

Jan 20, 1943

Town Board meeting called to order  
at 11:00 AM. Members present

H. L. Allen Chairman; John L. Bowers  
and Ordie Greene, Supervisors

J. L. Dupuis clerk.

Board approved application for  
Reduction of assessed valuation of  
homestead from Aaron H. Inman,  
on E<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> of SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec. 18-137-27

Board approved application for  
Minnesota Agricultural Award for  
1942 production from Charley Aldrich

The cost of .25<sup>c</sup> for administration  
fee for Directory Listing charges  
when paid by Town-ship Board. Moved  
by J. L. Bowers - seconded by Ordie Greene.

Board approved Application for Licenses  
to sell Cigarettes at Retail from  
Ralph H. Brooks, Crosslake, Minn.  
Mr. W. Swann, Crosslake, Minn.

Motion by J. L. Bowers second by Ordie  
Greene that the Board's proposition  
the increasing of the telephony service  
rates be submitted at the next  
annual meeting for consideration.

Motion by Ordie Greene and second  
by John L. Bowers that \$517.06 now  
in the Road and Bridges Fund be  
transferred as follows: \$200.<sup>00</sup> into  
the Drag Fund and \$317.06 into the  
Revenue Fund.

Board audited and allowed  
payment on verified accounts Nos.  
111 to 123 Inclusive.

Meeting adjourned at 5<sup>30</sup> P.M.

J. L. Dupuis  
Twp Clerk

Crosslake, Minn. Mar. 2, 1943  
 Town Board meeting called to order  
 at 11 A.M. Members present  
 H. L. Allen Chairman; John L. Bowers  
 and Oddie Greene Supervisors  
 J. L. Dupuis clerk.  
 Mrs. Blanche Grundy Treasurer.  
 Board proceeds with Annual Audit  
 of Township Books of Accounts.  
 Motion made by J. L. Bowers and  
 seconded by Oddie Greene that the  
 Chairman H. L. Allen contact N. W. Bell  
 Tel. Co. in regards to Crosslake Pay  
 station telephons no. 871 as to tax  
 payments and local <sup>Business</sup> call charges.  
 Audit completed at 5 P.M.  
 Verified Accounts <sup>7 to 5 P.M.</sup> audited and paid.  
 Meeting adjourned 5:50 P.M.

Crosslake, Minn. March 19, 1943  
 Town Board Meeting of Qualification  
 of Town Officers called to order  
 by chairman at 10:15 A. M.  
 Members present - H. L. Allen Chmn.  
 John L. Bowers Supervisor and  
 James L. Dupuis Clerk.

Robert Jacquinet elected Justice of  
 Peace on March 9<sup>th</sup> 1943 declined  
 to qualify therefore leaving the  
 office of Justice of Peace open for  
 appointment. Motion made by  
 H. L. Allen and second by John L.  
 Bowers that Charley Aldrich be  
 appointed Justice of Peace for  
 said town until the next Annual  
 Town Meeting in March 1944.

Motion made by John L. Bowers  
 and seconded by H. L. Allen that  
 in the absence of Ordie Greene,  
 Supervisor that Justice of Peace  
 Charley Aldrich be called  
 to Board Meeting to fill the  
 vacancy of Ordie Greene's office.

Motion by John L. Bowers seconded  
 by Charley Aldrich that M. M.  
 Chenevert be hired as telephone  
 Maintenance Man for one year.  
 Town Board appointed Harry Gould  
 Road Overseer for period of one year.

Motion made by John L. Bowers and  
 seconded by Charley Aldrich that  
 the .25¢ per month for the desk phone  
 be discontinued.

Motion made by John L. Bowers and  
 seconded by Charley Aldrich that  
 the Telephone ~~accounts~~ be turned  
 over to Telephone Maintenance Man,  
 for sum not to exceed \$25.<sup>00</sup> per year.

Three ballots casted for Chairman  
of Town Board. Two for H. L.  
Allen and One for John L. Bowers.  
H. L. Allen elected Chairman.

Motion made by John L. Bowers  
seconded by Charles Aldrich  
that telephone No 996 to F. Freed  
Lodge shall be discontinued  
& disconnected until all delinquent  
charges are paid before same  
can be put in use again.

Motion by Bowers 2<sup>nd</sup> by Aldrich.  
Due dates Jan 1<sup>st</sup> July 1<sup>st</sup> for service  
30 days grace \$1.00 Penalty for  
additional 30 days. Phones removed  
without further notice.

Tolls 60 days without penalty  
Original bill only unless other  
current bills. Phones removed after  
60 days. Replacing charges \$1.50 plus all  
past due bills.

Motion by John L. Bowers and  
seconded by H. L. Allen that any  
and all verified accounts presented  
by clerk for official clerical  
work for town be disallowed  
at audit and no more cost to  
town for clerical work be  
allowed for the year.

Meeting adjourned at 6:30 P.M.

Attested by J. Dupuis  
Town Clerk

Cross Lake Minn. Mar 26 1943

Chairman called a Board meeting  
at 8:30 to consider resignation  
of J. F. Dupuis as town clerk  
Chas Aldridge Justice of  
peace serving for Supervisor  
for Ardie Green the chairman  
informed Board that the clerk  
had submitted his written resign-  
ation there for moved by Bowers  
to be accepted seconded by Aldridge  
moved by Aldridge seconded by  
Bowers that Elley Wright be  
appointed Town Clerk until  
next election Bonds approved  
by Chairman

Moved by Bowers that the last  
paragraph on page 107 namely  
with reference to Clerical fees  
be stricken as they were never  
duly adopted or any motion to this  
effect made seconded by Allen

Cross Lake Minn  
 Chairman Called Meeting  
 of board at 8 o'clock on June 2 - 1943

the following tax applications were  
 presented to Board and not excepted  
 herewith tax application of  
 George. H. Crosby of 910 Fidelity Bldg  
 Duluth Minn  
 covering Und  $\frac{1}{3}$  Int. Lot 1 nw-nw  
 Sec 12-137-27  
 Reason Valuation not excused

J. W. Manthey Tax application  
 covering Pt. Lot 3 and Pt Lot 4.  
 Sec 7-137-27  
 Reason Not a resident of the Township

J. E. Perkins P.O. Box 488  
 O'Neil Nebraska Tax Application  
 covering Part Lot 4 Sec 2-137-27  
 Reason Same as other Valuation in Twp

Cross Lake Minn  
June 28 - 1943

Chairman called meeting at 9 A M  
The following tax applications were  
presented to Board and not Excepted  
of Paul Tyons covering homestead  
exemption on all that part of Lot 3 E  
of W. L Road no 8. Sec 17-137-27  
not Granted as he is not a Resident  
Mrs Ella Baker covering Cross Lake  
East Shore Lot 11 To be Granted

Crosslake Minn

Sept - 20 - 1943

Special meeting of the Board was called by the Chairman, due in part to a notice served on the Board by the Telephone Man's intent to leave, to gather with a resolution to be submitted to Board by Telephone subscribers that Board make provisions for a maintenance man for the telephone line and such other business that may come before the Board.

Members present, Allen & Bowers  
 Wright serving as Club member  
 O. J. J. absent. Called to order 9<sup>pm</sup>

1- One Motion by Bowers seconded by Allen that the Board declare the office of J. J. be declared vacant as he has left the Township, and apparently can not continue to serve as a member. Carried.

2- Moved by Allen seconded by Bowers that J. P. Pettikow be appointed as member of Board for the unexpired term of O. J. J. to next annual election. Carried.

3- Motion by Pettikow seconded by Bowers that we retain W. Johnson as telephone man for 1 year by contract for \$5<sup>00</sup> per month. Carried.

4- After general discussion it was agreed that the increase of cost to telephone should be reflected in our Tax structure rather than a rate increase and Chairman was (over)



instructed to get information from  
Co-Auditor to accomplish this  
a Petition submitted by Clara  
Young asking for an increase in  
rates to cover costs rejected until  
the list is more complete as it  
covered only 57% of subscribers.  
to be considered at a later meeting

5- Chairman instructed to  
hire Viles Robinson to plow Snow

6 Board to get information on Snow  
expense for Petition, Snow & Bowers.

### Cross Lake Minn

Nov 29-1943

Moved That Mrs Johnson be granted  
a bar license

Moved by Bowers second by Pitkows

Cross Lake Minn  
Nov 24 - 1943

Special meeting of Board called  
by Chairman ~~to Shawmut Co. Co. Co.~~  
~~and County Commission~~ held in Town  
Hall of Watertown Township. The  
following resolution was adopted  
Moved by Ellen seconded by Pettit Pass.

Whereas Joseph Chapin and The  
Shawmut Co's representative appeared before the  
Board for a settlement of accumulated taxes  
on (59) tracts of land in this township, list of  
lands involved submitted to Co Commissioners, to  
settle the true tax of \$3463.24 for \$2077.97 and to  
cancel all penalties and interest, &  
whereas no amount of Penalties + interest were  
submitted

whereas said lands have an exceptional  
stand of timber on same

whereas said lands are located in Boundaries  
of Crow Wing State Forest, with its principal value  
in its timber and contributing factors

Resolved: - That in the best interest of  
the State County, and Township that this  
application be denied in full or in part.

Be it further resolved that - all Penalties,  
together with interest be paid in full before  
any timber be removed.

And that copies of this resolution be sent to  
Crow Wing Co. Commissioners, Div of State Forestry  
and State Parks, and such other interested  
parties concerned.

Town Clerk