PITTSFIELD TOWNSHIP

ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS OF TOWN BOARD -

1834 - 1850

(Preserve Carefully)

Township Records.
of
Pittsfield (Washtenaw Co.)
Michigan

Records of
Town Meting held in Pitt

April 8th 1834

The first annual Town meting for the Town of Pitt held at the House of John Ibbets and the following persons were elected to fill the several offices for the ensuing year

John Allison, Supervisor. qualified
Jarad B Cornish, Town Clerk qual

Horace Kellogg
Roderick Rowley } Assessors
Manson Doty

Oliver H Whitmore, Con & Collector

Thurman Hinckley
Wells Camberlin } Commissioners
Horace Carpenter } of highways

Alpheus Collins } Overseers
Mason Hatfield } of the Poor

James C Smith
John Densmore } Commissioners of
Manson Doty } common schools

P. P. Vanvalkenburg
Ezra H Platt
Horace Carpenter } School
Roderick Rowley } Inspectors
Alva Preston

Resolved that a special Town meting be held at the place where the annual Town Meting was held for the purpose of Electing overseers of the highways and such other business as may then and there be brought before said Meting for their consideration on the 24th day of April 1834 at one oclock P. M.

A true Coppy of Record Attest
J. B Cornish T. C.

Resolved that the next annual Town meeting be held at the Schoolhouse near Mr Mathews Tavern

For 1834

Resolved that all Stud colts or Studs be Prohibited from Running at large

Resolved that all Rams over 6 months old shall be prohibited from running at large from the first day of August to the first day of December

Attest Jared B Cornish T. C.

At a special Town Meeting held at the hous of John Gilberts in the Township of Pitt County of Washington on the 21st day of April pursuant to Public notice the following persons were Elected Overseers of Highways and fence viewers for the ensuing year

Lewis Barr
Justice Carpenter
John Anderson
Marshall Newell
James Boughan
Vanransalair Taylor
James C Smith
Elisha Pratt
Nathaniel M. Colough
John Shipman
Pineas Austin
Isaac Eliot
Thomas Wood
P. P. Vanvalkinburg
Orang Crane
John Dunsmore
Clark C Briggs
Horace Lathrop

Resolved that Alanson Doty be a Commissioner of Common schools for the years next ensuing M. M. Collum not having qualified acording to Law

A True Copy of Record Attest
Jared B Cornish
T. C.

Pitt September 6th 1834

At a Special Township Meeting held Pursuant to public notice at the school House near the Inn belonging to James Soones on saturday the six day of Sept for the Purpose of Electing a Constable & Collector in the place of Oliver W Whitmore who had Left the town
Choice was made of the following person

Justice Carpenter } Const & Collector.

A True Copy of Record Attest

Jared B Cornish T. C.

Pitt April 6th 1835

At the Annual Town meeting held at the school House near Mr Crachins Town the following persons were chosen Town officers for the ensuing year

Samuel D McDoodle Supervisor
Town Clerk No Choice

Alva Pratt
Alanson Doty } Assessors
Horace Kellogg

Wells Chamberlin
Solmon Brown } Commissioners of Highways
George W Snow

Roderick Rowley
Alvah Preston } overseers of the Poor

Josiah Southerland Const & Col

Colwell H Spaulding
Wells Camberlin
Horace Carpenter } Inspectors of Common schools
Alvah Preston
Eleazer Wilcox

Pound Master
Van Rensalaer Tyley

1835 Oviseers of Highways

District No 1. Alva Batt
District No 2. William Dix
District No 3 Sherman Hinkley
District No 4 Hiram Cady
District No 5 Thadeus Ball
District No 6 P P Vanvalkenburg
District No 7 Wells Chamberlin
District No 8 John Hoy
District No 9 Philos Bradley
District No 10 Colvill H Spaulding
District No 11 N P Parsons
District No 12 Alpheus Collins
District No 13 Marshall Neville
District No 14 Hanson Doty
District No 15 Horace Lathrop
District No 16 Thomas J Rice
District No 17 Henry Roup
District No 18 John Cady

Resolved that the above named overseers act as fence viewers for the ensuing year
Resolved that four feet and a half in hith be considered a lawful fence for the Town of Pitt and that shall not be a space exceeding ~~four~~ four inches within two feet of the ground
Resolved that all Studds over the age of ~~two~~ one years shall be restrained from running at large under Penalty of five dollars for Each offence
Resolved that all Rams shall be restrained from running at large from the first of ~~July~~ to the fifteenth of November under penalty of five Dollars for each offence
Resolved that the penalty for permiting Rams and Boars to run at large shal be one dollar for each
Resolved that the next Town Meeting be held at Talmon Browns

A true copy of Record Attest
Jared B Cornish T. C.

1835 At a Special Town Muting held pursuant to public Notice for the purpose of Electing a Town Clerk on the 16th of April 1835 choice was made of Jared B Cornish

Jared B Cornish T. C.

1836

At the Third Annual Town Muting held at Jalmon Browns on the first ~~Monday~~ in april the following officers whare chosen for the insuing year Namely

Alanson Doty. Supervisor
Marshall Newell. Town Clerk

Jefferson H Beckwith
Colwell H Spaulding
Jared B Cornish
Jarvis Lenard
} Justices of the Peas

Alva Pratt
Alpheus Collins
Eleazer Welch
} Apesors

Shorman Hinkley
Owen Welch
Jalmon Brown
} Commissioners of Highways

Allpeus Collins
William Batty
} Directors of the Poor

P. P. Vanvalkinburg. Constable & collector

We Certify the above to be a true Statement of the votes Canvassed at said Election
J. H. Beckwith. Moderator

Jared. B. Cornish Town Clerk

April 4th 1836

The following Persons ware Elected overseers of the Roads for the ensuing year Namely

Distuct No 1 Alvah Ratt
Do No 2 Horace Welch
Do No 3 James Nichols
Do No 4 Nathaniel B Ayers
Do No 5 Levi Rogers
Do No 6 Jacob Valentine
Do No 7 Wells Chamberlin
Do No 8 John Hoy
Do No 9 Thomas Deyarmon
Do No 10 Colwell H Spaulding
Do No 11 N P Parsons
Do No 12 Darius Douglas
Do No 13 Salmon Brown
Do No 14 Manson Doty
Do No 15 Sylvanus Warren
Do No 16 Daniel Mills
Do No 17 Thomas Wood
Do No 18 William Hurlbert
Do No 19 John Denning
Do No 20 William Batty
Do No 21 John Dinsmore
Do No 22 Alpheus Collins
Do No 23 Vanrensallair Tyler

Vanrensallair Tyler Chosen Pound Master

Resolved that the overseers of highways shall act as fence viewers for the ensuing year

Resolved that the school inspectors receive one dollar per day for their services

Resolved that the next annual Town Meeting be held at the School House neare R McCrakens Inn

Jared B Cornish T. C.

C. H. Beckwith Moderator

April 3d 1837

At the Annual Town Meeting Held at the School house Near Rufus McCracken's Inn the following officers were Made Choice of for the Ensuing year

Heman Tickner } Supervisor
John May } Town Clerk

Rhodrick Bowley
Horace Kellogg } Assessors
Alanson Doty

John Shipman
John Cody
Salmon Brown } Com.rs of Highways

Wm Vise } Constable & Collector

Rhoderick Bowley 4 years
Elijah Lathrop vacancy } Justices of the Peas

Josiah Newell
David Squires } overseers of the Poor

Welbe Chamberlin
Horace Carpenter
H H Conwallenburgh
Samual D. McDowell } School inspectors

Myron H. Warner } Town Treasurer

We Certify the above Names have Recived the Majority of Votes given in the Townership of Pitt in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred & thirty Seven

Alanson Doty } Moderater
Marshall Newell } T. Clerk

Resolved that the By Laws of 1835 Shall Be in force for 1837

April 3d 1837

the following Persons were Elected overseers of Roads and Fence Viewers for the Ensuing year Namely

District
No 1 Abel Giles
No 2 Horace Welch
No 3 Sherman Hinkley
No 4 Caleb Bass
No 5 Levi Rogers
No 6 H. Vanwalkenburgh
No 7 Wells Chamberlin
No 8 Wm M. Merwood
No 9 Jeseral Smith
No 10 Lewis Barr
No 11 Josiah Norris
No 12 ~~Wm Anderson~~ Henray Rumsey
No 13 Philo Person
No 14 ~~Clark C. Briggs~~ Alanson Doty
No 15 Jorge M. Shaw
No 16 Jorge Watkins
No 17 Thomas Moad
No 18 Elihu Drewery
No 19 Jremon Webb
No 20 Wm Batty
No 21 Lemuel Clark
No 22 Heman Tickner
No 23 Eli Ward

Voted that the Next Annual Town Meeting Shall Be held at the School house Near Charles Woodards

Alanson Doty { Moderator
Marshell Newell { Town Clerk

1837 At a Spacial Town Meeting held Pursuant to Public Notice on 13th of May for the Purpose of Electing three School inspectors Chaice was Made of
Alanson Doty
Horace Carpenter
Alva Pratt

Sherman Hinckley { Moderator

John Way { Town Clerk

Voted At 11th May 13th 1837

April 2nd 1838

At the Annual town Meeting Held at the School house Near Charles woodwards the following officers were Made Choice of for the Ensuing year

Heman Tickner { Supervisor

John Hoy { Town Clerk

Horace Kellogg
John Allison
Alanson Dotty } Assessors

Samuel D. McDowell
Isaac Elliott
John Shipman } Commissioners of Highways

Burroughs Holmes
Alva Pratt
Horace Carpenter } School Inspectors

Horace Carpenter { for Justices of the peace

3 Burroughs Holmes 3d } to fill vacancies
1 Wells Chamberlin } year

William Dise { Collector
William Dise { Constable

Josiah Newell { Poor Masters
David Shurer

John Hoy { Town Treasurer

Asa Maddocks { Pound Master

Resolved that the By Laws of 1835 Shall Be in force for 1838

Voted that the Next Annual Town Meeting Shall Be held at the School House Near Charles Woodwards

We Certify the above Names have Received the Majority of Votes Given in the Township of Galt in the year of our Lord 1838

Alanson Dotty { Moderator
John Hoy { Town Clerk

April 2d 1838

the following persons weare Elected overseers of High ways and fence viewers for the Ensuing year

District Daniel Underwood

No	1	Danual Underwood	0	0	1
no	2	Gorge Stucke	0	0	1
"	3	Shearman Huntley	0	0	1
"	4	Hiram Cady	0	0	1
"	5	Horace Kellogg	0	0	1
"	6	H. H. Venvalkenburgh			1
"	7	Owan Walch	0	0	1
"	8	M. M. Merwood	0	0	1
"	9	Jeral Smith	0	0	1
"	10	Flatcher N Jorsden			1
"	11	Banjamin Woodbrough	0	0	1
"	12	Deriar Doughlegs		0	1
"	13	Salmon Brown	0	0	1
"	14	Burroughs Walpner	0	0	1
"	15	Elijah Lathrop	0	0	1
"	16	Alanson Watkens		0	1
"	17	Thomas Wood	0	0	1
"	18	Isac Elliatt	0	0	1
"	19	John Dunning		0	1
"	20	Lucke S Valentine	0	0	1
"	21	John Densmore	0	0	1
"	22	Edwin A. Platt	0	0	1
"	23	Asa Shadduck	0	0	1
"	24	By Laws for 1838			

Resolved that four feet and a half in hith be Considered a Lawful fence for the town of Pitt and that there Shall Not be a Space Exceeding four inches within two feet of the Ground Resolved that all Studds over the age of one year Shall be Restrained from Running at Larg under a Penaltz of five Dollars for Ech offence Resolved that all Rams Shall be Restrained from Running at Large from the first of July to the fifteenth of November under a Penaltz of five Dollars for Ech offence Resolved that the Penaltz for permiting Bools and Boars to Run at Larg Shall be one Dollal for Ech offence

Alanson Watts } Moderator
John Way } Town Clerk

Pittsfield April 1st 1839

At the Annual Town Meeting held at the School house near Charles Woodards the following Officers were Made Choice of for the Ensuing year viz 1839

Herman Tickner — Supervisor

John Hay — Town Clerk

Horace Kellogg, John Allison, Talman Brown — Assessors

Henry Woodruff — Collector

Herman Tickner — Treasurer

Samuel D. McConnell, Isaac Elliott, John Shipman — Commissioners of Highways

Burroughs Holmes, Alvah Pratt, Horace Carpenter — School Inspectors

David Squires, Josiah Newell — Directors of the poor

Henry Woodruff, Isaac Briggs, George E. Bass — Constables

Alvah Pratt Esq — Justice of the peace

Charles Woodard — pound Master

Resolved that the By Laws of 1838 Shall be in force for 1839

Voted that the next annual Town Meeting Shall be held at the School house Near Charles Woodards

We Certify the above names have been Elected for the Ensuing year Herman Tickner

James Leonard, Horace Carpenter, B. Holmes — Inspectors of Election

John Hay Town Clerk

1839

A Record of an Election for Town officers in the Town of Pittsfield April 1st 1839

1st Resolved that we Elect three Constables for the ensuing year

2d Resolved that we appoint The place to hold the next Town meeting by Ballot

3d Resolved that we attend to appointing the overseers of highways at 1 of the Clock P. M

The following persons were Elected overseers of highways and fence viewers for the Ensuing year viz

District No. 1st Alvah Pratt Esq

No 2 Horace Welch

3 Sherman Hinkley

4 Nathaniel B. Ayers

5 Horace Kellogg

6 Duncan Robertson

7 Owen Welch

8 Wm M. Sherwood

9 James Bowen

10 Aaron Lawrence

11 Horace Carpenter

12 Wm Anderson

13 John McCallam

14 Sheldon Stebbins

15 Horace Lathrop

16 Stephen Mills

17 Thomas Wood

18 ~~Asbo Hurd~~ Seba Squiers

19 Truman Hinkley

20 Wm Batty

21 Samuel Clark

22 Moses A Collins

23 Peter Regardus

24 James C. Smith

We Certify the Above Names have been duley Elected overseers of highways and fence viewers for the Ensuing year Pittsfield April 1st 1839

Truman Hinkley
James Leonard
Horace Carpenter
B. Holmes
} Inspectors of Election

John Way Town Clerk

1839

J. Da Schmuly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully discharge the Duties of Supervisor according to the best of My abilitys

Heman Dickenson

Sworn & Subscribed before Me this 1st Day of April. 1839

Horace Carpenter Justice of the Peace

John Hoy J. C

I John Hoy Declare and affirm That I will Support the Constitution of the United States and that I will Support the Constitution of this State and faithfully discharge the Duty of Town Clerk of the Town of Pittsfield Pittsfield April 1st 1839

John Hoy

Sworn and Subscribed this 1st Day of April 1839
Before Me B. Holmes J. P

J. Hoy J. C

We the undersigned Schmuly Swear that as Assessors of the Township of Pittsfield the will during there continuance in office impartialy and according to the best Skill and judgement assess appraise value all the property which by Law the Shall be Directed to Assess appraise or value and that they will faithfully discharge all the other Duties of their office So help us God Pittsfield April 1st A.D 1839

Horace Kellogg
John Allison
Salmon Brown

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 1st Day of April A.D. 1839

Horace Carpenter J. P

J. Hoy J. C

I Henry Woodruff Schmuly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will perform the Duties of Collector for the Township of Pittsfield to the best of My abilitys So help Me God

Pittsfield April 10th 1839

Henry Woodruff

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 10th Day of April A.D. 1839

Horace Carpenter J. P

J. Hoy J. C

1839

I Solumnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Treasurer according to the best of My ability

Herman Sickenor

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 6th Day of April A.D. 1839

Horace Carpenter J. P.

J. Hay D. C.

I Isaac Elliott Sollumly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the united States and the Constitution of this State and that I will perform the duty of Commissioner of High ways for the Town of Pittsfield without partiality to the best of My ability So help me God

Isaac Elliott

Subscribed and Sworn Before Me this 1st Day of April A.D. 1839

Horace Carpenter J. P.

J. Hay D. C.

I John Shipman Sollumly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the united States and the Constitution of this State and that I will perform the duty of Commissioner of high ways for the Town of Pittsfield without partiality to the best of My ability, So help me God

John Shipman

Subscribed and Sworn Before Me this 3d Day of April A.D. 1839 John Hay D. C

J. Hay D. C

I Samuel D. Mc Dowell Sollumly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will perform the Duty of Commissioner of high ways for the Town of Pittsfield without partiality to the best of My ability, So help me God

Samuel D. Mc Dowell

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 10th Day of April A.D. 1839

Horace Carpenter J. P.

J. Hay D. C.

1839

We the undersigned do Sollumly Swear that we will Support the Constitution of the united States that we will Support the Constitution of this State and that we will faithfully discharge the Duties of Directors of the poor of the Town of pittsfield according to the best of My abilities So help you God

David Squiers

Josiah Newell

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 1st Day April A.D. 1839

B. Holmes J. P.

J. Hoy T. C.

I Henry Woodruff Sollumly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the united States and the Constitution of this State and that I will in All things faithfully discharge the Duty of Constable of the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of abilities So help Me God

Henry Woodruff

Subscribed and Sworn Before Me this 1st Day of April A.D. 1839

John Hoy J. C.

I. Isaac Briggs Sollumly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the united States and the Constitution of this State and that I will in All things faithfully discharge the Duty of Constable of the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My abilities So help Me God.

Isaac Briggs

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 1st Day of April A.D. 1839

B. Holmes J. P.

J. Hoy T. C.

I. George D. Bass Sollumly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the united States and the Constitution of this State and that I will in all things faithfully discharge the Duty of Constable of the Town of Pittsfield according to the Best of My abilities So help Me God

George D. Bass

Subscribed and Sworn Before Me this 1st Day of April A.D. 1839

John Hoy J. C.

1839

I do Solemnly and Sincerely affirm and Declare that I will Support the Constitution of the United States that I will Support the Constitution of this State that I will faithfully Discharge the office of Deputy Clerk of the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My abilities under the pains and penalties of Perjury Pittsfield April 6th 1839

A. Holmes

Affirmed Before Me this 6th Day of April A.D. 1839

John Way Town Clerk

I Charles Woodard Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will in all things to the best of My abilities Execute and perform the trust Reposed in Me as Pound Master in the Town of Pittsfield So help Me God

Charles Woodard

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 6th Day of April A.D. 1839

John Way Town Clerk

We the undersigned do Solemnly Swear that we will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that we will faithfully Discharge the Duties of overseers of high ways and fence viewers of the Town of Pittsfield - Pittsfield April 1st 1839

Aaron Lawrance
Alvah Pratt
James C Smith
Sherman Winkley
Truman Winkley
Thelden Stebbens
Horace Carpenter
Horace Kellogg
Lemuel Clark
Peter Bogardus

Subscribed Before Me this 1st Day of April A.D. 1839

Jarvis Lenard J P

John Way Town Clerk

1839

I. William Anderson Jakins do Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and Execute and Perform the trust Reposed in Me as overseer of high ways and fence Viewer in the Town of Pittsfield So Help Me God Pittsfield April 9th

William Anderson

Subscribed and Sworn Before Me this 9th Day of April A.D. 1839

John Hoy Town Clerk

I Horace Lathrop Do Swear that I will faithfully Discharge the Duties of overseer of high ways and fence Viewer of the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My abilities So help Me God

Horace Lathrop

Subscribed and Sworn Before Me this 5th Day of April A.D. 1839

B. Holmes J-P

John Hoy Town Clerk

I. Do Swear that I will faithfully Discharge the Duty of overseer of high ways and fence Viewer of the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My abilities So help Me God

Stephen Mills

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 5th Day of April A.D. 1839 B. Holmes J-P

J. Hoy T-C

I. William M. Kenwood Declare and affirm that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and in all things to the best of My Abilities Execute and Perform the trust Reposed in Me as overseer of high ways and fence Viewer in the Town of Pittsfield this I affirm

William M. Kenwood

Subscribed and affirmed Before Me this 6th Day of April 1839

John Hoy Town Clerk

1839

I. Duncan Robertson Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and in all things to the best of My abilities Execute and perform the trust Reposed in Me as overseer of high ways and fence viewer in the Town of Pittsfield So help Me God Pittsfield April 3d 1839

Duncan Robertson

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 3d Day of April A.D. 1839

John Way Town Clerk

I. N. B. Ayers Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and in all things to the best of My abilities Execute and perform the trust Reposed in Me as overseer of high ways and fence viewer in the Town of Pittsfield So help Me God Pittsfield April 3d 1839

Nathaniel B. Ayers

Subscribed and Sworn Before Me this 3d Day of April A.D. 1839

John Way Town Clerk

I. Moses F. Collins Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and in all things to the Best of My Abilities Execute and perform the trust Reposed in Me as overseer of highways and fence viewer in the Town of Pittsfield So help Me God Pittsfield April 8th 1839

Moses F. Collins

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 8th Day of April A.D. 1839

John Way Town Clerk

I. Horace Melch Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and in all things to the best of My abilities Execute and perform the trust Reposed in Me as overseer of high ways and fence viewer in the Town of Pittsfield So help Me God Pittsfield April 8th 1839

Horace Melch

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 8th Day of April A.D. 1839

John Way Town Clerk

1839

I James Rowan Sollumly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and in all things to the best of My Ability Exicute and Perform the trust Reposed in Me as overseer of high ways and fence Viewer in the Town of Pittsfield So help Me God Pittsfield April 8th 1839

James Rowan

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 8th Day of April A.D. 1839

John Hay Town Clerk

I Owen Walsh Sollumly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and in all things to the best of My ability Exicute and Perform the trust Reposed in Me as overseer of high ways and fence Viewer in the Town of Pittsfield So help Me God Pittsfield April 9th 1839

Owen Walsh

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 9th Day of April A.D. 1839

John Hay Town Clerk

I Thomas Wood Sollumly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and in all things to the best of My ability Exicute and Perform the trust Reposed in Me as overseer of high ways and fence Viewer in the Town of Pittsfield So help Me God Pittsfield April 10th 1839

Thomas Wood

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 10th Day of April A.D. 1839

John Hay Town Clerk

I John Mc Callum Sollumly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and in all things to the best of My Ability Exicute and Perform the trust Reposed in Me as overseer of high ways and fence viewer in the Town of Pittsfield So help Me God Pittsfield April 11th 1839

John Mc Callum

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 11th Day of April A.D. 1839

John Hay Town Clerk

1839

I William Batty Sollumly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and in all things to the best of My abilety Exicute and Perform the trust Reposed in Me as overseer of high ways and fence viewer in the Town of Pittsfield So help Me God. Pittsfield April 4th 1839

William Batty

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 4th Day of April A.D. 1839

John Hay Town Clerk

Seba Squiers Appointed By the Commissioners of high ways in [illegible] of Arba Hurd who Did Not qualify April 15th 1839

I Seba Squiers Sollumly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and in all things to the best of My Abilety Exicute and perform the trust Reposed in Me as Overseer of high ways and fence viewers in the Town of pittsfield So help Me God Pittsfield April 15th 1839

Seba Squiers

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 15th Day of April A.D. 1839

John Hay Town Clerk

1840

1840

At the Annual Township Meeting held at the School house near Charles Woodards in the Town of Pittsfield April 6th A. D. 1840 the following Officers were Made Choice of for the Ensuing year Viz

Heman Tuckerman — Supervisor

John Hay — Town Clerk

Heman Tuckerman — Treasurer

Samuel D. McDowell
John Allison
Levi Rogers — Assessors

1840

Gorge S. Bofs { Collector

Burrows Holmes
Alvah Pratt
Ezra M. Whitmore { Inspectors of Primary Schools

John Allison
Alpheus Collins { Directors the Poor

John Shipman
Langford Sutherland
William M. Harwood { Commissioners of highways

Levi Rogers { Justices of the peace

Abil Giles
Gorge S. Bofs
Daniel Terhune
Isaac Briggs { Constables

Charles Woodard { Pound Master
Gorge S. Bofs { Collector

We Certify the above Names have Recived the Majority of Votes Given in the Townships of ~~Pittsfield~~ in the year of our Lord one Thousand Eight Hundred and forty April 6th

Herman Dickenor
Horace Carpenter
Jarvis Lenard
Alvah Pratt
B. Holmes
John Hay { Inspectors of Election

John Hay { Town Clerk

The Following Officers were Made Choice of for the Ensuing year for overseers of highways and Fence Viewers Viz

No of Districts

1st Charles Merritt
2 Horace Walsh
3 Sherman Pinkley
4 Nathaniel B. Ayers
5 Levi Rogers
6 James S. Morton
7 Owen Welch

No of Districts 1840

8 William M. Merwood
9 James Bowan
10 Moses Boylin
11 Benjamin Woodruff
12 Series Douglas
13 Salmon Brown
14 E. L Fuller
15 Horace Latthrop
16 John O. Hinkley
17 Thomas Wood
18 William Wilbert
19 Truman Hinkley
20 William Batte
21 John Densmore
22 Hiram Tidenor
23 Peter Begordus
24 John Hoy
25 Philip Laddick

The By Laws for 1840

Resolved That four feet and a half in with be considerd a Lawfull fence for the Town of Pittsfield and that there Shall not be a Space Exceeding four Inches within Eighteen inches of the Ground Resolved that All Stears over the age of one year Shall be Restrained from Running at Large under a Penalty of five Dollars for Ech offence Resolved that all Rams Shall be Restrained from Running at Large from the first of July to the fifteenth of November under a penalty of five Dollars for Ech offence Resolved That all Boars over Two Months old Shall be Restrained from Running at Large under a penalty of five Dollers for Ech offence Resolved That there Be one hundred and fifty Dollars Raised this year for the Support of Schools in Pittsfield April 6th A.D. 1840

Hiram Tidenor
Bi Holmes
Alvah Pratt
Jarvis Lenord
John Hoy

Inspectors of Election

1840

I. do Solemnly Swear That I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will Discharge the Duties of the office of Supervisor according to the best of My Abilities So help Me God

Faithfully April 6th 1840 Ransom Fullerton

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 6th Day of April 1840

Horace Corbett Justice of the peace

John Hay Town Clerk

I. Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will Faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of Town Clerk in the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My abilities So help Me God Pittsfield April 6th A.D. 1840

John Hay

Subscribed and Sworn before Me April 6th A.D. 1840

Horace Corbett Justice of the peace

We the assessors of the Town of Pittsfield will During our Continuance in office impartially and according to our best Skill and Judgment assess appraise and value all the Property which by Law we Shall be Directed to assess appraise or value and that we will Faithfully Discharge all the Duties of Said office So help us God Pittsfield April 6th A.D. 1840

John Allen

Levi Rogers

Samuel D. McConnell

Subscribed & Sworn before Me April 6th A.D. 1840 Noah Pratt Justice of the peace

We Solemnly Swear That we will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that we will Faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of Directors of the Poor in the Town of Pittsfield According to the best of our Ability So help us God Pittsfield April 6th A.D. 1840

1840

John Allesin
Alphar Collins

Subscribed & Sworn before
Me This 6th Day of April
A.D 1840

B. Holmes Jus P

and John Way Town Clk
April 14th A.D 1840

I Solemnly Swear that I will support the Constitution of United States and the Constitution of this State And that I will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of Commissioner of high ways for the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My abilities So help Me God Pittsfield April 11th A.D. 1840

John Shipman

Subscribed and Sworn before Me
this 11th Day of April A.D. 1840

B. Holmes J-P

I Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of Commissioner of high ways for the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My abilities So help Me God Pittsfield April 14th A.D 1840

Lanford Sutherland

Subscribed & Sworn before Me this 14th day of April A.D. 1840

John Way Town Clerk

I Declare and affirm that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duties of Commissioner of high ways in the Town of Pittsfield According to the best of My Ability Thus I affirm Pittsfield April 10th 1840

Mm M. Merrioad

Subscribed and affirmed before Me this 10th Day of April A.D. 1840

John Way Town Clerk

1840

I. Barnabas Holmes do Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will Discharge the Duties of Assistant Clerk of the Township of Pittsfield according to the best of My abilities So help Me God Pittsfield April 11th 1840

B. Holmes

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 11th Day of April A.D. 1840

John Hay Town Clerk

I. Schemmly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duties of Constable for the Town of Pittsfield According to the Best of My Ability without fraud or oppression So help Me God Pittsfield April 6th A.D. 1840

Abel Giles

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 6th Day of April A.D. 1840

John Hay Town Clerk

I. Da Schmmly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duty of Constable of the Town of Pittsfield and the County of Washtenaw without fraud or oppression So help Me God Pittsfield April 6th A.D. 1840

George S. Bass

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 6th Day of April A.D. 1840

B. Holmes J. P.

I. Da Schmmly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duties of Constable of the Town of Pittsfield in the County of Washtenaw to the best of My abilities So help Me God Pittsfield April 6th 1840

Daniel Denham

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 6th Day of April A.D. 1840

Horace Carpenter J. P.

I. Da Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will Discharge the Duty of Constable for the Town of Pittsfield in the County of Washtenaw without fraud Deceit

or Affirmation So help Me God pittsfield
April 6th A.D. 1840 Isaac Briggs
Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 6th
Day of April A.D. 1840
B. Holmes J. P.

I Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of Pound Master in the Town of pittsfield According to the best of My Ability So help Me God pittsfield April 6th A.D. 1840 Charles Woodard

Subscribed & Sworn before Me this 6th
Day of April A.D. 1840
Alvah Pratt J. P.

We Solemnly Swear that we will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that we will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of Overseers of highways and fence Viewers in the Town of pittsfield according to the best of My Ability So help Me God pittsfield April 6th A.D 1840

Salmon Brown
Wm Batty
John Densmore
Peter Cagordas
Charles Merritt
Edward L Fuller
Sherman Hendeley
Horace Walch
John Hoy
Levins Pangles
James Dawson
Nathanial B. Ayres
Levi Rogers
Owen Walch
Reuban Tickenor

Subscribed & Sworn before Me this 6th
Day of April A.D. 1840
Alvah Pratt J. P.

1840

I. Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of This State and that I will faithfully Discharge Duties of the office of overseer of highways and Fence Viewers in the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My ability So help Me God Pittsfield April 8th A.D. 1840

James D. Morton

Sworn & Subscribed before Me This 8th Day of April A.D. 1840

John Hoy Town Clerk

I. Do Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and of this State and that I will Discharge the Duty of overseer of highways and Fence Viewer of the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My ability So help Me God Pittsfield April 10th A.D. 1840

In presence of B. Holmes Esqr

his
Freeman X Hendly
Mark

Subscribed and Sworn this 10th Day of April 1840 before Me

B. Holmes J. P.

I. Do Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States & the Constitution of this State and that I will Discharge the Duty of overseer of highways and Fence viewer of the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My abilities So help Me God

Pittsfield April 10th 1840

Horace Lathrop

Subscribed and Sworn this 10th Day of April 1840 before Me

B. Holmes J. P.

I. Declare and affirm that I will Support the Constitution of the united States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duties of overseer of highways and Fence Viewer in the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My ability thus I affirm

William M. Norwood

Subscribed and Affirmed before Me this 10th Day of April A.D. 1840

John Hoy Town Clerk

1840

I Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of overseer of highways and fence viewer in the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My abilitie So help Me God

Pittsfield April 10th 1840

William Hulbert

Sworn & Subscribed before Me this 10th Day of April A.D. 1840

John May Town Clerk

I Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of overseer of highways and fence viewer in the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My abilitie So help Me God

Pittsfield April 11th A.D. 1840

John Hoy

Subscribed & Sworn before Me this 11th Day of April A.D. 1840

Horace Carpenter J. P.

I Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of overseer of highways and fence viewer in the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My abilitie So help Me God

Pittsfield April 11th A.D. 1840

M. Boylan

Subscribed & Sworn before Me this 11th Day of April A.D. 1840

John May Town Clerk

I do Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and of this State and that I will Discharge the Duty of overseer of highways and fence viewer of the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My ability So help Me God Pittsfield April 11th 1840

Subscribed & Sworn before Me this 11 Day of April 1840

John O Wentworth
B Holmes J P

1840

I. Solamnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duty of the office of overseer of high ways and fence viewer in the Town of Pittsfield according to best of My ability So helpe Me God Pittsfield April 13th A.D. 1840

Barzamin Woodruff

Subscribed & Sworn before Me this 13th Day of April A.D. 1840

John Hoy Town Clerk

I. Solamnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duty of the office of overseer of highways and fence viewer in the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My ability So helpe Me God Pittsfield April 13th A.D. 1840

Thomas Wood

Subscribed & Sworn before Me this 13th Day of April A.D. 1840

John Hoy Town Clerk

Reserved of John Hoy Town Clerk of the Town of Pittsfield one Copy of the Revised Statutes in Good order Pittsfield June 6th A.D. 1840

William McKaywood } Commissioners
Returned April 7th 1841 J. Hoy T. Clerk } of Highways

Received of the Town Clerk of Pittsfield one Copy of the Revised Statutes in Good order Pittsfield June 6th A.D. 1840 John Shipman } Commissioners of Highways

1840

Received of the Town Clerk of Pittsfield one Copy of the Revised Statutes in Good order Pittsfield June 8th 1840

Langford Southerland } Commissioner of highways

Received of the Town Clerk of Pittsfield Nine Copys of the Laws Relating to Highways and highway Taxes in Good order Pittsfield June 8th A.D. 1840

Langford Southerland
John Shipman } Commissioners of Highways

Received of the Town Clerk of Pittsfield one Copy of the Revised Statutes in Good order Pittsfield June 9th A.D 1840

John Allison Assessor

Received of the Town Clerk of Pittsfield one Copy of the Revised Statutes in Good order
Pittsfield July 6th 1840
Returned May 5th 1841 Levi Rogers
J. Mc Town Clerk

1841

At the Annual Town Meeting held at the School House near Charles Woodards in the Town of Pittsfield April 5th A.D. 1841 the following Officers Were Made Choice of for the Ensuing year Viz

Samuel D. Mc Dowell } Supervisor

John Moy } Town Clerk

Herman Tilkinson } Justice of the peace

Samuel D. Mc Dowell
Burroughs Holmes
Francis Mc Lansing } Assessors

John Shipman
Horace Kellogg
Isaac Elliott } Commissioners of highways

1841

Alvah Pratt
Burroughs Holmes } School
Ezra M. Whitmore } Inspectors

Alpheus Collins } overseers of the
Horace Kellogg } Poor

Ezra Carpenter } Constable and Collector

Porter P. Newvalkenburgh
Jonathan F. Dunn } Constables
Simeon G. Rowley

Hiram Pickenor } Town Treasurer

Next Town Meeting at School District No 7

John McCollum
B. Holmes } Pound Masters
Charles Woodard

The By Laws for 1841 Resolved that four feet and a half in hith be considred a Lawful fence for the Town of Pittsfield and that there shall not be a Space Exceeding four inches within Eighteen inches of the Ground — Resolved that all Studds over the age of one year shall be Restrained from Running at Large under a Penalty of five Dollers for Eh offence — Resolved that all Rams Shall be Restrained from Running at Large from the first of July to the fifteenth of December under a penalty of five Dollars for Eh offence — Resolved that all Boars over two Months old Shall be Restrained from Running at Large under a Penalty of five Dollars for Eh offence — Resolved that all Bulls be Restrained from Running at Large under a Penalty of five Dollars for Eh offence — Resolved that all overseers of high ways Shall prosecute for Violation of Bulls and Boars Resolved that We Raise two hundrid Dollars for the Support of primary Schools for the Ensuing year

Hiram Pickenor } Supervisor
B. Holmes } Town Clerk
Horace Carpenter } Justices
Levi Rogers
John Hay Town Clerk

1841

The following Officers were Made Choice of for the Ensuing year for overseers of high ways and fence Viewers for the Town of Pittsfield April 5th A.D. 1841

Viewers 1 Alvah Pratt
2 George Stickes
3 Sherman Hinkley
4 Nathaniel B. Ayers
5 Levi Rogers
6 James L. Morton
7 William McKaDay
8 James Whaley
9 Braddock Shorts
10 Aaron Lawrance
11 Ezra M. Whetmore
12 William Anderson
13 Philo Parsons
14 John Mosely
15 Moses Wilsey
16 Stephen Mills
17 Thomas Wood
18 John Cody
19 David Depue
20 William Batty
21 Lemuel Clarke
22 Samuell D. McDowell
23 Samuell Morgan
24 James C. Smith
25 Philip Laddyeck

John Hoag Town Clerke

I do Solemnly Swear that I Will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I Will Discharge the Duties of the office of Town Clerke according to the best of My abilities So help Me God Pittsfield April 5th 1841

John Hoag

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 5th Day of April A.D. 1841

B Holmes J.P

John Hoag Town Clerk

1841

We the assessors of the Town of Pittsfield will during our Continuance in office impar

tially and according to our best Skill and Judgment assess appraise or value and that we will faithfully discharge all the Duties of said office so help us God

Pittsfield April 5th A.D. 1841

B. Holmes
Samuel D. M Dowell
F. M. Lansing

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 5th day of April A.D. 1841

John Hoy Town Clerk

We do Solemnly Swear that we will Support the Constitution of the united States and the Constitution of this State and that we will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of Commissioner of high ways for the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of our ability So help us God

Pittsfield April 5th A.D. 1841

Isaac Elliott
John Shipman
Horace Kellogg

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 5th day of April A.D. 1841

John Hoy Town Clerk

We do Solemnly Swear that we will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that we will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of Directors of the Poor in the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of our abilitys So help us God

Pittsfield April 5th A.D. 1841

Alphes Collins
Horace Kellogg

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 5th day of April 1841 Levi Rogers J.P

John Hoy Town Clerk

1841

we do Solemnly Swear that we will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that we will faithfully discharge the Duties of the office of Pound Master in the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of our ability So help us God
April 6th 1841 Charles Hobard

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 6th Day of April A.D. 1841
Alvah Pratt J-P
John Hoy Town Clerk

Received of John Hoy Town Clerk of Pittsfield one Copy of the Revised Statutes in Good order Pittsfield April 7th A.D. 1841
Saml D. McDowell, Supervisor
Ira Crowell Tilson

I do Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully and impartially discharge the Duties of the office of Supervisor of the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My ability So help Me God.
Pittsfield April 7th 1841
Samuel D. McDowell
Subscribed and Sworn this 7th Day of April before Me B. Holmes J-P
John Hoy Town Clerk

I do Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will discharge the Duties of the office of Town Treasurer according to the best of My abilitys So help Me God Pittsfield April 7th 1841
Hernan Tilson
Subscribed and Sworn Before Me this 7th Day of April A.D. 1841
Horace Carpenter Jus P
John Hoy Town Clerk

I. Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the united States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully discharge the Duty of Deputy Town Clerk for the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My abilitys So Help Me God Pittsfield April 7th 1841

B. Holmes

Subscribed and Sworn this 7th Day of April 1841 before Me

John Hay Town Clerk

We do Solemnly Swear that we will Support the Constitution of the united States and the Constitution of this State and that we will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of overseers of highways and fence Viewers in the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of our abilitys So help us God Pittsfield April 5th A.D. 1841

John Cady
Samuel Clark
John Mosely
Moses H. Wilder
George Hastes
E. M. Whitman
Sherman Hensley
Samuel D. Morgan
Philip Paddock
David Depue
Stephen Mills
Thomas Wood
Philo Parsons
Levi Rogers
Alvah Pratt
B. Shaw
James M. Haley
Saml D. M. Dowell
Wm M. Dee
Nathaniel B. Byrd
William Batty
J. C. Smith

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 5th Day of April A.D. 1841

B. Holmes J.P.

John Hay Town Clerk

Township of Pittsfield
County of Washtenaw

I do Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the Office of overseer of high ways and fence viewer in Road District No 10 in said Township according to the best of My ability So help Me God

Aaron Lawrance

Subscribed and Sworn thes 13th day of April A.D. 1841 before Me

Horace Carpenter J. P.

I Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duty of the Office of Collector to the best of My abilities So help Me God Township of Pittsfield County of Washtenaw

Ezra Carpenter

Subscribed and Sworn this 14th Day of April A.D. 1841 before Me

Horace Carpenter J. P.

We do Solemnly Swear that we will Support the Constitution of the united States and the Constitution of this State and that we will Discharge the Duties of Constables for the Town of Pittsfield in the County of Washtenaw without fraud Deceit or oppression So help us God

Pittsfield April 5th A.D. 1841

P. P. Barnard Wm Burgess
Simeon G. Bowley
Ezra Carpenter
Jonathan E. Dunn

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 5th Day of April A.D 1841

John Mayo Town Clerk

you Do Solemnly Swear that you will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and you will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of overseer of highways in Road District No. 6 and the office of fence viewer According to the best of your ability So help you God April 15th 1841

James T. Morton

Sworn this 15th Day of April A.D. 1841

Levi Rogers Justice of the Peace

Rec'd of the Town Clerk one Copy of the Revised Statutes in Good order

Pittsfield May 12th 1841

Returned April 4th 1842 H. M. Lansing Assessor

I Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of overseer of highways and fence viewer in the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My ability So help Me God Pittsfield April 15th 1841

Philip Laddick

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 15th Day of April A.D. 1841

John Hoy Town Clerk

Rec'd of the Town Clerk of Pittsfield one Copy of the Revised Statutes in Good order

May. 8th 1841 Horace Kellogg

Returned April 5th 1842

Rec'd of the Town Clerk of Pittsfield one Copy of the Revised Statutes in Good order July 3 1841

B. Holmes Assessor

1842

At the Opening of the Annual Township Meeting held at the School House in District No. 7 on the 4th Day of April A.D. 1842 it was voted that there Shall be Chosen by Ballot two Assessors to assist the Supervisor in taking the Assessment

Pittsfield April 4th 1842

John Hoy Town Clerk

a Statement of the Votes Given at the annual Townships Meeting Held on the 4th Day of April 1872 at the School House in District No 7 in the Township of Pittsfield The whole Number of Votes Given for the Office of Supervisor one hundred and fifty three Sixty four of them were Given for Roman Dickenson Sixty two for Henry Burnsey and twenty Seven for Samuel D. McConnell the whole Number of Votes Given for the Office of Town Clerk was one hundred and fifty one Sixty Eight of them was Given for John Hoy fifty nine for James Brown and twenty four for Horace Carpenter the whole Number of Votes Given for the Office of Justices of Peace was one hundred and fifty one Sixty three of them were Given for Elijah Lathrop Sixty one for Charles Woodard Twenty Seven for Francis M. Lansing. the whole Number of Votes Given for the Office of Town Treasurer was one hundred and fifty three Sixty three of them was Given for Edwell H. Spalding Sixty two for Salman Brown twenty Eight for Josiah Powell jr the whole Number of Votes Given for the Office of School Inspectors was one hundred and fifty Eight Sixty four of them were Given for Edwin L Allen Sixty three for Daniel Wilbur Sixty one for Burrows Holmes Sixty three for Davies Douglass Sixty three for Eleazer Walch Sixty two for Sherman Pinkly thirty one for Abram Pratt twenty five for Joseph W. Collins twenty five for Oliver M. Smith The whole Number of Votes Given for the Office of Commissions of Highways was four hundred and fifty Eight Sixty four of them were Given for Horace Lathrop Sixty four for John Shipman Sixty three for Edwin A. Platt Sixty two for Horace Walch Sixty three for Peter Vogardus Sixty one for James T. Morton Thirty for Isaac Elliott twenty five for Daniel Underwood twenty five for Thadeus S Ball the whole Number of Votes Given for the Office of Directors of the Poor was three hundred and Eight Sixty three of them

were Given for John Allison Sixty three
for George D. Shelmire Sixty three for
Mathias Valentine Sixty three for James M
Nichols Twenty Eight for Josiah Sewell
twenty Eight for Horace Lathrop
The whole Number of Votes Given for
the office of Assessors was three hundred
Sixty five of them were Given for Moses D. Wilsey
fifty Eight for Samuel Clark Sixty five for
Levi Rogers Sixty three for James C. Smith
twenty Seven for Francis M. Lansing Twenty two
for Jarvis Leonard The whole Number of Votes Given
for the office of Constable was Six hundred and
fourteen Sixty four of them were Given for
Robert J. Barry Sixty three for Daniel Terhune
Sixty four for P.P. Vanvalkenburgh Sixty three
for Simion G. Lawley Sixty three of them
for Jonathen F. Dunn Sixty two for William
Bogardus Sixty three for Danl Brown Sixty
three for William Dise twenty Seven for
Josiah Sewell Jr Twenty Eight for Alverson
Dewey Twenty Mertillus A. Cravath Twenty
Seven for Joseph M. Collins — The following
is a List of the Officers Elected by Ballot Viz

Herman Dickenson Supervisor

John Hoy Town Clerk
Calvill H. Spalding Town Treasurer
Elijah Lathrop Justice of the peace
Edwin L. Akin } School
Darius Douglass } Inspectors
David Wilsey } Desided by Lot
Horace Lathrop } Commissioners
John Shipman } of
Peter Bogardus } Highways
John Allison } Directors of the poor
James M. Nichols } Desided by Lot
Robert J. Barry } Constabels
P.P. Vanvalkenburgh } Elected
Daniel Terhune } Constabels
Jonathan F. Dunn } Desided by Lot
Vanransalaer Tyler } pound Master

Levi Rogers } Assessors
Moses D. Wilsey }

The following persons were Elected
overseers of highways and fence viewers
for the Town of Pittsfield for the Ensuing
year Viz

District 1 Alvah Pratt
" 2 Nathaniel McCullough
" 3 James M. Nichols
" 4 Hiram Cady
" 5 Thadeus S. Ball
" 6 John Tate
" 7 Jonethen Seely
" 8 William M. Kenwood
" 9 Richales Van Blarcum
" 10 Edmund T. Bruden
" 11 Benjamin Woodruff
" 12 Henry Rumsey
" 13 George S. Shelmyar
" 14 asser Briggs
" 15 George G Lewton
" 16 Raymond Bowman
" 17 Thomas Wood
" 18 Langford Southerland
" 19 Truman Hinkley
" 20 William Batty Luther S Valentine
" 21 alver M. Smith
" 22 Edwin A. Platt
" 23 Charles Woodard
" 24 John Hoy
" 25 Philip Laddock

Voted that the Providing weights be indefinitely
Postponed and the balance in the Treasurery
be applied to Town purposes — Voted that
the by Laws Restraining bulls be Rescinded
Voted to Repeal the by Laws Requiring overseers
of highways to prosecute for violations
of the by Laws — voted that Barransular
Tyler be pound Master the insuing
year and that his yard be a Sufficient
Pound Voted to Raise two Hundred Dollars
for the Support of Schools the insuing year

The by Laws for 1842

Resolved that four feet and a half in hith
be Considered a Lawful fence for the Town
of Pittsfield and that there Shall not be
a Space Exceeding four inches within
Eighteen inches of the Ground — Resolved
that all Studds over the age of one year
Shall be Restrained from Running at
Large under a penalty of four Dollars

for Each offence — Resolved that all Rams Shall be Restrained from Running at Large from the first of July to the fifteenth of December under a penalty of five Dollars for Each offence — Resolved that all boars over two Months old Shall be Restrained from Running at Large under a penalty of five Dollars for Each offence — We hereby Certify the foregoing is a Correct Statement of the Result of the annual Township Meeting held at the School house in District No 7 Pittsfield in the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan holden on the fourth day of April A.D. 1842

Samuel D McDowell
Horace Carpenter
John Hoy
} Inspectors of Election for said Township

I do Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully and impartially discharge the Duties of the office of Supervisor of the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My ability So help Me God
Pittsfield April 4th 1842
Heman Dickerman

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 4th day of April 1842 Levi Rogers J P

John Hoy Town Clerk

I do Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will Discharge the Duties of the office of Town Clerk according to the best of My ability So help Me God
Pittsfield April 4th 1842
John Hoy

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 4th day of April 1842 Horace Carpenter J P
John Hoy Town Clerk

I do Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully and Impartialy Discharge the Duties of the office of Town Treasurer of the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My abilities So help Me God Pittsfield April 16th 1842

C. H. Spalding

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 16th Day of April 1842

John Hoy Town Clerk

We do Solemnly Swear that we will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that we will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of Commissioners of high ways for the Town of Pittsfield According to the best of our Abilitys So help us God Pittsfield April 7th 1842

John Shipman
Peter Bagardus
Horace Lathrop

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 7th Day of April 1842

John Hoy Town Clerk

We do Solemnly Swear that we will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that we will faithfully Discharg the Duties of the office of Directors of the Poor in the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of our abilitys So help us God Pittsfield April 12th 1842

James M. Nichals
John Allison

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 12th Day of April 1842

John Hoy Town Clerk

We the assessors of the Township of Pittsfield will during our Continuance in office Impartialy and according to our best Skill and Judgment assess appraise or Value and that we will faithfully Discharge all the Duties of Said

office So help us God Pittsfield
April 7th 1842

Levi Rogers } Assessor

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 7th
Day of April 1842

John Hay Town Clerk

I. Do Swear that as an assessor of the Town
of Pittsfield I will During My Continuance
in office impartially and according to
the best of My Skill and Judgment
assess appraise and Value all the Property
which by Law I Shall be Directed
to assess appraise or Value and that I
will faithfully Discharge all the other
Duties of the Office of assessor
according to the best of My abilities so
help Me God Pittsfield April 12th 1842

Moses D Wilsey

Subscribed and Sworn before Me
this 12th Day of April A.D. 1842

Herman Pitkens J. P.

John Hay Town Clerk

We Do Solemnly Swear that we will
Support the Constitution of the United
States and the Constitution of this State
and that we will Discharge the Duties of
the office of Constables for the Township
of Pittsfield in the County of Washtenaw
without fraud Deciet or oppression
So help us God Pittsfield April 4th 1842

Robert J. Barry
Daniel Terhune
P. P. Vanvalkenburg
J. H. Dunn

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this
4th Day of April 1842

John Hay Town Clerk

I. Do Solemnly Swear that I will
Support the Constitution of the United
States and the Constitution of this State
and that I will faithfully Discharge the
Duties of the office of Pound Master

in the Town of Pittsfield according
to the best of My abelity So help Me
God Pittsfield April 11th 1842

Lawrence Lober

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this
11th Day of April 1842

John Hoy Town Clerk

I do Solamnly Swear that I will
Support the Constitution of the United
States and the Constitution of this
State and that I will perform the
Duties of Sealer of Weights and Measures
in the Town of Pittsfield according
to the best of My abilety So help Me
God Pittsfield April 16th 1842

John Hoy

Subscribed and Sworn before Me this 16th
Day of April A.D. 1842

Alvah Pratt J-P

John Hoy Town Clerk

Township of Pittsfield } ss
State of Michigan

I. Benjamin MacDuff do Solamnly
Swear that I will Support the Constitution
of the United States and the Constitution
of this State and that I will faithfully
Discharge the Duties of Overseer of high
ways and Fence Viewer to the best of My
abilety So help Me God Pittsfield April 15
1842

Benj MacDuff

Subscribed and Sworn this 15th Day of
April A.D. before Me

Horace Carpenter J-P

John Hoy Town Clerk

I do Solamnly Swear that I will Support
the Constitution of the United States
and the Constitution of this State and that
I will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the
office of overseer of high ways and Fence Viewers
in the Town of Pittsfield according to
the best of My abilety So help Me God Pittsfield
May 21st 1842 in Place of Mr Batty

L. J Valentine

Sworn and
Subscribed before Me this 21st Day of May 1842

John Hoy Town Clerk

We do Solemnly Swear that we will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that we will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of Overseer of highways and fence Viewers in the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of our abilities So help us God Pittsfield April 4th 1842

Thomas Wood
Alexr M. Smith
Wm Batty
E. J. Shelmire
Nichols Vanblarcum
Ezeman Hinkley
Hiram Cady
Charles Woodward
Thaddeus J. Ball
Philip P. Laddick
William M. Harwood
Raymond Barnum
John Hoy
Asaph Briggs
Matt. McCullough
James M. Nichols
Langford Sutherland
Jonathan Seely
John Tate
George S. Lewton
Alvah Pratt
Edmund T. Preddeen
Henry Rumsey
Edwin A. Platt

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 4th Day of April 1842

Levi Rogers J. P.

John Hoy Town Clerk

At the Annual Township Meeting held at the School house near Charles Woodards in District No 7 in the Town of Pittsfield on the 4th Day of April 1843 it was Resolved that we Elect four Constables Resolved that we Elect two Assessors

The Annual Town Meeting held in District No. 7 near Charles Woodards April 3 1843

We the Undersigned Inspectors of Election hereby Certify that the following officers were Elected at the annual Townships Meeting held according to Law on the 3d Day of April 1843

Herman Pickman — Superviser

John Hoy — Town Clerk

Caleb Bass — Justice of the Peace

Salmon Brown — Town Treasurer

John Shepman, Edwin A. Platt, William Hulbart — Commissioners of Highways

1 year Daniel Wilsey, 2 years Ezra M. Whitmore — School Inspectors

Orba Hurd, Sherman Hinkley — Directors of the Poor

Moses F. Wilsey, Allen Crittenden — Assessors

Simeon G. Rowley, Giles M. Pickman, John Cummings, P. P. Vanvalkinburg — Constables

Given under our hands at Pittsfield this 4 Day of April 1843

Herman Pickman, Elijah Lathrop, Alvah Pratt, Levi Rogers, John Hoy — Inspectors of Election

Also the following persons were Elected overseers of Highways and Fence Viewers for the ensuing year Viz

District No. 1 Daniel Underwood

" 2 Horace Welch

" 3 Sherman Hankley

Test. By Hiram Cady
" 5 Horace Kellogg
" 6 John Tate
" 7 Owen Melot
" 8 William M. Harwood
" 9 George M. Hamilton
" 10 Lewis Barr
" 11 Caldwell H. Baldwin
" 12 Darius Douglas
" 13 Josiah Sewell
" 14 Edward L. Fuller
" 15 George Lewston
" 16 John M. Mills
" 17 Thomas Wood
" 18 Langford Southerland
" 19 Darrel Depue
" 20 Luke S. Calestine
" 21 Samuel Clark
" 22 Jonathen F. Dunn
" 23 Peter Bugardis
" 24 Heman Wilbur
" 25 Phillip Laddick
" 26 John Dunnins

And it was Resolved at the Above Meeting that the Laws of School Library be put in Effect the Peple of the Town of Pittsfield the present year 1849 Resolved that we have a Sealer of Pound Master the present year Resolved that the by Laws for 1849 be the Laws for 1849 Resolved that we Raise three hundred Dollars the present year for the Support of Common Schools in Pittsfield Voted that the next Town Meeting be in Dist No 7

A true Copy Attest

John Hay Town Clerk

I Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will Discharge the Duties of the office of Supervisor according to the best of My ability So help me God

Heman Tuckerman

Sworn and Subscribed this
14th of April 1849
before Me Alvah Pratt Justice Peace

John Hay Town Clerk

I Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the the Constitution of this State and that I will Discharge the Duties of the office of Town Clerk according to the best of My Abilities So help Me God

Pittsfield April 3d 1843

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 3d day of April 1843

John Hoy

Alvah Pratt J. — Peace

John Hoy Town Clerk

I Solmnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of Commissioner of Highways according to the best of My Ability So help Me God

Pittsfield April 3d 1843

John Shipman
Edwin A. Platt
William Hulbart

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 3d day of April 1843

Alvah Pratt Justice Peace

John Hoy Town Clerk

I Solmnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of Directors of the poor according to the best of My abilitys So help Me God

Pittsfield April 12th 1843

Arba Hurd
Sherman Hinkley

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 12th day of April 1843

John Hoy Town Clerk

I Solemnly Swear that as an assessor of the Town of Pittsfield I will During My Continuance in office Impartiely and according to the best of My Skill and Judgment assess appraise and value all the property which by Law I Shall be Directed to assess appraise or value and that I will faithfully Discharge all the other Dutys of the Office of assessor according to the best of My abilety So help Me God

Pittsfield April 11th 1843

Allen Cattenden
Moses T. Milser

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 11th Day of April 1843

John Hoy Town Clerk

I Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the united States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Dutys of the office of Constable for the Town of Pittsfield without fraud Deciet or oppression So help Me God

April 3d 1843

Simeon G. Bowley
Porter P. Vanvoalkenburg
John Dunning

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 3d Day of April 1843

Alvah Pratt Justice Peace

John Hoy Town Clerk

I Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the united States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Dutys of the office of overseer of Highways and fence viewer in the Town of Pittsfield according to best of My abilety So help Me God

Pittsfield April 3d 1843

Samuel Clark
Philip Laddicke
Hiram Cady
Jonathan F. Dunn
Langford Southerland
William M. Harwood
L. S. Valentine
Horace Melch
Peter Vasvordus

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 3d Day of April 1843

Levi Rogers Justice of the Peace

John Hoy Town Clerk

I Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully discharge the Duties of the Office of overseer of High ways and fence viewers in the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My ability So help Me God April 10th 1843

Herman Wilson
Daniel Underwood

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 10th Day of April 1843 Alvah Pratt Justice of the Peace

John Hoy Town Clerk

I Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharg the Duties of the Office of overseer of High ways and fence viewers in the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My ability So help Me God April 10th 1843

Davies Douglass

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 10th Day of April 1843

Herman Pickenor Jr Peace

John Hoy Town Clerk

I Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the Office of overseer of High ways and fence viewers in the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My ability So help Me God April 13th 1843

John Tate	Owen Welch
Josiah Newell	Sherman Hinkley
Lewis Barr	George M. Hamilton
Thomas Wood	Horace Kellogg

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 13th Day of April 1843

John Hoy Town Clerk

I Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of overseer of High ways and fence viewer in the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My ability So help Me God April 13th 1843

C. H. Spalding

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 13th Day of April 1843

Heman Sickenor Justice of the peace

John Hoy Town Clerk

I Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully Discharge the Duties of the office of overseer of High ways and fence viewer in the Town of Pittsfield according to the best of My Ability, So help Me God

April 14th 1843

John M. Mills
David Despue
John Dunning
George E. Lawton

Sworn and Subscribed before Me this 15th Day of April 1843

Elijah Lathrop Justice of the peace

John Hoy Town Clerk

I Do Solemnly Swear that I will Support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will perform the Duties of the office of Townships Treasurer according to the best of My abilities So help Me God

Salmon Brown

Subscribed and Sworn at Pittsfield this 14th of April 1843

Heman Sickenor J peace

John Hoy Town Clerk

I do Solemnly Swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of this State and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of overseer of High ways and fence viewer according to the best of My ability

E. L. Fuller

Pittsfield April 29th 1843 This day personally appeared before Me E. L. Fuller and took an oath

Elezah Lathrop Justice of Peace

John Hoy Town Clerk

Annual Meeting - 1844

The annual meeting for electing Township Officers was holden at the school house in Dis. No. 3 (formerly No. 7) on the 1st day of April A.D. 1844

After organizing Board of Election voted to elect four Constables

Statement of Officers Elected April 1st 1844

"We the undersigned Inspectors of election of the Township of Pittsfield, hereby certify, that at an annual township meeting held at the school house near Charles Woodards in said town on the first of April 1844, the following persons were elected to office for the ensuing year (viz)

Herman Tickenor — Supervisor
Edwin L. Aiken — Town Clerk
John F. Lansing — Justice of Peace
Talman Brown — Treasurer
William Hulbert
Edwin A. Platt
Moses T. Wilsey } Commissioners of Highways

David Wilsey — School Inspector 2 yrs.

Arba Hurd
Sherman Hinckley } Directors of Poor

Robert J. Barry
Allen Crittenden } Assessors

Simeon T. Rowley
Charles L. Woodard*
William A. McCollum
John Dunning } Constables.
*decided by lot.

Pittsfield April 1st 1844

Herman Tickenor
Levi Rogers
Caleb Bois
Elijah Lathrop
John Hoy
" " } Inspectors of Election

The following persons were elected Overseers of Highways

Dis. No. 1 Alvah Platt
" " 2 George Stuck
No 3 Sherman Hinckley
" 4 Randall Bois
" 5 Levi Rogers

Dis. No. 6 - James Brown
" 7 Owen Welch
" 8 Wm. W. Harwood
" 9 Joel S. Mead
" 10 Edmund T. Rudenˢ
" 11 Colwell H. Spalding
" 12 Wm. Anderson
" 13 George Shelmire
" 14 Oscar Briggs
" 15 Moses T. Wilsey
" 16 Hanson B. Watkins

Dis No 17. Thomas Wood
" 18 Asa Heard
" 19 Oliver L. Warner
" 20. Bart. Smith.
" 21 - Samuel Clark
" 22 - Henan Tickner
" 23 = E. L. Aiken
" 24 = Mason Howard.
" 25 = Thomas Smith
" 26 = James B. Alexander

Resolutions.

Resolved 1st That the Township of Pittsfield come under the town Library system

" 2nd That we have a pound in the Township of Pittsfield - and that VanRenselaer Tyler be Pound master

" 3d That we raise a tax of ten dollars to build a Pound

" 4th That the by-laws of 1842 stand for the year 1844

A true record - E. L. Aiken T. Clark

In addition to the above, It was voted to raise the sum of Fifty Dollars to be distributed among the several School districts for the support of primary schools

E. L. A. T. Clk.

Record of Oaths of office -

I do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this state, and that I will discharge the duties of the office Supervisor of the town of Pittsfield according to the best of my abilities -

Henan Tickner

Subscribed & sworn before me this 1st of April 1844.

John Hoy Town Clerk.

1844

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this state, and that I will discharge the duties of the office of Town clerk of the Town of Pittsfield, according to the best of my abilities

Edwin L. Aiken

Subscribed & sworn before me this 2nd day of April 1844 John Hoy, Town Clerk.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of this state, & that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Constable for the town of Pittsfield, without fraud, deceit, or oppression So help me God

Simeon G. Rowley

Sworn & subscribed before me this 1st day of April A. D. 1844 John Hoy Town Clerk

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States & the constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of overseer of highways & fence viewers in the town of Pittsfield according to the best of my ability, So help me God

Thomas Wood
Oscar Briggs
Levi Rogers
Alanson B. Watkins
Heman Tickner
Owen Welch
Edwin L. Aiken
Samuel Clark
Joel S. Mead
Thomas Smith
Randall Bass
Sherman Hinckley
Moses T. Wilsey

Sworn & subscribed before me this 1st day of April 1844 John Hoy Town clerk.

I do solemnly & sincerely affirm that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this State and that I will discharge the duties of the office of Overseer of highways according to my best ability.

William W. Fleerwood

Subscribed & sworn before me this 1st of April 1844 Heman Tickner J.P.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of this State, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Constable according to the best of my ability

William A. McCollum

Subscribed & sworn before me this 5th day of April A.D. 1844 Edwin L. Aiken J. Clerk

I do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the constitution of this State, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Constable, according to the best of my ability

Charles S. Woodard

Subscribed & sworn before me this 4th day of April A.D. 1844 E. L. Aiken J. Clerk.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States & the constitution of this State. and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Overseer of highways according to the best of my ability

George S. Shelmire

James Brown

Subscribed & sworn before me this 6th day of April 1844 E. L. Aiken J. Clerk.

I do solemnly swear that as an assessor of the town of Pittsfield, I will during my continuance in office, impartially & according to my best Skill & judgment assess appraise & value all the property which by law I shall be directed to assess, appraise or value, and that I will faithfully discharge all the other duties of said office according to the best of my ability

Robert J. Barry

Allen Crittenden

Sworn & subscribed before me this 8th day of April A.D. 1844 E. L. Aiken J. Clerk.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Director of Poor according to the best of my ability. Sherman Hinckley.
Subscribed & sworn before me this 4th day of April A.D. 1844. E. L. Aiken Town Clerk.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this state, & that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Township Treasurer according to the best of my ability. Talman Brown
Subscribed & sworn before me this 5th day of April 1844. E. L. Aiken Town Clerk.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of this State, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of commissioner of highways, according to the best of my ability.
Wm. Hulbert
Edwin A. Platt
Sworn & subscribed before me this 8th day of April A. D. 1844. E. L. Aiken T. Clerk

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States & the constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of commissioner of highways, for the town of Pittsfield, according to the best of my ability.
Moses T. Wilson
Subscribed & sworn before me this 8th day of April 1844. E. L. Aiken Town Clerk

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States & the constitution of this state and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Constable according to the best of my ability. John Deming
Subscribed & sworn before me this 8th day of April A.D. 1844. E. L. Aiken Town Clerk

1844.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of this State, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the several offices of Overseer of highways & Director of the poor for the town of Pittsfield, according to the best of my ability.

Arba Hurd

Subscribed & sworn before me this 10th day of April A.D. 1844. E. L. Aiken Town Clerk

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of this State and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of overseer of highways according to the best of my ability

Edmund T. Pruden

Subscribed & sworn before me this 9th day of April 1844. E. L. Aiken T. Clerk

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of this State and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Inspector of Primary schools for the town of Pittsfield, according to the best of my ability.

David Wilsey

Subscribed & sworn before me this 8th day of April 1844. E. L. Aiken Town Clerk

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States & the constitution of this State, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Overseer of highways according to the best of my ability.

James B. Alexander

Subscribed & sworn before me this 8th day of April 1844. E. L. Aiken, Town Clerk.

This 10th day of April 1844 came before me, Van Rensselaer Tyler, elected Pound master for the town of Pittsfield and took the oath of office as required by law.

E. L. Aiken T. Clerk.

1844.

I do solemnly, sincerely swear to support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of the State of Michigan, and well & duely perform the duties of overseer of Highways according to the best of my abilities. C. H. Spalding

Sworn & subscribed before me this 10th day of April A.D. 1844.

(Magnet) Heman Tickenor Justice Peace

I do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the constitution of this state and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Overseer of highways, according to the best of my abilities

George Stuck

Subscribed & sworn this 18th day of April 1844.

E. L. Aiken, Town Clerk,

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this state and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Overseer of highways in road district No. 24. in Pittsfield, according to the best of my ability.

Mason Howard

Subscribed & sworn before me this 19th day of April 1844. E. L. Aiken Town Clerk

This may certify that Oliver L. Warner personally came before me and subscribed the following oath, to wit,

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, & the constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully perform the duties of overseer of highways in road district No. 19 according to the best of my ability.

Oliver L. Warner.

Pittsfield April 8th 1844.

Elijah Lathrop, Justice of the peace

1844

On application of N. Howard for a license to keep a tavern, the township board met at E. L. Aiken's. Present H. Ticknor, L. Rogers Esq. E. Lathrop Esq. and E. L. Aiken.

Said Howard is to pay $3.50 on license given last year. After consultation it was decided unanimously, that no license be granted for the ensuing year.

Pittsfield May 9th 1844.

E. L. Aiken. Clerk of Township Board

The following persons were selected to serve as Jurors for the year 1844.

Grand Jurors	Petit Jurors
Arba Hurd	Burroughs Holmes
Thomas Wood	Talman Brown
Moses T. Wilsey	Porter P. Van Valkenburgh
David Depuy	Hiram Cady
Edwin A. Platt	James Rowan
Benjamin Woodruff	Philo Parsons

Pittsfield May 9th 1844.

Herman Ticknor } Supervisors

Robert I. Barry
Allen Crittenden } Assessors

E. L. Aiken. Town Clerk.

Sept. 20th 1844. According to previous notice Township Board met at E. L. Aiken's for the purpose of auditing accounts. Present, H. Ticknor E. Lathrop, C. Bos, J. F. Lansing Esqrs & E. L. Aiken.

Accounts presented by the following persons were examined & allowed viz.

No. 1.	J. Hoy's acct. for services as J. Clerk	Amount	$20.25
" 2.	L. Rogers' acct.	"	5.50
" 3.	B. Holmes' "	"	2.25
" 4.	J. Shipmans "	"	3.50
" 5.	R. I. Barry's "	"	9.50

No. 6.	A. Crittendens -	Amt.	$ 7. 00
" 7.	D. Wilsey's	"	2. 50
" 8.	E. W. Whitmores	"	15. 50
Allowed jurors on roads -			12. 00

Adjourned to meet again on Saturday the 28 inst.

Sept. 28th Met pursuant to adjournment.

No. 9	Allowed, No. D. Wilsey's acct.		2. 00
" 10	E. A. Platts	"	2. 50
" 11	Wm. Hulbert's	"	8. 50
" 12	L. S. Anderson's	"	3. 50
" 13	S. G. Rowley's	"	9. 00
" 14	H. Tickner's	"	16. 00
" 15	C. Bop's	"	6. 50
" 16	E. Lathrop's	"	1. 50
" 17	I. F. Lansing's	"	1. 00
" 18	E. L. Aiken's	"	17. 00
		Total	$ 165. 50

Pittsfield Sept. 28th 1844.

E. L. Aiken. Clerk of T. Board

Nov. 5th 1844. At a meeting of the Township Board it was resolved, That the Township Treasurer of Pittsfield be allowed three per cent on all taxes collected by him in said Township during the present year.

Pittsfield Nov. 5th 1844.

E. L. Aiken Clerk of T. Board

April 7th 1845

Annual Meetings

The Annual Meeting for the election of Township Officers was held at the school house in Dis. No. 3, on the 7th day of April 1845.

At said meeting it was voted to elect four Constables for the ensuing year.

The following is the statement of Officers elected at said Meeting —

"The undersigned Inspectors of Election of the Township of Pittsfield, hereby certify that at the annual Township meeting held at the school-house in district No. 3 in said town on the seventh day of April 1845, the following persons were duly elected to office for the ensuing year, they having received the greatest number of votes (viz.)

Ezra W. Whitmore = Supervisor
Edwin L. Aiken = Town Clerk
Heman Ticknor = Justice of the Peace 4 Years
Talmon Brown = Treasurer

Allen Crittenden, Moses T. Wilsey } Assessors

John Shipman, Stephen Mills, Samuel Clark } Commissioners of Highways

Ezra W. Whitmore = School Inspector 2 yrs.

Hiram Cady, Arba Hurd } Directors of the Poor

James B. Alexander, Simeon G. Bowley, Aaron Lawrence Jr., William A. McCollum } Constables

Heman Ticknor, John F. Sansing, Caleb Boss, Elijah Lathrop } Inspectors of Election for said Township

Pittsfield April 7th 1845.
A true copy
E. L. Aiken

April 7th 1845.

Dis.	Overseers of Highways	Dis.
No. 1.	Alvah Ratt	Robert Briggs " No. 14
" 2	Horace Welch	Orville Lathrop " 15
" 3	Sherman Hinckley	Stephen Mills " 16
" 4	Hiram Cady	I. C. House " 17
" 5	Levi Rogers	John Allison " 18
" 6	P. P. Vanvolkenburgh	David Depue " 19
" 7	Owen Welch	Barthalomew Smith " 20
" 8	William W. Harwood	Lemuel Clark " 21
" 9	Jona.n K. Wallace	Moses F. Collins " 22
" 10	Aaron Lawrence	Peter Bogardus " 23
" 11	E. W. Whitmore	William Wilson " 24
" 12	Darius Douglass	Jonathan Fanning " 25
" 13	Chas. Alexander	James B. Alexander " 26

Vanrensselaer Tyler was elected Pound Master for the ensuing year.

We hereby certify that the persons above named were duly elected Overseers of highways in the several road districts of the township of Pittsfield at the annual town meeting held on the 7th day of April 1845.

(Signed)

Pittsfield April 7th 1845. Heman Tickner
Elijah Lathrop
Caleb Boss
John F. Lansing
E. L. Aiken
} Inspectors of Election for this town

Resolved. That the by laws of this town remain as they are for the ensuing year.

" 2nd That the township Board appoint a committee of three for the purpose of conferring with Dis. No. 3. on the expediency of building a house for township & school purposes, & to report at the next annual meeting a plan of said house & the probable Expense of building it.

It was resolved by the Township Board that, William Hulbert, Alvah Ratt & Horace Carpenter be said committee.

" 3d That a committee of two from each school district, be appointed, to meet on the first friday in May next for the purpose of adopting a uniform system of school books in the several school districts in this town.

Resolved 4th That the Commissioners of Highways elected at this meeting be authorized and required to procure (at the expense of the township,) certified copies of all road surveys of roads in this town, recorded in Ann Arbor or Elsewhere, and cause them to be recorded in this town, and also to cause such roads as are used as public highways but have not been recorded, to be surveyed & recorded.

I do hereby certify that all the officers elected at said annual meeting, were within the time prescribed by law duly sworn to the faithful discharge of the duties of their several offices, excepting P. P. Vanvolkenburg & Arba Hurd. April 17th 1845

E. L. Aiken T. Clerk

P. P. Vanvolkenburgh sworn May 3. 1845.

E. L. Aiken T. C.

This may certify that at a meeting of the Assessors & Clerk of the township of Pittsfield, held at the office of the Supervisor of said township the persons named below were selected to serve as jurors for the next ensuing year.

Grand Jurors	Petit Jurors
Heman Ticknor	Charles Whiting
Charles Alexander	John F. Lansing
James T. Morton	Alvah Pratt
William W. Harwood	Isaac Elliott
Henry Rouse	David Wilsey
Robert I. Barry	John Dunning.

Pittsfield May 10th 1845

(Signed) E. W. Whitmore
Allen Crittenden } Assessors
M. T. Wilsey

E. L. Aiken, Township Clerk.

Recorded May 10th 1845

1846.

At a meeting of the township Board of the township of Pittsfield held, Nov. 4th 1845, it was voted unanimously, that the Treasurer of said township be allowed three per cent. on all taxes assessed on the taxable property of the township (and collected by said Treasurer) for the year 1845.

Attest ——— E. L. Aiken, Tp Clerk

At a meeting of said township Board held on the 31st of March 1846, it was voted to allow said Treasurer the further sum of one per cent on all money collected by him, for said year, as a compensation for other duties of his office beside collecting and disbursing taxes.

Pittsfield April 1st 1846. E. L. Aiken T. Clerk

1846.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the township of Pittsfield for the election of town officers was held, according to previous notice (legally given) on the 6th day of April 1846.

Voted to elect four constables for the ensuing year.

Statement of officers chosen at an election of township officers, held at the school house in district No. 3 of the township of Pittsfield, Washtenaw County State of Michigan, on the 6th day of April. 1846.

Ezra W. Whitmore, Supervisor

Edwin L. Aiken, Township Clerk

John Hoy, Treasurer

Robert I. Barry, Justice of the Peace.

John Shipman, Samuel Clark, Stephen Mills } Commissioners of Highways.

Franklin B. Collins, Inspector of Schools.

Allen Crittenden, David Depue } Assessors

(carried over)

Hiram Cady
John Cody } Directors of the Poor.

Ezra Carpenter
Simeon G. Rowley } Constables
Moses T. Wilsey
Daniel Terhune

"The number of votes given for "Licens
was ten.
"The number of votes given for "No. Licens
was ninety six.

"The following persons were duly elec
ted overseers of Highways; viz.;

Of Dis. No. 1.	Daniel Underwood.	(Sworn)
" No. 2	Horace Welch	Sworn
" " 3	James M. Nichols.	Sworn
" " 4	Hiram Cady.	Sworn
" " 5	Levi Rogers.	Sworn
" " 6	Lemuel Clark.	Sworn
" " 7	Horace Kellogg.	Sworn
" " 8	John Tate.	Sworn
" " 9	James Whaley.	Sworn
" " 10	William W. Harwood.	Sworn
" " 11	William Wilson.	Sworn
" " 12	Owen Welch.	Sworn
" " 13	Jonathan K. Wallace.	Sworn
" " 14	Peter Boyardes.	Sworn
" " 15	Isaac Elliott.	Sworn
" " 16	Jefferson C. Rouse	Sworn
" " 17	James B. Aleyander.	Sworn
" " 18	Orvil Lathrop.	Sworn
" " 19	Thomas Smith.	Sworn
" " 20	Talmon Brown	Sworn
" " 21	Joseph Crane.	Sworn
" " 22	William Fuller.	Sworn
" " 23	Lewis Covey.	Sworn
" " 24	Ira Tappan	Sworn
" " 25	Henry Kinsey.	Sworn
" " 26	Oscar Briggs.	Sworn
" " 27	Elijah Phelps	
" " 28	Lafayette Fairbanks.	Sworn
" " 29	David Depue.	Sworn
" " 30	William Gilland	Sworn

(carried up)

Vanrenselaer Tyler was elected pound master for the ensuing year.

We hereby certify the foregoing statement of officers elected to be correct.

(Signed) Heman Ticknor
Elijah Lathrop
John F. Lansing
Caleb Boyd
E. W. Whitmore
} Inspectors of said election

Dated Pittsfield April 6th 1846.

Recorded April 7th 1846.

E. L. Aiken, Town Clerk.

We the undersigned do hereby certify that, pursuant to the requirements of law, the assessors & clerk of the township of Pittsfield, in the County of Washtenaw, have selected the persons named below, to serve as jurors, for the next ensuing year.

Grand Jurors	Petit Jurors
Chester Yost	Lina K. Lay
Henry Rumsey	Cornelius Henion
Elijah M. Lansing	William Hulbert
Luke S. Valentine	Daniel Underwood
Stephen Mills	Horace Welch
William Anderson	Ezra Carpenter

Pittsfield May 9th 1846.

(Signed) E. W. Whitmore
Allen Crittenden
David Depue
} Assessors

E. L. Aiken, Township clerk.

At a meeting of the township board of Pittsfield, held Nov. 4th 1846 it was voted to allow the Treasurer of said ~~town~~ township three per cent on all taxes assessed on the taxable property of said town for the year 1846, and collected by said Treasurer.

Pittsfield Nov. 4th 1846.

E. L. Aiken Clerk of ~~town~~ board

March 30th 1847

The township Board of Pittsfield met at Town Clerks. Present E. W. Whitmore, J. F. Lansing, C. Bos. & E. L. Aiken.

E. W. Whitmore, was chosen chairman of said board.

It was voted, 1st To reconsider the vote last recorded on the next preceding page — and 2nd That the Township Treasurer be allowed four per cent on all taxes collected by him, for the year 1846.

Reports from the Commissioners of highways, and School Inspectors of said Town, were read & accepted.

Pittsfield March 31st 1847.

E. L. Aiken, Clerk

April 5th 1847.

Record of proceedings at the annual meting held in the township of Pittsfield April 5th 1847.

It was voted, 1st To elect two Assessors for the ensuing year.

Voted 2nd To elect four constables.

" 3d To raise one hundred & fifty ($150) dollars, by tax, to be expended in improving the roads & bridges in the township.

" 4th That said sum be applied by the commissioners of highways at their discretion.

" 5 To raise five dollars to pay S. D. McDowell for plank furnished by him in 1844, for a bridge across Mallotts creek.

" 6th That in electing Overseers of Highways, some elector residing in the district named (if present) shall nominate.

" 7th That the by laws of this township passed in the year 1842, continue in force throughout the ensuing year.

" 8th That the next annual meting of this township be held held at the school house in district No 3.

April 5th 1847

Statement of votes given by ballot, at an election of Township Officers, held at the school house in dis. No. 3 of the township of Pittsfield, on the 5th day of April A. D. 1847.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Supervisor was, one hundred and twenty five, and they were given for the following persons, viz:

Seventy two of them for Ezra W. Whitmore and fifty three of them for Alvah Platt.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Township Clerk, was One hundred and twenty five. Seventy five of them for Edwin L. Aiken; Thirty Eight of them for Darius Douglas, and twelve for Horace Carpenter.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Township Treasurer was, one hundred and twenty two. Sixty eight of them for John Hoy; Forty two of them for William Wilson, and twelve for Samuel D. McDowell.

The whole number of votes given for the office of School Inspector, was one hundred and twenty six; Eighty one of them were given for Ezra W. Whitmore, Thirty five for Julius Rumsey and ten for Alvah Platt.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Director of the Poor, was two hundred and fifty one. Seventy nine of them for Hiram Cady; Seventy six for Asa Hurd; Thirty five for Charles Woodard; Twelve for Moses F. Collins, twelve for Francis M. Lansing, and one for Simon Rice.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Assessor was, two hundred and fifty. Seventy nine of them for Allen Crittenden; Eighty one of them for Moses F. Wilsey; Thirty three for Horace Welch, Thirty three for Hanson Watkins, Twelve for Samuel D. McDowell, and twelve for Francis M. Lansing.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioner of Highways was three hundred & seventy five.

Seventy six of them for Sherman Hinkley Eighty two for Chester Yost; Seventy Eight for David Depue; Thirty six for Peter Bogardus, Thirty five for James M. Nichols; Thirty two for John Tate, Twelve for Josiah Newell, Twelve for Philo A. Richard, and Twelve for Isaac Elliott.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Justice of the Peace was, one hundred and twenty four; Seventy eight of them for Lina K. Say; Thirty five for Nathan Webb, and eleven for Isaac Elliott.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constable was four hundred and and fifty four; Seventy six of them for Samuel A. Morgan; Seventy nine for William D. Holmes, Seventy nine for James B. Alexander; Seventy eight for James L. Wheelock, Thirty five for Jonathan T. Dunn; Thirty five for Jonathan Seeley; Thirty five for Henry D. Stuck and thirty seven for Asahel Kellogg.

The whole number of votes given for the license question was one hundred and four. Seventy two were given for "No License"; and thirty two for "License".

We hereby certify the preceding statement of votes given at said election to be correct.

(Signed) Ezra W. Whitmore, Caleb Bogs, Edwin L. Aiken } Inspectors of election, of Pittsfield

The following persons are hereby declared elected to the several offices designated below;

Ezra W. Whitmore, Supervisor.

Edwin L. Aiken, Township Clerk.

John Hoy, Treasurer

Ezra W. Whitmore, School Inspector

1847.

Hiram Cady
Arba Hurd } Directors of the Poor.

Allen Crittenden
Moses T. Wilsey } Assessors.

Sherman Hinkley 1 year
Chester Yost — 2 years } Commissioners
David Depuy — 3 years } Highways

Lina H. Lay, Justice of the Peace.

Samuel A. Morgan
William D. Holmes
James B. Alexander } Constables.
James L. Wheelock

Overseers of Highways,

Joel S. Pratt — for road dis. No. 1.
Horace Welch " " 2
Franklin Crittenden " " 3
Randall Bos " " 4
Levi Rogers " " 5
Samuel Clark " " 6
James L. Wheelock " " 7
James Brown " " 8
Luke S. Valentine " " 9
William H. Harwood " " 10
William Wilson " " 11
Owen Welch " " 12
Nicholas Van Slaricum " " 13
Edwin L. Aiken " " 14
Charles Woodard " " 15
Jefferson C. Rouse " " 16
James B. Alexander " " 17
George Lawton " " 18
Simon Rice " " 19
William A. McCollum " " 20
George H. Olds " " 21
Chester Yost " " 22
Lewis Corey " " 23
Heman Tickner " " 24
William E. Anderson " " 25
Burroughs Holmes " " 26
William R. Waldron " " 27
Henry Henion " " 28
Oliver L. Warner " " 29
William Gilland " " 30

Vanrenselaer Tyler, Pound Master.

It was also determined that no license shall be granted in said township the ensuing year.

We hereby certify that the preceding statement of officers elected at the annual meeting of the township of Pittsfield, held April 5th 1847, is correct.

Given under our hands this 5th day of April 1847.

(Signed) E. W.m Whitmore
Caleb Bofs
E. L. Aiken
Inspectors of election for the town of Pittsfield.

Record of official oaths for 1847.

I solemnly affirm that I will support the constitution of the United States & the constitution of this State, and that I will perform the duties of the office of Supervisor according to the best of my ability. (Signed) E. W. Whitmore.

Subscribed & sworn this 10th day of April 1847, before me — E. L. Aiken J. Clerk.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States & the constitution of this State and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of township clerk, according to the best of my ability.

(Signed) E. L. Aiken

Subscribed & sworn this 7th day of April 1847, before me — Caleb Bofs J. Peace.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States & the constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Township Treasurer, according to the best of my ability. (Signed) John Hoyt

Subscribed & sworn this 10th day of April 1847,
before me — E. L. Aiken, J. Clerk

I solemnly affirm that I will support the constitution of the United States, & the constitution of this State, and that I will perform the duties of the office of School Inspector, according to the best of my ability,
(Signed) E. W. Whitmore

Subscribed & sworn this 10th day of April 1847, before me — E. L. Aiken, Jr. Clerk,

We do, (if each of us does) solemnly swear that we will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this State, and that we will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Assessor, according to the best of our abilities
(Signed) M. T. Wilsey
Allen Crittenden

Subscribed & sworn this 10th day of April 1847,
before me — E. L. Aiken, Town Clerk

I do swear that I support the constitution of the United States, and of this State, and perform the duties of Director of the Poor, to the best of my ability, So help me God
(Signed) Hiram Cady

Pittsfield April 8- 1847
Sworn & subscribed before me this eighth day of April 1847, at Pittsfield, Caleb Bosworth Justice of the Peace

I hereby appoint Ezra W. Whitmore, deputy clerk of the Township of Pittsfield
Pittsfield April 10th 1847 E. L. Aiken, Township Clerk

I solemnly affirm that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this State, and that I will perform the duties of the office of deputy Township Clerk, according to the best of my ability
(Signed) E. W. Whitmore

Subscribed & sworn this 10th day of April 1847,
before me — E. L. Aiken, J. Clerk.

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I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this State, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Commissioner of Highways according to the best of my ability.

(Signed) David Depue,

Subscribed & sworn this 10th day of April 1847, before me E. L. Aiken Town Clerk,

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of constable, according to the best of my ability.

(Signed) James B. Alexander,

Subscribed & sworn this 10th day of April 1847, before me E. L. Aiken T. Clerk,

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this state and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of constable, according to the best of my ability.

(Signed) James L. Wheelock.

Subscribed & sworn this 9th day of April 1847, before me E. L. Aiken T. Clerk

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this state and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of constable, according to the best of my ability.

(Signed) Wm D. Holmes

Subscribed & sworn this 13th day of April 1847, before me E. L. Aiken, T. Clk,

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of commis-

(over)

sioner of Highways, according to the best of my ability.

(Signed) Sherman Hinckley,

Subscribed & sworn this 14th day of April 1847, before me — E. L. Aiken, Town Clerk.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the ~~United~~ United States, and the constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Commissioners of highways, according to the best of my ability.

(Signed) Chester Yost.

Subscribed & sworn this 15th day of April 1847, before me — E. L. Aiken J. Clerk.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Director of the Poor, according to the best of my ability.

(Signed) Arba Hurd,

Subscribed & sworn this 25th day of April 1847, before me — E. L. Aiken, J. Clerk.

Dec. 2nd 1847. The Township Board of the township of Pittsfield met at H. Tickner's on application of Alexander Wallace for license to keep an Inn in said township. Present H. Tickner J. V. Lansing, E. W. Whitmore & E. L. Aiken.

After deliberation it was resolved by said board to grant a license to the said A. Wallace to keep an Inn, and retail beer & cider, but no wines or spirituous liquors. Said license to remain in force till the first monday in April next unless it shall for legal reasons be revoked. It was decided that said Wallace shall pay for said license three dollars.

Pittsfield Dec. 2nd 1847.

E. L. Aiken, Clerk of Th. Board.

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March 28th The township Board of Pittsfield met at the school house in district No. 3, for auditing accounts & settling with township officers. The following accounts & claims were allowed, viz:

		Amt.	cts.
No. 1	C. Yosts account	$ 6.	00
" 2	D. Depue's "	5.	00
" 3	S. Hinckley's "	5,	50
" 4	J. F. Lansing's "	1.	50
" 5	H. Ficknors "	1,	00
" 6	E. W. Whitmore's "	8,	50
" 7	E. L. Aiken's "	11,	56
" 8	J. Marriotts claim for road damages	10.	00
" 9	E. Drury's " " " "	10.	00

Voted. To raise ten dollars by tax to replace a like sum paid to G. Taylor, for road damages, out of money belonging to the fund for the improvement of roads & bridges - 10. 00

$69.06

Settled with township Treasurer and found the following balances remaining in his hands - viz:

On nonresident Highway taxes	$ 19,	89
" fund for improvement of roads & bridges -	8,	92
" mill tax apportioned to districts	84.	98
" district taxes	23,	75
	$ 137,	54

Adjourned sine die

Pittsfield March 28th 1848

E. L. Aiken, Clerk of Tp. Board

April 3d 1848

Minutes of proceedings at the annual meeting of the township of Pittsfield, held April 3d 1848. at the school house in district No. 3 of said township ~

Voted 1st To elect two Assessors at this meeting ~

" 2nd To elect four constables ~

" 3d To raise by tax 50 cents on each scholar in the township between the ages of 4 & 18 years for the support of Schools ~

" 4th To raise Two hundred & fifty dollars for the improvement of roads & bridges in the township

" 5th That in choosing Overseers of highways some person residing in the district named shall nominate (if present) ~

" 6th To amend the by-laws of 1842. so that bucks shall be restrained from going at large through the year, under a penalty of $5 for each offence ~

" 7th To adopt the said by-laws of 1842, with the amendment next preceding, for the ensuing year ~

Statement of votes given at an election of township officers, held at the school house in district No. 3 of the township of Pittsfield. April 3d 1848 ~

The whole number of votes given for the office of Supervisor, was one hundred & fifty; and they were given for the following persons, viz: Eighty six of them for Horace Carpenter; and Sixty four for Ezra W. Whitmore ~

The whole number of votes given for the office of Township Clerk, was one hundred & forty seven; Seventy four of them for Edwin L. Aiken; Sixty one for Darius Douglass; and Fourteen for Joseph W. Collins ~

The whole number of votes given for the office of Township Treasurer was one hundred & forty eight: Seventy four for David Wilsey; Sixty for Talmon Brown, and fourteen for Samuel D. McDowell ~

The whole number of votes given for the office of School Inspector, was one hundred and forty nine: Seventy three for Horatio P. Van Cleve; Sixty two for Delia C. Kimsey, and fourteen for Noah Post.

The whole number of votes given for Directors of the Poor was Two hundred & ninety nine; Seventy five for William Hulbert; Sixty for Henry Rouse, Seventy five for Isaac Crane; Sixty for Joseph Crane; fifteen for Philo A. Pickard, & fourteen for Moses F. Collins.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Highway Commissioners was one hundred & fifty; Seventy five for Sherman Hinckley; Sixty two for William Wilson; & Thirteen for Mertyllus A. Cravath.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constable was Five hundred and sixty six; Seventy five for John Shipman; Seventy five for James B. Alexander; Seventy five for Giles W. Ticknor, Seventy four for Sherman Hinckley; Sixty for James M. Nichols; Sixty for Jonathan F. Dunn, Sixty for Henry D. Stuck; Fifty six for Robert Briggs fourteen for Addison L. McDowell, Thirteen for Josiah Newell jr. three for Levi Dorner & one for Simon Rice.

The whole number of votes given on "Licenses" was one hundred and eleven.

Sixty one for "No License, and

Fifty for License.

We hereby certify that the preceding statement of votes given at said election is correct.

Pittsfield April 3d 1848.

(Signed) E. W. Whitmore, John F. Lansing, E. L. Aiken } Inspectors said Election.

The following persons having received the greatest number of votes, are hereby declared Elected to the several offices designated below.

Horace Carpenter, Supervisor,

Edwin L. Aiken, Township Clerk,

David Wilsey, Township Treasurer

John F. Lansing, Justice of the Peace.

John F. Lansing, Allen Crittenden } Assessors.

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Horatio S. Van Cleve, School Inspector,
Isaac Crane
William Hulbert } Directors of the Poor

Sherman Hinckley, Highway Commissioner

John Shipman
James B. Alexander
Giles W. Fickner
Sherman Hinckley } Constables

Vanrenselaer Tyler, Pound Master,

Overseers of Highways

Dis No. 1. Alvah Platt
" 2 Horace Welch
" 3 William Basam
" 4 Hiram Cady
" 5 Levi Rogers
" 6 Lemuel Clark
" 7 Asahel Kellogg
" 8 James Brown
" 9 Luke S. Valentine
" 10 William W. Harwood
" 11 William Wilson
" 12 George S. Dey
" 13 James Rowan
" 14 Peter Bogardus
" 15 Charles Woodard
" 16 Jefferson C. Rouse
" 17 James B. Alexander
" 18 David Wilsey
" 19 Thomas Smith
" 20 Philo Parsons
" 21 M. A. Cravath
" 22 Chester Yost
" 23 Lewis Coy
" 24 Moses F. Collins
" 25 William C. Anderson
" 26 Oscar F. Greenman
" 27 Roswell Waterman
" 28 John W. Mills
" 29 Oliver L. Warner
" 30 Thomas Wood
" 31 M. M. Dickerson
" 32 William Geddes
" 33 Samuel A. Morgan

1848

We hereby certify the preceding statement of officers elected at the annual meeting of the Township of Pittsfield, held April 3d 1848, to be correct

(Signed)

E. W. Whitmore } Inspectors of
John F. Lansing } Election for
E. L. Aiken } said Township

Recorded April 5th 1848 E. L. Aiken T. Clerk

Record of official Oaths for 1848

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of this state & that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Supervisor, according to the best of my ability

(Signed) Horace Carpenter.

Subscribed & sworn this 10th day of April 1848, before me — E. L. Aiken, Jp. Clerk.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this state and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Township clerk, according to the best of my ability

(signed) E. L. Aiken

Subscribed & sworn this 3d day of April 1848, before me — John F. Lansing, Justice of the Peace

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this state and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Assessor, according to the best of my ability.

(Signed) John F. Lansing

Sworn & subscribed this 3d day of April 1848, before me — E. L. Aiken, Jp. clerk.

Record of Official Oaths for 1848.

I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this state and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of School Inspector according to the best of my ability.

(Signed) H. P. Van Cleve

Subscribed & sworn this 6th day of Apr. 1848 before me

E. L. Aiken, Township Clerk.

State of Michigan }
County of Washtenaw } ss:

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Township Treasurer, according to the best of my ability.

(Signed) David Wilsey,

Subscribed & sworn this 10th day of April 1848, before me

E. L. Aiken, Jp. Clerk,

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Director of the Poor according to the best of my ability.

(Signed) William Hulbert,

Sworn & subscribed this 8th day of April 1848, before me

E. L. Aiken, Jp. Clerk,

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Commissioner of Highways, according to the best of my ability.

(Signed) Sherman Hinckley

Subscribed & sworn this 12th day of April 1848, before me

E. L. Aiken, J. Clerk,

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Constable, according to the best of my ability. James B. Alexander

Subscribed & sworn, this 10th day of April 1848, before me

E. L. Aiken, Jp. Clerk.

Record of Official Oaths for 1848.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of this State, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Director of the Poor, according to the best of my ability.

(Signed) Isaac Crane,

Sworn & subscribed this 12th day of April 1848, before me E. L. Aiken J. Clerk.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Assessor according to the best of my ability.

(Signed) Allen Crittenden,

Subscribed & sworn this 12th day of April 1848, before me E. L. Aiken, J. Clerk.

Appointment of Deputy Township Clerk.

I hereby appoint Ezra W. Whitmore, deputy Township Clerk, of the township of Pittsfield, for the ensuing year,

Pittsfield April 10th 1848.

E. L. Aiken, Tp. Clerk

I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the United States, & the constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Deputy Township Clerk, according to the best of my ability.

Subscribed & sworn this 12th day of April 1848, before me } (Signed) E. W. Whitmore

E. L. Aiken, Township Clerk.

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Oct. 2nd

The Township Board met for auditing accounts. The following were examined and allowed:

			Amount
1st	C. Goss's	acct.	$4 50
2nd	D. Depuis	"	2, 50
3	S. Hinckleys	"	4, 50
4	I. F. Lansing	"	11 00
5	H. Tickners	"	" 50
6	E. W. Whitmores	"	16, 00
7	E. L. Aikens	"	14, 30
11	A. Crittenden's	"	8, 00
12	H. Carpenters	"	8 50
13.	R. J. Barry's	"	" ,50
14	S. Pettibone's		15, 50
15	Cole & Gardiners		2, 00
			$87, 80

Present at said meeting H. Carpenter Esq. H. Tickner Esq. R. J. Barry Esq. & E. L. Aiken

Pittsfield Oct. 2nd 1848.

E. L. Aiken J. Clark,

March 27th 1849. Township Board met at the School-house near P. Bogardus', for settling with township officers & Auditing accounts Present H. Carpenter, H. Tickner, R. J. Barry Esqs. & E. L. Aiken

On settlement with J. Treasures the following balances were found remaining in his hands; to,wit;

		cts.
Of district tax for dis. No. 1 of Saline	$0.	46
On Military & Mill Tax —	58	59
Of library fund (1847) for dis No. 5	"	23
For highway purposes	92	92
" Town "	2,	00
For purchase of books for Tp. Library	5,	00
	$159	20
Nonresident Highway taxes	19	89
	$179,	09

The accounts following were examined and allowed:

			Amount
No. 1	C. Goss's	acc	$3, 00
" 2	H. P. Van Cleve's.		3, 00
" 3	H. Carpenters —		2 00
" 4	H. Tickner's		2 50
" 5	E. W. Whitmore's		8, 00
" 6	David Depue's		2, 00
" 7	E. L. Aiken's		11 70
		Total	$32, 20

Pittsfield March 27th 1849

Attest E. L. Aiken, Clk. of Tp. Bd.

March 27th At the aforesaid meeting of the township board, H. Van Cleve tendered his resignation of the office of School Inspector. Satisfactory reasons not being shown why he should resign, it was voted unanimously, That it be not accepted; whereupon the said Van Cleve withdrew his said resignation. Attest, E. L. Aiken, Clerk

Pittsfield March 27th 1849 E of Jr. Board.

The following is a record of the proceedings at the annual meeting of the township of Pittsfield, held at the school house in district No. 3 of said township on the 2nd day of April 1849.

At said meeting it was voted,

1st That Two Assessors be elected at this meeting.

2nd " That Two Constables be elected at said meeting

3d It was voted to raise no money by tax for the improvement of roads & bridges for the ensuing year.

4th " To rescind the by-laws of this town heretofore in force.

5th " That all stud Colts over one year old be restrained from going at large, under a penalty of Ten dollars

6th " That all bucks be restrained, from the first of July to the first of December in each year, under a penalty of Five dollars

Statement of votes given at an election of Township Officers, held in the township of Pittsfield, in the County of Washtenaw, on the 2nd day of April A. D. 1849, for the following officers, viz; One Superkisor, One Township Clerk, one Treasurer, one Justice of the Peace, two Assessors, one School Inspector, two Directors of the Poor, one Commissioner of Highways, and two Constables. (carried up)

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Supervisor was one hundred & eighty four, and they were given for the following persons, viz: One hundred & three of them for Horace Carpenter, and Eighty one of them for Chester Yost —

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Township Clerk, was one hundred & Eighty two; and they were given for the following persons, viz: Ninety two of them were given Edwin L. Aiken, and eighty nine of them for Joseph W. Colling & one for E. L. Aiken

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Treasurer, was one hundred & Seventy seven; and they were given for the following persons viz: Ninety five of them were given for David Wilsey, & Eighty two of them for Thomas Wood.

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Justice of the Peace, was one hundred and sixty one; and they were given for the following persons viz: Ninety eight of them were given for Henry Ramsey & sixty three for Jonathan K. Wallace &

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Assessor, was Two hundred & seventy nine, and they were given for the following persons, viz: Ninety four of them for Ahab Platt, ninety three of them for Allen Crittenden and Ninety of them for William Hulbert, one for A. Crittenden & one for W. Hulbert &

The whole number of votes given for the said office of School Inspector was one hundred & Eighty four; and they were given for the following persons viz: Ninety three of them for Julius C. Ramsey, and Eighty ~~four~~ seven for Ezra W. Whitmore one for E. W. Whitmore & one for Ezra Whitmore and one for J. C. Ramsey —

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Director of the Poor, was Three hundred & Sixty nine; and they were given for the following persons viz: Ninety four of them for Horace Kellogg — (carried up)

Ninety two of them for Stephen Mills; Ninety of them for John Shipman; Ninety one of them for Isaac Elliot; one for J. Shipman & one for S. Mills.

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Commissioner of Highways was one hundred & eighty four; and they were given for the following persons: Ninety four of them for William Wilson, and Ninety of them for Edwin A. Platt.

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Constable, was one hundred & Eighty Eight; and they were given for the following persons Ninety five of them for Jonathan F. Dunn, and ninety three for David Brown.

The whole number of votes given on "Licenses" was ~~one~~ hundred & Eight, Twenty seven of them for "License"; and Eighty one of them for "No License".

We do hereby certify that the preceding is a correct Statement of votes given at the annual meeting of the township of Pittsfield, held April 2nd 1849.

(Signed) Horace Carpenter } Inspectors of
Hemun Tickner } Elections for said
Edwin L. Aiken } Township.

The following persons having received the greatest number of votes are hereby determined and declared duly elected to the several offices hereinafter designated.

Horace Carpenter, Supervisor

Edwin L. Aiken, Township Clerk,

David Wilsey, Treasurer,

Henry Ramsey, Justice of the Peace

Allen Crittenden } Assessors,
Alvah Platt }

Julius C. Ramsey, School Inspector

(carried up)

1849.

Horace Kellogg
Stephen Mills } Directors of the Poor.

William Wilson, Commissioner of Highways

Jonathan F. Dunn
(decided by lot) David Brown } Constables,

It is also determined that no licenses for the sale of intoxicating drinks shall be granted by the Township Board, the ensuing year.

Overseers of Highways.

Dist. No. 1 Alvah Pratt.
" 2 Horace Welch.
" 3 Josiah Snow.
" 5 Levi Rogers.
" 4 Randall Boss.
" 6 S. Smith Kentfield.
" 7 Asahel Kellogg.
" 8 Francis Lashier.
" 9 Luke S. Valentine.
" 10 William W. Harwood.
" 11 Alexander Wallace.
" 12 Owen Welch.
" 13 Jonathan H. Wallace.
" 14 Joseph Marriott.
" 15 Elihu Drury.
" 16 Jefferson C. Rouse.
" 17 James B. Alexander.
" 18 Moses T. Wilsey.
" 19 James Upston.
" 20 Benjamin Ames.
" 21 Charles Alexander.
" 22 Francis Woodruff.
" 23 Paul B. Garrison.
" 24 Heman Tickner.
" 25 Volney Ramsey.
" 26 Ira Tappan.
" 27 Roswell Waterman.
" 28 Alanson B. Watkins.
" 29 Oliver L. Warner.
" 30 Thomas Wood.
" 31 M. M. Dickerson.
" 32 William Geddes.
" 33 Samuel A. Morgan.
" 34 Ezra W. Whitmore.

Vanrensselaer Tyler, Bound, (carried up) Collector's tax

1849.

We do hereby certify the foregoing Statement & determination of officers elected at the aforesaid annual Township meeting to be correct

Pittsfield April 2nd 1849

(Signed) Horace Carpenter
Heman Tickner
E. L. Aiken
} Inspectors of Election for said Township

Record of Official Oaths for 1849

I do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and the Constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Supervisor according to the best of my ability

(Signed) Horace Carpenter.

Subscribed & sworn this 4th day of April 1849, before me — Heman Tickner, Justice of the Peace

I do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of this state & of the United States, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Township Clerk, according to the best of my ability

E. L. Aiken.

Subscribed & sworn this 4th day of April 1849, before me — Heman Tickner, Justice of the Peace

I do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and the Constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Township Treasurer according to the best of my ability

(Signed) David Wilsey.

Subscribed & sworn this 7th day of April 1849, before me — E. L. Aiken, Township Clerk

I do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and the Constitution of this State, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Assessor according to the best of my ability — (signed) Alvah Pratt.

Subscribed & sworn this 11th day of April 1849, before me — E. L. Aiken, Township Clerk

I do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and the Constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Assessor, according to the best of my ability — (signed) Allen Crittenden.

Subscribed & sworn this 11th day of April 1849, before me — E. L. Aiken, Township Clerk

I do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and the constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of School Inspector, according to the best of my ability — (signed) Julius C. Ramsey

Subscribed & sworn before me, this 9th day of April, A.D. 1849

Heman Ticknor, Justice of the Peace

County of Washtenaw }
Township of Pittsfield } ss.

I do hereby appoint Ezra W. Whitmore, Deputy Clerk of the Township of Pittsfield, for one year from the 2nd day of April 1849 —

Given under my hand this 14th day of April 1849 —

E. L. Aiken, Township Clerk.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States & the constitution of this state, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Deputy Township Clerk, according to the best of my ability — (signed) E. W. Whitmore,

Subscribed & sworn this 14th day of April 1849, before me — E. L. Aiken, Township Clerk

1849.

Sept 22nd 1849. At a regular meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Pittsfield held at the Clerk's Office in said Town. Sept. 22nd 1849. It was voted to raise the sum of One Hundred & forty dollars by tax on the taxable property of said township to defray the ordinary expenses of the township for the current year, agreeably to the provisions of "Act No. 200 of the sepsion Laws of 1849."

At said meeting the following accounts were audited & allowed, viz.

S.R. No. 3.	H. Carpenter's	acc.	$14.50
" 4	H. Tichnor's	"	2.00
" 7	E.L. Aiken's	"	15.30
" 8	Wm. Wilson's	"	4.00
" 9	J. C. Ramsey's	"	5.50
			$40.30

Pittsfield Sept. 22nd " 1849.

E.L. Aiken, Tp. Clerk

Nov. 7th 1849 The following accounts against the township of Pittsfield were audited & allowed by the township board of said Township Nov. 6th " 1849.

To wit:

No. 10	P. Bogardus'	account	3.00
" 11	A. Crittenden's	"	8.50
" 12	R. J. Barry's	"	1.00
" 13	S. Hinckley's	"	7.50
" 14	Alvah Watts	"	9.50
" 6	David Depue's	"	3.75
			$33.25

Recorded,

Pittsfield Nov. 10th " 1849.

E. L. Aiken, Clk. of Tp. Board.

1850

March 26th The Township Board met at the school house in district No. 3. for auditing accounts and settling with township officers.

The following balances were found remaining in the hands of the Township Treasurer. — On Library fund $6,00
For Township Expenses $35,52
" Dis. Tax in dis. No. 5. ,55
" Mill Tax 58,44
" Non resident Tax 8,45
Total — $108,94

The following accounts were audited and allowed — viz:

		Amount
No. 1	E. L. Aiken's —	$13,17
" 2	J. C. Ruressey's —	6,00
" 3	Wm. Wilson's —	6,00
		$25,17

The School Inspectors presented their annual report to the Township Board which was adopted.

A report made by the Highway Commissioners was presented, but it appearing that several of the Overseers had failed to report the highway labor performed in their several road districts, said report was not adopted.

Pittsfield, March 26th 1850.

E. L. Aiken, Clerk of Township Board

A. Wallace having made application to the Township Board of the Township of Pittsfield for a License to keep a public house in said Township for the term of one year ending on the first day of April next. said Township Board met on the 14th day of May A.D. 1850. and gave said Wallace a permit in consideration of five dollars paid to said Township.

Pittsfield May 14th 1850.

(signed) J. K. Wallace, Deputy Clk.

Nov. 6th 1850

Transm 12 No 5 R. J. Barry's account audited and allowed May 6th 1850 — $5.50

The following accounts were audited & allowed by the Township Board of Pittsfield Nov. 6th 1850 —

Tr. No. 6	N. Webb's	account	$38.70
" " 7	H. Carpenter's	"	3.50
" " 8	J. K. Wallace's	"	5.00
" " 9	Wm. Geddes'	"	2.00
" " 10	H. P. Van Cleve's	"	1.50
" " 11	E. L. Aikens	" (Coal)	23.25
			$73.45
12	L. K. Lay's		8.00
			$81.45

Township Board met, April 1st 1851. to audit accounts & settle with Township officers. The following balances were found remaining in the hands of Philo A. Prichard, Treasurer of the Township of Pittsfield — to wit:

On District Taxes	$5.77
On Highway Fund	$7 61
" Township "	68 68
" Mill Tax "	25 32
Total	$107.38

The following accounts were audited & allowed, viz:

No. 13.	S. Hinckley's	account	$ 8.50
" 14.	J. K. Wallace	"	1 00
" 15.	E. L. Aiken's	"	7 25
" 16.	J. Hoy's	"	0 87
			$17 62
No. 17	N. Webb	"	2 00
" 18	J. C. Kinsey's	"	13
" 19	H. Hurd's	"	5 00
" 20	E. L. Aiken's	"	7 13
" 21	J. F. Lansing's	"	2 50
" 22	C. L. Woodard's	"	2 00
" 23	J. K. Wallace's	"	8 50
" 24	A. Crittenden's	"	10 00
" 25	E. L. Aiken's	"	11 30
" 26	L. K. Lay's	"	1 00
" 27	H. Kinsey's	"	50
" 28	E. A. Platts	"	2 00
" 29	M. T. Wilsey's	"	9 00
" 30	E. L. Aikens	"	4 00

1852
March 30th The Township Board of the Township of Pittsfield, met at the school house in district No. 3 of said Town on the 30th day of March 1852, for the purpose of settling with Township officers, & auditing accounts & claims against said Township —
Present C. Crittenden, J. H. Lansing and E. L. Aiken —
The amount of balances found remaining was Three hundred and forty eight dollars and thirty two cents $348.32

Viz, Balance on Township Fund $ 70 39
" " District Tax " 225 09
" " Two Mill " " 28 73
" " Highway " 24 11
$348-32

One account presented by J. H. Wallace for services as Com. of Highways was (No 35)
No. 35 allowed at $6.00

Said board met April 6th 1852 to transact unfinished business which could not be done at the annual meting for want of time.
The following accounts were audited and allowed by said board —

No. 31	C. Crittenden's account	$	2 50
" 32	J. H. Lansing's "		2 50
" 34	Hebron Hurd's "		4 50
" 33	E. L. Aiken's		12 00
" 36	D. Depuis "		1 00
	N. Webb's "		1 00
Apl. 20th	E. W. Whitmore's "		9 00
		$	32,50

Pittsfield Apl. 20th 1852
E. L. Aiken, Clerk of T. Board

1850

Philo A. Richard, Treasurer of
with said Townships

Dr.

1850 To the ~~following~~ amount of bal-
Mar. 26th ances due on settlement — $108.94

June 4th To amount of School Fund
Interest money this day rec'd 144.16
" " To Library money rec'd of Co. Treas. 3.06
To the following taxes assessed for 1850
Nov. 5th " Town Township tax 240.07
" " State Tax 466.32
" " County " 517.56
" " Returned " 1.01
" " Mill Tax 108.98
School Dis. No. 7 of Pittsfield & 3 of York 11.26
do " No. 1 of Saline No. 11 Lodi & No. 1 P. .44
" " No 1 of Pittsfield 14.00
Union Dis. 3 of Pittsfield Lodi & Ann Arbor 17.54
Dis. No. 5 of Pittsfield 17.56
" No 8 of Pittsfield & 4 of York 5.33
Highway tax 1.12
$1657.48
1555.87
Amount of bal. carried forward $101.61

1850

The Township of Pittsfield, in account

Cr.

1850	By amt. paid on order No. 1 of Supr.	6.00
Mar. 26th	By amt. paid on T. war. No. 1 —	13 17
" "	" " " " " 2 —	6.00
" "	" " " " " 3 —	6 00
May 6th	" " " " " 4 —	4 25
" 8th	" " " " " 5	5 50
Nov. 26th	By amount of T. war. No 6.	38. 70
" "	" " " " " 7	3. 50
" "	" " " " " 8	5.00
" "	" " " " " 9	2.00
" "	" " " " " 10	1.50
May 15th "	" Com's. Wr. to S. Hinckley	23 25
June 19th	By Com's. order to J. Chicken	3. 13
Nov. 5th	" " " " " J. Geddes	1 34
" "	" " " " " Cooper	3. 00
Dec. 5th	" " " " " H. Cady	8. 00
" 14th	" " " " " S. A. Morgan	40.50
April 1st	By order of Union Dis. to S. Mills	40.00
" 30th	" " " Tract No. 2 of P. B 5 of York to A. Crittenden —	14 63
July 1st	By amt of order of Dis. No. 6 to H. D. Stuck	7 32
" 8th	" " " " " 20 P. & 5 Y. to beginner	15 64
" 9th	" " " " " 3 — to V. Tyler —	16 32
Aug. 10th	" " " " " Union Dis. to S. Mills	22. 10
" 14th	" " " " " No. 1 to J. W. Collins —	31. 28
" 23d	" " " " " P. & York —	16. 00
" 28th	" " " " " No. 5. to Wm. Hulbert	7. 11
Sept. 17th	" " " " " J. P. 3 Y. to J. J. Barker	19 77
Oct. 1st	" " " " " W. R —	25. 91
Jan 11th	" " " " " W. R —	14. 00
Feb. 3d	" " " " " Union Dis. to E. J. Williams	7. 45
" 11th	" " " " " Dis. 5 to C. H. Miller	14 00
" "	" " " " " " " " " " " "	1 00
" 12th	" " " " " 3 to L. C. Randall	11 94
March 7th	" " " " " 5 to C. H. Miller	12.03
" 10th	" " " " " J. P. & 3 Y. D. Robson	11 26
Feb. 3d	By amt. of State & Co. Tax paid to Co. Treas. (See Co. Treasurers Receipt —	$985.09
Jan 25th	By School Inspectors order to E. Samson	20 56
Feb. 17th	" " " " " H. House	7.50
March 28th	Paid on order from Union dis.	32.25
" "	" " " " " Drs. No. 1	12.98
April 1st	By balance of dis. tax of No. 5	55
" "	" paid L. K. Lay's acct. (No. 12)	2 00
" "	By amt due dist No. 1 of P. & Saline	44
		$1355.87

1850

Township Expenses Cr.

1850 March 26th	By balance on settlement	$35.52
Nov. 15th	" amount voted at an. meeting	140.00
		$175.52
1851 Apr. 1st	By amount transferred to said fund on settlement	4.03
		$179.55

Township Library Cr

1850 March 26th	By amount in T. Treasurer's hands	$6.00
"	" received for old bk. case	4.00
June 4th	" " " from Co. Treas.	3.06
Nov 15th	" " of Mill Tax for 1850 ap- propriated (by law) to the purchase of bks	25.00
		$38.06

Mill Tax Cr.

1850 March 26th	By balance on settlement	$58 44
1851 Feb 10th	By amount of Mill Tax for 1850 apportioned to districts	83 98
		$142 42

Highway Improvement Cr.

1850 March 26th	By balance on settlement (Nonresident Highway Taxes	$8,45
Nov. 15th	By amt. voted at annual Th meeting for impt of roads &c	100 00
		$108,45
	By amt. of Nonresident H. Tax ap. for 1850	1 13
		$109 58

License Cr.

1850 May 23d	By amount received of A. Wallace	$5.00

School Interest Cr.

June 4th 1850	By amt. received of Co. Treas.	$44 16

Fund Dr.

1850 To amount paid on orders of
1851 Township board $110.87
Apr. 1st To balance, carried forward 68 68
$179 55

1850 Fund Dr.
April 12th To amount paid for new bk. case $10.00
1851
Jan 25th " " " order to E. Samson for books 20 56
Feb 17th " " " order to H. Reese " " 7 50
$38,06

Fund Dr.

1851 To amount paid on orders of
district orders from said fund 117.10
Apr. 1st To balance on settlement 25 32
$142,42

1850 Fund Dr.
To amount of orders given by
Highway Commissioners $101 97
1851
Apr. 1st To balance on settlement 7 61
$109.58

1850 Fund Dr.
June 11th To amt. paid to Co. Treas. $5.00

1850 Fund Dr.
To amt. paid on orders of S. district
officers from said fund $144.16

1850-1

School District Tax

Cr.

1850

March 26th By bal. on settlement belonging to dis. No. 5. $ 55

Nov 15th " By amt of district Taxes assessed for 1850 66 13

$ 66.68

Township —

Cr.

1851

Apr. 1st By balance on settlement 68 68

~~Oct~~ " amount transferred by T.B. from Library fund 2 53

Nov. 15th " amount assessed for ordinary township expenses for 1851 109 70

$ 178 39

March 30th By excess of balances on other funds = 56

$ 178 94

Highway

Cr.

1851

Apr. 1st By balance on settlement $ 7 61

Nov. 15th " amount raised by by township for roads & bridges 75 00

$ 82 61

1850—1

Fund Dr.

1850 To amt. paid on orders given by district officers on s. fund $66.68

1852 Fund. Dr

Feb. 1st To amount paid on town warrants — $10.855

Warrant for 2 year tax " 89

$108 55

~~24.72~~

~~13.20~~

March 30th To balance on settlement 70.39

$178 94

Dr

Fund.

1852

March By amount paid on orders of Highway Commissioners — 58 50

" 30th " By Balance on settlement — 24 11

$82.61

1851

Townships

Cr.

1851 } Mill Tax, and
Apr. 1st " By balance on settlement $25 32

Nov. 15 th " " Two mill Tax assessed for
the year 1851 — 257 93

1852
Jan. 7th " amount a/c. by Co. Treasurer 12, 80
$296 05

1851 } School Districts Cr.
Apr. 1st " By balance on settlement $ 5, 77.

" amt. of Sch. Taxes assessed for 1851 589 80
$595 57

School Interest Cr.

By amt. of School Fund Interest money $147 22

1851

Accounts

Library Fund.

Dr.

Sept. 12th To amount of order to M. Allen for Library books — $22.37

Oct. To amount paid E. Samson for books — 2.63

1852

March 30th To amt. paid on district orders out of Two mill Tax Fund 204.20

Feb. 24 To amt. paid B. Holmes for books 12.80

$242.00

To amt. paid to dis. out of two mill Tax for 1850 25.32

$267.32

March 30th To balance on settlement — 28.73

$296.05

Tax. Fund

Dr.

1852

March 30th To amount paid on district taxes assessed for 1850 $5.77

To amt. paid on district taxes assessed for 1851 — 364.71

M. " To bal. on settlement 225.09

$595.57

Fund.

Dr.

To amt paid on district orders on said Fund — $147.22

1851 Township

Dr.

1851 April 1st } Philo A. Richard, Treasurer in account with
" " To amount of balances remaining in his hands on settlement $ 106 84

James B. Alexander Dr.

1851 Sept. 12th } of Pittsfield in account
Sept. 12th To amount paid over by former Treasurer $ 76 19
May 24th " To School Fund Interest money this day rec'd of Co. Treasurer 1 47 22
Nov. 15th " To amount of Bill Tax 257 93
Nov. 15th " To amount of State & Co. Tax 104 43
" " " of returned tax of pers. Es 1 48
" " " " Town Tax & highway tax 154 10
Collector's fees on the above amts 5 27
" " " " tax in frac. School District No. 7 of Pittsfield & 3 of York 8 28
" " To tax in frac. district No. 1 of Pittsfield 17 37
" " " " " " " 4 " " 67
" " " " " District " 1 " " 312 41
" " " " " " " 3 " 251 06
" " " " " " " 5 " " 23 40
(Collector's fees included in the several District taxes)
1852
Jan. 1st To fines a/c by Co. Treas 12 80
$ 240 021

Accounts

Cr.

of the Township of Pittsfield
with said Township

1851
April 5th By amount of T. Warr. No. 13 to S. Hinckley $ 8 50
" " " " " " " " 15 to E. L. Aiken 7 25
" 8th " " " " " " 17 " A. Webb 2.00
" " " " " " " 18 " J. C. Ramsey 13 00
" 12 " " paid over to J. B. Alexander 36 19
$106.94

Treasurer of the Township
with said Township Cr

April 5 By Town Warrant No. 14 to J. F. Wood $ 1 00.
" " " " " " 19 to H. Towns 5 00.
May 10th " order of Dis. No. 2 of P. & S. York 8.85 Dis. No. 2
" " " " " " " 8 " P. L. & C. A. 10 27.
" 29th " 4, 94 " of Bill Jay $5.33 Dis. Jay 7 45.
June 14th To district No. 1 S. 11 L. 3 P. 44.
Aug. 25th To district No. 5 P. 15.64.
Sept. 23d " " " 6 " Mill Jay 8.85.
" " " " " " " School Fund 14 62.
Aug. 25th " " " 4 L. & 4 P. M. T. 2 68.
" 16th " " " 7 P. & 3 U. (S. F.) 21 44.
" 22nd " " " 3 P. L. & A. A. (S. F.) 21 45.
Sept. 11th " " " 3 P. (S. F.) 16 16.
" 2nd " " " 1 P. (S. F.) 9 00.
" 22nd T. warr. No. 20. To E. L. Aiken 7 13.
Nov. 11th By T. warr. No 21 (To J. F. Lum.) 2 50.
" " " " " " 22 (C. S. Woodard 2 00.
" " " " " " 23 (J. K. Walker 8 50.
" " " " " " 24 (A. Critten 10 00.
" " " " " " 25 (E. L. Aiken 17 30.
" " " " " " 26 (Z. K. Jay 1 00.
" " " " " " 27 (H. Ramsey 50.
" " " " " " 28 E. A. Platt 9 00.
" " " " " " 29 To M. T. Wilsey 9 00.
" " " " " " 30 E. L. Aiken 4 00.
Sept 5th Paid district No. 3 P. 3 56.
" 12th By order of S. Inspectors to
M. Allen for L. Books 2 37.
Dec. 9th By order of H. Towns. to S. A. M. 20 00.
" " " " " " " P. A. P. 15 00.
" " " " " " " J. Chick 8 00.
" " " " " " " J. Tyler 15 50.
" 19th By order of school dis. No. 3 15 00.
303 21

1852

Townships of Pittsfield in ac
Treasurer of said Townships

Dr.

1852

Bgt. over 313 21

count with J. B. Alexander

1851 Cr.

Dec 22nd By order of dis No. 3 to W. Geddes $35 00.

1852

Jan 12th By order of ~~dis No.~~ 5 to J. W. Mills 22 46.

Feb. 3d " " of ch'r of S. Inspectors 12 80.

" 12th " " of dis. No. 1 to H. Carpenter 300 00.

" " " " of dis. No. 4 P. & No. 4 Lodi . 65.

Feb. 4th By amt. paid Co. Treas. = 1048 91.

" " " " on J. W. No. 14 " 87.

March 15th " " Dis. No 4 P. & 4 Lodi — 8 56.

" 9th " " " " 2 P. & 5 York 19 72.

" 5th " " " " 1 " 61 00.

" " " " " " 2 P. & 5 York 20 78.

" 8th " " " " 3 P. L. & A. A. 43 41.

" 10th " " " " 5 P. 28 12.

" 11 " " " " 3 P. 23 40.

" 15th " " " " 6 P. 28 73.

March 30th By amount of fees on all taxes assessed for 1851 = 82 86

$2050 48

" " allowed by Sup. Board for receiving & disbursing school interest money = 1 41

$2051 89

We hereby certify that on this 30th day of March 1852, we have examined the account and vouchers of James B. Alexander Treasurer of the Township of Pittsfield, and find said account & vouchers correct, and that the Total amount of Funds remaining in his hands is Three hundred and forty eight dollars & thirty two cents as follows:

Balance on Township Fund		$70 39
" " Dis. tax	"	225 09
" " Two Mill Tax Fund		28 73
" " Highway	"	24 11
		$348 32
		$2400,21

Pittsfield March 30th 1852.

Allen Cutler } Township Board
John F. Lansing }
C. L. Aiken }

1852 James B. Alexander
in account with said
Dr.

March
31st To amount of balances remaining in said Treasurers hands on settlement with Township Board — $ 348 32

Alverson Drury, Treasurer of
in account with
Dr.

1852
April
19th To amount paid over by former Treasurer — $ 300 32

June 1st To amt. of School Fund apportioned to districts — 160 00

Nov. 15th To amt. raised for Township purposes for the year 1852 — 89 05
" To 2 Mill Tax for " — 223 16
" " Dis. Tax in Dist. No. 8 P. & A. — 32 55
" " " " " " " 1 P. L. & Salem — 24 31
" " " " " " " 8 of P. & Lodi — 4 65
" " " " " " " 7 P. & 3 of Yk. — 14 12
" " " " " " " 2 P. & 5 of Yk. — 32 93
" " " " " " " 3 of P. Lodi & A. — 12 41
" " " " " " Dis. No. 1 Pittsfield — 310 00
" " " " " " " 2 " — 200 00
" " " " " " " 3 " — 385 00
" " " " " " " 5 " — 23 50
" " Tax for procuring T. house — 50 00
" " " for improvement of highway — 50 00
" " amt. of collection fees — 97 64
" " " State & county Tax — 991 11

1853
Feb. 1st By amt. of Mill Tax rec. of Treas. of Yk. — 17 67
" To " " " " " " " of Lodi — 4 60
$ 3071 02

Treasurer of the Township of Pittsfield

Township.

			Cr.
1852			Cr.
March 31st	By paid to dis. No. 7 of P. & 3 of York (Two Mill Tax)		$18 34
" "	" " " " " " " " (Dis. " Tax)		7 95
April 6th	By amt. of T. Warrant No. 31 to A. Britten		2 50
" "	" " " 32 " J. T. Lansing		2 50
" "	" " " 33 " E. L. Aiken		12 00
" "	" " " 34 " H. Hurd		4 50
			$41 79
" "			
" 20 "	" paid over to A. Drury		300.53
			$348.32

The Township of Pittsfield,

said Township

			Cr.
1852	By order ~~to W. L. Maynard~~ No. 36 to D. Defue		$ 51.00
Sept. 15th	By amt. of T. Warr. No. 35 to J. M. Mul.		$ 6,00
" "	" " " " " " " 37 to N. Webb		1 00
" 20th	" " " of Dis. order to W. L. Maynard		50 00
" "	" " " of T. Warr. No. 38 to E. W. Whitmore		9 00
June 3rd	" order of H. Lowe to J. S. Tyler		~~33 00~~
" 15th	" " of Mission Dis. to J. W. Mills		34 80
Aug. 10th	" order of dis. No. 7 & 3 to L. S. Valentine		20 00
" 19th	" " of dis. No. 3 to Wm. Geddes—		
	out of building fund —		150 00
" "	" " State fund —		20 80
" "	Paid on order of Dis. No. 5 to J. Butler		18 40
Nov. 11th	By amt. of Order No. 39 to S. Himebaugh		17 00
" "	" " " " " " 40 to J. M. Valentine		8 50
" "	" " " " " " 41 to A. Britten		18 00
" "	" " " " " " 42 to E. L. Aiken		22 83
" "	" " " " " " 43 to Wm. Geddes		2 00
March 25th	By amount of order to A. Lawrence		5 00
June 3rd	" " " " " " J. S. Tyler		22 50
Dec. 31st	" " " " " " M. Dickerson		50 00
Sept. 3	By amt. paid on order to C. Alexander		10 30
" "	" " " " " " H. Carpenter		265 59
" "	" " " " " " E. W. Whitmore		4 88
" "	" " " " " " L. E. Olds		2, 14
" "	" " " " " " John Geddes		9.00
1853 Jan. 4th	" " " " " " D. B. Rorison		13.00
March 7th	" " " " " " John Gould		200 00
June 1st	" " " " " " J. M. Haywood		24 31
Feb 12th	" " " " " " H. Welch		32 93
	" " " " " "		19 20
1854 Aug 12th	" " " " " " J. Butler		~~5 40~~
June 15th	" " " " " " J. W. Mills		~~34 80~~

1853

A. Drury to Township of Pittsfield Cr.

1853	By amount brought over	1085	97
Feb. 21st	" " paid to Beers on order of Fractional District No. 8, P. 84 of B.	20	00
1852 Sept. 26th	By amt. paid on order to R. Etchells	18	80
1852 Aug. 20th	By amt. paid on order to D. Deforest	24	00
" 23d	" " " " " " H. Carpenter	5	00
Oct 2nd	" " " " " " John Briggs	28	55
" 11th	" " " " " " A. A. Terry	33	38
" "	" " " " " " Ashbel Tyler	16	00
" 12th	" " " " " " Leonard Tyler	13	00
" 13th	" " " " " " S. R. Doty	11	00
" 21st	" " " " " " W. Chamberlain	15	00
" 22nd	" " " " " " J. S. Tyler	7	39
" 28th	" " " " " " Peley Marshall	40	00
Nov. 25th	" " " " " " Thomas Smith	10	00
" 26th	" " " " " " L. A. Morgan	20	00
" 27th	" " " " " " David White	3	45
Dec. 4th	" " " " " " Peley Marshall	37	00
" "	" " " " " " V. Tyler	21	19
" "	" " " " " " E. L. Aiken	6	15
" 6th	" " " " " " William Geddes	15	56.
1853 Jan 17th	" " " " " " Eugene Stone	40	00
Feb. 21st	" " " " " " Wm. Geddes	27	35.
March 23rd	" " " " " " F. Mulegh	25	00
" 17th	" " " " " " Charles Pope	38	79
" 22nd	" " " " " " Hebron Hurd (dis 84)	12	50
" "	" " " " " " J. W. Mills (Fr. Dis.)	58	54
March 29th	" amt. paid on T. Tax, No. 44 to S. Pettibone	3	00
" "	" " " " " " " 45 " A. Drury	1	00
" "	" " " " " " " 46 " J. S. Lansing	6	50
" "	" " " " " " " 47 " H. Rumsey	2	00
" "	" " " " " " " 48 " J. H. Wallace	4	00
" "	" " " " " " " 49 " E. W. Whitman	3	00
" "	" " " " " " " 50 " E. L. Aiken	10	00
" "	" " " " " " " 51 " J. W. Mills	11	00
" "	" paid to Co. Treasurer	991	11
" "	" of his collection fees	97	64
" "	" of order from Dis No. 5.	48	71
		$ 2805	58
" "	" of balances on settlement	265	44
		$ 3071	02

1853

The undersigned, Township Board for auditing accounts, of the Township of Pittsfield, do hereby certify, that on this 29th day of March A.D. 1853. we have settled the foregoing account of moneys received and disbursed by the Treasurer of said town, during the year last past, and found the said Treasurer's account & vouchers correct, and the following balances remaining in his hands; viz;

Balance on Township Fund		$ 14 72
" " Highway	"	00 00
" " School Dis. Tax	"	40 26
" " " Interest	"	28 00
" " Mill Tax	"	132 46
" " Town House	"	50 00
Total amount of Balances		$ 265 44

Pittsfield, March 29th 1853.

Allen Gittendes
Henry Ramsey } Township Board
E. L. Aiken

Of the above balance on school district taxes, there belongs to school dis. No. 1 $ 85 07
" " " " " 3. 13 33
Do fractional No. 1 of P. & Saline 16 69
probably - " " " " 44
" " " 8 of P. & Lodi 4 65
$ 40 20

Of the above balance on Mill Tax there belongs to dis No. 1 $ 33 25
" " " " 6. 24 13
" " Fract. No. 2 P. & S of P. & L. 32 18
" " " " 4 P. & 4 Lodi 7 51
" " " " 8 P. & 4 of York 10 39
107 46
" " " " Library fund &c. 25 00 *
$ 132 46

The balance on school Incidental fund belongs to Dis. No. 1 P. 28 00

* Books have been purchased to the amount of thirty dollars = twenty five dollars to be paid out of Mill Tax, and five out of fine money now in the County Treasury &c. &c.

Township Cr.

1852
March 30th By balance on settlement, subject to order of Township Board — $70,39
Nov. 15th By amt. assessed for township expenses for 1853 — 89 05
$159 44
Nov. 15 By amt raised for paying those 52 00
20944

N. B. The true balance on the Township Fund is fourteen & 72/100 dollars $1472
March 29th 1853

School District Tax Cr.

1852
March 30th By balance on settlement remaining in Treasurer's hands & subject to the order of the proper school district officers — $225 09

Nov. 15th By tax in frac. Dis. No. 8 P. & A. S.		32 55
" " " " " " " "	1 P. L. & Salem	24 31
" " " " " " " "	8 P. & Lodi	4 65
" " " " " " " "	7 P. & B. York	14 12
" " " " " " " "	2 P. & S "	32 93
" " " " " " " "	3 P. L. & A. A.	12 41
" " " " " " " "	1 P.	310 00
" " " " " " " "	2 "	200 00
" " " " " " " "	3 "	385 00
" " " " " " " "	5 "	23 50
		$1264 56

1852.

Fund

Dr.

1852			
March 31st	To Town Warrant No. 31 to A. Crittenden	2	50
" "	" " 32 to J. J. Lansing	2	50
" "	" " 33 " E. L. Aiken	12	00
" "	" " 34 " H. Hurd	4	50
Sept. 13th	" " " 35 " J. K. Wallace	6	00
" "	" " " 36 " D. Depue	1	00
" "	" " " 37 " N. Webb	1	00
" 20th	" " " 38 " E. W. Whitmore	9	00
Nov. 11th	" " " 39 " S. Hinckley	17	00
" "	" " " 40 " J. K. Wallace	8	50
" "	" " " 41 " A. Crittenden	18	00
" "	" " " 42 " E. L. Aiken	22	83
" "	" " " 43 " Wm. Geddes	2	00
Dec. 29th	To " " " 44 to S. Pettibone	3	00
" "	" " " 45 " A. Drury	1	00
" "	" " " 46 " J. J. Lansing	0	50
" "	" " " 47 " H. Rumsey	2	00
" "	" " " 48 " J. K. Wallace	4	00
" "	" " " 49 " E. W. Whitmore	3	00
" "	" " " 50 " E. L. Aiken	10	00
" "	" " " 51 " J. W. Mills	11	00
		$ 141	33
" "	To balance on settlement 1854 72 =	18	11
" "	" transferred to highway fund 3.39 =	$ 159	44

Fund

Dr.

1853			
March 29	To amount paid on orders of No. 1,	304	91
" "	" " " " " " 2,	200	00
" "	" " " " " " 3,	571	67
" "	" " " " " " Trad. 1, 1851	24	31
" "	" " " " " " 2, 1853	32	93
" "	" " " " " " 3, 1854	12	41
" "	To balance on settlement	~~118~~	~~33~~
		~~$ 1264~~	~~56~~
" "	" " " " " Dis. No. 5,	23	50
" "	" " " " " Trad. " 1853	7	95
" "	" " " " " " " " "	14	12
" "	" " " " " " 88. 46.	12	50
" "	" " " " " " " " "	20	00
		$ 1224	30
" "	Balance on settlement	40	26
		$ 1264	56

1852-3

Highway

Cr.

1852
March 30th By balance on settlement = $24 11

Nov. 15th " By amt. assessed for im. of roads = 50 00
March 29th By amt transferred from Township fund by S. Board = 3 39
$77 50

Primary School Interest Cr.

1852
June 1st By amount received of Co Treas. and apportioned to districts = $160 00

Two Mill Tax Cr.

1852
March 31st By balance on settlement = 28 73

Nov. 15th " By amt. assessed in Pittsfield = 223 16

1853
Feb 14th By amt received from Treas. of York = 176 7
" " " " " " " of Lodi = 4 60
$274 16

Town House Cr.

1852
Nov. 15th By amt. assessed for procuring Town house = $50 00

Fund Dr.

1852
June 3d To amt. paid on Com. order to J. Tyler $22 50
" " " " " " to A. Laurence 5 00
Dec. 31st " " " " " " to M. Dickerson 50 00
$77 50

Fund Dr.

1853
March 29th To amt. paid on dis. orders out of said fund 132 00
To balance on treasury = 28 00
$160 00

Fund Dr.

1853
March 29th To amt. paid on Dis. orders out of said fund = $141.70
" " To balance on settlement 132 46
$274 16

Fund Dr.

1853
March 29th To balance on settlement $51 00

1853

Alveison Drury, Treasurer of
in account with—

1853— Dr.

			cts.
March 29th	To	amount of balances remaining in said Treasurer's hands on settlement with Township Board	$265,44
May 13	To	fine money	11 63
June 2	"	Primary school Fund	142 92
Nov 13	"	Dis No. 8. for use of house for 3 years	25 00
" "	"	Highway Fund	25 00
" "	"	Township Fund	130 28
" "	"	Mill tax	500 00
" "	"	School Dis taxes	461 64
" "	"	Town House Fund	350.00
		T.t.	1911.91
		Total	1911.91

the Township of Pittsfield

1853	Said Township		
Apr 4	By order to W. H. L. Roberts	60.	
	Dis No. 6 mill tax	$24.	13.
"	" order to H. Welch Dis No 2 of		
"	Pittsfield & of York mill tax	32.	18.
" 8th	" Allen Crittenden Town order	3	00.
May 12th	" order to M. Allen library money	25.	00
" 30	" order to Woodruff Town H. Fund	1	00.
June 2	" " " H. Wallace, money		
	raised on the scholar Dis 1. Saline	17	13.
" 8	" " William Geddes S. H. F.	1	50.
" 10	" " Adaline Sutherland S. S. F.	10	00.
" 13	" " D. B. Dorison, last years		
"	School F.	28	00.
"	" " Mill tax	33	25.
"	" " " tax raised on the scholar	5	09.
"	" Dist F. for 1853	22	32.
"	" " J. W. Wills S. S. Fund	30	96.
Aug 9	" " L. I. Howard. Dis. tax	10	39.
"	" " John Smith S. H. Fund	47	50.
"	" " Elijah Mount Sch. S. Fund	7	51
" 10	" " ~~L. I. Valentine Sc. S. Fund~~	~~20~~	~~06~~
" 13	" " W. H. Roberts Sch. S. Fund	16	20.
" 26	" " Geo. Post Sch. S. Fund	16	56.
"	" " E. L. Aiken Sc. Fund	6	75.
"	" " J. F. Sansing Sc. "	1	00.
"	" " Chas. Woodard Sc "	1	00.
"	" " Henry Rumsey Sc "	1	50.
"	" " W. H. L. Roberts mill tax last years	~~24~~	~~13~~
"	" " Adaline Sutherland Sch. S. Fund	6	72.
Sept 1st	" " Wm Geddes Sch. S. Fund	18	36.
"	" " " " building Fund dis No 3.	6	50.
"	" " " John Smith To House building Fund	22	50.
"	" " Wm Geddes Sc. Fund	25	00
"	" " John Smith Sc. H. Fund	16	00.
"	" " " " " " "	50	00.
Dec 1st	" " Allen Crittenden Sc. Fund	30	50.
"	" " John Gould Dis No. 2. build. Fund	200	00.
Dec 4	" " John Smith Sc. H. Fund	50	00.
"	" " " " " " "	73	00.
1854			
Jan 2	" " M. Allen Library money	25	00.
"	" " " " " fine money	11	63
"	" " " B. Tyler Sc. H. Fund	25	00.
"	" " " J. W. Wills Sc Fund	2	00.
"	" " " David Depue " "	3	50.
"	" " " Philo Parsons Dis No. 1. Dis tax	72	40.

1854

Alverson Drury Treasurer of Co

1854				
Jan 16	By order to Ahaz Allen dis No. 5 Mill tax	45	76
" "	" " John Smith Po. H. Fund	50	00
" "	" " M. Dickison Road money	10	00
" "	" " I. Winkley Co. Fund	7	00
" "	" " J. W. Osborn Co. H. Fund	11	70
" 17	" " C. H. Wallace Dis No. 1 Sals Dis tax	1	90
" "	" " Hebron Hurd. Co. Fund	7	70
Feb 10	" " John Smith Co H. Fund	50	00
" "	" " Wm Geddes Dis No. 3, Dis tax	25	00
" "	" " " " " " " "	24	50
" "	" " " " " " Mill tax	67	86
" "	" " Geo. Dye Dis. 6. " "	65	88
" "	" " Geo. M. Henion Non Dis tax mill	99	80
" "	" " A. Crittenden Mill tax Dis		
" "	" " No 2 of P. 5 of N. mill tax	69	19
" "	" " Levi Bonney Dis No. 3 Dis tax	9	00
" "	" " Wm Geddes Dis No. 3 Dis tax	25	50
"	" I. K. Say Mill Tax Dis		
March 16	" No 8 of P. 4 of N	34	59
"	" Hebron Hurd Dis No 4 of P. 2		
	Dis tax	9	10
" "	" " " " Mill Tax	11	86
" 24	" A. Hurd Dis. Tax. Dis No. 5	9	44
" 10	" Phils Parsons Dis No. Mil Tax	74	51
" "	" " J. K. Wallace Co. Fund	7	50
" "	" " C. W. Whitmore Co Fund	2	00
" "	" " Allen Crittenden Dis No.		
	2 of P. 5 of N. P. Sch Fund	21	60
" "	" " A. Critten		
" "	" " L. C. Randall Co Fund	6	50
" "	" " Hebron Hurd Co Fund	7	00
" "	" " Allen Crittenden	4	00
" "	" " David Depue	1	00
" "	" ~~By order paid to Dis No. 3. P. 2. A~~	~~4~~	~~60~~
" "	" ~~David~~ & J. B. Alexander		
	Dis No. 8 of P. 8 of Lodi Mill tax	4	65
		~~1780.~~	~~61~~
" "	By order paid to A Drury, Co Fund	1	21
		1753.	19

the Township of Pittsfield.

1853

Township

1853		Dr.	cts.
March 30th	To balance on settlement	$14	72
Nov 13.	To Township Fund	130	28
		145	00

1854	145	00
	93	16
March 25th. To balance on settlement	$51.	84

Highway

		Dr.
1853		
Nov 13.	To highway fund	25 00
1854		10 00
March 25th,	To balance on settlement	$15. 00

1853

Fund.

1853				Cr.	
Apr. 5th	By	Warrant	No. 52, to A. Crittenden	$ 3	cts. 00
" 4	"	"	" 53 " H. Rumsey	1	50
" 8.	"	"	~~Allen Crittenden~~	~~3~~	~~00~~
Aug 26	"	"	E. L. Aiken	6	75
" "	"	"	G. F. Lansing	1	00
" "	"	"	Chas. Woodard	1	00
Dec 1	"	"	Allen Crittenden	30	50
1854					
Jan 2	"	"	J. W. Wills	2	00
" "	"	"	David Depue	3	50
" 16	"	"	S. Hinkley	7	00
" 17	"	"	Hebron Hurd	7	70
March 24	"	"	J. K. Wallace	7	50
" "	"	"	E. W. Whitmore	2	00
" "	2	"	L. C. Randall	6	50
" "	"	"	H. Hurd	7	00
" "	"	"	A. Crittenden	4	00
" "	"	"	S. Depue	1	00
" "	"	"	A. Drury	1	21
				93	16

2nd Fund

1853				Cr.
Jan 16th	By	order	paid to M. Dickison	$ 10.00

1853

School District Dr.

1853		
March 30th 53	To balance on settlement	$ 40 2
Nov. 18.	To School Dis. Tax Fund.	461 64
		501 8
1854		427 2
March 28th.	Balance on settlement	74.63

Mill Tax

		Dr.	cts
1853			
	To balance on settlement Mch 29th 1853	$132	4
Nov 13.	" Mill Tax	500	00
		132.4	
		617.0	
March 28	Balance on settlement	715.4	

1853

Tax Fund

				Cr.	
1853					
June 2.	By order paid	to	H. Wallace, Dis. No. 1 Saline	17	13
June 13	" " " "		D. B. Rorison " " 1 Bitufida	5	09
Aug 9	" " " "		~~L. J. Howard Dis No. 4 Y. & P.~~	~~10~~	~~89~~
Sept 12	" " " "		Wm. Geddes Dis. No 3	6	50
Jan 2, 1854	" " " "		Phils Parsons	72	40
" 17	" " " "		C. H. Wallace Dis. No. 1 Sal	18	90
Feb. 10	" " " "		Wm. Geddes " " 3.	16	00
" "	" " " "		" " " "	24	50
" "	" " " "		Levi Bonney " " 3	9	00
" "	" " " "		Wm. Geddes Dis. No 3	25	50
March 16	" " " "		Hebron Hurd Dis No. 4 Y.	9	10
" "	" " " "		A. Hurd Dis Tax	9	44
	" " " "		John Gould " "	200	00
	" " " "		J. B. Alexander	4	65
				427	21

Fund

				Cr.	
1853					
Apr 4.	By order paid	to	W. H. La Robert, Dis. No. 6	24	13
" "	" " " "		H. Welch, Dis No. 2 of P. 5 of Y.	32	18
" "	" " " "		[Order paid to Union Dis. rec'd from Gould]	~~4~~	~~66~~
May 12.	" " " "		M. Allen Library money	26	00
June 13	" " " "		D. B. Rorison Dis No. 1 "	33	25
Aug 9	" " " "		L. J. Howard	10	39
" "	" " " "		E. Mount	7	51
1854 Jan. 2	" " " "		M. Allen	25	00
" 16	" " " "		A. Allen Dis No. 5	45	76
Feb 10	" " " "		Wm. Geddes Dis. No. 3	67	86
" "	" " " "		A. Crittenden Dis. No 2	69	19
" "	" " " "		Hebron Hurd Dis. No 4 Y.	11	96
" "	" " " "		P. Parsons Dis No.	74	57
Feb 10	" " " "		Geo. Dye Dis. No. 6	55	88
" "	" " " "		G. M. Henion Union Dis	88	80
" "	" " " "		J. K. Day Dis. No. 8 P. 48.	34	51
				617	01

1853

Primary School

1853		Dr.
March 29th	To balance on settlement belonging to Dis. No 1	$ 28 00 cts.
June 1.	To Primary School Fund	142 92
		170 92
1854		170 92
March 28.	Balance on settlement	000,00

Town House

1853		Dr.
March 29th	To balance on settlement	$ 50 00 cts.
Nov. 13.	To Town House Fund	350 00
		400,00
1854		400,00
March 28.	Balance on settlement	1,80

1853

Interest Fund

Cr.

1853			
June 10	By order paid to	A. Sutherland, Dist No. 5	10.00
" 13	" " paid "	D. B. Dorison last years Int Fund	28.00
" "	" " " " " "	for 1853	22.32
" "	" " " " " "		
" "	" " " "	J. W. Mills Union Dis	30 96
Aug 10	" " " "	L. S. Valentine	
" 13	" " " "	W. K. G. Roberts Dist No. 6	16 20
" 26	" " " "	Geo. Post	16 56
Sept 1.	" " " "	Wm. Geddes	18.36
	" " " "	A. Sutherland	6 72
	" " " "	A. Cattenden	21.60
			170 72

Fund

Cr.

				$	cent
1853					
May 30	By order paid to	Woodruff		1	00
June 8.	" " paid "	Wm. Geddes		1	50
" 10	" " " "	J. Smith		16	00
Aug. 9	" " " "	J. Smith		47	50
" "	" " " "	"		50	00
Dec 1st	" " " "	"		50	00
1854	" " " "	"		73	01
Jan 2	" " " "	"	N. Tyler	25	00
" 16	" " " "	"	J. Smith	50	00
" "	" " " "	"	J. W. Osborn	11	70
Feb 10	" " " "	"	J. Smith	50	00
Sept 1	" " " "	"	J. Smith	22	50
				398	21

1854

E. L. Aiken Treasurer of the
in account with

1854			Dr.
	To amount paid over by	$	cts
	former Treasurer	153.	72
	" ~~Amount recd from Sch. Dis~~	~~5.~~	~~00~~
	" Mill Tax collected by him	492	00
	" Highway Fund	50	00
	" Township Fund	81	96
	" School Dis. Taxes	235.	75
June 3rd	" School Int. Fund recd.	153	00
" "	" Fine money recd. of Co. Treas	~~4~~	~~55~~
Jan 27	" money recd of Treas. of Cedar (Amount)	10	62
1855			
Feb 1st	" State, County & rejected Taxes	768	86
		1950.	46

1854. Of the amount remaining in the Treasurer's hands, on settlement, March 28th, 1854, there belongs to

Township Fund	51.	84
Highway "	15.	00
School Dis. Tax "	74	63
Mill Tax "	15	45
Town House "	1	80
Total	$158.	72

The School Dis. Tax belongs as follows

To Dis. No. 5	$23.	00
" " " 3	6.	83
" Frac " " 2 P. 5 of M.	44.	80
	74.	63

Township of Pittsfield
said Town Cr

1854			
Apr. 10	By order paid to A. Drury for Dis. No. 5. Mill Tax		15 45
" "	" " " " Dis. Tax		23 00
" 11	" " " " Wm Geddes for Dis. No. 3. Dis. Tax		6 83
13	" " " " H. Carpenter out of Sc. Fund		4 87
June 6th	" " " to H. Welch. Sc. Fund		5 00
July 27th	" " " Sc Wm. Geddes for Dis. No. 3 out of Sch. Int. Fund		22 95
Aug. 2nd	" " " Sc S. Hinkley out of Building Fund for Dis. No 2 of P.		44 80
Sept 9th	" " " C. P. Dey. for Dis. No 6. Int Fund		18 90
" 16th	" " " C. M. Henion. for Union Dis. Int Fund.		41 85
" 19th	" " " Sc Phila Parsons. for Dis No. 1. Int Fd.		25 20
Oct 28th	" " " " M. M. Dickenson. Highway F.		27 50
Nov 7th	" " " " N. Webb Sc Fund		8 00
" 8	" " " " H. Hurd Sc. Fund		5 00
" "	" " " " J. K. Lay " "		2 00
" 13	" " " " L. C. Randall " "		6 00
" 16	" " " " E. L. Aiken " "		2 00
Dec 8	" " " " A. Crittenden " "		36 00
" "	" " " " M. Rowan Highway Fund		24 00
" 13	" " " " M. M. Dickinson H. W. Fund		5 00
" 19	" " " " S. Hinkley Sc Fund		6 50
" "	" " " " H. Hurd " "		5 00
" "	" " " " J. S. Tyler " "		2 00
" 20	" " " " G. H. Gould. Mill Tax & 20 sch. Tax		35 00
" 27	" " " " David Depue Sc. Fund		3 00
" "	" " " " J. H. Wallace " "		9 50
" 30	" " " " Elihu Billings Dis Tax		25 00
Jan 1st	" " " " J. L. Marshall " "		15 00
" 13	" " " " J. F. Dunn Dis No. 2 Dis Tax		14 19
" 18	" " " " Benj. Fairchild Junior Dis. Mill Tax		37 50
" 27	" " " " D. Douglass Dis No 2. Dis Tax		55 81
" 31	" " " " E. H. Billings. Dis No. 3. Mill Tax.		25 00
Feb 17th	" " " " R. Whiting. Dis No. 2. Mill Tax		25 55
" 24th	" " " " E. H. Billings. Dis No. 3. Mill Tax		29 00
" "	" " " " G. A. Randall. Dis No. 5. Mill Tax		55 94
" "	" " " " " " " " Tax on scholars		11 50
" "	" " " " " " " " Int Fund		4 36

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Township Treasure

Feb 27th	By order paid to W. H. L. Roberts. for Dis. No. 6 out of Dis. Tax Fund	$22.00	
" "	" " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	Mill Tax	38.00
March 1st	" " " " " "	B. Fairchild, Union Dis. Tax	25.50
" 16th	" " " "	H. Hurd Dis. No. 8 of P. O.	
		4 of Book. Mill Tax	37.70
Feb 19th	" " " "	of School Ins. for Co. books	24.55
March 10th	" " " "	C. H. Gould. Dis. No. 1. mill Tax	30.00
" 16th	" " " " " " " " " " " " " "		20.10
" 20th	" " " "	L. Winkley. Dis. No. 2 of P.	
		5 of Book. out of Mill Tax Fund	48 64
		out of Prim. Int Fund	23 40
" "	" " " "	R. J. Lewis. Dis. No 7 of P.	
		3 of U. Mill Tax Fund	25.00
" 24th	" " " "	Charles D. Richard Union Dis.	
		Mill Tax Fund	27 87
Feb 1st	" " " "	Stat. County & rejected Tax	
		paid Co. Treas.	768.86
			1775.92.

The undersigned Township Board for Auditing accounts hereby certify, that his vouchers are correct and the amount remaining in his hands ~~is~~ one hundred and seventy four dollars and fifty four cents. belonging as follows

Township Fund	$40.73
District Tax Fund	67.48
Mill Tax "	41.69
Primary School Fund	16.14
Highway Fund	8.50
	$174.54

Alley Crittenden
Zina K. Lay
Welcon Hurd
} Township Board

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Mill Tax Fund.

			Dr
March 28th.	To	balance on settlement	15.45
Feb. 1st	"	Mill Tax for 1854	492.00
			507.45
June 3rd	"	Amount of fine money rec'd from Co. Treas.	4 55
Feb. 1st	"	" rec'd from Treas of. Coll	9 39
			521 39
			479.10
March 27th.	"	balance on settlement	41.69

Primary School Fund

1854			Dr
Jan 3rd.	To	Amount received of Co. Treas.	153.00
			136.86
March 27th.		balance on settlement	16.14

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Mill Tax Fund

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1854				
Nov. 8th	By paid order of School Dis.		8	cents
	to To. Board, for money advanced			
	by them for the purchase of Books		5.	00
1855				
Feb. 19th	By order of school Dis for books		24.	55
1854. April 10.	" " " Dis. No. 5, to A. Drury		15.	45
Dec 20th	By order paid to G. H. Gould Dis		9	00.
1855. Jan. 18.	" " " " B. Fairchild Dis. No. 2		37.	50.
Feb 19th	" " " " R. Whiting. Dis. No. 2		25	55.
Jan 31st	" " " " E. H. Billings " " 3		25	00.
Feb 24th	" " " " " " " "		29.	00.
" 27th	" " " " W. H. S. Robert " " 6		38	00.
March 1st	" " " " B. Fairchild Dis. No. 2		25	50.
March, 10th	" " " " G. H. Gould. Dis. No. 1. Mill Tax		30	00
" 10th	" " " " " " Interest Dis. No. 1 Mill Tax		20	00
" 20th	" " " " A. Hinkley. Dis 2 of York		31	70
		5 of N. Mill Tax	48	64
		out of Int Fund	~~23~~	~~44~~
" "	" " " " R. J. Lewis. Dis No 20			
		3 of York. Mill Tax	25.	00
" 24	" " " " C. D. Richard. Dis No		27	87
Feb 24th	" " " " G. A. Randall Dis. No. 5		55	94.
			479.	10

Primary School Int. Fund,

			Cr	
1854				
July. 27th.	By order paid to Wm Geddes	Dis. No. 3.	22	95
Sept 9th	" " " " G. P. Dey. Dis. No. 6		18	90
" 16	" " " " G. Henion Dis. No.		41	85
" 19th	" " " " Phil Parsons " 1.		25	20
1855. Feb 14th	" " " " G. A. Randall 5		4	56
March 20th	" " " A. Hinkley Dis No 2 of York		23	40
			136.	86

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Township Fund.

		Dr
March 28th,	To balance on settlement	51.84
"	Amount collected for 1854	81.96
		$ 133.80
"	balance on Town House Fund,	1.80
		135.61
		94 87
March 27th,	balance on settlement	40.73

District Tax Fund

1854		Dr
March 28th	To balance on settlement	74.63
"	Amount assessed for 1854	235.75
		310.38
Feb. 1st	" Amount received from Treasurer	1.23
		311.61
		244.13
March 27th	" balance on settlement	67.48

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Township Fund

1854			Cr.
April 13th	By order	paid to H. Carpenter	4.87
June 6th	" "	" H. Welch	5 00
Nov 7th	" "	" N. Webb	8 00
" 8th	" "	" H. Hurd	5 00
" "	" "	" J. H. Day	2 00
" 15th	" "	" L. C. Randall	6 00
" 16th	" "	" E. L. Aiken	2 00
Dec. 8th	" "	" A. Crittenden	36 00
" 19th	" "	" S. Hinkley	6.50
" "	" "	" H. Hurd	5 00
" "	" "	" J. S. Tyler	2 00
" 27th	" "	" D. Depue	3 00
" "	" "	" J. H. Wallace	9.50
			94.87

District Tax Fund

1854			Cr.
Apr 10th	By order to	A. Drury Dis. No. 5	23.00
" 11	" "	" Wm Geddes, Dis. No. 3	6.83
Aug 2nd	" "	" S. Hinkley. Dis. No. 2 & 5	44 80
Dec 20th	" "	" G. H. Gould " " 1	26 00
1855. Jan 1st	" "	" J. L. Marshall " "	15.00
" 13th	" "	" J. F. Dunn Dis. No. 2.	14.19
" 27th	" "	" D. Douglass " " 2.	55 81
" 30th	" "	" C. H. Billings " " 3	25 00
Feb 24th	" "	" G. A. Randall " " 5	11.50
" 27	" "	" W. H. L. Roberts 6	22 00
			244.13

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Highway Fund

1854		Dr
March 28,	To balance on settlement	15.00
No. 15	" Amount voted at Do. meting	50.00
		65.00
		56.50
March 27th	balance on settlement	8.50

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Highway Fund

1854		Cr
Oct. 28th	By order paid to W. M. Dickinson	27 50
Dec. 8th	" " " " M. H. Rowan	24.00
" 13th	" " " " W. M. Dickinson	5.00
		56 50

A. D. 1850

Receipts for Session Laws

Received of the Township Clerk of Pittsfield one copy of the Session Laws of 1850 — R. Webb
Pittsfield Sept. 1850
John F. Lansing

Pittsfield Sept. 2nd 1851
Rec'd of the Township Clerk of Pittsfield one copy of the Session Laws of 1851
Allen Gittenden
Z. K. Lay
John F. Lansing
H. Rumsey
David Depue

Received of the Clerk of the Township of Pittsfield one copy of the Primary School Law of 1852
Pittsfield Oct. 8th 1852
Jno. W. Mills, Director of Union District

Rec'd as above one copy
Pittsfield Oct. 15th 1852 William Geddes
Director of D. No. 3

Received as above one copy
Pittsfield, Oct. 30th 1848
M. H. Rowan
Assessor of D. No. 6

Rec'd as above one copy
Oct. 30th 1852
Niverson Drury
Assessor of Dis. No 5

1853

Rec'd Jan. 25th 1853 of the Township Clerk of Pittsfield one copy of the Primary School Law for Dis. No 1. of said township

P. H. Rowsom, Sec. D. 18 Rowsom
Director

Rec'd. as above one copy for district No. 1 of Pittsfield & No. 3 of York

P. Hoffa, Jan 29th 1853

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