

1888 Town Meeting Minutes

At the Annual Town Meeting held in and for the Town of Palmyra on Tuesday March 6th, 1888
Present presiding M. C. Finley Justice

S. N. Sawyer “
H. A. Chase “
E. H. Clark “

Jas. Bourne Jr. having become disqualified by reason of canvassing for election H. D. Braman was appointed clerk Pro Tem.

Board formed an organization with M. C. Finley as chairman who at eight o'clock declared the Polls open and a proclamation made that they would close at Five o'clock P.M.

At One O'clock meeting was called to order and the different Town Officers presented their reports which on motion were accepted and adopted by vote of the meeting.

The following Resolution was moved by Mr. Thaddeus Philip & unanimously adopted – That the report of Supervisor just read and a statement of the aggregate sum expended for the relief of the Poor by the overseer of the poor during the past year be published in one issue of each of the Village papers and that the monthly report of the overseer of the poor be published in each of the Village papers during the ensuing year as heretofore.

We the undersigned Justices of the Peace of the Town of Palmyra do hereby certify that the following named persons were duly elected to the offices set opposite their respective names.

	Henry R. Durfee
Supervisor	
	Jas. Bourne Jr.
Town Clerk	
	Wm. H. Southwick
Justice	
	S. W. Sawyer
Assessor	
	A. G. Wigglesworth
Overseer of Poor	
	Geo. S. Clark
Collector	
	Geo. R. Galloway
Highway Commr.	
	Eugene Conant
Constable	
	Fred V. Cleveland
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	Chas. J. Grant
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	Perry S. Feller
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	Chas. H. Chapman
Game Constable	
	Gifford H. Post
Excise Commr.	

Albert S. Rogers
Inspector of Election Dist. No. 1
Chas. H. Brigham

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Jerome C. Feller

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Tracy S. Stebbins

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Wellington S. Weaver “

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Jas. H. O. Neal

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Having received the highest number of votes next to those elected to said office were duly appointed Inspectors to said District.

The vote to appropriate Five Hundred Dollars for the poor fund and Seventy Five Dollars for the Soldiers relief Fund was unanimous by the following

For appropriation 63
Against none

M. C. Finley Justice
H. A. Chase “
S. N. Sawyer “
E. H. Clark “

H. D. Braman Clerk pro tem

At a meeting of the Board of Town Auditors of the Town of Palmyra, Wayne Co. N.Y. held at the office of Henry R. Durfee Supr. Thursday Nov. 8th 1888 the following bills were presented & audited as below.

#	Claimant	Services Rendered	Claimed	Allowed
1	E. S. Averill	Printing	38.50	38.50
2	F. W. Cole	“	40.00	40.00
3	Village of Palmyra	Use of Town Hall	100.00	100.00
4	District No. 14	Use of Sch. House	8.00	8.00
5	H. P. Knowles & Co.	Rent Town Clerks office	21.00	21.00
6	Geo. R. Galloway	Highway Comr.	68.50	68.50
7	Wm. Huxley	Boarding Prisoner	63.25	63.25
8	S. W. Sawyer	Services as Assessor	93.00	93.00
9	James w. Pyatt	“	92.00	92.00
10	D. P. Gamble	“	88.00	88.00
11	Jas. Bourne Jr.	Copying Assess Roll	10.00	10.00
12	A. G. Wigglesworth	Services O. Poor	166.67	166.67
13	D. P. Gamble	“ “ “	83.34	83.34
14	E. S. Lewis	Services of Ex. Commr.	36.00	36.00
15	G. H. Post	“ “ “ “	36.00	36.00
16	F. C. Beal	“ “ “ “	36.00	36.00
17	C. H. Brigham	Inspector & e	12.00	12.00
18	Jerome C. Feller	“ “	10.00	10.00
19	Tracy S. Stebbins	“ “	5.00	5.00

20	Albert S. Rogers	Inspector	6.00	6.00
21	W. S. Weaver	"	6.00	6.00
22	Jeter Warner	"	4.00	4.00
23	W. W. Myrick	Clerk of Election	6.00	6.00
24	S. E. Braman	" " "	6.00	6.00
25	H. D. Braman	" " Town Meeting	4.00	4.00
26	E. H. Clark	" " Election	4.00	4.00
27	Chas. Haskell	" " "	4.00	4.00
28	W. J. Hennesy	Health Off. & e	59.85	59.85
29	M. C. Finley	Board of Health & e	28.00	28.00
30	S. N. Sawyer	" " " "	26.00	26.00
31	E. H. Clark	" " " "	28.00	28.00
32	H. A. Chase	" " " "	26.00	26.00
33	C. H. Brigham	" " " "	12.00	12.00
34	S. T. De Sa Mater	Birth & Death Certif.	3.90	3.90
35	D. Mc Pherson	" " " "	4.20	4.20
36	S. D. Trowbridge	" " " "	3.85	3.85
37	John Hibbard	Constable	6.00	6.00
38	Eugene Conant	"	99.35	99.35
39	F. V. Cleveland	"	39.25	39.25
40	Cleveland & Conant	"	18.40	18.40
41	Chas. J. Grant	"	39.65	39.65
42	J. J. Rogers	Police Justice	127.57	127.57
			1569.28	1568.43
		Sheep Audit		
43	Beatty & Irish	Sheep Killed by Dogs	191.00	191.00
44	David Johnson	" " " "	9.00	9.00

Some of the above bills needing explanation before being audited Board adjourned to Friday Novr. 9th 1888 at 10 o'clock A.M. Same place
Novr. 9th 1888 Board met as per adjournment and completed audit as above
Dated Novr. 8th & 9th, 1888

Supervisor

Town Clerk

Justice of the Peace

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H. R. Durfee

Jas. Bourne Jr.

M. C. Finley

H. A. Chase

S. N. Sawyer

E. H. Clark

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The above is a true copy of the proceedings of the Board now on file in this office
Jas. Bourne Jr. Town Clerk