk read the Treasurer report of Miss Marie Beilsmith

Balance	\$ 1359.93
Deposit in Bank Sept 14 th 1946	52.00
New Balance	\$ 1411.93

Upon motion by P. A. Echele seconded by Lawrence Poeling, treasurer report be approved as read. The following bills were ordered Paid

Franciscan Mission 47 ch @ 75 [¢]	35.25
Union Electric street lighting	24.52
Disbursement	59.77
Balance	\$ 1352.16

On motion by A. J. Klinghammer seconded by Lawrence Poeling above bill were ordered Paid

✓ No important business to be transacted to adjourn was in order, upon motion by P. A. Echele seconded by Lawrence Poeling meeting adjourned.

Clerk

Chairman
Blyde Beilsmith

November 4th 1946

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants of the Town of Postage, DeSoto Co., was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith. meeting was held in the New Memorial Hall

Minutes of the meeting held October 7th was read and approved as read.

Clerk read the report of the Treasurer Marie Beilsmith.

Balance	\$1352.16
Deposit October 25 th 1946	26.00
Balance	1378.16

Motion by Lawrence Poeling, seconded by C. J. Klinghammer treasurer report be approved as read.

The following Bills were ordered Paid

Franciscan News 47ch @ 75 [¢] each	35.25
Union Electric Street lighting	24.52
Total Disbursement	59.77

Net Balance \$1318.39

Chairman brought before the Board, an order by place at S. G. Adams for auto License stickers for the Year 1947 & 48 inclusive. 75 stickers for each year. upon motion by C. J. Klinghammer seconded by Lawrence Poeling the Clerk be authorized to order said Licenses.

No other business to be transacted upon motion duly made and seconded meeting adjourned

Clerk
E. Schille

Chairman
Clyde Beilsmith

December 2nd 1946

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants of the Town of Postage, DeSoto Co., was called to order by the Chairman Clyde Beilsmith meeting was held in the Postage Community Fire Hall.

Minutes of the meeting held Nov 4th 1946 was read and approved.

Clerk read the report of the Treasurer Marie Beilsmith

Balance	#1318.39
Deposit Dec 2, 1946	90.00
Balance	#1408.39

Upon motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by Mrs. Le Claire report of Treasurer be accepted as read.

The following bills were ordered Paid

Franciscan Missions 44 @ 75 each	\$ 33.00
Union Electric street lighting	24.52
Les Hoffman copy of tax Books	2.62
Total Disbursement	\$ 60.14
Net Balance	\$ 1348.25

Upon motion by C. J. Klinghammer seconded by Lawrence Poeling above bills were order Paid.

The Chairman brought before the Board members. Copy of all Personal Property tax as was agreed upon at their regular meeting held Sept 3, 1946 that all personal Property be taxed in the Town of Portage Des Sioux Mo in order to provide more revenue for the general expenses of the town.

This was unanimously agreed upon by all Board members.

No other business to be transacted upon motion by C. J. Klinghammer seconded by Mrs. Le Claire meeting adjourned.

Chairman
Clerk
Scribe
Clyde Beilsmith

January 6th 1947

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitant of the town of Portage Des Sioux Mo. was held in the New Portage Community Fire Hall

Clerk called upon the members to appoint temporary Chairman in the absence of regular Chairman Clyde Beilsmith.

Upon motion by Lawrence Poeling to appoint Mrs. Le Claire as Chairman to preside over the regular schedule meeting this was seconded by C. J. Klinghammer.

Mrs. Le Claire then called the meeting to order. Minutes of the meeting held

December 2nd was read and approved as read
 Clerk read the report of the treasurer
 Marie Beilsmith

Balance	\$1348.25
Deposit Jan 6-1947	79.97
Balance	\$1428.22

Motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by
 A. J. Klinghammer treasurer report be approved
 as read.

The following Bills were ordered Paid

Franciscan Minis 44 Ch. @ 75 each	33.00
Union Electric street lighting	24.52
Mr. Le. Claire (hr): labor 50 hrs	3.00
Total Disbursement	60.52
Net Balance	\$1367.70

Citizen Vincent Conroy petitioned the
 Town Board to investigate damage to his property
 due to the surface water draining through ditch
 west of his property. due to the absence of two
 Board members upon motion by A. J. Klinghammer
 seconded by Lawrence Poeling that no decision be
 rendered at this meeting same to be brought before
 the Board at regular scheduled meeting Feb 3-1947.

No other business to be transacted upon
 motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by A. J. Klinghammer
 meeting adjourned

Clerk A. Echelle
 Acting Chairman
 Clyde Beilsmith

February 3rd 1947

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the
 Inhabitants of the town of Portage Des Sioux Mo.
 was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith
 meeting was held in the Portage Community Fire Hall.

Minutes of meeting held Jan 6th 1947 was
 read and approved as read.

Upon motion by Peter A. Echelle seconded by L.
 Poeling Clerk report be approved

Clerk read the report of treasurer
 Marie Beilsmith

Jan 6

Balance February 3 rd 1947	#1367.70
Deposite Jan 22-1947	194.16
Total Balance	#1561.86

Motion by O. J. Klinghammer seconded by Mr. Le Claire's treasure report be approved as read

The following bills presented for Payment	
Franciscan Man's 44 @ .75-	33.00
S. G. Adams & Co. for town tickets ¹⁹⁴⁷⁻⁴⁸	30.16
Union Electric street lighting	24.52
Mr. Le. Claire & his grading strats 2 ⁵⁰ per hr	20.00
Total Disbursement	107.68
Net Balance	#1454.18

Motion by Lawrence Pooling seconded by O. J. Klinghammer above bills were ordered Paid

Mr. C. A. Rothermilk petitioned the town Board to provide more drainage necessary to drain surface water accumulated south of town limits. Mr. Rothermilk then proposed to the Town Board to lay 18 inch tile on east side Le Claire street and that he would pay \$200.00 toward the cost of installing tile. after discussion by Board members it was unanimously agreed to secure aid from State Highway Department, it was then suggested that street Commissioner Mr. Le Claire and C. A. Rothermilk be appointed to present this necessary drainage problem to the State Highway Department.

It was then suggested by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith to lay 30 inch tile in place of present 12 in^{ch} tile this would insure sufficient drain, and also eliminate danger of clogging, and use surplus tile for other necessary purpose about town.

No other business to be transacted upon motion by Mr. Le Claire seconded by Peter A. Eichel meeting adjourned

Clerk A. Eichel

Clyde Beilsmith

March 3rd 1947

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitant of the Town of Portage Des Sioux Mo. was called to order by the Chairman Clyde Beilsmith meeting was held in the Portage Community Fire Hall all members present.

Minutes of meeting held Feb 3rd 1947 was read and approved as read, upon motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by O. J. Klinghammer Clerk report be approved as read.

Clerk read the report of Treasurer Marie Beilsmith.

Balance	\$1454.18
Deposite Feb. 21 - 1947	185.82

Balance \$1640.00

Motion by W^m Le Claire seconded by P. A. Echule Treasure report be approved as read

The following bills presented for payment

Franciscan Nurs 44 ch @ 75 each	33.00
Union Electric streeting lighting	24.52
Total Disbursement	\$57.52
Net Balance,	\$1582.48

Motion by P. A. Echule seconded by W^m Le Claire above bill's be Paid.

Chairman called upon Board members to nominate four Judges and alternate for the election to be held Tuesday April 8th 1947 to elect Board to serve for Period April 1947 to March 31 - 1948

O. J. Klinghammer nominated C. A. Rothermel as Clerk of the Election W^m Le Claire nominated Ed Lesure, P. A. Echule nominated W^m Power's Lawrence Poeling nominated Aug Arf Chairman Clyde Beilsmith nominated John Kemmerling as alternate.

It was then suggested by O. J. Klinghammer that the Election be held in the Community Fire Hall

Upon motion by L. Poeling seconded by W^m Le Claire Fire Hall selected as Polling place for the election

No other business to be transacted meeting adjourned

April 7th 1947
Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the
Inhabitant of the Town of Portage Des Sioux, Mo.

TRUSTEES' OATH OF OFFICE

TOWN OF PORTAGE DES SIOUX, MISSOURI

* * * *

We, and each of us having been duly elected Trustee for the Town of Portage des Sioux, Missouri, at a regular annual election held on Tuesday, April 8th, 1947, for the purpose of electing five (5) Trustees to serve the said Town during the ensuing year, do solemnly swear that we will execute the duties of such Trustees according to the law to the best of my and our ability and will not willingly violate or willingly permit to be violated any of the laws or ordinances of said Town according to the best of our ability and knowledge.

(Signed) O. J. Klinghammer Trustee
(Signed) L. P. Poeling Trustee
(Signed) Peter A. Echele Trustee
(Signed) Clyde B. Bilsmith Trustee
(Signed) Wm. Le Claire Trustee

State of Missouri)
County of St. Charles)

Before me Notary Public with and for said County appeared

O. J. Klinghammer Peter A. Echele Wm. Le Claire
L. P. Poeling Clyde B. Bilsmith to me personally
known and who subscribed the foregoing, and who being by me sworn upon
oath.

Done at Portage des Sioux, Missouri, this 18th day of
April, 1947.

Mary Le Claire
Notary Public

My commission expires October 23rd 1947

April 7th 1947

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitant of the Town of Portage Des Sioux, Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beckwith meeting was held in the Portage Community Fire Hall

Minutes of meeting held March 3rd 1947 was read and approved as read.

Financial Report

Income Balance March 24-1946		1205.83
Sale of Hall		1023.00
Real Estate & Personal Tax		230.37
Common's Rent		922.20
Street rent		8.00
Cents Tax		131.00
Occupational tax License		130.00
Utility Tax		123.26
Sale of pump for Otto Mikke		595.00
Balance		<u>\$4368.66</u>
Disbursement Trustee, Clerk Collector Fees	123.60	
Franciscan Nun's	334.50	
Union Electric Bond retirement	296.24	
	168.00	
St Charles Rock Quarry	327.52	
Rauch Lumber Co.	153.15	
Leslie Hoffman Copy of tax	2.62	
Election Expenses	12.00	
Labor on Streets	152.00	
Tax Book Manufacturers Cents Fee	83.83	
U.S. Treasure Pumping Unit	591.00	
Cost of abstract for Town Hall	23.75	
Donation to Volunteer Fire Dept	100.00	
Charges for cashing checks	.22	
Total Disbursement		2368.43
Balance in Bank		<u>2000.23</u>
		<u>\$4368.66</u>
Balance in Bank March 24-1946		1205.83
Deposit in Bank March 24-1946 to March 24-1947		3162.61
		<u>\$4368.44</u>

The following bills were ordered Paid

Balance		#1582.48
Deposit March 17-1947		315.00
" " 25-1947		102.75
Balance		#2000.23
Clyde Beilsmith Trustee Fees	12.00	
M ^r Le Claire " "	12.00	
Peter A. Echele " "	12.00	
Lawrence Poeling " "	12.00	
O. J. Klinghammer " "	12.00	
A. J. Echele Clerk Fees	20.00	
Marie Beilsmith Coll. & Treasure	46.34	
Union Electric	24.52	
Franciscan News 44 ch @ 75¢	33.00	
Gus Le Claire 27 hrs labor ^{53¢}	13.50	
Melling & Gaskin Printing ^{50¢} Election Ballots	7.00	
M ^r Le Claire Treas of Postage Com Hire Dist ^{for use of Hall}	4.00	
Total Disbursement		208.36
Bal.		#1791.87

Upon motion by M^r Le Clair seconded by O. J. Klinghammer above bills were ordered paid

No other business to be transacted upon motion by P. A. Echele seconded by Lawrence Poeling meeting adjourned

Clerk
A. Echele

Chairman
Clyde Beilsmith

May 5th 1947

Elected April 8-1947 Meeting of the newly Elected Board of Trustees C. Beilsmith of the Inhabitant of the Town of Postage St. Louis M^r Le Claire / Mo. was called to order by Clerk A. J. Echele P. A. Echele acting as temporary Chairman. The first order A. J. Klinghammer of business to be transacted was to elect permanent Chairman of the Board to serve for the ensuing year. Lawrence Poeling

The temporary Chairman called for nomination for permanent Chairman, upon motion by O. J. Klinghammer that all newly Elected trustees retain their same office Roll was called upon the question to retain same office for the ensuing year with the following results

Trustee A. J. Klinghammer Voted Yes
 Trustee Lawrence Poeling Voted Yes
 Trustee Clyde Beilsmith Voted Yes
 Trustee Wm Le Claire Voted Yes
 Trustee Peter A. Echel Voted Yes

Temporary Chairman declared such motion carried; Clyde Beilsmith to be permanent Chairman for the ensuing year.

Wm Le Claire Road Commissioner assistant
 P. A. Echel A. J. Klinghammer

Marie Beilsmith Collector & Treasurer
 A. J. Echel Clerk of the Board.

At this time Chairman Clyde Beilsmith then took charge of the meeting.

The minutes of the regular meeting held April 3¹⁹⁴⁷ was read and approved on motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by Peter A Echel and carried

Clerk then read the monthly report of the Treasurer

Balance	\$ 1791.87
Deposit April 24 th 1947	87.09
Balance	\$ 1878.96

The following bills were paid by the Clerk on authorization by the Board

Franciscan News 44 ch @ 75 each	33.00
A. J. Duvall judge fees	3.00
C. A. Rothermilt judge fees	3.00
Mr Power's judge fees	3.00
H. W. Grassler judge fees	3.00
Mr Le Claire Treasurer of Community fire Dept for use of fire hall for polling	2.50
St. Charles Quarry for 117.85 tons of crushed rock @ 2.15 per ton	253.38
Union Electric street lighting	24.52
Mr Le Claire 14 hrs use of truck 1.00 per hr	14.00
Lawrence Le Claire 19 hrs labor 50¢ per hr	9.50
Gus Le Claire 28 hrs labor 50¢ per hr	14.00
Mr Pfeiffer 28 hrs labor 50¢ per hr	14.00
Rauch Lumber Co. for drain tile	5.94
St. Charles Saving Bank ^{\$ 100.00} retirement ^{68.00} interest	168.00

Bond No. 2

Total Disbursement 550.84
 Net Balance \$ 1328.12

Upon motion by Mr Le Claire seconded by P. A. Echel above bills were ordered paid (continued)

Ed. Wojciechowski petitioned town Board for permit to lay tile for crossing on South side of Fourth Street and on West side of Saucier Street with out cost to town. Same was unanimously approved by Board.

Darrel Rehm requested the Town Board to appear crossing on North side of Church street between Le Claire and Clark, it was further explained to Mr. Rehm, that town Board made no repairs or replacements to private crossing.

Chairman stated that a request had been made by Church Trustees of the St. Francis Parish for permission to lay drain tile across Le Claire Street between Fourth and Church Street. same was unanimously approved by Town Board.

No other business to be transacted upon motion by O. J. Klinghammer seconded by Lawrence Poeling meeting adjourned.

Clerk
E. E. Ebel

Chairman
Clyde Beilsmith

June 2nd 1947
Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitant of the Town of Postage Des Moines, Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith meeting held in Postage Community Fire Hall.

All members of Board present.

Minutes of meeting held May 5th was read and approved as read.

Financial report of Treasurer Mr. Marie Beilsmith

Balance

\$1328.12

Deposit May 22nd 1947

144.00

Balance

\$1472.12

Motion by P. A. Ebel seconded by Mr.

Le Claire Treasire report be approved as read

The following bills were ordered Paid

Franciscan News 44 ch @ 75 each 33.00

Union Electric street lighting 24.52

Total Disbursement

57.52

Net Balance \$1414.60

Upon motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by O. J. Klinghammer above bills were ordered paid.

Request by Mrs. Freese to lay tile across Washington Street between Fourth St. and Church

Upon motion by Mrs. Le Claire seconded by O. J. Klinghammer to grant permit to Mrs. Freese same was unanimously approved

No other business to be transacted upon Lawrence Poeling seconded by O. J. Klinghammer meeting adjourned.

Clyde Beilsmith
Clerk Chairman

Peter A. Echel

August 4th 1947

Regular meeting scheduled

Monday July 7th 1947 was cancelled due to flood water over highway, Chairman's Clerk could not attend.

August 4th 1947

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitant of the Town of Postage Des Moines, Mo., was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith meeting held in the Postage Community Fire Hall all Board members present.

Minutes of meeting held June 2nd was read and approved, upon motion by Peter A. Echel seconded by Lawrence Poeling minutes be approved as read.

Financial report of Treasurer Miss Marie Beilsmith.

Balance	\$ 1414.60
Deposit July 30 th	61.00
<u>Balance</u>	<u>\$ 1475.60</u>

Motion by O. J. Klinghammer seconded by Mrs. Le Claire Treasurer report be approved as read

The following bills ordered paid

Union Electric for two ^{street lighting} months	49.04
Mrs. Le Claire 17 hrs mowing streets ^{at 2.50 per hr}	42.50
<u>Total Disbursement</u>	<u>\$ 91.54</u>
<u>Balance</u>	<u>\$ 1384.06</u>

Payment of bills was unanimously approved by the Board

over

Chairman presented list of Citizens who have failed to purchase their City auto Licenses.

Motion by P. A. Eckel that town Marshall Mr Le Claire notify all delinquent car owners before any action be taken and that a complete list be presented at next regular meeting this was unanimously approved.

General discussion by Board members on street condition necessary dil to be put on street as soon as County equipment is available.

No other business to be transacted upon motion by Mr Le Clair seconded by O. J. Klinghammer meeting adjourned

Chairman
Clyde Beilsmith

Clerk
A. J. Eckel

September 5th 1947

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitant of the town of Vostage, Missouri, was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith meeting held in Vostage Community Fire Hall. Those present Mr Le Claire O. J. Klinghammer Lawrence Toelning Peter Eckel

Due to the absence of regular Clerk A. J. Eckel Chairman Clyde Beilsmith called upon Board to appoint temporary Clerk is was the unanimously approved of the Board to appoint P. A. Eckel to act as Clerk

Minutes of regular meeting held Aug 4th was read and approved.

Financial report of Marie Beilsmith

Balance	\$1384.06
Deposit Sept. 3-1947	260.20
Balance	\$1644.26

The following bills ordered Paid.

Francisco Mins 4 1/2 ch. 75 [¢]	39.75
mowing street Mr Le Claire 13 hrs @ 2.50 per hr	32.50
Union Electric Street lighting	24.52
Total Disbursement	\$97.77
Net Balance	\$1556.49

No other business to be transacted, upon motion duly made and second meeting adjourned

Acting Clerk

Chairman

Clyde Beilsmith
October 6th 1947

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitant of the town of Postage Dr. Sioux, Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith meeting was held in the Postage Community High School. the present Mrs. Le Claire, J. Klinghammer Peter C. Echele Lawrence Poeling.

Minutes of meeting held September 8th 1947 read and approved upon motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by A. J. Klinghammer clerk report be approved as read.

Financial report of Mrs. Marie Beilsmith

Balance	\$1556.49
Deposit Sept 23 to Oct 4 th	26.00
Total Balance	\$1582.49

Motion by Mrs. Le Claire seconded by P. C. Echele treasure report be approved as read.

The Clerk was authorized to pay the following bills.

Frankiscan News 41 ck @ 75 each	30.75
Union Electric street lighting	24.52
Total disbursement	55.27
Net Balance	\$1527.22

Payment of bills was unanimously approved by the Board.

Suggestion by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith due to the present surplus in treasure to improve more streets in town, it was further suggested to spend \$1000.00 for such improvement, after discussion by other board members, upon motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by A. J. Klinghammer to authorize Mrs. Le Claire to purchase necessary oil from Mo. Petroleum oil Co. to grade and prepare street for oiling.

No other business to be transacted upon motion duly made and second meeting adjourned.

Clerk C. Echele

Chairman

November 3rd 1947

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants of the Town of Postage De Soto, Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith meeting was held in the Postage Community Hall

Minutes of the meeting held October 6th 1947 was read and approved in a motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by P. A. Echel minutes be approved

Finance Report of Mrs. Marie Beilsmith

Balance	1527.22
Deposit Nov. 1 st 1947	35.00
Total Balance	\$ 1562.22

Upon motion duly made and seconded Treasurer report was approved & read.

The following bills were presented for payment

Franciscan Maus 41 Ch 27 st	30.75
Union Electric street lighting	24.52
H. W. Grasser 45 gal gas 6 gal oil	8.10
M ^r Simon tractor driver 12 hrs @ 3 ⁵⁰	42.00
M ^r Le Claire tractor driver 12 hrs @ 3 ⁵⁰	100.00
28 hrs truck driver @ 2 ⁰⁰ per hr - 4 hrs labor	56.00
Total disbursement	205.37

Balance	\$ 1356.85
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Motion by M^r Le Claire seconded by C. J. Klinghammer above bills be paid.

The board after discussion agreed due to weather conditions it would not be advisable to oil streets after further discussion it was unanimously agreed to reback some street that needed reconditioning

Upon motion by C. J. Klinghammer seconded by Lawrence Poeling to authorize M^r Le Claire to purchase necessary rock for street improvement.

No other business to be transacted upon motion by M^r Le Claire seconded by P. A. Echel meeting adjourned.

Clerk A. Echel

Chairman
Clyde Beilsmith

December 1st 1947

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants of the Town of Postage D. Siding, Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith meeting was held in the Postage Community Fire Hall.

Minutes of meeting held Nov 3rd 1947 was read and approved upon motion by P. A. Echele seconded by G. J. Klinghammer minutes be approved as read

Treasurer report of Mrs Marie Beilsmith

Balance \$1356.85

Deposit Nov 22nd 1947 14.00

Balance 1370.85

The following bills were presented for payment

Franciscan Munif 41 ch @ .75 30.75

Union Electric street lighting 24.52

Disbursement \$55.27

Net Balance \$1315.58

Upon motion by Mr L. Claire seconded by Lawrence Pocking above bills be paid.

Citizen John Timmermeier brought complaint to town Board about abuse by people dumping garbage on street intersection of Main & Denmore street after discussion by Board members to investigate condition and if necessary to Post signs to discontinue the privilege of disposing of garbage.

this was unanimously approved by the Board

No other business to be transacted upon motion duly made and seconded meeting adjourned.

Clerk

P. A. Echele

Chairman

Clyde Beilsmith

January 12th 1948

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants of the Town of Portage Des Sioux, Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith

Minutes of meeting held December 1st 1947 was read, upon motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by A. J. Klinghammer minutes be approved as read.

Financial report by Mrs. Marie Beilsmith	
Balance	#1315.58
Deposit	<u>206.60</u>
Net Balance	#1522.18

Upon motion duly made and seconded treasure report be approved as read

The following bills presented for payment

Franciscan Nurs 41 cks @ .75	30.75	
Union Electric street lighting	24.52	
Disbursement		<u>55.27</u>
Balance		#1466.91

Upon motion by Peter A. Echel seconded by Lawrence Poeling above bills be paid.

No other to be transacted upon motion duly made and seconded meeting adjourned

Clerk	Chairman
P. Echel	Clyde Beilsmith

February 2nd 1948

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants of the Town of Portage Des Sioux, Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith

Minutes of meeting held Jan 12th 1948 was read and approved as read.

Financial report of Mrs. Marie Beilsmith

Balance	1466.91
Deposit	<u>201.73</u>
Balance	#1668.64

Upon motion duly made and seconded treasure report be approved

The following bills presented for payment

Franciscan Nurs 41 cks @ .75 each	30.75	
Union Electric street lighting	24.52	
Total Disbursement		<u>55.27</u>
Balance		#1613.37

Motion by O. J. Klinghammer seconded by Lawrence Poeling to authorize payment of above ^{bills}
 No other business to be transacted upon
 motion by Mr. Le Claire and seconded by P. A. Echle
 meeting adjourned.

Clerk
 P. A. Echle

Chairman
 Clyde Beilsmith

March 1st 1948

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the
 Inhabitants of the Town of Vantage Des Moines Mo.
 was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith

Minutes of meeting held February 2 1948
 was read upon on motion by Peter A. Echle
 seconded by Lawrence Poeling Clerk report be
 approved as read.

Financial report of Treasurer Mark Beilsmith

Balance	\$ 1668.64
Deposit	251.77
Balance	\$ 1865.14

Upon motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by
 O. J. Klinghammer Treasurer report be approved as read

The following bills presented for payment
 Franciscan News 41 Ch @ 75 30.75
 Union Electric street lighting 24.52
 Disbursements 55.27
 Balance \$ 1809.87

Motion by O. J. Klinghammer seconded by Lawrence
 Poeling to authorize payment of above bills

Complaint by Citizens of the continued
 abuse of people dumping garbage on street
 near intersection of Maple & Duane street after
 discussion by Board members upon motion by
 Peter A. Echle to have sign printed (No dump-
 ing of garbage or rubbish of any kind by order
 of Town Board. and if desired results are not
 obtained further action to be taken in order
 to discontinue the violation this was seconded
 by Lawrence Poeling and it was so ordered to
 have proper sign printed and posted.

Chairman called upon board members about
Elections to be held April 6th 1948 to appoint four
Judges to serve for the Election

Judges named for Election
C.A. Rothermel as Clerk of Election by Q. J. Klinghamer
A. J. Duvall by Peter A. Echele
H. M. Grasser by Lawrence Poeling
Ed LeSeure by Clyde Beilsmitt
Mr. Gruse as alternate by Clyde Beilsmitt

Portage Community Fire Hall designated
as polling place

No further business to be transacted
upon motion duly made and seconded meeting adjourned

Clerk
A. Echele

Chairman
Clyde Beilsmitt

April 5th 1948

Meeting of the Board of trustees of the
Inhabitants of the Town of Portage Dea Sioux Mo.
was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmitt
meeting was held in the Portage Community
Fire Hall

Minutes of meeting held March 1st was
read upon motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by
Q. J. Klinghammer minutes be approved as read

Financial report of Treasurer Marie Beilsmitt

Balance	\$ 1809 87
Deposit	413 27
Balance	\$ 2223.14
Not reported in Sept. meeting	10.00
	\$ 2233.14

Expenses The following bills presented for payment

Transscar Mins 41 ch. @ 75	30 75
Union Electric street lighting	24.52
Clyde Beilsmitt trustee fees	12.00
P. A. Echele " "	12.00
M. Le Claire " "	12.00
Q. J. Klinghammer " "	12.00
Lawrence Poeling " "	12.00
A. J. Echele Clerk fees	20.00

Marie Beckwith Coll & Treasure fees	49.73
Gas Le. Claire 12 hrs @ 50¢	6.00
Lawrence Le Claire 6 hrs @ 50	3.00
Wm Le Claire ^{h.o. driver} 4 hrs 2 ⁰⁰ per hr	8.00
H. Charles Quarry 116-6 ton rock 2 ³⁵	274.01
Wm Le Claire, treasure Com Fris Dept for board meeting for year	12.00

Total Disbursement

488.01

Balance

\$ 174.513

Upon motion by Peter A. Echeke seconded by
Wm Le Claire treasure report be approved as read.

Financial report

Income - Balance March 24 1947	2,000.23
Real Estates Personal Property Tax	331.64
Commons Rent	973.20
Street rent	8.00
Auto Tax	130.00
Occupational License	95.00
Wheely tax	119.68
Total	\$ 3,657.75

Disbursement

Trustee's Clerk & Collector fees	126.34
Franciscan Muns	314.25
Union Electric	294.24
Bond retirement	168.00
H. Charles Quarry	253.38
Ranch Lumber Co.	5.94
Election Expenses	14.50
Printing ^{ducks} ballots	7.00
Volunteer Fris Dept rent of hall	4.00
F. W. Brasser Gas	8.10
Labor on Street	282.00

Disbursement

1,477.75

Balance in Bank March 27-1948	2,233.14
	3,710.89

Balance March 24-1947	2,000.23
Deposit March 24-1947 to March 27-1948	1,710.66
	3,710.89

Continued

Chairman brought before Board member's request by Citizens to pay for tax books after discussion by board, upon motion by P. A. Echele to reconsider the request and consult a Attorney before further action be taken this was seconded by L. Poeling

No further business to be transacted on motion by W^m Le Claire seconded by A. J. Klinghammer meeting adjourned

Clerk
A. Echele

Chairman
Clyde Beilsmith

May 3rd 1948

Meeting of the newly Elected Board of Trustees of the Inhabitants of the town of Portage Des Sioux Mo. being officially elected April 6th 1948 those elected to serve for the ensuing year Clyde Beilsmith, W^m Le Claire Peter A. Echele Lawrence Poeling & Ed. Wojciechowski

Clerk acted as temporary Chairman of the board.

The first order of business to be transacted to elect permanent chairman of the board to serve for the ensuing

Nomination for chairman was then in order, upon motion by Peter A. Echele seconded by Lawrence Poeling officers of the past year be retained for the ensuing year

Roll was called upon the question to retain same officers for the ensuing year with the following results

Trustee W ^m Le Claire	Voted Yes
Trustee Clyde Beilsmith	Voted Yes
Trustee Peter A. Echele	Voted Yes
Trustee Lawrence Poeling	Voted Yes
Trustee Ed	Voted Yes

Temporary Chairman declared such motion carried Clyde Beilsmith to be permanent Chairman W^m Le Claire road Commissioner & Marshall, Marie Beilsmith Collector & Treasurer A. J. Echele Clerk of the Board

Chairman Clyde Beilsmith then called meeting to order, called upon Clerk to read minutes of meeting held April 5 1948 same was read and approved as read

Treasure report by Marie Beilsmith
 Balance 1745.13

Following bills presented for payment

Franciscan Muns 41 ch @ 75	30.75
Marie Klinghammer Electrofitis	3.00
A. J. Durbell Election fees	3.00
Chas. Rothermit Election fees	3.00
Wm Power's Election fees	3.00
Wm Le Clair ^{polling} ^{Fire Dept} Postage Com	2.50
Gus Le Clair 16 hrs 50¢ labor	8.00
Lawrence Le Clair 6 hrs labor	3.00
St. Charles Saving Bank ^{100.00} ^{68.00} ^{int}	168.00

Bond No. 2 ↑

Union Electric street lighting 24.52

Total Disbursement 248.77

Upon motion by Mr Le Clair seconded by Lawrence Poeling to pay above bills Balance 1496.36

Discussions were then in order about general condition of street in town. Chairman then asked for suggestions for improvement of streets.

Lawrence Poeling then suggested to petition County Court to avoid street through town over route filed in past. after further discussion by the Board it was unanimously agreed to have pd authorize Clerk to draw up petition signed by members of Board a copy here attached to be presented to County Court by Commissioner Wm Le Clair for their approval.

No other business to be transacted upon motion duly made and seconded meeting adjourned

Clerk
 J. E. Ebel

Chairman
 Clyde Beilsmith

June 7th 1948

Meeting of the Board of trustees of the Inhabitants of the town of Postage Des Moines, Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith. Meeting held in Postage Community H. Hall. Minutes of meeting held May 3rd 1948 were read and approved as read.

Treasurer's report by Marie Beilsmith

Balance 1496.36

Deposit 45.00

Balance \$1541.36

Expenses

The following bills presented for payment

Franciscan Miss 41 ch. 75⁺ 30.75

Union Electric street lighting 24.52

Total Disbursement 55.27

Motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by Ed. Wojciechowski to authorize payment of above bills. \$1486.09

No further business to be transacted upon motion by Ed Wojciechowski seconded by Peter A. Echelle meeting adjourned

Clerk
Echelle

Chairman
Clyde Beilsmith

July 12th 1948

Meeting of the Board of trustees of the Inhabitants of the town of Postage Des Moines, Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith. Meeting held in Postage Community H. Hall. Minutes of meeting held June 7th 1948 were read and approved as read.

Treasurer's report by Marie Beilsmith

Balance 1486.09

Deposit 143.20

Balance \$1629.29

Expenses

The following bills presented for payment

Union Electric 24.52

Wm Le Clair 12 hrs mowing 2⁵⁰ 30.00St. Charles Darry 129-15 ton rock 2³⁵ 303.50

Total Disbursement 358.02

Bal. \$1271.27

Upon motion by Ed. Wojciechowski seconded by Lawrence Poeling to authorize payment of above bill
 Chairman brought before the Board members about necessary repair on street about town after discussion by Board members it was unanimously agreed to authorize street Commissioner Mr. Le Clair get approximate cost of material and report to the board of cost of material cost

No further business to be transacted upon motion by Peter A. Echele seconded by L. Poeling meeting adjourned

Clerk ✓ Chairman
 P. Echele Clyde Beilsmith

August 2nd 1948

Meeting of the Board of trustees of the Inhabitants of the Town of Postage Des Sioux Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith.

Meeting was held in Postage Community Fire Hall those present Mr. Le Clair Peter A. Echele Lawrence Poeling & Ed Wojciechowski. minutes of meeting held July 12-1948 was read and approved as read
 Treasurers report by Marie Beilsmith

Balance	1302.02
Deposit	186.00
Balance	1488.02

Expenses

The following bills presented for payment
 Union Electric 24.52
 Total Disbursement 24.52
 Balance 1463.50

Motion by Peter A. Echele seconded by Ed Wojciechowski to authorize above bill be paid.

Chairman requested the Board members to outline streets needing necessary repairs after lengthy discussion it was unanimously agreed to rebuild the following streets, recall Commonwealth street from Dunmore to Lesueur Street

Second street from Le Claire street west to Denmark
 reconditioning Farmham Street from Common
 Field street North to Second street, Second street
 from Farmham to Lesieur, Lesieur street from
 Church street below Kemmerling hill Denmark
 from Second to Church street, estimates of cost of
 oil and repair not available at this meeting

No further business to be transacted
 upon motion duly made and seconded meeting adjourned

Clerk A. Echele Chairman
 Clyde Becksmith

September 13th 1948

Meeting of the board of trustees of the inhabit-
 ant of the town of Portage Des Sioux, Mo. was
 called to order by Chairman Clyde Becksmith

Meeting was held in Portage Community fire
 hall. Those present Mrs. Le Clair P. A. Echele
 Lawrence Poeling & Ed Wojciechowski

Minutes of meeting held August 2nd was
 read and approved as read.

Treasurer report by Marie Becksmith

Balance	\$ 1463.50
Deposit	201.00
Balance	\$ 1664.50

Expenses

The following bills presented for payment

Miscellaneous Petroleum Products Co. ^{for graving and sealing street}	\$ 1260.00
St. Charles Quarry Co 38.35 tons Ch rock (2 ³⁵)	90.13
Franciscan Nurseries for 40 ch 75¢	30.00
Union Electric street lighting	24.52
Gus Le Clair 7 1/2 hr. grading with tractor @ 3 ⁵⁰	43.75
Lawrence Le Clair 7 1/2 hr. grading with P.O. @ 3 ⁵⁰	43.75
Charles Borschert 9 hr. labor @ .50¢	4.50
Total Disbursement	1496.65
Total Balance	\$ 167.85

This mowing @ 2⁵⁰
 This mowing @ 2⁵⁰

Motion by Lawrence Poeling seconded by
 Peter A. Echele to authorize payment of above bills
 no further business to be transacted Upon motion by Mrs. Le Clair seconded by P. A.
 Echele meeting adjourned

October 4th 1948

Meeting of the Board of trustees of the Inhabel-ant of the town of Parage D^e Sioux, Mo. was called to order by Chairman Clyde Beilsmith.

Meeting was held in the Parage Community High Hall. Those present W^m Le Claire P. A. Echele Lawrence Poeling Ed. Wojciechowski

Minutes of meeting held Sept. 13th was read and approved upon motion by Lawrence Poeling and seconded by Ed Wojciechowski Clerk report approved as read

Treasure report by Marie Beilsmith

Balance	\$ 167.85
Deposit Sept 25 th	64.83
Balance	\$ 232.68

Expenses

The following bills presented for payment	
Francisca of Nun's 40 ch @ 75 [¢]	30.00
W ^m Le Claire 12 mowing 2 ⁵⁰ per hr.	30.00
Union Electric street lighting	24.52
Total Disbursement	84.52
Net Balance	\$ 148.16

Motion by Peter A. Echele seconded by Lawrence Poeling to authorize payment of above bill.

Chairman brought before the Board members the necessity of ordering 75 licenses for the year ^{75 for} 1949-50 upon motion by W^m Le Clair seconded by Ed Wojciechowski to authorize Clerk to order same.

No other business to be transacted upon motion by Peter A. Echele seconded by Lawrence Poeling meeting adjourned

Clerk A Echele

Clyde Beilsmith